

Thornton Rust

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Bulletin

1st September 2023

Mission Room

A Harvest Festival service will be held in the Mission Room on Sunday 24th September at 4 p.m. The Mission Room will be open between 2 to 4 p.m. on Saturday 23rd September and between 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Sunday 24th September for anyone wishing to decorate the room and donate produce.

Any tinned or dry products will be donated to charity. The remaining produce will be auctioned at the end of the service and the proceeds divided between the Mission Room and 'Caring for Life'. Everyone welcome.

Jackie Cook

Quiz evening

We, the Institute Management Committee, are holding our annual Big Quiz Evening on Saturday 23rd September starting at 7.00pm. Light supper will be supplied but please bring your own drinks and glasses.

Some easy questions and some not so easy. Come and test your knowledge and win prizes!

There is a £4.00 entrance fee. Make up a team on the night. Please book your seat (ASAP for catering requirements) as this is a very popular evening. To book please ring me on (01969) 663504.

Sue Duffield

Post Office

The Post Office at Aysgarth Garage is open from 9 am to 12 noon on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.

Pip Pointon

Skittles

Thornton Rust Institute brings to you once again a Skittles Evening with a purpose-built Skittle Alley.

Come along for what promises to be an eventful evening on Saturday 7th October 2023 at 7pm. Teams of four will compete for a cash prize.

Admission £10.00 for a team of four to include light refreshments (or make up a team on the night).

To book your place in advance contact me on 662 649 or martyn@donno.co.uk Martyn Donno

Ave et vale (hello & goodbye)

James and Caroline Griffiths have now left Longrigg. In their place Rob and Rachel Newall have moved here from Stainforth.

Margaret and Alan Aspden have moved from Thornton Lodge Cottage. Graham and Alison Boland, with their daughters Lauren and Charlie, have taken their place. Their home is in Rutland, but they will be living here most of the time.

We welcome these newcomers and hope to get to know them better in the days to come. We hope they will feel welcome among us.

Aspdens calling

Many thanks for the cards and thanks for friendship and being able to share with you many happy times. We were grateful for them. If you are near Cheadle call in to Little Manor

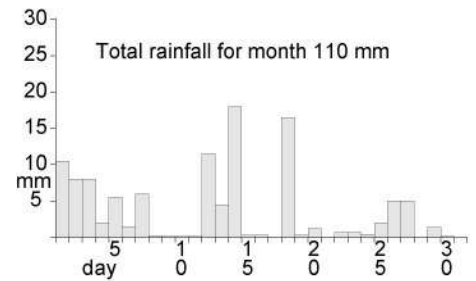
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All the best for the future of Thornton Rust. Allan & Margaret

Rainfall for August



August last year: 44 mm;

August 2021: 48 mm;

August 2020: 140 mm.

Refuse collection dates

Green bin etc.	Mon. 4 Sept.
Grey bin	Mon. 11 Sept.
Green bin etc.	Mon. 18 Sept.
Grey bin	Mon. 25 Sept.
Green bin etc.	Mon. 2 Oct.

West End Bank

The West End Bank is the strip of wild flower meadow lying in front of Fellside, Addlestone and Sheep Scar.

The Bank will be strimmed by contractors, perhaps during the weeks of 4th and 25th September (weather permitting).

Volunteers will be needed to rake the strimmings off the Bank and remove them up the Outgang to the quarry up the east lane. I hope this work can be done on Saturdays 9th and 30th September from 9 a.m.

If you can help rake strimmings please contact me on 663 626. I will confirm the exact dates nearer the time. Rakes can be provided.

The work only takes a couple of hours and is vital if we are to see the usual wonderful display of wild flowers next year.

Alan Cook