### KILHAM NEWS December 24 & January 25

### Santa Sunday - 1st December

#### Kilham Village Hall 1-4pm

Everyone is welcome to join us at our magical Christmas Fair in the Village Hall.

Entry is £3.50 for children, which includes a visit

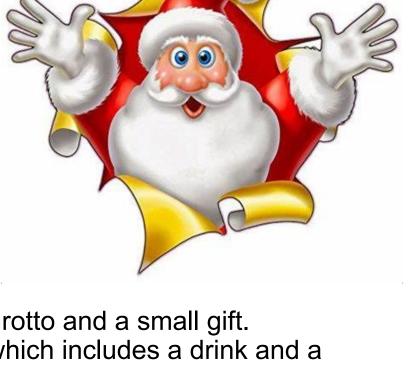
to Santa in his Christmas grotto and a small gift. And only £1.50 for adults which includes a drink and a mince pie or biscuit.

There will also be tombola, raffle and various other games and stalls for you to get you into the festive mood and start the holiday season properly.

At 4pm, we can all walk down with Santa to the village Christmas tree and see the lights switched on. Come along and join in with the carol singing with Ray's Voices.

#### **Everyone welcome!**

Fundraising event for Kilham Parent Teacher and Friends Association



Friend



# KILHAM PLAYING FIELDS ASSOCIATION Updates:

#### Bonfire and Fireworks Display



What a fantastic evening for our village bonfire and fireworks display this year, the weather was kind to us and once again we had a record attendance. We would like to say a big thank you to all sponsors and all our volunteers in giving up their time to provide a great evening for everyone. We are so proud and pleased to let you know that the event raised over £6,000 that will go towards all the improvements and ongoing



developments at our playing field. Thank you to those attending and helping to contribute to the amazing amount raised.

#### **Farmer Christmas Tractor Run:**

#### Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> December from 3.30pm (see back page poster)

This is now a regular and much looked forward to event in our village. Our aim is to bring something special to the local area and to light up Kilham and the surrounding villages in a magical way for all ages. Tractor entries are mounting up and we hope to have at least 150 stunning tractors for you to watch lighting up the village as they go by. Hot drinks and mulled wine will be on sale at Kilham Church from 4pm to keep you warm while you watch the fun. All proceeds from donations along the route will go to the Yorkshire Air Ambulance. This event always requires over 100 volunteers from around the area for marshalling and collecting. If you can help in anyway, please contact through our Facebook pages or Nicola 07765932387 or <a href="mailto:kpfaevents@outlook.com">kpfaevents@outlook.com</a>

#### **KPFA Christmas Cracker Prize Draw**



Just £1 per square—pop into Boyes Garage or The Star & buy your lucky numbers now.



1st Prize—£150 2nd Prize—£100 Third Prize—£50

Winners announced in next newsletter.

#### **KPFA Survey Feedback.**

A big thankyou to all who took part in the recent survey of current use and a wish list for additions to our playing field. We had 60 responses and the survey showed us frequency & length of visits, equipment/facilities used and most importantly for us—the list of things that you want us to improve.

The highest request was for toilet facilities and this year we have managed to fund keeping the Portaloo on site from late Spring until now. It will be removed later this month and then brought back again next year,

The next highest request was for additional sheltered area. We are pleased to announce that with the funding we have managed to raise—we have ordered a new 10 meter shelter—similar to the one already on site. This is due to be installed in the Spring along with additional seating/picnic tables.

More play equipment was next most requested from the survey —and again—we have recently finished installation of lots of new play equipment and some of the much loved older pieces are being refurbished. Our play provision is certainly one of the best in the area now, and one that we can be very proud of working together to create and maintain.

More sports facilities, improving the bike track and entrance gate area and having a peaceful and sensory seating area are all things we would like to look at for the future. If you would like to help us drive this forward and can contribute your time and ideas, please come along to our next meeting. You will be very welcome.

Next meeting—17th December, 7pm. The Star, Kilham.

Annual General Meeting—21st January 2025, 7pm. The Star, Kilham.

#### All Welcome.

We would like to wish you and your loved ones a Merry Christmas and Happy and Healthy New Year—KPFA





#### KILHAM PARISH COUNCIL NEWS

In some areas of the village, garden hedges and trees overhanging the public pavements have resulted in the footpath becoming impassable, especially by pushchair and wheelchair users. It is the responsibility of the land owner to maintain any shrubbery that encroaches the highway, East Riding of Yorkshire Council has the power to enforce the

removal of the offending bush/tree and charge the property owner. All reports received by the Parish Council of offending trees/bushes are referred to ERYC.

If you would like to become more involved in the village, why not consider becoming a parish councillor, for more information contact Claire the parish clerk or come along to the meetings which are held on the second Monday of the month.

Finally, the Parish Council would like to wish you all a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.





Please leave all gift items by Sunday, 22 December at All Saints', Kilham.

There is a collection box 24/7 in the church porch.

For further info contact Carol: 01262 420077



#### KILHAM GUIDING

#### Rainbows for girls 4to 7 years

They are full at the moment but can be put on the waiting list. For more information, please email

Sue Dennis sdennis917@btinternet.com

#### Brownies for girls 7 to 10 years

Limited spaces

For more information, please email

Michelle Keyes kilhambrownowl@hotmail.com

Or text 07423534730

#### Guides for girls 10 to 14

Limited spaces

For more information, please email

Claire Dennis clairebell2112@gmail.com

Were you a Brownie or Guide? Would you like to join in the guiding fun and help? Please get in touch with any of the above Guiders.

#### **KILHAM VILLAGE LOTTERY**

Draw Date: SATURDAY 28<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER 2024

1 <sup>ST</sup> PRIZE	MRS MARIE SHEADER (282)	£68.00
2 <sup>ND</sup> PRIZE	MR ROBERT WEBSTER (190)	£47.00
3 <sup>RD</sup> PRIZE	MR DON PLOWMAN (32)	£27.00

Draw Date: SATURDAY 26<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER 2024

1 <sup>ST</sup> PRIZE	MR FRAN COWTON (49)	£68.00
2 <sup>ND</sup> PRIZE	MR RICHARD ZERNY (253)	£48.00
3 <sup>RD</sup> PRIZE	MR HENRY HARRISON (31)	£27.00

For anyone new wishing to have a number/s or if you require any further information or have any queries please contact Louise McKie on 01262 421804 or Marie Sheader on 01262 420777 or email <a href="mailto:kilhamvl2017@gmail.com">kilhamvl2017@gmail.com</a> Numbers are 50p each per month and you can hold as many numbers as you wish.

The next draw is on Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> November 2024. Please ensure you have paid either Marie or by Standing Order by this date otherwise unfortunately your number/s will not be put in the draw.

### Christmas Concert

by Ray's Voices & Friends

Sat 7th December 7pm at All Saints' Kilham

\*Tickets £7.50

from Boyes Shop & Old Star Pub Raffle & refreshments

For more information: call Pam 01262 420652

\*Proceeds towards All Saints' windows restoration

## Community Christmas Party Tea Wed 11th December

12:30pm Kilham Village Hall





12:30<sub>pm</sub> Kilham Village Hall



for more information or dietary requests, phone Pam on 01262 420652

hosted by: All Saints' Kilham Community Team



#### Kilham Baby and Toddler Group

Calling all Mums, Dads & Carers,

We have a fantastic, fun-filled morning for babies and toddlers at the village hall in Kilham every Wednesday morning from 09.30am to 11.15am during term-time. Why not come along and meet up with other parents and carers. Have a coffee, while you and your child make lots of new friends.

For more information, please call Amy Clarkson. 07500069642

#### Kilham Gardening Club, Kilham Village Hall

#### Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> December 7.30pm

Christmas from your Garden – Demonstration by Kilham Florist Helen Jackson.

Competition – bring your table decoration, no bigger than a dinner plate, using plants from your garden and hedgerow to create your own decoration. Prize for the best entry.

Also, raffle, plant sales, seed swaps. Free books and magazines table. £5 to include homemade mince pie and a glass of wine or cup of tea/ coffee

Dates for or your diary....

#### Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> January 2025, 7.30pm

Guest speaker Mo Alker, Lecturer in Horticulture at Bishop Burton College, on the topic of Pruning.

Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> February 7.30pm - Guest speaker TBA

**Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> March 7.30pm –** Guest speaker Phil Gilmartin, Professor of Plant Molecular Genetics, All About Primula.

Each meeting has a mix of speaker topics, plant sales, seed swaps, free magazines and fun competitions, and refreshments. Come and join us! Just £5 per meeting.





### ALL SAINTS CHURCH SERVICES AND EVENTS 01262 420313

Churchwardens Sue Dawson 01377 259068 Pam Barker 01262 420652

#### **Church services for December and January**

December

1<sup>st</sup> 11.00am Advent Sunday: All ages together and 'Shoebox'

service

7<sup>th</sup> (Sat) 7.00pm Concert for Christmas with Ray's Voices and friends

(tickets £7.50)

15<sup>th</sup> 11.00am Holy Communion

19<sup>th</sup> (Thur) 6.00pm School Nativity

24<sup>th</sup> 5.00pm Christingle service

11.30pm Christmas eve: Holy Communion

29<sup>th</sup> 11.00am Rudston: Parish churches together Holy

Communion

January

5<sup>th</sup> 11.00am Holy Communion

19<sup>th</sup> 11.00am Holy Communion

26<sup>th</sup> 11.00am Rudston: Holy Communion

4.00pm All ages together service

Every Tuesday at 10.30am, come and join in for a time of prayer and discussion over a cuppa and biscuits; all welcome. For December and January, we will meet in a village home each week. Either check notice board for which home/venue or call Rev Steve on 07840 712558

Talking About Faith: first Wednesday of every month (7 - 9pm) Old Star Inn. The evenings are very friendly and informal so come and join us at for chat, food and a warm welcome. For further information email: revalanleach@gmail.com

We will also continue to have a 'Zoom' service every first and third Sundays of the month and weekly each Wednesday at 10am. Please contact Glyn for information/Zoom links:revglynowen@btinternet.com

All Saints Cont.

Dear Friends
Firstly, may I wish
you all a very
merry Christmas
and a happy New
Year. This time of
year, is certainly
a lovely one,
especially in our
village
community.



There are the many events such as the school nativity and the Christingle service, as well as the excitement as the big day arrives and the presents are opened and the food and of course drink, are consumed. Perhaps even the tradition of the King's speech to be listen too sleepily in the early afternoon. But of course, there is the real meaning of Christmas, the reason we celebrate the season, it is that well known story of the birth of Jesus. As Christians it is one of those central events in our calendar, it reminds us that Jesus didn't have it easy, born in a cold stable with smelly animals, then having to run away from Herod to become a refuge in Egypt. He had a tough start in life. But from that he became one of, if not the most important and influential figures in history. It is from this past that he calls to us now in the future, we have so much to be grateful for and, compared to many, so much to give, not just in material things but in giving our time as well. As a village your generosity has been so appreciated, the new windows will be fitted early next year, the food bank is always well supported and our various fund-raising events during the year are also keenly given too, such as our shoebox Christmas gifts. This is the true meaning of Christmas which Jesus wishes us to remember and join in with, when we reach out to others with a loving and generous hand. So, a big thank-you to all who have been so generous over this last year and as Jesus himself said, 'well done you good and faithful servant'. God bless each of you.

**Rev Steve** 



#### Wolds Crafters



#### Meet at Kilham Village Hall

on Mondays—except Bank Holidays



1-4pm

Are you interested in joining a friendly group of crafters?

Come along for a taster session -

Please contact: Mary 07794 009616

Or Carol 07912 441125

#### Kilham Village Hall - Dates for your diary 2025

**18<sup>th</sup> February 7.00pm** – AGM open meeting. We are seeking additional members for our committee and happy to help group. Come along to hear what we are planning, have your say and contribute to your community.

**21**<sup>st</sup> **February 7.00pm** – From Here to Absurdity. Review-style entertainment with tried and tested material plus some newly penned sketches just for Kilham! Cabaret style tables, bring your own drinks and enjoy the show.

### Adult Education and Leisure Classes In Kilham Village Hall

Following the success of the fully funded 4-week Digital Skills course run by East Riding Adult Learning in September, we are now seeking your input for Spring courses, to identify the most popular topic(s) and make it happen!

If you are interested, please complete the form overleaf, cut it out of the newsletter and drop it into the suggestions box in the entrance foyer to Kilham Village Hall, or you can email your preference to bookingskilhamvillagehall@gmail.com

Please tick the box(es) to indicate which class(es) you might wish to attend, and also if you can attend only daytime, only evening, or tick both if you are flexible.

Please tick the subject and time that you would like to attend. If you can attend either day or evening, please tick both. Wellbeing through Art. All resources provided, a total of 12 hours of delivered tailored learning. **ART Evening** Art Day time Photography using Smart Phones – tailored learning for enhanced digital skills **Evening** Smart Photos Day **Pottery** – Tailored learning Pottery Day time Evening Air Fryers – practical skills and hands on learning with all equipment provided. Tailored learning Air Fryers Day time Evening Creative Writing - full cost Day time Evening Spanish conversation - full cost

Note: Tailored learning is subsidised, full cost prices TBA.

Photography with Cameras - full cost

Day time

Daytime

Please complete and return to Kilham Village Hall by 03.01.25

**Evening** 

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Mon-Fri: **7am-7pm**Saturday: **7:30am-5pm**Sunday: **9am-1pm** 



We look forward to seeing you soon...





At the October meeting Lynne Quinn explained to us about The Sneaky Psychology of Supermarkets. A very informative presentation warning us of the pitfalls we could all fall prey to whilst shopping. In November Marion Gamble brought along 28 small antique objects and challenged us to guess what they were. There were some inspired answers, even some correct ones, but we were entertained and enlightened when Marion explained them all.

Several members attended the Federation Autumn Meeting at thebeginning of October. The highlight of the day was a performance by special guest Nicola Mills, a woman whose remarkable story left everyone in the room inspired. Nicola shared her journey of resilience and determination and sang some of her

favourite pieces including songs from the opera and modern classics interwoven with a humorous but very poignant talk about her life to date. Her message was simple: no matter where you come from, if you keep pushing forward, you can achieve your dreams. By the end of her performance, the room was on its feet, giving Nicola a well-deserved standing ovation. She later said she had enjoyed "an afternoon of women inspiring women".

We meet on the second Tuesday of the month in the Village Hall at 7.15 and are always happy to welcome visitors.

Angela will be at The Star for lunch on the first Thursday of the month at noon. If any ladies want to come along, even if you are not a WI member, why not join us.

The December meeting is the Annual Meeting followed by our Christmas Party when the entertainment will be a ukulele band.

In January we will have our ever-popular Beetle Drive.

If you have any questions, please email the secretary on:

kilhamwi@eastyorkshirewi.org.uk

#### News From Kilham School

Over the last year, our school has completed a comprehensive review of our Design Technology and STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Maths) curriculum. This review has looked at providing staff with the latest DT training, an investment in resources, and the coverage and progression within the subject our children receive as they move from EYFS to Year 6.

Kilham School is also the lead school of the fourteen-school Driffield Enthuse Partnership, accessing funding from the Dogger Bank Windfarm STEM Project.

The Driffield Enthuse Partnership is working together to support significant improvements in staff training, knowledge and skills and increase the number of creative opportunities to introduce our children to STEM subjects and jobs in STEM-based industries.

All of this work is now starting to make an impact, and over the last two weeks, children have been involved in two full days of DT work, much of it closely linked to their topics.

Year 5 and 6 – Moving Mechanisms

This project teaches children about pneumatic systems. They experiment with pneumatics before designing, making and evaluating a pneumatic machine that performs a useful function.

Years 3 and 4 Cook Well, Eatwell

This project teaches children about food groups and the Eatwell guide. They learn about methods of cooking and explore these by cooking potatoes and ratatouille. The children choose and make a taco filling according to specific design criteria.

Year 1 and 2—Remarkable Recipes

This project teaches children about sources of food and tools used for food preparation. They also discover why some foods are cooked and learn to read a simple recipe. The children made a lovely spaghetti Bolognese and they have really enjoyed the hands- on aspect of the work.









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**Contact: Alvin** 

01262 421896 0791 911 6141



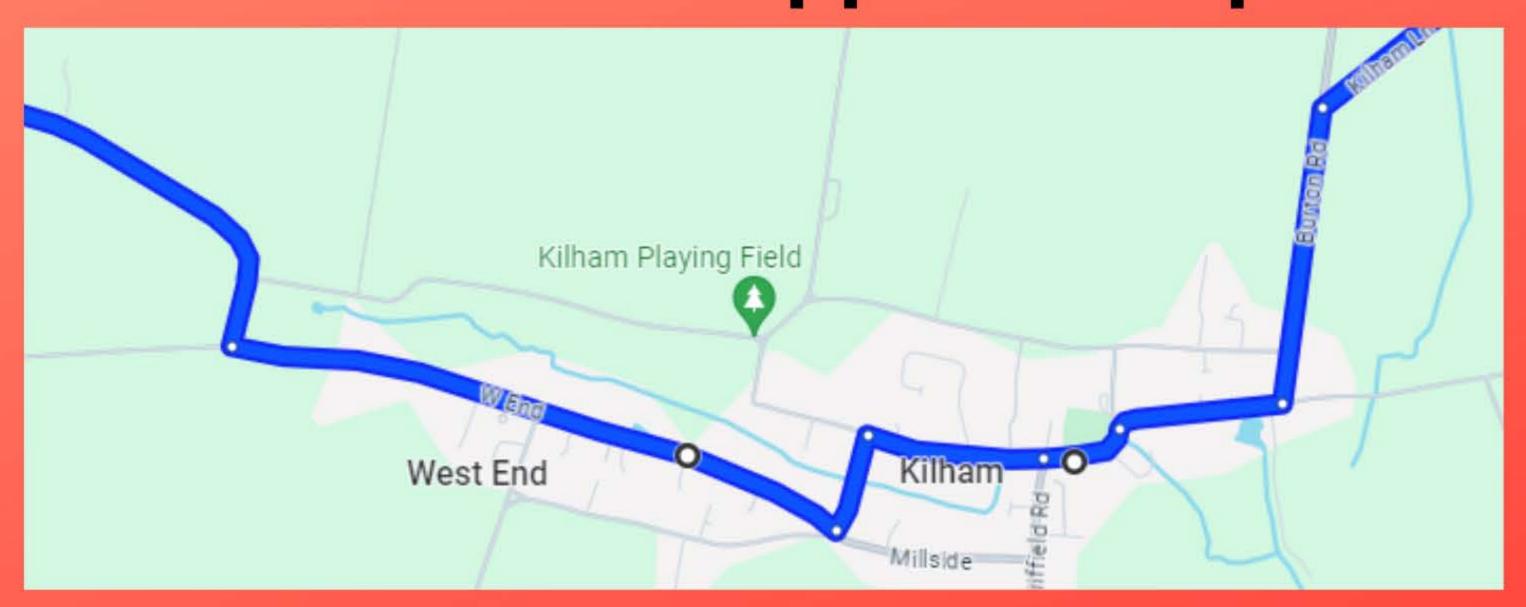
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# Farmer Christmas

Tractor Run Sunday 8th December Join the KPFA

at Kilham Church from 4pm Hot drinks, mulled wine and mince pies Kilham Route approx 5.45pm



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