

FREISTON NEWSLETTER

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Parish Information

For more information on what is going on at Freiston Parish Council, check out our website:

<https://freiston.parish.lincolnshire.gov.uk>



Newsletter Feedback

If you would like to ask any questions or raise any issues relating to the village, or suggest any news articles which would be an interest to the community, then please contact the Clerk by email: clerk@freiston-pc.gov.uk

Did you know that you can report pot holes, fly tipping, dog poop and broken street lights, on FIX MY STREET?

www.fixmystreet.com



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Winners

Let's Light up Freiston.

Congratulations to Mr O'Malley at The Sycamores, with an array of decorations and lights, receiving first prize in the Let's light up Freiston 2023.

2nd Prize - The Elms

3rd Prize - The Old Chapel

Best Tree - Avonlea.

THANK YOU!

Thank you, to all who put a real effort into lighting up Freiston for Christmas and New Year, it was a pleasure looking at all the effort you put in.

We would also like to thank, T A Blackamore, for donating the Christmas Tree. Thank you to Donna and Jason for having the tree outside the post office for all to see.

This year 2024, we will include baubles, more lights, and even a star for the top!

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Dog Waste

Unfortunately, we have received complaints from residents that dog owners are not picking up after their dogs.

It does not take much to remember that we have dogs in our community, in fact if you don't watch your step, you're liable to step in one such reminder! This applies to the pavements and to the playing field. Apart from being smelly and unsightly, dog waste is hazardous to the health of our children and other pets.

A reminder that if you cannot see a dog waste bin, a tied-up bag can be put in any litter bin, alternatively take the bag home, do not leave on the side of the road for someone else to pick up.

Most dog owners in Freiston are responsible and pick up after their four-legged friends, but sadly there remains a very small minority who do not care about their surroundings.

Failure to pick up after your dog, or to carry poo bags can result in a fixed penalty notice of up to £100.

Let's ensure our pavements and playing field stay clean for everyone.



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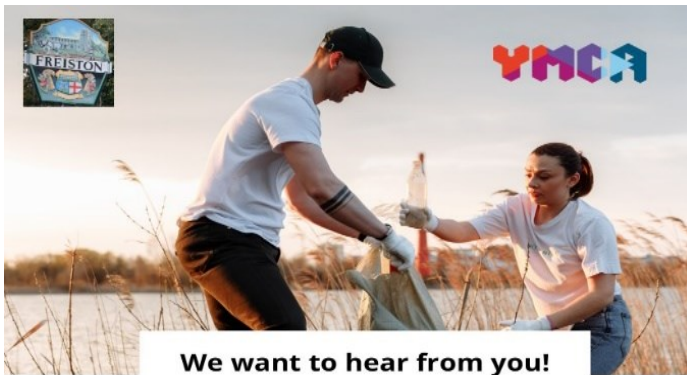
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Village Clean Up

Save the Date – 17th March 2024

Freiston, is getting involved with the big spring clean-up, which is being held on the 17th March 2024, time 9:00 am, starting point is the Danny Flear Community Centre, all equipment will be supplied, please wear sturdy footwear. Refreshments supplied after the event.

We all want to live in a clean village and we cannot do that without your help, this is a great way to contribute to the wellbeing of the village.



We want to hear from you!

Freiston Parish Council and **YMCA Lincolnshire** are working in your area to strengthen and build your community.

**Your opinion is valued and
we'd really love to hear your thoughts!**

Please scan the QR code below or follow the link to complete a short online survey of 6 questions.



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What's on at Danny Flear Community Centre

Michelle's Movement to Music, for the over 50's a gentler way to exercise. Every Tuesday – 10am – 11am. £5.00 per session. Interested please contact Michelle 07713 353243.

BINGO! – Every Wednesday, open from 6:30pm, Eyes down at 7:30pm.

Mark your calendars, dust off your dancing shoes, and join us for a night of Line dancing. Once a month on Saturday Evenings – Contact Mike 07929 117912

Danny Flear Community Centre are delighted to welcome Slimming World, which started on Monday 19th February. Contact Jenny 07795 957410.

Interested in hiring the Community Centre?
Contact Bridgett Posey: Telephone: 01205 760874
Email: enquires.dannyflear@hotmail.co.uk



Mobile Library Service

**Monday Route 4 (Mobile Library North) – Church View
January – June 2024- Times 11:30am –12:30pm**

Access Service can arrange for books to be delivered straight to your door! Tele: 07483 017085 – Graham Owen

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LOCAL INTEREST

Interested in bird watching and the local wildlife? Enjoy walking in peaceful and interesting surroundings? look no further than RSPB at Freiston Shore.

What a lovely sight! Deer roaming at RSPB Freiston Shore.



Picture taken by Cllr Nigel Marshall

To see the latest news from RSPB, check out our website.

The Beach Hut Studio Freiston
PE22 0LL

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Events at St James Church Freiston



Sunday 24th March – 10am – Palm Sunday, Holy Communion, joining a donkey for a walk.

Thursday 28th March – 7pm – Maundy Thursday – Last Supper

Sunday 31st March – Easter Sunday - 5:30am – Sunrise Service at Freiston Shore, followed by breakfast at Freiston Church

Sunday 31st March – Easter Sunday – 10am – Joint Easter Communion at Butterwick Church with the Coastal Community Choir.



Thursday Coffee Mornings

A coffee morning is held at Freiston Church every Thursday, between 10am and 12 noon. For just £2, enjoy a cup of tea or coffee and a slice of homemade cake.

There is a lovely friendly atmosphere enjoyed by everyone, arrive as strangers and leave as friends. A warm welcome awaits you.

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Thank you for reading, till the next time.