

Nocton Parish Council

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Welcome to the wonderful village of Nocton. On behalf of the Parish Council, I hope you enjoy your new home, and all that our community has to offer.

Here are a few bits of information to help you settle in

All Saints Church Nocton: Service times are published outside the Church on the noticeboard near the Church Gate, noticeboard opposite Post Office, 'What's on in Nocton' facebook page, Limespring 100. Contact: Rev Lorna Brabin-Smith, T: 01522 794868, E: lorna.brabinsmith@btinternet.com.

Allotments: Contact E: noctonparkallotments@gmail.co.uk.

Bell Ringing: Bells are rung regularly at All Saint's Church and other local towers. Website: bellringing.weebly.com. Practice nights Tuesdays 7.30-9.00 pm. New recruits always welcome. Contact: Yvonne Woodcock, T: 01522 790942, E: yawoodcock@gmail.com.

Carpet Bowls Club: Wednesdays, 7.30 pm at the Hub. Contact: Ted Stoneham, T: 01526 268397, E: tedstoneham100@gmail.com

Bus services: Timetables are at the bus stops near the Post Office, outside The Hub and by the Cottage Care Home corner and are served by **Brylaine IC5**, T: 01205 364087, and **Stagecoach, 31,31A,31X**, T: 0345 6050605. Brylaine now go past **Lincoln County Hospital** and **Boston Pilgrim Hospital**.

Coffee mornings @ the Hub: last Wednesday of each month, 10 am – 12 noon. Tea/coffee and delicious cakes! All welcome.

County Councillors: Cllr Rob Kendrick (Metheringham Rural Division) T: 07773 706449, E: cllr.kendrick@lincolnshire.gov.uk and Facebook. Cllr Ian Carrington, E: cllri.carrington@lincolnshire.gov.uk

Cricket Club: Contact Robert Garfoot, T: 07714 641373, E: noctonredmouse@yahoo.co.uk.

District Councillors: Cllr Amelia Bailey, E: cllr_amelia_bailey@n-kesteven.gov.uk, E:Cllr Fran Pembery, cllr_Fran-Pembery@n-kesteven.gov.uk.

Doctors' Surgeries: **Branston Family Practice**, Station Road, Branston, LN4 1LH, T: 01522 793081.

Church Walk Surgery, Drury Street, Metheringham, Lincoln, LN4 3EZ, T: 01526 320522.

Washingborough Family Practice, School Lane, Washingborough, Lincoln, LN4 1BN, T: 01522 303600.

Emergency services:

Anglian Water. T: 0345 145 145

Electricity, Western Power Distribution. T: 105

Lincoln County Hospital. T: 01522 512512

NHS 24/7. T: 111

Police: EMERGENCY, T: 999. Non-emergency, T: 101 or visit www.lincs.police.uk.

Gardening Club: 1st Tuesday of most months, 7 pm at The Hub, Contact: Julie Partridge, T: 07778 956625,

E: jpartridge369.jp@gmail.com.

Limespring 100: A monthly magazine delivered free to your door. Full of useful information, whilst keeping people up to date with what's going on in and around the villages. On line versions also available - google Tucann Press.

Local Shops: **Branston** and **Metheringham (aka 'Meg')** have a host of local shops, hairdressers, and takeaways. Meg also has a filling station and train station (with it's own car park)

Nocton Blogspot: A blog written by a Nocton resident. No longer maintained but full of interesting material well worth a read. Just google Nocton blogspot.

Nocton Community Primary School: “A small school with BIG ideas”. The Green, Nocton, Lincoln, LN4 2BJ

T: 01526 320234, or visit their website, spiresfederation.co.uk.

Nocton Facebook pages (in addition to those already listed elsewhere): What's on in Nocton, Nocton Kindness Group & Nocton and Surrounding Villages Sales and Wants.

Nocton Hub (formerly Village Hall): Has its own website (Nocton Hub) full of useful information, including what's on each week and how to hire a space. T: 07983 125633. It also has a Facebook page. Parking is only available in the grounds for those attending Hub events.

Nocton Parish Council: usually meet on the 2nd Tuesday of the month. E:

clerk@noctonparishcouncil.gov.uk, website, noctonparishcouncil.gov.uk, Facebook page, Nocton PC.

Nocton Park: Nocton Park Management Ltd (NPML), Website: noctonpark.co.uk, Mail: 61 Bridge Street, Kington. HR5 3DJ, T: 07814 443058, E: enquiries@noctonpark.co.uk, if you live on Nocton Park there is a Facebook page, however it is a closed group, and you will need to be accepted.

Nocton Post Office: We are very fortunate to still have a Post Office. Monday, Tuesday, Thursday 9.00am to 2.00pm, Friday 9.00am – 1.00pm. Closed Wednesday, Saturday and Sunday.

Nocton Social Media: Facebook pages “What's on in Nocton”, “Nocton Kindness Group” and “Nocton and Surrounding Villages Sales and Wants”. See also Nocton Hub, Nocton Park, Ripon Arms, NPML.

Nocton 200 Club: The monies raised are used to support our local organisations and their activities. To join in

Contact: Jim Eagle, T: 01526 322285, or nocton200@jimeagle.plus.com.

Nocton Village Trail: Please see the leaflet enclosed in Welcome Pack. Young children's trail available from Nocton Post Office.

North Kesteven District Council: Kesteven Street, Sleaford, NG34 7EA. T: 01529 414155, out of hours. T: 01529 308308, www.n-kesteven.gov.uk.

Pharmacies: **Branston** located behind the Drs Surgery, Station Road, Branston, LN4 1LH, T: 01522 791955. **Metheringham**, 34 High Street, Metheringham, LN4 3EA, T: 01526 323511.

Washingborough, 2 The Precinct, Park Lane, Washingborough, LN4 1DQ, T: 01522 794040.

Refuse Collection: Our bins are collected on a **Friday**. Contact: **NKDC:** 01529 414155, website, www.n-kesteven.gov.uk, to find out more or visit their website. **Green** lidded every 4 weeks, **Purple** lidded every 4 weeks, **Black** and **Brown** lidded every two weeks variations apply in winter.

Renew@the Hub: a quiet, shared, community wellbeing group for all, where it's ok not to be ok. Pop in - a warm welcome awaits you each Thursday anytime between 9.30 am and 12 noon. Contact Sue Christie T:01526 323614

Ripon Arms: If you live in Nocton you're a member. It is within the Hub and has its own Facebook page – or call in when open Wednesday, Friday and Saturday evenings, Sunday 2-7 pm

Veterinary Surgeries: **Medivets**, 1 Station Road, Branston, LN4 1LH, **Medivets**, 8 Prince's Street, Metheringham, Lincoln, LN4 3BX, T: 01526 320387. **Medivets**, 3 Main Road, Washingborough, Lincoln, LN4 1AT, T: 01522 790928.

Village Chaplain: Sue Christie (Rev), T: 01526 323614, E: suechristie@hotmail.com, 2 Nocton Park Road.

Walking Netball: Fridays, Nocton Park Court, or M.A.C Leisure, 9.15 am-10.15 am. Contact: MaryAnn Williams, T: 07854 643961, E: maryannwilliams1325@gmail.com.

W.I. Nocton and District: Meetings - 2nd Monday of the month at The Hub, 7-9 pm, Contact: Jane Kania, T: 01526 321333, E: jane_kania@icloud.com.

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Any amendments/additions? Contact: Village Chaplain