

# Parish News

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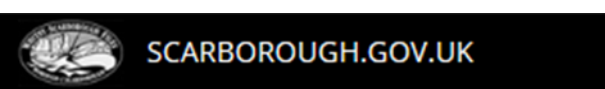
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**Sleights Show URGENT APPEAL:** Sleights Show organisers are extremely concerned that the Show may not continue after this year. They are looking for new active committee members, and are especially looking for a Treasurer, Secretary and potentially Chairman to take the baton. This year was the 135th Annual Show. Anyone interested please contact the current Secretary Mrs S Atkinson on 01947 600177.

**How to report a speeding concern:** Since October 2015 a new protocol was put in place to deal with speeding concerns throughout North Yorkshire called the "The '95 Alive' Partnership Speed Management Protocol York and North Yorkshire", which is a collaboration between different agencies to deal with issues. Any resident can report speeding concerns direct to the North Yorkshire Police Traffic Bureau via completing a speed complaint form that can be obtained from either:

[www.roadwise.co.uk/using-the-road/speed-concerns](http://www.roadwise.co.uk/using-the-road/speed-concerns)

Or write to North Yorkshire Police Traffic Bureau, PO Box 809 York, YO31 6DG.



**SBC** have a Waste Enforcement Team working in the community to tackle environmental crimes, such as fly-tipping. You can report online via their web portal:

<https://www.scarborough.gov.uk/home/environment/fly-tipping>

Or phone the Environment Agency via its 24-hour hot line number: 0800 807060

Fly-tipping is the illegal dumping of waste and is a criminal offence and can incur fines of up to £20,000 in Magistrates' Courts, unlimited fines in higher courts, community service orders or even prison sentences. The most common types of fly-tipped waste include tyres, waste from building and demolition work, household waste and garden waste. Please report if you see fly tipping—example in our community above that was recently reported.

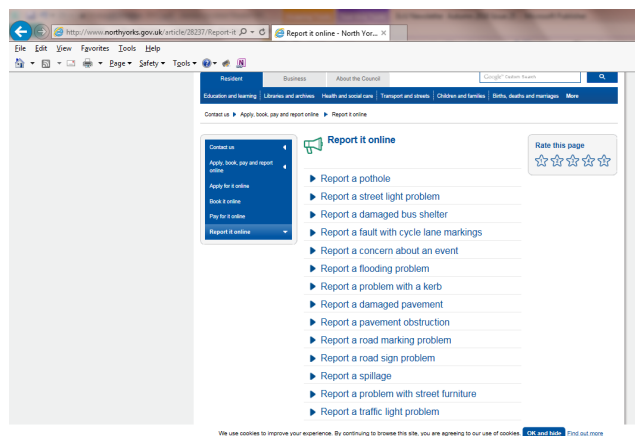


**Bonfires:** An annual reminder that bonfires can cause considerable distress to those persons with respiratory problems. You are asked to dispose of garden rubbish bearing this in mind—thank you.

**NYCC** are encouraging residents to report issues direct to them via their new and easy "Report It" website portal: issues from potholes, hedges, bus shelters to traffic lights can be reported online at:

<http://www.northyorks.gov.uk/article/28237/Report-it-online>

For those without access to the web, then residents can telephone NYCC General Enquiries on 01609 780780.



**Power Cuts:** In September a new national number on which to report power cuts was launched by electricity network operators including Northern Powergrid. **The number to call is 105.** Calls are free. Dialling this number will put customers through to the electricity network operator who manages the cables, power lines and sub stations that deliver electricity into homes and businesses in their area.

**Clampdown on Illegal Fishing:** Police Rural Taskforce has joined a new initiative to tackle fish theft and illegal fishing.

**Parish History by Cllr Eric Preston:** We all probably wonder at the stories behind many of the houses and places in our parish and can relate as to why the white house half way along the Carrs is named "Runners Post". In the 1930's this house was occupied by a very athletic Captain Taylor, who I can just remember as a very smart with good posture gentleman with quite a jolly nature. When he left the army he was put in charge of monitoring the teaching of physical training in all the schools in the area to check they were maintaining a good routine. Part of his private routine was to do a circular run each morning starting and finishing at his house which led him to call the house "Runners Post".



**SCAM Warning:** The DVLA is aware that some members of the public are receiving emails, texts and telephone calls claiming to be from the DVLA. Links to a website asking for personal details or payment information and mocked up to look like a DVLA on line service are sometimes included in the message. It is strongly advised that anyone receiving the message should NOT open the link and should delete the item.

**Nuisance Calls:** A new law which came into effect in May, means that organisations making marketing calls are no longer allowed to withhold their number. This should make it easier for people to refuse and report nuisance calls to either the Telephone Preference Service 0845 070 0707 or The Information Commissioner's Office Helpline: 0303 123 1113 (Monday to Friday from 9:00am to 5:00pm).

**Fostering North Yorkshire (FNY):** FNY is appealing for people in the Whitby area who might have what it takes to be a foster carer. Training is given and support comes from a dedicated social worker. If you think you can make a difference to a teenager then Tel: 01609 534654 and visit [www.northyorks.gov.uk/fostering](http://www.northyorks.gov.uk/fostering) for more information.



**Overhanging Trees:** Highways teams report increasing incidences of pavements being obstructed and road signs obscured by overhanging trees and bushes. NYCC is calling on people to make sure that hedges and trees on their property do not create a hazard and result in a danger to pedestrians who are thereby forced off the pavement.

**Youth Advisors join the Council:** The Parish Council are pleased to announce the appointment of its first two Youth Advisors who will serve for a 2 year period: Alfie Edwards and Sam Coulson. It is hoped that they will be able to communicate with young people who live in the Parish to discover their opinions and concerns regarding living in the village, as well as meeting some of the aims detailed in the recently reviewed Parish Plan. They will then report the outcomes of their research and perhaps suggest ways in which these concerns can be addressed. This will give the Parish Council a valuable new perspective.

**Caring for Carers:** North Yorkshire & York Forum are working with partners to develop a new carers strategy to be launched in 2017. It will be an all-ages strategy aimed at supporting carers to both continue caring and to have a life of their own.

To start the conversation about what matters to carers, they would really like to know the answer to the following question:

'What is the one change that you would like to see to make your community more carer friendly?'

Please send your response to [HASconsultation@northyorks.gov.uk](mailto:HASconsultation@northyorks.gov.uk).

**Police—new initiative:** NY Police Officers and staff have begun the first stages of mental health training which will help shape how police forces across the country train their staff for interaction with a person with mental ill health.



**Update!** We are pleased to inform you that Dr Simon Stockhill has joined the Practice as a new Partner. He will be working 2 days at the surgery on Monday and Tuesday. We would like to make you aware of the general availability of all the doctors at the surgery:

Dr Ian Suckling: normally Mon, Wed, Thurs

Dr Margaret Jackson: normally Mon & Tues mornings and Friday

Dr Graeme Little: normally Tues, Wed, Thurs

Dr Gordon Hayes: normally Tues, Wed, Fri

There are also 2 advanced nurse practitioners working throughout the week.



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