

MULGRAVE COMMUNITY RESEARCH PROJECT

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Seton Church Project

The field site has been surveyed, so we have our own very accurate map. Unfortunately the dowsing, metal detecting and augering will have to wait until the field is cut, as the grass is knee-high at the moment.

Kevin (the archaeologist) will be at Hinderwell Village Hall **Tues 16th June 10.30am** to continue work with the group on digital maps, and again on **Wed 24th June 1.30pm** when we will have a group walk to Beacon Hill, Seton Church field site, the Stone "coffin" and to see the artefacts in Hinderwell Church (if the latter two can be arranged).

Work with Oakridge and Seton Schools

Kevin also organised a workshop for both our primary schools, when the children had to suggest what a number of artefacts were covering 8,000 years of history, ranging from a flint, Roman pottery, a piece of 21stC plastic, a clay pipe and fossilised Viking poo (you did read it right!). Unbelievably one pupil did identify, unaided, what the artefact was, but not that it first belonged to a Viking. Kevin will run a **Time Travellers' Road Show** event on 23 June in Hinderwell Village Hall which includes a bone ID activity with a skeleton from York Museums Trust, and the County Records Office will run an activity, such as ink making and writing with a quill pen.

Hinderwell High Street

The group has visited Oakridge School to show the pupils a presentation of old postcards of the village, followed by a walk along the High Street. We have also been interviewed by the pupils. The school is holding its 30th Anniversary celebrations in the Village Hall on **Thursday 2nd July 2 -5pm**. Please bring your old school photos etc.

Lythe Local History Exhibition will be held in Lythe Village Hall

Friday 6th June 2pm – 6pm

Please bring along anything old and interesting – photos, maps, old documents, postcards
Do you know any field names around the area?

"How to Undertake Local History Research"

Would anyone be interested in an advice session? Only two names so far?
Please email/telephone Anthea if you are interested.

"Dreamweaver" I.T. Course – changing or updating websites

Jet Coast DT will be making this available for a small charge (around £10) Time and Date TBA
Interested then please email liz.dowson@scarborough.gov.uk

Access to old Newspapers

Go to the web site for lancashire.gov.uk, request to join library, it will ask for your name, what library you wish card for, choose any it doesn't matter, it will register you and give you a temp no to use until you receive your card, log into online services, and you will see on the right hand side of page various newspaper collections. Please forward anything you find of interest.

Dalehouse, Old Bridge – A member would welcome any information you may have, why was it built - - who was RW in 1745 - - - the Builder, Landowner, etc, ???

Also, please contact us if you have any old photos or info on the old pub

The Mason's Arms in East Barnby, for another member

Further Funding – Three Year Project to 2012

Applications will be submitted soon to LEADER and Your Heritage Lottery. Will take at least three months to learn if we are successful.

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For activities on Hinderwell

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