

Take pride in your village and join fellow councillors in our regular litter picks. Have fun, keep fit and keep the village looking tidy.

Picks, bags and gloves are provided - just bring yourself and your gloves should you have a favourite pair.

At the litter pick in July te team collected 3 full, large bags of rubbish from the playing field. Carr Road and Southfield Road areas.

Please join us on 5th August and/or 2nd September in this service to our community.

NORTH KELSEY PARISH COUNCIL LITTER PICKING SCHEDULE:				
DATE:	DAY:	TIME:	AREA:	STARTING POINT:
5 th of August 2023	Saturday	10am –	North Kelsey Village eg.	North Kelsey Village
		12md	High Street, Occupation	Green
			Lane, West St, South St,	
			etc	
2 nd of September	Saturday	10am –	East Hall Rd, Ellmore	Corner of East Hall
2023		12md	Lane, Grange Lane,	Rd & Maidenwell
				Lane

The next Parish Council meeting will be held on Tuesday 8th August at 7 pm

Who Does What ?



Second **Defibrillator**

This was raised at the first Coffee Morning. The village pub is collaborating with the Parish Council to provide a second defibrillator for our community. The proposal came from The Butchers

LIFE SAVING DEFIBRILLATOR

Arms. Their staff will be among a team of volunteers to undergo full training for the use and maintenance of this valuable equipment.

The current,

single, defibrillator can be found at the village school. The Council will ensure that our defibrillators are fully shown on all relevant databases.



WELCOME

Welcome to our third Parish Council Newsletter!

Since our last edition we have worked as members of the Community Association to host the very successful Coronation Party in the village hall and the adjoining school playing fields.



New benches have been purchased for the benefit of We like it and hope you do too! parishioners and visitors as they walk and enjoy our village open spaces and a picnic table also purchased for use in the playing fields. Work is moving forward with speed reminders and warnings. We have to work alongside the highways department



of Lincolnshire County Council regarding the placement and nstallation of active speed check and reminder signs on roads leading into the village of North Kelsey so this is taking longer than we had hoped, but the work is progressing.

Finally, we would like to update our Facebook page with fresh However, thirty mile an hour speed pictures of the village and wider parish. If you have any such stickers have been distribute to photos that you would like to share with a wider audience, please place on the various refuse bins so as to be highly visible by the send them to our parish Clerk: clerk@northkelseyparishcouncil. roadside on collection days. If you would like to get involved with gov.uk (Photos cannot have been published elsewhere, or this anti-speeding campaign, please contact our clerk. include people or pets.)

lrsn

LRSN is Lincolnshire's listening ear – we understand and can relate to the problems faced by our farming and horticultural community, and we provide emotional and practical support at times of anxiety, stress and change. Our vision is that no one in Lincolnshire's agricultural and horticultural community should face difficulty alone.

Lincolnshire Rural Support Network

What we offer:

- A confidential and sympathetic ear
- Emotional and practical support over the phone or face to face
- Practical solutions in partnership with a wide range of professionals
- A county-wide team of volunteers from a farming background
- Free and confidential helpline open 8am 8pm every day of the year
- our mobile clinic.

In the last financial year, we provided support to 216 families – an increase of 31% in new case volumes compared to the previous year. We have also seen a significant increase in business-related support, finance and debt issues and family and relationship support.

Stress and mental health related concerns continue to grow, and we have recorded a 229% increase in these cases across the last five years. We have found an increasing complexity in cases and are seeing a greater number of people who are at crisis point - last year we worked with 20 people who were at risk of suicide.

A client said recently: "If I'm honest, we would be in dire straits without the support of LRSN, one way or another we wouldn't be here."

If you know of someone who needs support, please pass on our helpline number, 0800 138 1710; it is open from 8am to 8pm every day of the year, or they can email us at helpline@lrsn.co.uk

For more information about LRSN, how you can donate, fundraise or volunteer for us, please visit our website, www.lrsn.co.uk

The regular litter picks have moved ahead as scheduled and we welcome any and all help in this work to keep our whole parish tidy and attractive for all of us residents. (Please see the schedule of future pick events in this Newsletter.) We have also been addressing the issues raised in our "Meet the Council" free coffee mornings and there will be a full feed back on these in the coming weeks on our Facebook page.

And you will, I hope, have noted the new Logo and Header to this newsletter - we have adopted this branding to use on all of our communications.

Looking forward, in November we will be raising the profile of our village Remembrance Day event held around the memorial in the village cemetery. Do you have any stories of people and families remembered on our village memorial? Or any other wartime memories that you can share? We would like to make a focus on Remembrance Day in our September/October edition and your memories would be very appropriate for this. Speak to a Councillor or email our clerk (details follow).

Health screening checks at Louth Cattle Market, Spalding Horticultural Auction, Melton Livestock Market and via