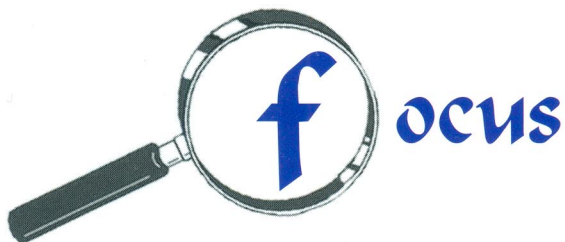


North Ferriby



.....all your local information in one booklet

2007 edition

Welcome to the 2007 Focus

North Ferriby Parish Council welcomes you to the second edition of the Ferriby Focus Village Guide Book, which supersedes the original that was published in 2003. The booklet has articles of local interest, information on village organisations and other local information, an up to date street map and a classified index. It is intended to provide a useful reference guide for all village residents, and is especially useful for newcomers. The book is self-financing through local commercial advertisements, but with no charge for the information entries. It is also available on the Parish Council website www.ferriby.info.



It has been professionally prepared by Graham Latter, a local graphic designer. Parish Councillor John Pickering has liaised with the author on our behalf. A copy is being delivered free of charge to all the households in the village, at present numbering just under 1,700.

If you know of newcomers to the village, please inform them that free copies of this booklet will remain available from the Clerk to the Parish Council, Pat Lambert **631 822** clerk@ferriby.info

Julie Abraham
Chairman of the Council

Editor's Notes

The printed booklet was entirely financed by its advertisers - we thank them for their splendid support - this is the electronic version. The Village street map has been updated and the Riverside Walkway map completely re-drawn.

All telephone numbers are Hull Area numbers (01482) unless indicated otherwise and shown as: **123 456**

Fax numbers are shown as: **Fax 123 456**

Web sites and e-mails are indicated as www.ferriby.info or focus@ferriby.info

All the information has been carefully checked for accuracy, but if you spot any errors or have any suggestions for the next issue please let me know.

It is also available in colour on-line at www.ferriby.info where it can be viewed or downloaded.

My thanks go to all who have helped provide updated information.

Graham Latter Editor

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HU14 3PW **Tel/Fax 632 276**
focus@ferriby.info

Ferriby Down the Ages



Circa 2000 BC

Wooden plank boats abandoned
on Ferriby Foreshore



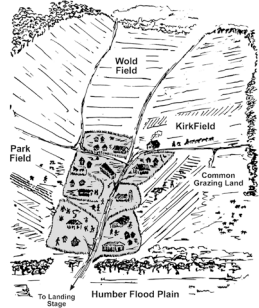
Circa AD 50

Roman Trading Settlement at Redcliff



Circa 900

The first wave of Danes arrived in the area with each ship setting up a local village. Amongst these was what is now North Ferriby from the Danish *Ferja bi* (place by a ferry), which would have been the chief Danish settlement of the area and linked by ferry to South Ferriby. A wooden church was built



Circa 1035

Charter by King Canute safeguarding the ferry crossing to the south bank of the Humber.



Circa 1150

First Stone Church built.



Circa 1160

Ferriby Priory founded (no known images exist)



1536

Dissolution of the Priory.



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Circa 1750 Hull merchants started to build large houses (such as Ferriby House) with cottages for workers (such as Moss & Honeysuckle cottages in 1787, which still stand today).



1825 Road from Hull to Ferriby via Hessle was turnpiked.



1828 First Primitive Methodist chapel opened in Narrow Lane.



1840 Hull to Selby Railway opened with a station in Ferriby.



1848 All Saints Parish Church rebuilt on the same site as the previous one.



1877 New School building opened in Church Road



1878 New Primitive Methodist chapel opened in High Street



1894 First meeting of North Ferriby Parish Council.



1902 Sale of the Turner Estate, which accounted for $\frac{3}{4}$ of the Parish.

1905

Anne Turner Memorial Allotments first allocated.
Formation of Ferriby Fire Brigade



1907

Building of Houses began on Church Road, Marine Avenue & Parkfield Estate.



1923

Village Post Office moves to its 3rd site
from High Street to the corner of
Low street & Turners Lane



1928

Village Playing Fields opened



1930

North Ferriby Library opened.



1937

First remains of Ferriby Bronze Age boats discovered on
Ferriby Foreshore



1954

First classrooms of present school opened.
Development at Riverview and Parklands began.



1961

Ferriby Bypass (A63) opened.



2007

A63 Junction restores direct access to Melton & Welton



Ferriby Yesterday.....and Ferriby Today

Ferriby was a small quiet place when I was a child. We all knew each other, which was nice and friendly, but it meant that we could never get away with anything because someone always knew who we were. One thing I did not like was that there was a great divide between the children who went to the little private schools and the ones who went to the village school. We were not supposed to play with *village children*, rough boys we were told, but I found *rough boys* much more fun and I was often scolded.

During the war the divide began to disappear because everyone had to work together. The Home Guard, the A.R.P., the Special Constables, the W.V.S. and other groups all got to know each other well. There were frightful rows and a lot of rivalry between the different parties, (especially over illicit pig keeping!), but there was a wonderful feeling of togetherness. People went out of their way to look after each other. There was absolutely nothing wrong with being patriotic. We knew what was important. In those days we all talked about food because though our diet was healthy it was pretty boring: it was not done to discuss food.

When I look back now I think in spite of the terrible and real anxieties, people were happier then. We were not obsessed with money and buying things, there was little to buy. We were delighted with what we were able to have. After the war trying to set up house was a challenge. We rejoiced over everything we were given, we had other people's unwanted furniture, made-over curtains, carpets were a great luxury. There was no question then of a young couple moving into a house all set up with new everything and every modern convenience. We had the wireless gramophone, no TV, computer or Game Boys, it was cold because there was no central heating, but we were far too busy to be bored.



It saddens me now to see how discontented people seem to be, values are upside down. What you have is more important than what you are and what you do. Politeness costs nothing, but good manners are rare. There is so much noise, and no TIME for things that really matter. There are kind, thoughtful and courteous people still, but they are swamped by the noisy, uncaring and rude. All was far from perfect in the old days, there was a lot of inequality, but important things were not trivialized. The thing I hope for most is that there will be a return of the appreciation of the things that really matter in life.

Marigold Vodden - Author of *Yesterdays...* and *More Yesterdays...*

North Ferriby Parish Council - www.ferriby.info

The Council has eleven Members and meets on the fourth Monday in the month in the Priory Rooms in the Village Hall. An alternative date is arranged for Bank Holiday Mondays. Meetings commence at 7.30pm and residents are welcome to attend the meetings and can address the Council at the beginning of each session. An agenda is put on the notice board at Coronation Gardens three working days before each meeting.

The monthly meeting is preceded at 7 pm by a meeting of the Planning Committee and residents are welcome to attend if they wish to speak to the council about a planning application. Alternatively, you can contact any of the parish councillors listed below direct. The Parish Council has a statutory right to be consulted by East Riding of Yorkshire Council on planning applications made within the parish of North Ferriby. With more planning applications being delegated to East Riding officers it is important that residents affected by a planning application make their views known to the Parish Council as soon as possible.

The powers and duties of the Council are covered by statutory provisions. We have tax raising powers and set the budget in November for collection with your Council Tax in the following April. The budget is usually around £50,000 per annum.

We are responsible for the assets of the Village and parish councillors are also trustees of the playing field and the allotments. We have representatives on the management committees of the Village Hall, Playing Fields and Riverside Walkway.

As we are at the grassroots of local government we regularly feed information to the local authority and the police on issues such as highway and footpath maintenance, environmental issues and road safety.

Members

Julie Abraham (Chairman) 633746
e-mail council@ferriby.info

Christopher Holtby (Vice-Chairman)
635279

Brian Bannister 632126

David Broadbent 634319

Sam Dearing 637339

Wendy Dobbs 632650

John Halmshaw 631620

Gillian Harris 634807

Margaret Hyland 631498

Ivan Patterson 632235

John Pickering 634355

Clerk to the Parish Council

Pat Lambert Telephone: 631822 Fax
631822 e-mail clerk@ferriby.info

Riverside Walkway and the Reed Pond

These are part of the ‘Jewels in the Crown’ of the public amenity areas that locals and visitors alike can enjoy in this village. The walkway has a 1,000 metre frontage of the Humber with spectacular views of the countryside all round. ***The Trans Pennine Trail*** and the ***Wolds Way*** both cross on the way to the Mersey and Filey. 3,000 trees and shrubs have been planted, seats and paths created.

These 22 acres, of what was until 1981 a waste landfill site, were acquired by the Parish Council in 1986. A recent addition has been the ***Boat Pavement***, a memorial to the late Ted Wright who discovered the oldest known boats in the Western Hemisphere on Ferriby foreshore.

Some work has to be carried out occasionally to keep the pond free from too much reed growth and to create habitats for wild life. **Ings Fields** are adjacent to the Reed Pond on the west side and are ***privately owned*** and there is no public right of way over them. The fields are subject to a management agreement with the local authority and the owner to protect the flora, and fauna, in particular, the rare sedge ***-carex divisa*** (its continuation encouraged by allowing saline water from the reed pond to permeate Ings Fields).

Information Brochures can be obtained from the Post Office.

Wendy Dobbs

NOTE

The Walkway Map on this page in the printed version has been removed to reduce the total file size - it is accessible on the Ferriby Website via a separate link

Twinning with Le Pellerin

With the backing of the Parish Council, the Twinning Association was formed in the spring of 2003 and links North Ferriby with Le Pellerin, a French village to the south of Brittany, on the estuary of France's longest river, the Loire.

There are many similarities between the two villages, particularly the fact that each is situated on a major river estuary, just a few miles from a major city; Le Pellerin is just west of Nantes, the regional capital. The relationship between the two villages has been developing steadily, involving not only the two Associations but also pen-pal links between primary and secondary school students on both sides. The annual reciprocal visits attract increasing numbers of participants and demonstrate the excellent relationships which have developed; we are keen to establish contacts between village



organisations with similar interests, as the concept of twinning ideally involves the whole community.

The Association organises regular events which are open to everyone, not just members. They are often on a French theme, and are always well attended. Anyone with an interest in the Association's goals is warmly invited to join us. The Association particularly welcomes families, as its activities usefully complement the French tuition at our local schools. You do not have to be a French speaker, just to be interested in participating in the warm relationship between our two villages, or in our local activities.

Chairman - Chris Swindin, **633 848**
chris@swindin.karoo.co.uk

Secretary - Jane Knight **633 134**
jmcgovern@aknight.karoo.co.uk



John Fairclough

The Bronze Age Boats of Ferriby

In 1937 Ted Wright and his brother Claude, both amateur archaeologists, located three massive wooden planks projecting at a shallow angle from the clay on Ferriby foreshore. First thoughts were that they had discovered a Viking ship.



Since then two other separate boat sections have been found, the third being excavated in 1963. Dating at the time put them at about 1300 BC. However improved radio carbon techniques now puts the third boat in the early Bronze Age of 2030-1780 BC, which means North Ferriby had a boat building industry 4,000 years ago! After Ted died in 2001 aged 83 as memorial to him a **boat pavement** was constructed on Riverside Walkway, which depicts the actual size of the boats.

The Ferriby Heritage Trustees want to promote these historic finds by purchasing the half replica boat (launched very successfully on the Humber in 2006) and sponsorship is being sought.

For further information a booklet *North Ferriby and the Bronze Age Boats* by Ted Wright is available from 'Ferriby Heritage Trust', 10 Melton Road, North Ferriby - price £2.95. Also see the web site at www.ferribyboats.co.uk

Wendy Dobbs

Recycling for Ferriby

Green wheelie bins for general waste are collected weekly. Blue wheelie bins for paper and bagged plastic bottles, cans and aerosols are collected every 4 weeks. It is hoped that a cardboard collection will be introduced shortly.



Nearest bottle banks are to be found in the car parks at Somerfield's in Hessle, Sainsbury's at Priory Park, Waitrose in Willerby and The Ferry Inn in Brough.

The nearest disposal and recycling site is Humberfield Quarry (off the roundabout on A63 just west of the Humber Bridge roundabout). It takes all waste including garden waste, wood, metal, plastic, sump oil, batteries and rubble. Open from 10am to 6pm, seven days a week. More information on recycling can be found in your A to Z of Council Services, including the calendar for recycling collection, or contact East Riding Recycling Services **39 39 39**.


The Parish Council operates a roster of volunteer litter collectors in the village - if you can help out contact Margaret Hyland on **631 498**.

Ferriby Website www.ferriby.info

The Ferriby Website, operated by the Parish Council, is regularly updated (often 3- 4 times a week) with the latest Village News.

Village organisations can post information and events on the site. Local Police Crime Reports are linked to from the site.

If you wish to be on the fast growing list of residents who receive e-mail updates just e-mail web@ferriby.info. If you do not have internet access why not visit the library to see what you might be missing - see below.



North Ferriby Parish Council

News Update

Thursday, May 17, 2007, 3:02:38 PM


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Local Election Results
South Hunsley Ward
The following candidates have been re-elected:
 Julie Abraham (Conservative)
 Helen Gillman (Conservative)

North Ferriby Parish Council
Results (BLACK indicates elected)
 45.1% Turnout

Candidate	Votes
Julie Abraham	1115
Diana Swinerton	733
David Broadbent	631
Samuel Dearing	669
Wendy Dobbs	871
John Halmshaw	623
Gillian Harris	730
Christopher Holtby	824
Margaret Hyland	760
Ivan Patterson	656
John Pinnering	862

A63 Underpass Opens



Councillor Julie Abraham with Isabel Aitken a pupil of North Ferriby Primary school.

In the background is her mid-mural, one of the 14 murals that have been put up in the new underpass.

Councillor Abraham later presented each pupil from local schools a tile of their winning entries.

Methodist Church Anniversary Gift Weekend
 9 - 10 June Further details from Sheila Cowie. Tel. 632557
[See Ferriby Diary](#)

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Ferriby Library



Opening Times

Tuesdays

10am -12 noon & 2 - 4.30pm

Wednesdays

5.30 - 7pm

Thursdays

10am -12 noon & 2 - 4.30pm

Fridays

5.30 - 7pm

Saturdays

10am -12 noon

The library offers traditional book lending, large print books, spoken word material and free internet access (free one hour taster sessions can be booked). You could then access the Ferriby Website - see above.

Library Supervisor - Lisa Whiteley

e-mail

Lisa.Whiteley@eastriding.gov.uk

North Ferriby Church of England School

The Village school caters for up to 330 children and has an early admissions policy to enable them to start school in the academic year in which they are 5. Children transfer to the secondary phase of their education at the age of 11. Registration for admittance should be made to the Headteacher and a school information brochure is available from the school. Open Days are held periodically throughout the year giving parents and children the opportunity to view the school and speak to staff. There is a thriving Parent Teacher Association - for details contact Fergus Aitken via the school office.

School Parent Teacher Association The PTA is an organisation made up of parents who care passionately about trying to improve the working conditions and facilities for their children in the school. This is achieved by arranging many fundraising events and activities during the school year. The PTA meets on an evening in school approximately every 6 weeks, to discuss current issues and decide on how money that is raised should be allocated.

The Dolphins of Ferriby

International Dolphin Watch was founded in North Ferriby in 1978 by Dr Horace Dobbs as a non-profit organisation dedicated to helping dolphins and people. It continues to evolve and underwent a major reorganisation in 2006. It is now financed and supported by **Friends of IDW** - a worldwide family of dolphin lovers who receive monthly email Newsletters that cover all aspects of their widely varied interests and experiences.

Over the years **IDW** has established an unblemished reputation for conservation and scientific research – especially into the healing powers of dolphins. One advance has been the investigation of a CD **Dolphin Dreamtime**, which is now used extensively for the relief of problems such as depression and insomnia.

Horace Dobbs continues to work tirelessly to explore different ways in which dolphins can benefit children. His series of illustrated books about Dilo the dolphin are being used to encourage children to read, including those with special needs. Signed copies of the Dilo books, price £6.50, are available in the Post Office.

For information telephone 01482 645789 or go online www.dolphinfriend.com



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separate link**



Village Organisations

Anne Turner Allotments

33 full plots and 19 half plots. Rents £7 full, £3-50 half (reviewed annually). Preference given to local residents. Enquiries to Tony Featherstone **631 110**.

Badminton Club

Held in the Village Hall on Monday evenings at 8pm from start of September to end of April. Contact Andrea Hill **633 528**

Bell Ringers

We hold practices Wednesday from 7:30 to 9pm (sometimes from 7pm, especially if we have a new learner). We also ring for Sunday Church services from 9:50 to 10:30am, and at other special services. Interested in learning how to ring? Contact Christine Pickering **634 355**

Bowls Club

Social bowling is on Wednesday & Sunday afternoons from 2pm onwards. We compete in several leagues including Hull Saturday Afternoon Pairs and Drifffield Veterans League on Wednesday afternoons. There are also league matches on Monday, Tuesday and Thursday evenings. New members always very welcome
Chairman – Max Ewers **666 740** Secretary – Sheila Smith **635 775**

Bowling Club - Short Mat

Indoor bowls in the Village Hall. New members always welcome.
Tuesdays 10am-12 noon Fridays 10am-12 noon & 2-4pm Sundays (winter only) 2-4pm
Chairman: Mr. C. Rochester Secretary: Mrs. D. Rochester **632 525**

Bridge Clubs

Ferriby Bridge Club meets in the Village Hall every Wednesday evening from 7.15. Everyone welcome. Contact Marie Skaff **632 345**

“*Ferriby Bridge*” in the Village Hall every Friday evening from 7.30, is for people to improve their bridge. Contact Gillian Carter **632 109**

Churches

North Ferriby Methodist Church

The present Church was built in 1878, and there has been a Methodist Church in the village since 1828.

The Minister of the Church is the Rev. Shirlyn Toppin, and she can be contacted on **649 142**

Sunday Services are usually held at 10.00 in the mornings and 6.30 in the evenings.

Details from Mr. David Cowie **632 557**

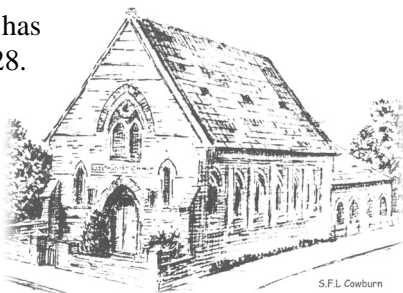
The Church publishes a monthly newsletter, which gives full details of forthcoming events

and Church news. Editor: Mr. Harold Andrews **632 603**. To hire the Church Halls and Rooms contact Mr. Trevor Wilson **631 019**

A Fellowship Meeting for Bible Study is held at various homes on alternate Wednesday evenings at 7.45pm. Secretaries: Mr. & Mrs. Hakes **631 998**

The Women's Fellowship meets on the Church premises on alternate Thursday afternoons at 2pm. President: Mrs. Christine Christophers **632 551** Secretary: Mrs. Sheila Cowie **632 557**

The Church website is regularly updated and gives details of services and church news. <http://beehive.thisishull.co.uk/northferribymethodistchurch>.



North Ferriby Parish Church

Vicar Matthew Brailsford **631 306**

matthew.brailsford@ukgateway.net

The church family of All Saints' seeks to be involved at the heart of North Ferriby & to serve our local community. In providing a variety of activities we seek to be grateful to God for the underserved privilege of knowing His love through Jesus and to fulfil our purpose of "proclaiming the excellencies of him who called us out of darkness into his marvellous light".

Our Sunday gatherings are designed to be accessible to everyone. Regular services take place on Sundays at 9.00am (a quiet traditional service from the Book of Common Prayer) 10.30am (more contemporary style, always with something for children in age-specific groups or all together) and afternoon services (in the Parish



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Hall, Church Road at 4pm or at 6.30pm in the church building.)

We seek to have a close and supportive relationship with North Ferriby Church of England Primary School & other village groups & institutions. The Church building is open every day during daylight hours - everyone is welcome to come in, look around, and enjoy the quiet.

A new “Guide to All Saints’ Parish Church North Ferriby” has just been published. This booklet contains interesting history of the village, church building & personalities from the 1000 or so years of church history in Ferriby. It also provides a “walk round” tour of the main features of the building & grounds. Copies are available at the Post Office & in church with proceeds to *Friends of Ferriby Church*, a charity which helps maintain the fabric of the church building.

News of the wide variety of church activities for all ages, special events and sermon recordings are available on our website; www.northferribychurch.org.uk

For enquiries about Weddings, Thanksgiving Services for the birth of a child or Baptisms contact the Parish Administrator, Liz Wilkinson in the Parish Office on **635 758** northferribychurch@hotmail.com or the Vicar

ABC Club The Adults, Babies and Children’s (ABC) Club meets on Mondays at 1.45 – 3.15pm during school term time in the Parish Hall at 19 Church Road. Children under school age are welcome to come with their parents or carers. There is plenty of opportunity for the children to play, make friends and have a drink and biscuit. Towards the end of each session, there is a Bible story, followed by songs and then more play activities. Contact Carol Verdon-Smith **662 340**

Mothers’ Union North Ferriby and Swanland Mothers’ Union meets most Wednesdays with an active programme of activities.

Contact Jenny Deakin **632 645**

Youth Club The Club run by All Saints’ with the support of the Parish Council meets on Wednesdays at the Parish Hall in Church Road. Children in School Years 6 and 7 meet at 6.00pm and those in School Years 8 and 9 meet at 8.00pm. The Youth Club has a varied range of activities including Trips Out, Sports, Games, and Computer Games. Contact Nigel Greenfield **633 171**

Christianity Explored Sessions designed for those wanting to find out more about Christianity or seeking a refresher in their faith. No one put on the spot, all questions welcome! Contact Matthew Brailsford **631 306**

N.O.E.L.A. Social Group (No one ever lonely again)

An informal group with a welcome for anyone who is on their own and would enjoy opportunities to meet others in a friendly and informal atmosphere. Programme includes activities & trips. Contact Cynthia Mackay **631 422**

Conservation Society

Exists to preserve the character of the village and monitor new development. Anyone with an interest in conservation is welcome to join us.

Chairman Brian Bannister **632 126** E-mail b.r.bannister@hull.ac.uk

Secretary: Margaret Swindin **633 848** E-mail margaret@swindin.karoo.co.uk

Treasurer: Alex Hodgson **631 171** E-mail wahodgson@trianglekaroo.co.uk

Cricket Club

New players always welcome Contact Brendan Riley 23, Manor Road, Swanland **632 652**

Dolphin Watch

International Dolphin Watch is based in North Ferriby and is dedicated to Dolphin Conservation. **645789 Fax 634914** www.idw.org For more information see our article on page 18.

Dramatic Society

For over 50 years the Ferriby Dramatic Society has brought at least 2 plays a year to the stage of Ferriby Village Hall. With a wide repertoire, ranging from pantomime to award winning One-Act festival plays, we are always looking for new members to act, direct, work backstage or just socialise.

If you want to get involved with the Society and show hidden talents (no matter how hidden and no audition is necessary) please contact John Hinson on **632 284**

Fish Scheme

This voluntary North Ferriby Good Neighbour was started more than thirty years ago. We work in a low key way, mainly arranging lifts for residents of Ferriby, who have no relatives or close friends to help them keep Hospital and Health Centre/ Dental/ Optician appointments. We also help residents who visit relatives in Hospitals or Care/Residential Homes. We also take people to and from local shops, do shopping and collect prescriptions.

At present we have a pool of about 20 vehicle owners. Some can visit those living alone, or needing help in other ways. In all cases it is helpful to have as much warning as possible of appointments etc.

We are only too pleased to help those requiring help, so please contact:

Judy Wood **634 525** or Maureen Wilson **631 019** Transport Enquiries to Ken Farnworth **634 537**

Flower Club

North Ferriby Flower Club, established 38 years ago, is affiliated to the National Association of Flower Arranging Societies. We meet monthly and at eight meetings we have a skilled demonstrator who creates interesting and eye catching arrangements while entertaining the audience with some amusing autobiographical tales. At the end of the evening there is a raffle for these arrangements and tea and coffee are served. Each January the Annual Dinner is held in a restaurant. The Annual General Meeting is in February. In the summer there is a Garden Visit. We also organise workshops (during the day and in the evening) catering for beginners and those with more advanced skills.

Meetings are held at 7.30pm on the second Thursday of the month at North Ferriby Village Hall. Whether you want to improve your flower arranging skills or just enjoy watching experts creating fantastic arrangements, why not come to a meeting? For details of membership or visitors' tickets or other information please contact

Pauline Davies (Secretary) **631 312** Liz Slater (Chairman) **633 609**

Val Ions (Vice Chairman) **635 231**

Football Club

North Ferriby United AFC Grange Lane **634 601**

Chairman - Les Hare **07813 688 220**

Secretary - Stephen Tather **634 444**

Gardeners Club

North Ferriby Gardeners Club hold monthly meetings in the Village Hall starting at 7.30pm. Membership subscriptions; £5 per person, visitors £1.50. New members and visitors are always welcome. Further information contact Mal Cracknell on **632 282** malcolm@mcracknell.orangehome.co.uk

Godfrey Robinson Home for the Disabled

A Charitable Trust, founded by a local family for the younger disabled. One-day classes, run by Adult Education are held on the premises. For more information contact the Manager **632 209** E-mail godfreyrobinson@godfreyrobinson.karoo.co.uk

Guides & Brownies



Ferriby District are an active district and go on pack holidays, camps and outings. Also we have district events besides our normal weekly meetings and the girls have the opportunity to participate in International events.

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We have six Guide and Brownie units, four of which meet in North Ferriby, in the hut in North Ferriby School grounds. Two meet in Swanland, one at the Scout Hut on Swanland Playing fields, and one at St. Barnabas church.

Brownies 7-10 years, meetings on Mondays or Tuesdays.

Guides 10-14 years, meetings on Mondays or Tuesdays.

Rangers/Senior Section 14-25 years, meeting fortnightly at different venues.

If you would like further information on any of the units, or feel you could help us in any way, please contact the Ferriby district commissioner,

Christine Scott **666 738**

Trefoil Guild

The Trefoil Guild exists for all those interested in GirlGuiding UK (formerly Girl Guides). Members work to help the local Brownies and Guides, as well as enjoying fun events themselves. **Brough and District Guild** meetings are held on the last Tuesday of each month, usually in the evening. Further information from Doreen **632 170**

Halls for Hire

Parish Hall – Contact Pauline Johnson **634 240**

Methodist Church – Contact Trevor Wilson **631 019**

Scout HQ (Swanland Playing Fields) - Contact Tina Wood **634 628**

Ferriby Village Hall - Contact Mr. Bob Ferreira **634 035**

Swanland Village Hall – contact John McKain **632 159**

Heritage Trust

Ferriby Heritage Trust is an educational trust that promotes the history of the famous 4,000 year-old bronze boats, discovered and excavated from Ferriby foreshore in the 20th century. Contact Wendy Dobbs 10 Melton Road **632 650**

Ladies Choir

Ferriby Ladies' Choir welcomes new members. Rehearsals Wednesday evenings during term time at Ferriby Junior School. Very friendly choir, no audition necessary, just an ability to sing in tune. Available for Civil and Church wedding services and concerts. Contact Katrina Dalby **666 274** or Pat Varley **(01430) 422 984**

Ladies Group

Open to all ladies. Meets alternative Wednesdays at 8pm in the Methodist Schoolroom. Speakers, Outings, Discussions, etc. Contact Mrs. C. Henderson-Begg **634 392**

Library - North Ferriby

632 227 See article on page 16.

Lifeboat Guild

North Ferriby & Swanland Ladies Lifeboat Guild have a Charity Shop off New Walk, North Ferriby (behind the Village Hall). As new adult and children's clothing, bric-a-brac, books and seasonal souvenirs. OPEN Tuesday and Thursday 10 am to 3.30pm Saturday 10am to 12noon. All proceeds are used for the saving of lives at sea. Any unwanted items and offers of help are always welcome. Contact Mrs June Rowden 22 Ferriby High Road **649 131** www.ferriby.info/Lifeboats.htm

N.S.P.C.C

National Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children. We are a small informal committee and would like to hear from anyone who would like to help us in our fund raising events. Committee Chairman: Jackie Moor 47 New Walk **631 553** Secretary Lin Whitehouse

Playgroup

First Steps Playgroup welcomes children from 2½ years old. Run by Primary Teacher, Mrs. Carol Robertson and Mrs. Maureen Jolly S.N.N.E.B. Open daily during term time in the Priory Rooms, North Ferriby Village Hall. Contact **634 534** or **633 391** or **0781 8437 965** See our ad on page 11 for more details.

Playing Field Association

The Association is responsible for the administration of the Playing Field down Grange Lane, off Church Road and co-ordinates the efforts of the clubs and societies that use the field.

Chairman & Treasurer - Ivan Patterson **632 235** Secretary - Sam Dearing **637 339**

Royal British Legion

North Ferriby Branch - 6 Low Street, North Ferriby **634 864**

Schools

North Ferriby Church of England School

Headteacher - Miss MA Goforth Chair of Governors - Mrs A Garnett
Church Road, North Ferriby, HU14 3BZ Office **631 200** *Fax 631200*
email northferriby.primary@eastriding.gov.uk
see article on page 18.

Scout Group



Ferriby and Swanland Scout Group was established over 80 years ago. Cubs and Scouts meet in their Headquarters on Swanland Playing Field, West Leys Road, Swanland. Scouting aims to develop young boys and girls by helping them to take greater responsibility for their activities. They acquire skills and knowledge, form positive social and personal values through a programme of awards and outdoor pursuits.

Cubs aged 8 to 10. Scouts aged 10 to 14.

The North Ferriby **Khaniwara Cub Pack** meets on Tuesdays 6.30 – 8.00pm.

The Swanland **Barasingh Cub Pack** meets on Thursdays 6.30 – 8.00pm.

The Mafeking Scout Troop meets on Fridays 7.30 - 9pm.

Explorer Scouts (over 14½) meet Thursday evening at Raywell Park Scout Centre

We are always looking for new leaders and helpers. If you would like to become a helper or require details of Scouts or Cubs please contact Maureen Jolly **634 534**

Squash Club

Ferriby Hall Squash Club High Street, North Ferriby (behind Medici's) **668 697**
www.ferribysquash.com (See our ad on page 27 for more details).

Twinning Association

Jane Knight **633 134** See article on page 12 for details

Village Hall Management Trust

Chairman – Peter Wilde **665 544** Vice Chairman- Colin Rochester **632 525**
Secretary - Mrs. J. Whitfield **634 175** Treasurer- Christine Hudson **631 727**

Women's Institute

Meetings held in the Village Hall at 7.30pm third Thursday in the month.



Local Information

Hull Telephone Directory has an extensive list of local information at the front of the directory. Hull Central Library runs an excellent information service about the City of Hull and its surrounding area **223 344** The information listed here is provided on a "nearest to North Ferriby" basis.

Emergency Numbers

Police Fire Ambulance - Emergencies **999** or **112**

Police – Non Emergencies
0845 60 60 222

Emergency Dentist NHS Direct
0845 4647

The Samaritans (24 hour service)
323 456

Local Funeral Director **631 740**

Advice & Assistance

See the Help & Information & Community Health Services sections at the front of the Hull Telephone directory.

Allotments

See **Village Organisations**

Animal Welfare

Hull Hedgehog Hospital - Lorraine Jackson **501 441**

People's Dispensary for Sick Animals
20 Brunswick Avenue, Hull **224 452**

RSPCA Clough Road, Hull **341 331**

To report stray dogs telephone the Police.

Swanbridge Veterinary Hospital
633 888

Banks

There are no High Street banks in Ferriby; the nearest ones are in Hessle and Brough. However, the Post Office offers many banking facilities. The Co-op Shop has a cashback facility.

Churches & Synagogues

For details of Ferriby Churches see **Village Organisations**

Nearest Roman Catholic Church **Our Lady of Lourdes** 56 Swanland Road, Hessle. **648 802**

Nearest Synagogue **Hull Reform Synagogue** Great Gutter Lane Willerby **658 312**

Education

First Steps Playgroup 634534 - see also **Village Organisations**

Building Bricks Pre-school – Swanland Playing Field **633 102** or **632 198**

North Ferriby C of E Primary School - see **Village Organisations**

South Hunsley Secondary School, Melton **631 208**

Adult Education A range of courses at South Hunsley School **633 162**

Hessle Mount (Private) School Jenny Brough Lane **643 371**

Local Authorities

North Ferriby Parish Council

See detailed information on page 8.

East Riding of Yorkshire Council

Ferriby is administered by East Riding of Yorkshire Council, which provides a wide range of social services. County Hall, Beverley **393 939** The nearest local office is Hessle Customer Service Centre, Peeler House, Ferriby Road, Hessle **629 888 Fax 393 495**

East Riding Councillors North Ferriby is in the South Hunsley ward and our

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councillors are:

Julie Abraham 10 Ashdale Park North Ferriby **Tel/Fax 633 746**

Helen Gilmour 7 Mere Way Swanland **Tel/Fax 634 772**

They hold regular surgeries throughout the Ward and details of their next surgery can be found on the notice board in Coronation Gardens.

Local Newspapers

Hull Daily Mail - local newspaper published daily Monday to Saturday
Blundells Corner, Beverley Road Hull – **327 111**

East Riding Advertiser - weekly free paper
Blundells Corner, Beverley Road Hull **327111**

Location of North Ferriby

The village centre grid reference is Latitude 53:43:23N Longitude 0:30:19W

The correct postal address is North Ferriby, East Yorkshire, United Kingdom. All North Ferriby postcodes start with HU14

Medical Services

NHS DIRECT Call for all general and emergency enquiries **0845 4647**

Nearest Chemist Selles 44 Church Road, North Ferriby Open **631 435**

The Hull Daily Mail lists the duty chemists open after normal hours.

Nearest Clinic & Family Planning
Hessle Health Centre, 11 Hull Road

Hessle **335 151**

Emergency Dentist 07074 328 299

Nearest Doctors

Dr Robert Mitchell 15 School Lane, North Ferriby **634 004**

Drs Robertson & Maguet 3
Nunburnholme Ave, North Ferriby
631 420

Hospitals – NHS

Hull Royal Infirmary (including 24 hour Accident & Emergency Unit and Maternity Hospital) Anlaby Road, Hull **328 541**

Castle Hill - Cottingham **875 875**

Beverley Westwood Beverley **886 600**

Princess Royal - Sutton **701 151**

Hospitals - Private

Hull Nuffield Hospital - Entrance 3
Castle Hill Hospital Cottingham **623 500**

BUPA Hospital - Hull & East Riding
Lowfield Road, Anlaby **659 471**

Members of Parliament

North Ferriby is in the Haltemprice & Howden constituency.

MP is **David Davis** (Conservative). Surgeries are held regularly throughout the constituency. To make an appointment contact **01430 430 365**. Letters should be addressed to Mr. David Davis at House of Commons, London, SW1A 0AA

Members of the European Parliament (MEPs)

Yorkshire & the Humber has 5 MEPs

Linda McAvan **01709 875 665**

Timothy Kirkhope **00 322 284 7321**

Diana Wallis (lives locally) **666 898**

Godfrey Bloom **01757 630 778**

Richard Corbett **01132 458 978**

Edward McMillan-Scott **01937 842 157**

Milk Deliveries

This is operated by Express Dairies through a number of franchises **0800 615 715**

Public Transport - Airports

Humberside Airport, Kirmington, North Lincolnshire. Operates holiday charter flights and a frequent daily service to Amsterdam (Schiphol) for onward international connections.

01652 688 456

Robin Hood Airport, Doncaster 08708 332 210

For International flights the closest major airport is Manchester **0161 489 3000**

Public Transport - Buses

East Yorkshire Motor Services 252 Anlaby Road, Hull **327 142**

(see location of Ferriby bus stops on the centrefold Village Map)

Route 153 goes to Hull via Swanland, Kirkella & Anlaby (with some extensions to South Cave & Gilberdyke).

Route 155 goes to Hull via Hessle & Anlaby and to Eloughton via Melton, Welton & Brough (with some extensions

to South Cave, Gilberdyke & Howden).

Public Transport - North Sea Ferries

Nightly service to Rotterdam & Zeebrugge
08705 980 333

Local Taxi

Ferriby Taxis **634775**

Recycling Facilities

See the article on page 14.

Local Radio

BBC Radio Humberside - broadcasts on 95.9FM and Digital Radio

Queen's Court, Hull, **32 32 32**

Viking FM Broadcasts on 96.9FM
Commercial Road, Hull **32 51 41**

Swimming

South Hunsley Sports Centre Melton
636733

Haltemprice Leisure Centre Springfield Way, Anlaby **652501**

Many Private Health clubs in the area have swimming pools for members

Registry Births, Deaths, Marriages

Occurring inside the Hull City Boundary The Registration Office, 181-191 George Street, Hull. **615 400**

Occurring outside Hull within East Riding Council Boundary The Registration Office, Walkergate House, Walkergate, Beverley **393 600**

The Registration Office, Market Green, Cottingham **393 565**

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Telephones

Unique to this part of the country, telephone services are mainly provided by **Kingston Communications (KC)**, which provides a full range of national and international services, including Karoo Internet connections. A valuable benefit of **KC** is for local calls (within the **KC** area), which are charged at a flat rate, no matter how long the call.

602 100 (from a **KC** telephone dial free on 150)

Vehicle Licensing

The nearest vehicle taxation office is the Post Office in North Ferriby, 48 Church Road **631 489**

Wedding & Civil Ceremonies

As well as local churches the following are licensed venues:

Country Park Inn, Hessle Foreshore
640 526

Green Dragon Inn, Welton
666 700

Hotel Elizabeth, Ferriby High Road
645 212

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