

# Hackleton Parish mag



Your Hackleton Parish News

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# D-DAY

# 6 JUNE 2024

Join the lighting of our Beacon as we commemorate the 'light of peace' that emerged from the darkness of war.

Full details on the centre spread pullout.



Hackleton, Horton, Piddington, Preston Deanery and part of Wootton Fields

Community transport provided by



# BARN DANCE

## Hackleton Village Hall

JULY 6th 2024

doors open 7.30 for 8.00pm

DANCING TO

THE OCCASIONAL FEW

WITH A CALLER

Tickets £12.50 Including a ploughmans supper

from EDWARD on (01604) 870764

Tickets now available

## Champions!

Leicester City crowned 2024 Championship winners.

Please allow me this little indulgence.

After a disappointing and heartbreaking 2022-23 season which ended with the not-so-mighty Foxes being relegated from the Premier League we can all now rejoice as the Blues make an immediate return to the Premier League. For much of the season, it looked like City would runaway with the Championship and smash an all-time points total as they did it. However, a dreadful run of form from February to April allowed the chasing pack to catch up and ensured a squeaky-bum end to the season. But they did it, they picked themselves up and got over the line with a match to spare. Leicester City back where they belong! A little tip – if you see odds of 5000-1 for Leicester to win the Premier League, get yourself down to the bookies. History may just repeat itself! I can dream.



## Another Special Event

As featured on the cover, the Parish Council has organised a very special event to commemorate the 80th anniversary of the D-Day landings and the battle of Normandy – 6th June 1944, allied forces landed on beaches in Northern France and began the campaign to liberate Western Europe. This month's magazine features a 4-page centre pull-out to help you make the most of this commemorative event. So bring the pull-out with you and join in on 6th June 2024 as the parish shows its respect with a good old-fashioned sing song. See you there.



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A special D-Day 80 event brought to us by the Parish Council

## Submission Date

First week (or so) of the month preceding publication month

For the July issue please submit your material as early as possible in June.



# The Soapbox

Get things off your chest!

## The Lands Pathway

**The Path from the Village Hall, Hackleton to St Johns Way, Piddington**

It has been brought to the attention of Hackleton Parish Council that the tarmac path leading from the Village Hall, up past Longland Meadow and on to St Johns Way in Piddington, has fallen into disrepair in many places, with some areas having broken up, others rising from root growth underneath and others having been affected by the flooding that has taken place in recent years by the brook.

This pathway is the responsibility of the Highways Authority, and it has been raised with them that the path really needs to be resurfaced or at least having immediate repairs to the worst affected areas.

Unfortunately, this is outside the scope of the budget currently available and the latest machinery and technology available to them for the repairs of potholes in roads is too large for the width of the pathway and cannot be utilised.

The Parish Council has sought out the cost to have the path resurfaced and we have received a quotation from WNC Highways, in the sum of £11,847.04 plus costs. This is a cost the Parish Council cannot cover and

we therefore suggest that concerned residents raise the issue directly by making a report to the Highways Authority by logging their concerns on 'The Street Doctor' the link:

<https://fix.westnorthants.gov.uk/>

It is to be hoped that, if sufficient numbers of reports are made, this will increase the likelihood of action being taken sooner and before the state of repair of this important pathway worsens.

**Hackleton Parish Council**

## Polite Notice

We wanted to let the village know of an upcoming private firework display that will be taking place at The White Hart, Hackleton, on Friday 14th June at approximately 10.15pm to celebrate our wedding.

The display will be 10 minutes long and hope that it will cause minimal disruption to your evening, but that prior knowledge will help with any arrangements needed for pets and children.

If you have any questions please contact Will Pinnock on 07967 562736.

Many thanks in advance for your understanding and we do hope that you will also be able to enjoy the fireworks from your garden too.



### Have you got something to say?

Say it to [hackletonparishmag@gmail.com](mailto:hackletonparishmag@gmail.com)

Whilst contributions must be supplied with full contact details, articles can be published anonymously if preferred.



# WANTED



**Do you want to do something positive for your community?**

**Can you think, listen and act locally?  
Hackleton Parish Council – Piddington Ward  
has a vacancy and is looking to co-opt a new  
Councillor**

**Why not consider becoming a Parish  
Councillor?**

**To find out more or to express an interest  
please contact**

**Alison Benson, Clerk to the Council**  
[clerk@hackletonparishcouncil.gov.uk](mailto:clerk@hackletonparishcouncil.gov.uk) or telephone her on  
**07464 429630. Applications will be considered at the next parish  
council meeting on 11<sup>th</sup> June 2024**



## Next Up: The Barn Dance

Have you ordered your tickets – £12.50 each – for the Barn Dance on Saturday 6th July? Entertainment is provided by 'The Occasional Few' with Adrian as caller. Tickets available from Edward Kilpin 870764. If you want an evening of fun and laughter this is the one to come to. Food is provided – Ploughman's. Look forward to seeing you there.

Thank you for your continued support.

**Edward Kilpin** BEM  
Chairman of the Trustees

*Dates for your diary*

**2024 Events**

6th July – **Barn Dance**

Sundays 4th & 18 August – **Cream Teas**

8th December – **Festive Cheer**

**New Years Eve Dance**  
Entertainment provided by 'Roy and the Saracens'

## Monthly Tote

Dudley Winterbottom Memorial Hall,  
Hackleton

The Tote raises funds for the maintenance of the hall. If you would like to join please contact **Barbara Bayes** on **870889**. For just £1 per month you can be part of the Tote which has seven prizes ranging from £100 for the top prize followed by £50, £25 and four of £10.

### Winning Numbers for May 2024

£100	15/24	Mrs P Heap, St Johns Way
£50	08/25	Neil Robinson, Carey Road
£25	12/13	D Smith, Church End
£10	12/28	Ben & Becky, Elm Way
£10	02/07	Joan Hicks, Denton Road
£10	01/15	Denise Hunt, Main Road
£10	01/03	Mrs Barden, Piddington Lane

The next draw will take place on 12 June

## Hackleton Village Hall

## Regular Activities

Day	Event	Time	Where	Contact Details
<b>Monday</b>	Pre-School/Playgroup	08.30-16.00	Main Hall	Charmaine 07787 176 416
	Rainbows	17.00-18.00	Main Hall	
	Pilates	19.00-20.00 2010-21.00	Main Hall	Sue 07587 155 018
	Adult Dance Class	18.00-21.00	Annex	Lesley 07904 485 846
<b>Tuesday</b>	Pre-School/Playgroup	08.30-16.00	Annex	Charmaine 07787 176 416
	Coffee Morning	10.30-12.00	Liz Harrison Room	Mary 01604 870885
	Bowls/Short Mat	13.15-16.00 19.00-21.00	Main Hall	Phill 01604 491969 John 01604 870388
	Parish Council	19.00-21.00 Usually 2nd Tue	Annex	Alison clerk@hackletonparishcouncil.gov.uk
<b>Wednesday</b>	Pre-School/Playgroup	08.30-16.00	Main Hall	Charmaine 07787 176 416
	Wednesday Club	14.00-15.30	Liz Harrison Room	Maureen 01604 870126 Evelyn 01604 870332
	Brownies	18.00-19.30	Main Hall	
	Film Show	20.00-21.30 Usually 3rd Wed	Main Hall	David 01604 870037
<b>Thursday</b>	Pre-School/Playgroup	08.30-16.00	Main Hall	Charmaine 07787 176 416
	Trustee Meeting	19.30-21.00	Annex	Edward 01604 870764
	Women's Institute	19.45-22.00 3rd Thur	Main Hall	Jane 01604 870203
	Group Eight	19.00-22.00	Main Hall	Frequent Thursday
<b>Friday</b>	Pre-School/Playgroup	08.30-16.00	Main Hall	Charmaine 07787 176 416
	Beavers/Cubs/Scouts	17.00-21.00	Main Hall/Annex	

### Village Hall Bookings

Tel: **01604 870388** / Email: **hallbookings2@gmail.com**



# They discussed what!?!?

Parish Council Notes

14 May 2024

**Alison Benson** Clerk to the Council

Since the last meeting the Parish Council has received the resignation of James Clark. The Council would like to thank James for all of his hard work during his time as a councillor and wish him all of the very best for the future. If anyone would be interested in joining the Council then please contact Alison our Clerk.

The Parish Council met on 14th May when ten councillors were present together the Parish Clerk. As this was the annual meeting of the council various appointments were made:

**Chairman** – Frances Billingham**Vice-Chairman** – Pam Heap**Planning Committee** – Wendy Blake, Tina Charteress, Roy Hawkesford, Carol Lloyd, Damion Noble and Guy Ward**Internal Control Councillor** – Tracy Barwick**Councillor to oversee the Parish Mag'**

– Tina Charteress

**Longland Meadow Volunteer Group Representatives**

– Roy Hawkesford and Pam Heap

**Village Hall Representatives**

– Tracy Barwick and Pam Heap

**Judeth Willoughby Charity Representatives**

– Frances Billingham and Pam Heap

**Hackleton School Governor** – Carol Lloyd**Flood Wardens** – Tina Charteress, Damion Noble and Guy Ward**Footpaths** – Tracy Barwick**Wildlife, Biodiversity & Environment**

– Roy Hawkesford and Carol Lloyd

**Health & Wellbeing** – Wendy Blake, Pam Heap and Carol Lloyd

A full review of all policies and procedures was undertaken. All documents can be viewed on the website [www.hackletonparishcouncil.gov.uk](http://www.hackletonparishcouncil.gov.uk)

## Highways/Road Safety

A new post for the Speed Indicator Device has been installed in New Hackleton. WNC Highways have installed "dragons teeth" on the road surface as you approach Horton from the Brafield direction.

## D-Day 80 Beacon Lighting Event Thursday 6th June 2024

Planning for this event is going well. We anticipate the commemoration event will begin at 8:30pm in the Cemetery with stories, sketches and music. The Beacon will be lit at 9:15pm in line with the rest of the country as a "Light of Peace". There is still time to book a seat on the ABILITY Transport Bus to take you to and from the event.

## Finance & Governance

Bank balances	30 April 2024
Unity Bank Current Account	£126,504.88
Unity Bank Deposit Account	£146,930.34
<b>Total funds held</b>	<b>£273,435.22</b>

Items approved for payment in April:

Item	Amount £
Wildlife & Biodiversity	202.04
Payroll	5183.90
Road calming	201.78
Professional fees	114.00
Administration	281.21
Street Light Repair	500.00
Grant to ABILITY	500.00
Subscriptions	1872.95
Electricity	549.62
New trees/hedging	293.10
Open spaces	127.18
Bin collection	100.75
Grass Mowing	2845.00

The year-end Internal Auditors Report was received with no items to bring to Council attention or outstanding.

The insurance policy was reviewed and renewed premium £1510.82

## West Northants Draft Local Plan

The draft Local Plan is now open for consultation and full details can be found at <https://westnorthants.citizenspace.com/planning/west-northamptonshires-local-plan-reg18/> residents have until 2nd June 2024 to submit their comments. The Parish Council has appointed a Planning Consultant to look at the Plan and a response will be published shortly.

## Footpath from St John's Way to Village Hall Car Park

As the footpath is owned by West Northants Council the uneven and unsafe surface has been reported to Northants Highways on regular occasions but they do not consider it poses a safety issue. They have said that the parish council could fund re-surfacing at a cost of £11,847.04 plus VAT plus any costs.

## The Spread Eagle Public House

The Parish Council has been successful in registering the pub as an Asset of Community Value. It is now looking into various options going forward.

## Open Green Spaces Carey Road and in front of The Crescent

The Parish Council has agreed in principle to take on ownership of this land for £1.00 plus legal fees.

## Planning

All planning decisions are made by the Planning Department at West Northants Council. It is very important that if residents would like to comment on an application, they do so directly with the planning department: <https://wnc.planning-register.co.uk>

The Parish Council is consulted by the Planning Department and below are the most recent responses.

### Woodlands, Preston Deanery Road, Preston Deanery, NN7 2DX

2024/1991/FULL – Replacement of existing car port and extension of existing building to provide garage space, workshop and new access to first floor ancillary space. RESOLVED: No objection

### Grange Farm Cottage, Grange Farm, Newport Pagnell Road, Preston Deanery, NN7 2DT

2024/1976/S73 – Variation of Condition 2 of 2023/5262/FULL (Conversion of existing double garage and single storey extension to rear southern aspect. Single storey extension to front elevation to create new entrance hall. Demolition of existing sunroom and build of double garage with ground floor extension behind.) to amend plans to propose render finish throughout, flat roof with parapet wall to southern most extension, garage position and size amended, snug increased, roof to garage amended to retain existing bathroom window, windows on elevations amended to accommodate clients preferred internal layout. RESOLVED: No objection

Bethyeni, 11 Main Road, New Hackleton,  
NN7 2DH  
2024/1875/FULL – Extend existing dropped kerb.  
RESOLVED: No objection

## Next Parish Council Meetings

11th June

23rd July – please note 4th Tuesday of the month

All meetings will be held in the Annexe, Hackleton  
Village Hall.

 **FixMyStreet.com**

# TIRED OF POTHoles FLY-TIPPING LOOSE PAVING DOG POOP VANDALISM BROKEN STREET LIGHTING?

The Parish Council is not responsible for  
highways or footpaths within the Parish.  
Any highway or footpath related issues  
or defects should be reported via **Street  
Doctor**, which is Northamptonshire  
Highways public reporting system  
powered by **Fix My Street**

## REPORT THEM TO THE COUNCIL WITH

 **FixMyStreet.com**

Your report will be logged, sent to the  
right team and you will receive updates  
of what they are going to do and why.

Some lesser-known issues you can report:

Rights of way e.g. gates, stiles,  
overgrown vegetation

Fallen trees or branches

Signs missing or obscured by vegetation

 **FixMyStreet.com**

<https://fixmystreet.northamptonshire.gov.uk>

Visit the Parish Council website:

[www.hackletonparishcouncil.gov.uk](http://www.hackletonparishcouncil.gov.uk)

For full meeting minutes and the very latest  
parish information.

Contact the Council:

Alison Benson, Clerk to the Council

[clerk@hackletonparishcouncil.gov.uk](mailto:clerk@hackletonparishcouncil.gov.uk)

or telephone Alison on 07464 429630



Unitary Councillor Fiona Cole:  
[Fiona.Cole@westnorthants.gov.uk](mailto:Fiona.Cole@westnorthants.gov.uk)  
Telephone: 07977 501573



## Meet WNC Customer Service Team

Hackleton Baptist Church,  
Chapel Lane, Hackleton, NN7 2AH

Wednesday 19 June  
10am – 12pm

Here to answer any  
WNC-related matters



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Parish Council

Hackleton, Horton, Piddington, Preston Deanery and part of Wootton Fields

## Parish Council Surgeries

Find out more about  
your Parish Council

**Coffee @ Carey**

Tuesday 4th June  
10am – noon



Please come and have a chat



## ADOPT A POT

Two of the Horton planters are looking for  
volunteers to look after them.

If you can help these planters spread a little  
welcoming joy please contact:

Alison Benson, Clerk to the Parish Council  
Tel: 07464 429630

E: [clerk@hackletonparishcouncil.gov.uk](mailto:clerk@hackletonparishcouncil.gov.uk)

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# THE JUDETH WILLOUGHBY CHARITY

(registered charity 309730)

Are you leaving school this year to go on to further education or entering an apprenticeship, between the ages of 18 and 25 and do you live in Hackleton, Horton, Preston Deanery, Piddington or St George's Fields?

This small local charity may be able to help with a grant towards the purchase of books, equipment or other small expenses needed in your studies or training.

If you would like to apply for a grant please contact:

David Dunkley,  
Clerk to the Trustees, at:

**david.dunkley637@gmail.com**

## Health & Wellbeing Survey results

A big thank-you to everyone who completed our recent Health & Wellbeing Survey.

It's exciting to see that so many of our residents are involved in the many and varied activities on offer in our Parish.

The full results are shown here in a couple of word 'clouds'.

On each on the Current Activities and New Suggestions 'clouds', the bigger the word the more popular the activity.

As you can see we have received some suggestions for new activities that could be popular, and we are hoping people will be willing to come forward to help get them established.

Some people expressed an interest in:

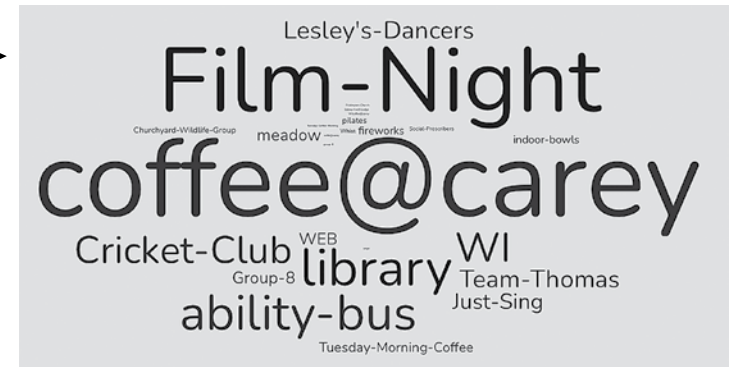
- Informal Walking & Talking Group
- Book Club
- Craft Group
- Games & Puzzles Group (chess/bridge/sudoku/crosswords etc)

If anyone is interested in getting involved or to add to the activities in the Parish, please get in touch with:

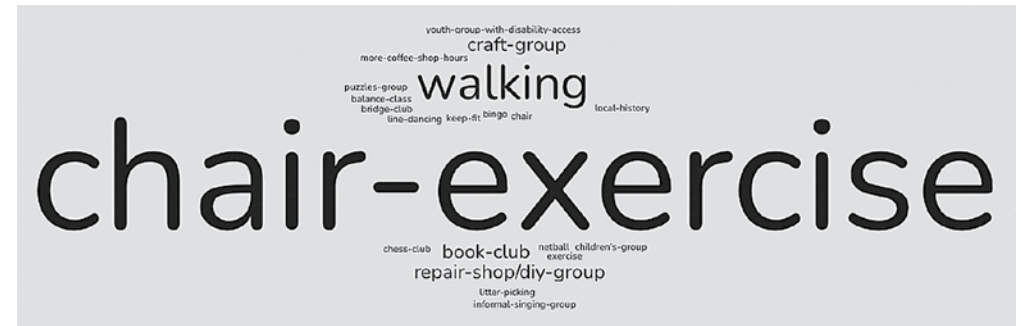
**cllr.wendyblake@hackletonparishcouncil.gov.uk**  
**cllr.pamheap@hackletonparishcouncil.gov.uk**  
**cllr.carollloyd@hackletonparishcouncil.gov.uk**

We can help you get new Groups off the ground.

Current Activities ▶



New Suggestions ▼



# Horses or Houses?

## WNC makes a decision on this controversial Planning Application

Maz Woolley and Roy Hawkesford attended the planning meeting

**The Application, featured in the Parish Mag last year, is for permission to construct “11 serviced plots for self-builders and public open space” on the southern edge of Piddington.**

The application for developing a site infrastructure intended to allow the construction of eleven 'self-build' houses to the south of the Piddington village boundary went to the West Northamptonshire (South) Planning Committee on the 9th May. I attended the meeting with Parish Councillor Roy Hawkesford and took advantage of the opportunity to address the councillors for three minutes though I did find it a struggle to get all the points I wanted to make covered in that time. I was glad that I did speak to show that Residents were not in favour of the application as the development company had lined up a Planner and two people who claimed to be 'local' wanting to occupy some of the proposed sites. In the case of one of these people 'local' appeared to mean connections to Hartwell

and Northampton, the other did not define his local connections despite claiming to be a local supporter.

We were lucky to be pushing against an 'open door' on this occasion as the Council's Planning department had recommended refusal of the planning application with particular emphasis on the fact that the site is not sustainable as there is no available local employment, public transport, and the Planners disregarded the supporters claim that local facilities like the White Hart and shop were only a thirteen minute walk away and their claims for the Ability bus service which does not offer a full sustainable transport service.

The Planning Committee were minded to accept the recommendations of the officer and unanimously refused the application.

I believe that there are good grounds to reject this development but I am disappointed that the existing planning framework makes it very difficult for the Planning Team to take into account factors that we as villagers think are very important. For example, the traffic impact has to be 'severe' before traffic can be used as a reason for rejection. This is distressing given the game of 'Russian Roulette' we all play driving round the bend at the bottom of Forest Road with every fellow resident I talk to having their own story about meeting a car, van or lorry heading straight at them on a blind bend at speed. It would appear that the blind bend could only influence Highways recommendations decisions if a series of major accidents happen there and it is then recorded as an accident black spot.

During evidence from supporters of the proposal it emerged that the buildings to be built were unlikely to be the type of stylish wooden framed self-builds we see on TV shows but are likely to be, at least in part, factory built pre-fabricated houses which are then erected on site. In my mind this makes the whole application a turnkey project to enable a close of largely pre-fabricated houses directly adjacent to a working Farm.

I was also disappointed that the Planners did not strongly criticise the access and drainage elements of the scheme directly. The developer has failed to prove that the drainage ditch they propose to drain into has the capacity to take the outflow and that it drains away satisfactorily when it crosses others land. Locals know better than the Highways Authority and Anglian Water that water streams down Forest Road in heavy rain and overflows the drainage system. As neither Highways or Anglian are ever there to see this I suspect it is never officially recorded anywhere.

The fact that if the application went ahead a site full of family homes would be located next to a concrete apron often filled with large Farming Machinery and Heavy Lorries has not been given enough weight I believe. Indeed, a while ago a tracked military vehicle was parked opposite the proposed site and used from time to time. This is surely a safety risk for any children living in the scheme. The rejection also did not record

the fact that this development will be close to heavy duty grain drier that runs day and night during harvest and which is loud enough to be heard in Martins Road and Smith Close a full field away from the site. The potential impact on agricultural operations at the farm do not seem to have been given proper weight in the rejection either.

The site will also be very close to the landing strip operated on the other side of the farm buildings and under certain wind conditions the proposed site is already overflowed by small aircraft and if the site is developed any residents will certainly hear them clearly as they will be located so close to the airstrip.

The West Northants Planner has rightly noted that no section 106 agreement has been agreed to control the self-build aspect of the scheme. It is conventional for local authorities to place legal restrictions on self-build sites which include restrictions on how soon the houses can be sold on to new users after build, requirements for local connections before being allowed to buy one of the sites, and other legal ties which genuine self-builders for their own use can easily live with but property developers greatly dislike as it delays their realisation of profit. I cannot see how any development for self-builds could be allowed anywhere in the County without a robust legal agreement that would bind all the plot buyers too.

There were indications that the Developers retained Planner was already rehearsing grounds for appealing against this decision, so residents need to keep their eyes open for an appeal or re-submission if the developers bankrolling this application decide to push this further.

**Maz Woolley**



Raising funds for Hackleton Pre-school

# Open Garden Weekend

29th & 30th June 11am to 4pm

We are delighted to have six beautiful gardens that will be 'Opening Up', but ideally we would like at least another two gardens to join the party.

There are some beautiful gardens in our parish and I would love others to join me in raising funds for our fabulous Hackleton Pre-school by displaying these gardens over the weekend of 29–30 June.

## Refreshments and Q&A

We will be serving refreshments and local horticulturist, **Steve Hilling**, will be on hand to answer any gardening related questions.

## And there's more!

### Lambretta

For the more mechanically minded, my husband, Deryck, will be displaying his collection of Lambretta scooters.



Please join us and get involved with this summer weekend occasion.

Pat Norville  
16 Old End, Piddington NN7 2DF  
07745 737220



Our children attended Hackleton Pre-school and now our grandchildren are enjoying this wonderful facility.

# theWI Hackleton & District

INSPIRING WOMEN

## June Meeting

Thursday 20th June

Change from the published programme:

We are now visiting

## Stoke Goldington Christmas Tree Farm

Purse Lane, Stoke Goldington.

Arrival 6.30pm

We will be touring the plantations and learning all about how these iconic Christmas trees are grown.

There will be no WI meeting at the village hall in June.

## July Meeting

18th July

## Ramble Round Hunsbury Hill

Led by Dave Askew

Followed by supper at The White Hart, Hackleton

## Please join us!

We meet on the third Thursday of each month throughout the year at Hackleton Village Hall. Guests are very welcome – £5.00 per meeting to include tea/coffee and delicious cake!

Contact **Jane Ward**  
President on 01604 870203  
or any Committee Member

# HACKLETON VILLAGE HALL CINEMA

# THE COLOR PURPLE 12A

The 2024 musical adaptation

★★★★ Times    ★★★★★ Telegraph    ★★★★★ Independent

'A heartfelt new version  
supercharged by  
a powerhouse cast'  
Guardian


'A profoundly moving experience'  
Independent

'A joy to watch'  
BBC

'A fun jolt of musical joy'  
Telegraph

**Wednesday**  
**19th June 8.00pm**

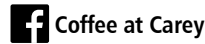
All tickets £5 on the door

 Licensed bar before the film



# Coffee@Carey

Chapel Lane, Hackleton, NN7 2AH  
Monday – Wednesday 10am – 1pm



Our lovely community focused and volunteer run coffee shop opened in May 2021. Based in Hackleton Baptist Church, Coffee@Carey is now very much a community hub. We are open Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, 10am-1pm. We serve a selection of very reasonably priced hot and cold drinks with delicious cakes and pastries. Whether it's a cappuccino, an americano, a pot of tea or a can of fizz, there's something for everyone, pop in and see us.

Our community library is open when the Coffee Shop is open, with donated books, jigsaw puzzles and DVDS free to borrow and return on your next visit.

Regularly, we have the pleasure of a different visiting 'Pop Up shops' selling local products. Whether you are coming to meet friends or coming in on your own, there's always an exciting new experience. If you or you know of anyone who would be interested in selling their products (sorry no MLM), then please contact Jennie on 07851 403947.

## What's On in June

Day	Event	Date and Time	Where
Monday	<b>Soup and Roll lunch</b>	Served from 12pm Weekly. Orders taken	Coffee Shop
	<b>Just Sing!</b> Community choir for everyone, new members welcome	Weekly 7.30pm – 8.30pm	Coffee Shop
Tuesday	<b>Social Prescribers Group</b> Run by Denton Village Surgery, supporting you to focus on improving your wellbeing through meeting new people and trying new activities in your local community.	4th, 18th June 10am – 12.30 pm	Coffee Shop
	<b>Hackleton Parish Council Drop In Surgery</b>	4th June 10am – 12pm	
	<b>Get up and Go Otago Fitness Class</b> To help improve balance and mobility Tel Julie; 07769 587658 to book your place	Weekly 2pm – 2.45pm	Coffee Shop
Wednesday	<b>Bumps, Babies and Toddlers Group</b>	10.30am – 12pm Term time only	Library
	<b>WNC Customer Service Team</b>	19th June 10am – 12pm	

### Do you fancy doing something new and being involved in the community this year?

We are also looking for volunteers to join our fantastic coffee shop team on an adhoc basis, serving refreshments and washing up! Full training given. If you are interested, please contact Mike on **07851 403947**



## D-DAY AND THE BATTLE OF NORMANDY

On D-Day, 6 June 1944, Allied Forces launched a combined naval, air and land assault on Nazi-occupied France. Codenamed Operation 'Overlord', the Allied landings on the Normandy beaches marked the start of a long and costly campaign to liberate north-west Europe from German occupation. Early on 6 June, Allied airborne forces parachuted into drop zones across northern France. Ground troops then landed across five assault beaches — Utah, Omaha, Gold, Juno and Sword.

By the end of the day, the Allies had established a foothold along the coast and could begin their advance into France.



**Please join us to commemorate the sacrifices made by so many in our name.**

**Thursday 6th June 2024  
Piddington Cemetery 8.30 pm start**

The Ability Bus will be available to provide community transport to the event — please call 07464 429630 to book your space.



# Timetable of Events

**8.00pm**  
ABILITY Bus community transport to event

**8:30pm**  
Opening of the event

**8:35pm**  
Group 8 D-DAY stories and readings

**8:55pm**  
The Fallen Soldier  
by Rev. Mark Hurley

**9:05pm**  
Reading of  
The International Tribute

**9:12pm**  
2-minute silence  
to reflect and remember

**9:15pm**  
Beacon lighting

**9:20pm**  
Just Sing! Wartime songs

**9:30pm**  
Community Sing Song

**9.40pm**  
National Anthem to close

## The International Tribute

Let us remember those who gave their lives at home and abroad during the D-Day landings, whose sacrifice enables us all to enjoy the peace and freedom we have today.

Let us remember those who came home wounded, physically and mentally, and the friends and family who cared for them.

Let us remember those who returned to restore their relationships and rebuild their working lives after years of conflict and turmoil.

Let us remember the families that lost husbands, wives, sons, daughters and sweethearts.

Let us remember the servicemen and women and merchant seafarers of all nationalities – from all countries – who fought, suffered and died during the D-Day landings and six years of war.

Let us all remember those in the Royal Navy, Army, Royal Air Force, Merchant Navy, and our Allies – the brave people who kept us safe on the home front and abroad and those in reserved occupations during the difficult time of war.

Let us remember the brave doctors and nurses who cared for the wounded, the men and women who toiled in the fields, the coal mines, the factories and the air raid wardens, police officers, firemen, ambulance drivers and the young people of the Scouts and Guides who all played such a vital role in the war.

### Readings by representatives of the following community organisations

Hackleton and District WI, Firework Team, Hackleton Village Hall, Hackleton CEVA Primary School, Salcey Lodge, Hackleton Parish Council, 1st Hackleton Scouts

## Community Sing Song

### Keep The Home Fires Burning

They were summoned from the hillside  
They were called in from the glen,  
And the country found them ready  
At the stirring call for men.  
Let no tears add to their hardships  
As the soldiers pass along,  
And although your heart is breaking  
Make it sing this cheery song

Keep the Home Fires Burning,  
While your hearts are yearning,  
Though your lads are far away  
They dream of home.  
There's a silver lining  
Through the dark clouds shining,  
Turn the dark cloud inside out  
'Til the boys come home.

Overseas there came a pleading,  
"Help a nation in distress."  
And we gave our glorious laddies  
Honour bade us do no less,  
For no gallant son of freedom  
To a tyrant's yoke should bend,  
And a noble heart must answer  
To the sacred call of "Friend."

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### White Cliffs of Dover

There'll be bluebirds over  
The white cliffs of dover  
Tomorrow  
Just you wait and see

There'll be love and laughter  
And peace ever after  
Tomorrow  
When the world is free

The shepherd will tend his sheep  
The valley will bloom again  
And Jimmy will go to sleep  
In his own little room again

There'll be bluebirds over  
The white cliffs of dover  
Tomorrow  
Just you wait and see

The shepherd will tend his sheep  
The valley will bloom again  
And Jimmy will go to sleep  
In his own little room again (slowed)

There'll be bluebirds over  
The white cliffs of dover  
Tomorrow  
Just you wait and see (slowed)

# Community Sing Song

## We'll Meet Again

We'll meet again  
Don't know where  
Don't know when  
But I know we'll meet again some sunny day  
Keep smiling through  
Just like you always do  
'Till the blue skies drive the dark clouds far away

So will you please say hello  
To the folks that I know  
Tell them I won't be long  
They'll be happy to know  
That as you saw me go  
I was singing this song

We'll meet again  
Don't know where  
Don't know when  
But I know we'll meet again some sunny day

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To the folks that I know  
Tell them I won't be long  
They'll be happy to know  
That as you saw me go  
I was singin' this song

We'll meet again  
Don't know where  
Don't know when  
But I know we'll meet again some sunny day  
(slowed)

## It's A Long Way to Tipperary

It's a long way to Tipperary  
It's a long way to go  
It's a long way to Tipperary  
To the sweetest girl I know!  
Goodbye Piccadilly!  
Farewell Leicester Square!  
It's a long, long way to Tipperary,  
But my heart's right there!

## Pack Up Your Troubles

Pack up your troubles in your old kit bag  
And smile, smile, smile.  
While you've a lucifer to light your fag  
Smile, boys, that's the style  
What's the use of worrying  
It never was worth while  
So, pack up your troubles in your old kit bag  
And smile, smile, smile.

## God Save The King

God save our gracious King,  
Long live our noble King,  
God Save the King!  
Send him victorious,  
Happy and glorious,  
Long to reign over us,  
God save the King!



**Thank you for joining us for this very special commemorative evening.**



Denton Surgery Patient Group

# Drivers Required

for our Volunteer Patient Transport Service

Since last year our patient transport service has been taking patients to and from their homes to GP or hospital appointments and is getting very busy.

Being a volunteer driver is an opportunity to make a big difference and we urgently need more volunteer drivers to help in meeting demand and to share the load.

If you can volunteer for as little as a couple of hours a month that would be great.

There is no lifting involved and you get paid expenses at 45p per mile from your home to where you have to go and back again.

**To find out more and for an informal chat, call our co-ordinator, Sue, on 07506 866 298 or e-mail: [secretary@dspg.me](mailto:secretary@dspg.me)**



June 2024

Save the date

# End of Summer Concert



**Musica**  
*Charity Choir MK*

**St John the Baptist Church  
Piddington NN7 2DE**

**Saturday 28th September 7pm**

**Tickets £15 per person  
(includes wine and canapés)**

**In aid of church funds**

## Note this date!!

On September 28th we will welcome the renowned Musica Charity Choir to St John Baptist Church Piddington. They will be performing a wonderful selection of songs including Glen Miller, Burt Bacharach, hits from the movies, wonderful religious classics and the beautiful Lux Aeterna, the setting of Elgar's famous Nimrod.

There will truly be something for everyone. **This is not to be missed!!**

A date to keep! Put it in your diaries now!

**Watch out for further details over the summer.**

Tickets available shortly from Jane Ward and Joanne Wilde.

# The Horton Inn

Maureen Williams brings us the first instalment of a two-part story detailing the history of one of the parish's local landmarks



Horton Grange, pictured here in the early 1930s and now home to The French Partridge, was formerly a coaching inn and farmhouse. The oldest part of the house, on the right with the tall chimneys, was built in the late 1600s. At that time, there was a lane from Brafield to Eakley Lanes running past the inn, but the main highway from Northampton to Stoke Goldington and on to London ran through Piddington and along what is now a bridle path (London Lane), coming out south of Horton.

However, when the turnpike road was built in 1709, the route was diverted through Hackleton and Horton at the request of George Montagu (soon to become the 1st Earl of Halifax), who owned the Horton Estate on which the inn stood. The left section of the house was added in the mid-1700s, presumably to cater for the increased trade.

Originally known as the Horton Inn, it was often referred to as the Gunning's Arms after Sir Robert Gunning purchased the estate in 1782. It also functioned as a farm, with the farm buildings located on the other side of the London Road. Before The Drive was built in the mid-1800s, the main entrance to Horton Park and the Hall was via a carriage way in front of the inn and past the church.

The inn, together with 150 acres of land, was advertised 'To lett' in the Northampton Mercury in 1782. The advert read: 'The inn is a well-accustomed one and in full Bufinefs; the Land is eligibly divided, and particularly adapted for taking in Drovers of Cattle, which are very numerous on the Road, and have ufually ftopped here.' Every September the inn hosted the 'Statutes for the Hiring of Servants' - fairs where agricultural labourers would come to find work for the

coming year. It was also the venue for meetings of the Turnpike Trust, responsible for the maintenance of the road and the collection of tolls.

It appears that a Mr Whiting became the tenant in 1782. However, eight years later he announced that he was leaving but would continue to serve his customers at the Spread Eagle in Piddington.

The next known innkeeper was Charles Brown, formerly the landlord of the Old Coach and Horses at 'Hogstie' in Buckinghamshire (now Woburn Sands), who on 4th July 1800 'Becs Leave to inform his Friends and Cutfomers, that he has Taken and Entered on HORTON INN.'

His son, also called Charles, seems to have taken over from him in about 1815. Charles Jr and his wife Elizabeth had three sons, Robert, Thomas and Charles, who were all born and baptised in Horton. It must have been a busy hostelry in those days; in addition to the drovers, some 28 stagecoaches and mail coaches a day passed through the village on their journeys between London and the north, and many would have stopped there to change horses.

Charles Brown Sr died in 1836 aged 83, and Charles Jr died the following year, but Elizabeth continued to run the inn and the now 295-acre farm with the help of her sons, three live-in servants and seven farm workers. However, although they didn't reach Horton until the early 1870s, the development of the railways in the 1830s signalled the beginning of the end for stagecoach travel, and in 1853 an auction of brewing

equipment and '200 lots of useful household furniture' was advertised 'in consequence of the Inn being converted into a private residence.' By 1861 Elizabeth was living with her son Thomas and his family in Eakley Lanes.

Three years later 41-year-old farmer Hugh Higgins from Stoke Goldington became the tenant of Horton Inn Farm, and he and his family were still living in the former inn when the Horton Estate was put up for sale in 1887. The sales catalogue describes it as 'a very superior farm residence, with lawn and pleasure grounds.' The ground floor comprised an entrance hall, two parlours, a 'capital drawing room with two windows', a dairy, larder, washhouse and kitchen. Two staircases led to six bedrooms on the first floor, and on the upper floor were six attics. The house also had five cellars.

By then Hugh was also farming two other farms on the estate, over 700 acres in total, employing some 13 labourers and five boys, but by 1891 he and his wife had moved to Manor House, Eakley Lanes. It's not clear who occupied the Horton Inn farmhouse that year, but by 1897 it was home to Henry Greening and his family. He didn't take on the tenancy of the farm itself, and soon afterwards the house became known as Horton Grange.

To be continued . . . !

**Maureen Williams**



## Ask Maureen

If there's a particular aspect of local history that you would like to know a little more about, Maureen may be able to help.

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## St. John the Baptist Piddington with Horton

In church we have moved into part of the calendar known as 'Ordinary Time'. For our hard pressed church wardens this means they can relax a little as the liturgical colour remains green and the altar cloth and other accessories do not need changing. In special times you may wander into the church and see different colours changing on what seems like a daily basis! However, it doesn't mean that we all sit back and do nothing until Advent. We have volunteers from both the church and the community who give their time to ensure that the church keeps going. Without people giving up their time, the church building and the supporting jobs that go unseen by the people who go regularly and those who come less regularly would soon notice a difference.

I often think that the church is like gardening, nobody seeing the effort that goes into a beautiful garden, from raising plants from seed; ensuring that they are watered and fed when necessary; existing borders prepared for the seedlings and keeping the weeds under control. Most importantly is the love and patience shown by the gardener, this analogy is also described in the gospel of John also shows us the love that God has for all of us.

Jesus provides the essential elements for growth; he gives us his Word for fertilizer, other believers for sunshine, and the Holy Spirit for water. When our roots begin to receive this new water, sunshine, and fertilizer, new branches begin to grow. This time the branches are not prickly bushes, but beautiful new branches adorned

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with the fruit of "love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, gentleness, and self control," (Galatians 5:22). Our old acquaintances will marvel at who we have become. When we allow God to be the gardener, he will shape us into his design.

Don't forget one of the highlights of our community – the annual Bangers and Boules event see advert for further details.

We will be trying a new fundraiser in September 28th a concert performed by the Musica chorus from Milton Keynes.

We hope to see you in our church soon.

### Services in June

Sunday June 2nd 10am: **Sung Communion**  
Sunday June 16th 10am: **Sung Communion**  
Wednesday 7pm: **Midweek Communion**



## Bangers and Boule Saturday 22 June

**Rev Mark Hurley**

Email: markcsb@gmail.com  
Tel: 01604 345458 (Sun/Mon/Tues)



St. John the Baptist  
Piddington with Horton

## Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> June 2024

1pm - finish

# Bangers and Boule

**At Temple Cottages, Ravenstone Lane, Horton by kind permission of the Golden and Falkner families.**

**Tickets £7.50 per person or £20 per family**

**Cash Bar (Pimms, Wine, Beer & soft drinks) & BBQ**

**Come along and enjoy an afternoon of family fun in a beautiful setting overlooking Horton Park**

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**For tickets**

**Call**

**Jane Ward 870203**

**or**

**Joanne Wilde 870162**



# Curtain Up!

Sue Woolley was in the audience during Group 8's latest production



It was a complete pleasure to be able to attend Group Eight's Spring play during the first week in May. Following on from the 2022 Spring play (the comedy, *A Bunch of Amateurs* by Ian Hislop and Nick Newman, which readers may recall was about a failing theatre group) this year's play, **Curtain Up!** by Peter Quilter, a West End and Broadway playwright, also had a theatrical setting. But this time, a group of five women inherit a theatre from their father / son / partner / ex-husband / boss.

The daughter, Theresa (played by Jess Moore), is determined to fulfil her father's legacy, but what hope does she have, when her mother, Pam (played by Jennie Campbell) and her late Dad's new partner, Jackie (played by Samantha Walker) are at each other's throats? Add in a daft and daffy grandmother (played by Sally Hadland) and a feisty secretary (played by Vicki Pankhurst) for good measure and you have a recipe for disaster.

I thoroughly enjoyed watching the plot unfold as these five very different women, who at first have so very little in common and many axes to grind, come together to try to turn the theatre into a going concern. Theresa somehow manages to book Liza Minelli to come along and star in a revue, which they all believe will make the theatre's reputation. Needless to say, matters go awry...

There were a lot of words for such a small cast to learn, but I didn't hear one prompt throughout the performance. All five of them threw themselves into their parts, making it a thoroughly well-performed and enjoyable evening.

And as usual, the behind-the-scenes work of light, sound and scene management was conducted flawlessly, by Alan Campbell, Maz Woolley, Damo Pankhurst, Mark Collier and Heather Smith.

Group Eight: you done good.

**Sue Woolley**

## Join in the fun!

If you have ever wanted to be onstage, help behind the scenes in a play or panto, or even help with front of house please don't be shy. Get in touch with us via [info@groupeight.co.uk](mailto:info@groupeight.co.uk) we are sure to be able to find something for you to do in the Group.



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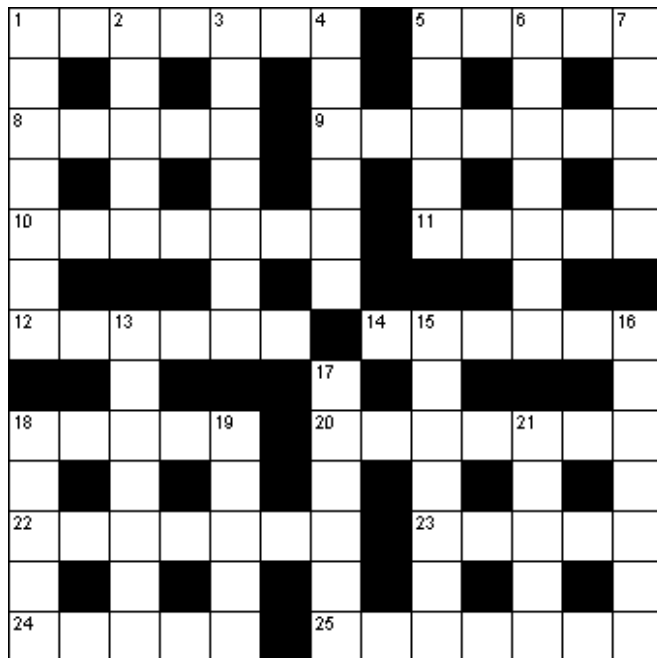
# Take a Break

Put the kettle on, make yourself a brew, settle down in your favourite chair and take a break with these puzzles.

How are you getting on with these puzzles? Have you progressed yet from the Quick to the Less Quick Cryptic?

Solutions in next month's Mag – so no cheating, you've just got to persevere until you've finished them!

## Quick Crossword



### Across

- 1 Gratified (7)
- 5 Criminal (5)
- 8 Telegram (5)
- 9 New England state (7)
- 10 Brought about (7)
- 11 Metal worker (5)
- 12 Breathe in (6)
- 14 Affix (6)
- 18 Entice (5)
- 20 Garments (7)
- 22 Sunshade (7)
- 23 Modify (5)
- 24 Snug (5)
- 25 Greatly feared (7)

### Down

- 1 "Tosca" composer (7)
- 2 Waned (5)
- 3 Clients (anag.) (7)
- 4 Share out (6)
- 5 Documents to be filled in (5)
- 6 Like a lion (7)
- 7 V-shaped incision (5)
- 13 Monotonous (7)
- 15 Desecrate (7)
- 16 Wished for (7)
- 17 Climbed (6)
- 18 Theme (5)
- 19 Flavoursome (5)
- 21 Detested (7)

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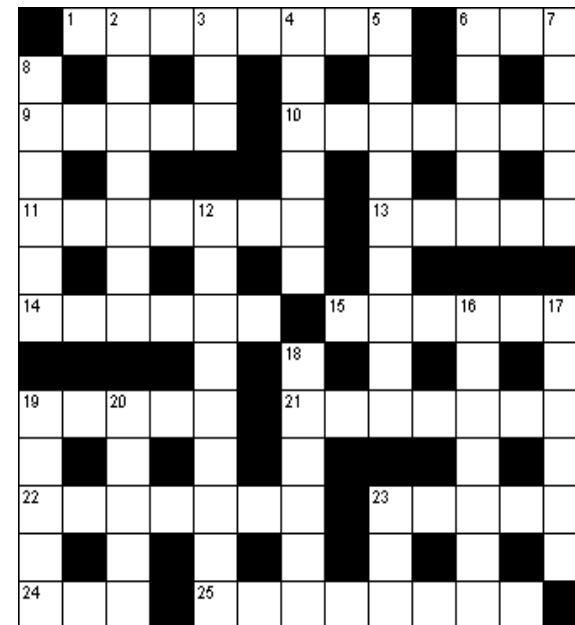
## The Less Quick Cryptic Crossword

### Across

- 1 Set free or let out again? (8)
- 6 Be successful in swindle (3)
- 9 Publication for children? (5)
- 10 Titled Turk this month in opposition (7)
- 11 A bone can keep breaking! (7)
- 13 Gather in the morning on a steamship (5)
- 14 A hat for the country? (6)
- 15 The rest of Spain? (6)
- 19 A basket an Indian has left behind (5)
- 21 Stable men let Ross get upset (7)
- 22 Bizarre form of heater (7)
- 23 A Greek poet's pigeon? (5)
- 24 Fellow coming back to give silent assent (3)
- 25 Royalist going crazy on his own? (8)

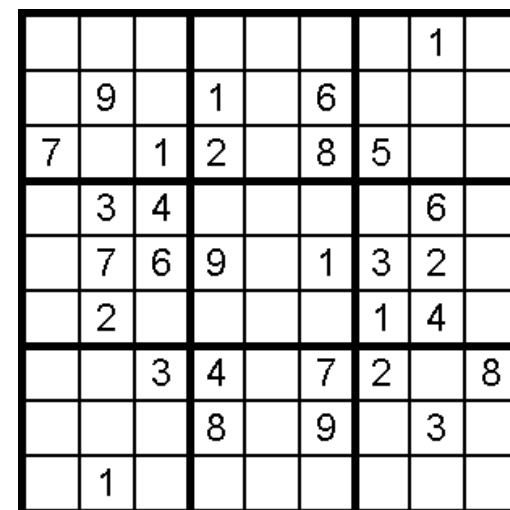
### Down

- 2 Oriental festival on the first of November (7)
- 3 The day before a girl is found (3)
- 4 Rascal going to island for prawns (6)
- 5 Playwright admits art involvement (9)
- 6 Stick with a fishy name? (5)
- 7 Paper money produced by musician (5)
- 8 Get to know a sort of small truck (4,2)
- 12 Lilacs Mae gathered – or some other flowers (9)
- 16 Fast bowler going round front of transatlantic ship (7)
- 17 Take in first two letters before brothers turn up (6)
- 18 Enclosure for fuel entered by Rolls-Royce (6)
- 19 Copper embargo for islander? (5)
- 20 Animal from eastern country (5)
- 23 A successful blow? (3)



## Sudoku

The object of the puzzle is to insert the numbers in the boxes to satisfy only one condition: each row, column and 3x3 box must contain the digits 1 through 9 exactly once.







## Hackleton, Horton, Piddington and St George's Fields

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St George's Fields	Vacancy

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**0800 555 111** Crimestoppers for anonymous calls

I know you don't need the solutions to last month's puzzles, but here they are 'just in case'.

#### Quick

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#### Cryptic

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