

Thornton Rust

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A Christmas gift

Unto us a child is born, unto us a Son is given: and the government shall be upon his shoulder: and his name shall be called Wonderful, Counsellor, The mighty God, The everlasting Father, The Prince of Peace. Isaiah 9:6

God loved the world so much that he gave his only Son that whoever trusts in him should not perish but have eternal life. John 3:16

He came to what was his own but his own did not receive him. Yet to all who received him, to those who believed in his name, he gave the right to become children of God. John 1:11, 12

As you received Christ Jesus as Lord, continue to live in him. Colossians 2:6

He who did not spare his own Son, but gave him up for us all—how will he not also, along with him, graciously give us all things? Romans 8:32

Thanks be to God for his indescribable gift! 2 Corinthians 9:15

Sunshine on a rainy day

A big thank you to all of you that came out on a cold rainy Sunday morning and helped Richard and me raise a donation of £30 for the Prostate Cancer Charity. I hope you all enjoyed your lemon meringue pies. I shall do it again and spread the word via the Bulletin when the time comes. Jane Mudd

Kennel Field

The Kennel Field AGM will be on Saturday 9th December at 2.00 p.m. in the Village Institute. All are welcome; there will be tea and biscuits afterwards and time to look at old photographs. Deborah Millward

Christmas Coffee Morning

The Management Committee of the Institute invite you to our merry Christmas Coffee Morning. Join us for some festive cheer and mince pies.

This is a 'just turn up' event, so no pre-booking required.

Date: Saturday 16th December

Time: 10.30 a.m. - 12.00 noon

Cost: adult - £3.00, children - free.

Cash and card payments accepted on the door. Sue Duffield

New Year Party

As in past years the Management Committee of the Institute are providing the main course.

Please bring your own drinks, plates, glasses, knife, fork and spoon. Please also provide puddings for sharing.

Date: Saturday 6th January

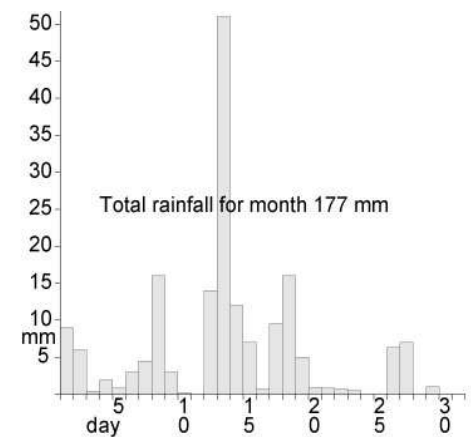
Time: 7.00 p.m.

Advance booking and payment essential - book your places by phoning me on 663504 before Tuesday 2nd January.

Cost: adult - £5.00, children - free.

Cash and card payments accepted. Sue Duffield

Rainfall for November



November last year: 154 mm;

November 2021: 55 mm;

November 2020: 135 mm.

Refuse collection dates

Grey bin	Mon. 4 Dec.
Box & bag	Mon. 11 Dec.
Grey bin	Mon. 18 Dec.
Box & bag	Wed. 27 Dec.
Grey bin	Wed. 3 Jan.

Carols round the village

Please join us for our annual charity door-to-door carol singing around the village. We will meet outside the Institute on Tuesday 12th December at 6 p.m.

Everyone is very welcome, whatever your age or singing ability. Carol sheets will be provided but please bring your own torches. Mulled wine and mince pies in the Institute afterwards. This year's charity is the Salvation Army.

Olwyn Chorley

Two pages this time . . .

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Christmas Whist

The Christmas Whist Drive will take place in the Institute on Friday 8th December at 7.30 p.m.

Newcomers are very welcome to join. Marjorie Spence is the organiser.

Each year the village is asked to donate items as prizes for the raffle and the hamper. Bottles, boxes of chocolates, biscuits, sweets and tinned goods would be very welcome. The Institute will be open in the afternoon of the 7th of December for you go in and drop off your gifts.

Please be generous in your giving. This meeting generates a substantial amount of funds for the Institute, amounting to £774 last year.

To enquire further, ring Marjorie on 650 622.

Carol Service

A Carol Service will be held in the Mission Room on Sunday 17th December at 3 p.m. Money raised from the collection will be divided between the Mission Room and the Salvation Army. Light refreshments will be served after the service. All welcome. Jackie Cook

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Anyone in the village wishing to subscribe to the monthly Upper Wensleydale Newsletter, please contact me on 663626 and I will deliver them to you. Jackie Cook