

Holmesfield Parish Council Newsletter No.568 – October 2025



Cowley Lane

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HOLMESFIELD VILLAGE HALL HIRING RATES

Main Hall :	£17.00 per Hour
Small Hall :	£12.00 per Hour
Committee Room :	£11.00 per Hour
Kitchen :	£8.00 per Hour

NOTICE: *The above Holmesfield Village Hall hire rates are from 1 April 2025.*

A refundable bond of £20.00 is required at the time of booking to cover any breakages and damage. Parties running later than 9pm will be charged an additional £40.00 to cover clean up time. Residents living in the Parish of Holmesfield will receive a 10% discount for Private Functions.

Licensable activities such as music, dancing and particularly the sale of alcohol may require a *Temporary Event Notice* which must be applied for at the licensing section of North East Derbyshire District Council prior to the booking.

For more information and bookings please contact the Hall Letting Officer,
Lucy Perry: 07752 478866
Email: holmesfieldvillagehall@outlook.com

INFORMATION ON LOCAL SERVICES

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Holmesfield Parish Council: Tel: 07758 460757

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Here is a taste of our regular programme:

Mondays

Art Class : Develop your creative talents. Adult art class / painting class suitable for all.

Contact Glen: 07710 600453. 10.00am start.

Rhythmix Dance : Inspire confidence, dance technique and performance skills. Dance and gymnastics classes for all children from pre-school to teens. Contact Jess and Hayley: 07725 908390. 4.00pm start.

Zumba : Latin Inspired dance/fitness class. If you love to dance, enjoy moving to great music and want to keep fit then this class is for you - feel good fitness. Adult class suitable for all.

Contact Lucy: 0775 2478866 Email: zumba.dronfield@hotmail.co.uk. 7.00pm start.

Neighbourhood Watch : Local neighbourhood watch group meets the first Monday of the month, local residents welcome. Contact Sally: 07930 430044. 8.00pm start.

Tuesdays

Rhythmix Dance : Inspire confidence, dance technique and performance skills. Dance and gymnastics classes for all children from pre-school to teens. Contact Jess & Hayley: 07725 908390. 4.00pm start.

Wednesdays

Kilner's Cakes : Creative cake decorating workshops, running on regular Wednesday evenings.

Contact Andrea for details of the next workshop: 07961 454943.

Holmesfield Gardening Association : If you are a keen gardener and looking to join a club come along to our next meeting on the first Wednesday of the month. Contact Hilary: 07748 846257. 7.30pm start.

Holmesfield Flower Arranging Club : New to flower arranging or keen to develop existing skills? Come along to our demonstrations and club workshops every third Wednesday of the month.

Contact Diane: 07718 925514. 7.30pm start.

Thursdays

Rhythmix Dance : Inspire confidence, dance technique and performance skills. Dance and gymnastics classes for all children from pre-school to teens. Contact Jess & Hayley: 07725 908390. 4.00pm start.

Keep Fit : Aerobics and body conditioning exercises suitable for all.

Contact Geraldine: 07594 684676. 7.30pm start.

Fridays

NEW! Flow Therapeutic Sound Sessions : Commonly known as Sound Baths - known to reduce anxiety and improve mental health. Contact David for more information: busaman.dh@gmail.com

Saturdays

Kilner's Cakes : Creative cake decorating workshops, running on regular Saturday afternoons.

Contact Andrea for details of the next workshop: 07961 454943.

Holmesfield Local Market : A local farmers, producers and artisan market running periodically on Saturdays throughout the year. Over 30 exhibitors selling a wide variety of locally produced food, drink, art and crafts.

The next market will be on Saturday 4th October 2025. See Holmesfield Local Market Facebook page.

Party Hire : Contact Lucy Perry on 0775 2478866 to book your children's party or family celebration. Regular Saturdays and Sundays available for hire throughout the year. Plenty of space at the Village Hall for Bouncy Castles! Featuring a well equipped kitchen. Remember there is a discount on hire for local residents. Email for availability: holmesfieldvillagehall@outlook.com



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1st October (Wed.)	Guide Dogs UK Dog Training – contact Alana: 7786 743843 alana.Marriott@guidedogs.org.uk	Main Hall	am
2nd October (Thurs.)	Rhythmix Dance Summer School. Dance classes for children www.rhythmixdancestudio.com	Main Hall & Small Hall	10.00am - 11.30am 4.00pm - 8.00pm
	Holmesfield Keep Fit (suitable for all) - contact Geraldine : 07594 684676	Main Hall	7.30pm - 8.30pm
3rd October (Fri.)	Private Booking	Main Hall	-
4th October (Sat.)	Holmesfield Local Market : Local farmers, producers and artisan market. Over 30 exhibitors selling a wide variety of locally produced food, drink, art and crafts. Visit this great community event and support local businesses !	All Rooms	Open to the public 10.00am - 2.00pm
5th October (Sun.)	Private Booking	Small Hall	-
6th October (Mon.)	Glen Wright Art Class returns on 15th September	Main Hall	10.00am - 12.00pm
	Rhythmix Dance classes for children www.rhythmixdancestudio.com	Main Hall	4.00pm - 6.30pm
	Zumba – Latin Inspired Dance/Fitness Class suitable for all - contact: Lucy: 0775 2478866	Main Hall	7.00pm - 8.00pm
	Holmesfield Neighbourhood Watch Meeting - contact Sally Marples-Shaw : 07930 430044 / sallyanms@icloud.com	Committee Room	8.00pm - 9.00pm
7th October (Tues.)	Penny Acres School	Main Hall	1.30pm - 3.30pm
	Rhythmix Dance Workshop – dance classes for children www.rhythmixdancestudio.com	Main Hall	4.00pm - 7.00pm
8th October (Wed.)	Holmesfield Parish Council Meeting Sound Therapy / Sound Bath session - contact Dave: 07951 523767	Committee Room Small Hall	From 7.30pm 7.00pm - 9.00pm
9th October (Thurs.)	Rhythmix Dance Summer School. Dance classes for children www.rhythmixdancestudio.com	Main Hall & Small Hall	10.00am - 11.30am 4.00pm - 8.00pm
	Holmesfield Keep Fit (suitable for all) - contact Geraldine : 07594 684676	Main Hall	7.30pm - 8.30pm
10th October (Fri.)	Private Booking	Main Hall	-
11th October (Sat.)	Private Party Booking	Main Hall	-
12th October (Sun.)	Private Party Booking	Main Hall	-
13th October (Mon.)	Glen Wright Art Class (suitable for all) - contact: 07710 600453	Main Hall	10.00am - 12.00pm
	Rhythmix Dance classes for children www.rhythmixdancestudio.com	Main Hall	4.00pm - 6.30pm
	Zumba – Latin Inspired Dance/Fitness Class suitable for all - contact: Lucy: 0775 2478866	Main Hall	7.00pm - 8.00pm
	Penny Acres School	Main Hall	1.30pm - 3.30pm
14th October (Tues.)	Rhythmix Dance Workshop – dance classes for children www.rhythmixdancestudio.com	Main Hall	4.00pm - 8.30pm
	Holmesfield Flower Club : “Pave” – Demo and workshop with Dilys Peckett. A design using a variety of natural materials to create a tapestry of different colours, textures, shapes and rhythm. - contact Diane : diane.sheldon1@btinternet.com / 07718 925514	Main Hall	7.00pm - 9.30pm
16th October (Thurs.)	Rhythmix Dance Summer School. Dance classes for children www.rhythmixdancestudio.com	Main Hall & Small Hall	10.00am - 11.30am 4.00pm - 8.00pm
	Holmesfield Keep Fit (suitable for all) - contact Geraldine : 07594 684676	Main Hall	7.30pm - 8.30pm
17th October (Fri.)	New Community Session – Parent & Pre-School Toddler Group “Expressive Tots”. Creative fun, play, music and song for toddlers and parents. – contact Melanie 0787 5690763	Main Hall	10.00am - 11.00am
	Private Booking	Main Hall	-
18th October (Sat.)	Private Party Booking	Main Hall	-
19th October (Sun.)	Private Booking	Main Hall	-
20th October (Mon.)	Glen Wright Art Class (suitable for all) - contact: 07710 600453	Main Hall	10.00am - 12.00pm
	Rhythmix Dance classes for children www.rhythmixdancestudio.com	Main Hall	4.00pm - 6.30pm
	Zumba – Latin Inspired Dance/Fitness Class suitable for all - contact: Lucy: 0775 2478866	Main Hall	7.00pm - 8.00pm
	Private Booking	Main Hall	-
21st October (Tues.)	Penny Acres School	Main Hall	1.30pm - 3.30pm
	Rhythmix Dance Workshop – dance classes for children www.rhythmixdancestudio.com	Main Hall	4.00pm - 8.30pm
22nd October (Wed.)	Guide Dogs UK Dog Training – contact Alana: 7786 743843 alana.Marriott@guidedogs.org.uk	Main Hall	10.00am - 12.00pm
23rd October (Thurs.)	Rhythmix Dance Summer School. Dance classes for children www.rhythmixdancestudio.com	Main Hall & Small Hall	10.00am - 11.30am 4.00pm - 8.00pm
	Holmesfield Keep Fit (suitable for all) - contact Geraldine : 07594 684676	Main Hall	7.30pm - 8.30pm

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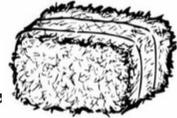


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24th October (Fri.)	Private Booking	Main Hall	-
25th October (Sat.)	Private Party Booking	Main Hall	-
26th October (Sun.)	Private Booking	Main Hall	-
27th October (Mon.)	Zumba – Latin Inspired Dance/Fitness Class suitable for all - contact: Lucy: 0775 2478866	Main Hall	7.00pm - 8.00pm
30th October (Thurs.)	Rhythmix Dance Summer School. Dance classes for children www.rhythmixdancestudio.com	Main Hall & Small Hall	10.00am - 3.00pm
	Holmesfield Keep Fit (suitable for all) - contact Geraldine : 07594 684676	Main Hall	7.30pm - 8.30pm

SPEEDWATCH VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED NOW !!!



The Speedwatch team is urgently in need some more volunteers.

If you can spare a couple of hours per month to help with this community initiative please contact Councillor Phil Reaney:

Tel: 0114 289 1167 or email: preaney@btinternet.com

POLICE REPORT

Members of the public can view the crime figures by following this link:

www.police.uk/pu/your-area/derbyshire-constabulary/unstone-and-rural/

Crime prevention assessments are still being offered and PCSO Jonathan Flower is happy to attend homes to discuss crime prevention concerns. If you would like a visit, please email jonathan.flower@derbyshire.police.uk or ring 0773 498 5821.

DERBYSHIRE CAPTURE



Derbyshire Capture allows you to securely upload dash cam footage or digital footage of road traffic incidents directly to the Police.

Derbyshire Capture assists in the investigation of offenses such as dangerous driving, driving without due care and attention, careless driving, driving whilst using a mobile phone, contravening red traffic lights and solid white lines. The link for footage is:

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OFF ROAD TEAM TACKLING NUISANCE BIKES

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PLANNING MATTERS

Applications Received from North East Derbyshire District Council:

25/00653/FLHPD : Lark Rise, New Road, Millthorpe – Application under the neighbour notification Scheme for a dual pitched single storey rear extension.

NO OBJECTION

25/25/00710/FLH : Little Orchards Farm, Horsleygate Lane, Holmesfield – Single storey lightweight glazed porch to the front of the property.

NO OBJECTION

Determinations Made by North East Derbyshire District Council:

25/00481/FLH : The Mews, Mill Lane, Millthorpe – Construction of 2 car bay oak fronted / framed timber garage.

GRANTED

25/00424/LDC : Land at Gooseberry Farm, Holmesfield – Extended paved vehicle hard standing and insulated render finish to eastern wing of farmhouse.

LAWFUL - CERTIFICATE GRANTED

25/00424/LDC : Land at Gooseberry Farm, Holmesfield – Construction of new attached garage.

REFUSED - CERTIFICATE NOT GRANTED

PARKING AT THE TOP OF COWLEY LANE

Despite double yellow lines being put in place, there continues to be vehicles parking on the road and on the pavement at the top of Cowley Lane. This affects visibility for other road users. If you wish to report vehicles that continue to ignore the parking restrictions, please photograph and get in touch with the police or the Parish Council.

We are also asking Derbyshire County Council to put a barrier or bollards on the edge of the pavement to help keep sightlines clear for all road users.

PARISH COUNCIL MEETING

The next meeting of the Parish Council will take place at 7.30pm on **Wednesday 8th October** at Holmesfield Village Hall on Vicarage Close.

All are welcome to attend and space is set aside at the beginning of each meeting for public participation.

HOLMESFIELD NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH

The next meeting will be held on **Monday 6th October**, 8pm to 9pm in Holmesfield Village Hall.

Everyone welcome!

Please contact Sally Marples-Shaw if you have any questions:

Tel: 07930 430044 – Email: sallyannms@icloud.com

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DRONFIELD POLICE SAFER NEIGHBOURHOOD TEAM

Speeding concerns in Holmesfield village

Derbyshire Police are looking for volunteers to get involved in Community Speedwatch. What is Community Speedwatch?

A local community, having identified a speeding problem, contacts their Safer Neighbourhood Team (SNT) with a view to a Community Speed Watch (CSW) group being formed. Details of these teams can be found on the Derbyshire Police website.



The SNT then contacts the CSW administration team and verifies that the location and nature of offending is suitable for a scheme, together with the fact that there are sufficient volunteers. The group is then trained after which:

- Groups of trained volunteers carry out high visibility speed checks at approved locations
- Details of speeding vehicles are then forwarded to the CSW Team who verify the details and enter them onto a central database
- The registered owner is then sent an advisory/warning letter notifying them that they have been recorded speeding and that their details will be held pending any further incidents of them exceeding the speed limit
- This can include a personal visit by a Police Officer to deliver the letter dependent upon the circumstances.

If you would like to know more please contact PCSO Flower via phone or email.

*PCSO 12853 Jonathan Flower,
Dronfield SNT Police Community Support Officer
North East Section, Derbyshire Constabulary
Mobile: 07734985821
E-mail: Jonathan.flower@derbyshire.police.uk*

HOLMESFIELD GARDENING ASSOCIATION

On Wednesday 3rd September we visited Megan and Vic at the flower farm which is just behind Holmesfield Church car park. They have put in an enormous amount of work and everything was pristine. Unfortunately, the heavens opened and we had to make a hasty retreat to St. Swithin's Church Hall where we had refreshments.

On **Wednesday 1st October** there will be a talk by Helen Ensor (member of the RSPB) on birds, butterflies and flowers. The talk will start at our new time of 4.00pm in Holmesfield Village hall but refreshments will be served from 3.30pm.

The talk on **Wednesday 5th November** is by Jenny Stephenson on medicinal plants, and on 3rd December at 7.00pm we will have our annual pie and pea supper with entertainment.

Robin Greetham



Holmesfield LOCAL MARKET



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AUTUMN DELIGHTS AWAIT AT HOLMESFIELD LOCAL MARKET ON SATURDAY 4TH OCTOBER 2025

A highlight of the Holmesfield Autumn calendar is, of course, the Holmesfield Local Market which this year will take place on **Saturday 4th October** from 10.00am until 2.00pm. It promises to be another wonderful day filled with friendly faces, bountiful local produce, and plenty of opportunities to seek out a treat for yourself and your family or shop early for Christmas.



The market has always been much more than a chance to shop – it's a gathering place where conversations flow just as easily as cups of tea, and where new friendships are made while old ones are strengthened. Whether you come along to browse handmade crafts, sample delicious treats, or simply enjoy the atmosphere, you can be sure of a warm welcome.

Importantly, every purchase at the market helps to make a difference here in Holmesfield. Proceeds go directly towards supporting local projects and initiatives that benefit our village and the people who live here. From community events to practical improvements, your spending works hard behind the scenes to keep Holmesfield thriving. This means that enjoying a slice of cake or picking up a handcrafted gift isn't just a treat for yourself – it's also a way of giving back.

We are always incredibly grateful for the ongoing support of everyone in the village. From volunteers to organisers and most importantly market visitors. Time and again, your enthusiasm and generosity has made the market a great success. So, mark your diaries, invite a friend, and come along on **4th October**. The market is a fantastic way to celebrate community spirit and help build a stronger future for us all.

For all the latest news on stalls and market updates follow us on Facebook – just search for **Holmesfield Local Market**.

Best Wishes

Aoife and Andrea

P.S. We are still looking for volunteers, so if you have a morning or afternoon to spare on Saturday 4th October, we would like to hear from you. Please call Andrea for more info on how you could help on 07961 454943.



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Starting

Tuesday 7th October 2025



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especially with winter coming up?**

**Would you appreciate a reason to leave the house and meet up with others,
here in the village?**

If so, we'd love to invite you to this new venture for local people who would appreciate some company.

We will have a selection of games, you're welcome to bring some of your own or if you'd rather sit and chat, that's fine. Alternatively, you may wish to bring a craft project you're working on; knitting, cross-stitch, card making.

We're delighted to say that there will be no charge thanks to the generosity of St Swithin's DCC and a big Thank You to *Glow!* for allowing us to use their games.

No need to book, tea and coffee will be on the go all morning so please spread the word and here's to people making new friendships.

Julia Harris

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Dominoes

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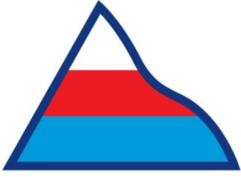
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HOLMESFIELD VILLAGE SOCIETY

So as the days start to shorten and the nights draw in, our thoughts are turning towards Autumn events. We want to give you all plenty of notice of the events the Holmesfield Village Society have planned for Autumn and Winter.

Friday 31st October sees the annual Pumpkin Trail around the village with prizes for the best pumpkins and Halloween decorations. As usual we will be publishing a map in advance with suggested times for exploring the spooky nooks and crannies of the village. Please let us know where your pumpkins are so we can create the map and judge your scary creations! Send your house number and road name to holmesfieldvillage@gmail.com. Keep an eye on our Facebook page for more details.

At the end of the month we shall erect poppies around the village in time for Armistice Day. We like to mark the anniversary of the armistice signed between the Allies of World War I and Germany for the cessation of hostilities on the Western Front of World War I. We shall once again be offering to print a family member's name on a poppy as a special mark of remembrance. Use our contact details at the bottom of this page if you wish to participate in this. If you would like to help us place poppies around the village please let us know.



December will see Santa's Grotto returning to the village – more details next month!

Come and Join Us!

Holmesfield Village Society is a small team of dedicated volunteers, each with full-time jobs and busy lives, so we are now in urgent need for a fresh team to take Holmesfield Village Society forward and help organise future village events and raise funds for village projects.

If you feel you can lend a hand – even occasionally – or if you have ideas for future events, we would love to hear from you.

Please contact Nick or Alison if you wish to get involved in making the fun continue!

Email: nbw159@gmail.com or ring 078 1144 6450.

SUPERVISING CHILDREN'S ONLINE ACTIVITY

Parents/Guardians should be aware about allowing your child unsupervised access to the internet and unlimited access to your bank details when playing games online.

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Friday 31st October

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GLOW! : HOLMESFIELD YOUTH CLUB

Super to welcome everyone back following the summer break! This term we also welcome back Extreme Wheels with a selection of their indoor equipment.

Glow! Youth club is free to access for all local young people in school years 7-13. Bring your friends or make new ones! Pool, table tennis, music, darts, games and craft. Cash tuck shop. Contact Sarah on 07929582233 for more info or just turn up!

More info is available on St Swithins' Facebook page or contact Sarah Webb via email on *sarah@webbhome.co.uk*

Glow! Youth Club for Grown-Ups returns on Friday 14th November 7-9pm. All the fun of Glow! Youth Club with a licenced bar featuring some retro drinks and snacks. Proceeds to church refurb project.

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I am sorry to be writing to you once again regarding the upkeep of our cherished churchyard. This sacred space has, for generations, served as a place of reflection, remembrance, and solace for so many of us. Our churchyard is not only a resting place for loved ones but also a living part of our shared heritage, offering tranquillity and beauty to villagers and visitors alike.

However, the small, elderly congregation is not able to pay for the ongoing care of the churchyard. From maintaining the grass and hedgerows, to pathways and lighting, the costs of upkeep are significant and growing.

With this in mind I appeal to your generosity. We are seeking donations, large or small, to help ensure that our churchyard remains a welcoming and well-tended sanctuary for all. Your support will make a tangible difference — whether you can contribute financially, offer your time as a volunteer, or help spread the word in our community.

If you are able to help, cash donations can be left at the Parish Office, 21 Church Street, Dronfield, S18 1QB, at the Vicarage, or via our GoFundMe page:

gofund.me/ca44cb0e

or via our website at **www.dronfieldteamministry.org**

Cheques should be made payable to *Holmesfield PCC*.

Please be assured that any donation is ring fenced for churchyard maintenance and cannot be spent on anything else.

Please do not hesitate to contact me should you wish to discuss other ways to contribute.

Thank you, as ever, for your kindness and community spirit. Together, we can preserve this special place for present and future generations.

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This prohibits the entry of dogs to the Play Ground. Please adhere to this for the well-being and safety of children using this facility.

For issues of dog fouling in the village and reporting issues of dogs in the play area please contact the District Council.

myservice.ne-derbyshire.gov.uk/service/Fouling_Report

Or by ringing the Switch Board on 01246 231111

Or by texting to 07800002425

The Environmental Health enforcement officers will respond to reports of dog fouling by carrying out patrols and erecting signage or requesting pavement stencilling where necessary.



HOLMESFIELD FLOWER CLUB PROGRAMME 2025

Wednesday 15th October: 'Pave' – Demo and workshop with Dilys Peckett. A design using a variety of natural materials to create a tapestry of different colours, textures, shapes and rhythm.

Wednesday 19th November: – 'Winter Sparkle' – Demo and workshop with Diane, Caroline & Ann. We will be demonstrating a few different designs with Christmas in mind so there will be lots of sparkle!

Friday 5th December: 'Christmas Wreath Event' – Demo and workshop.

This will be event where members can come along and make a Christmas wreath or a design of their choice. Plus, we will be selling tickets for the event and providing all the wreath material as per last year.

Meetings are at 7.30pm in Holmesfield Village Hall, Vicarage Close, Holmesfield, Dronfield. S18 7WZ. Visitors welcome!

For further details of the club, please contact Diane Sheldon on **0771 892 5514** or email: ***Diane.sheldon1@btinternet.com***



LOUD MUSIC / NOISE COMPLAINTS

There have been many complaints about noise and business activities at a property on Park Avenue. We have received re-assurance that all aspects of the complaints are being investigated by various agencies. The Police ask that residents complain direct to them on the issue of music and noise from the site.

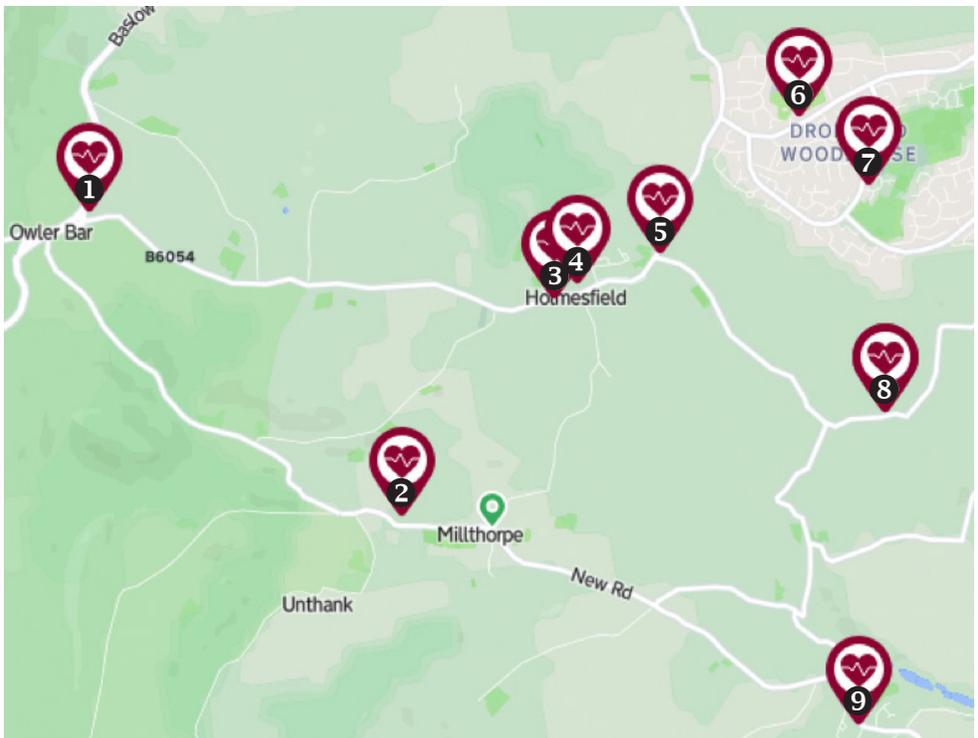
HOLMESFIELD AND SURROUNDING AREA **DEFIBRILLATOR LOCATIONS**

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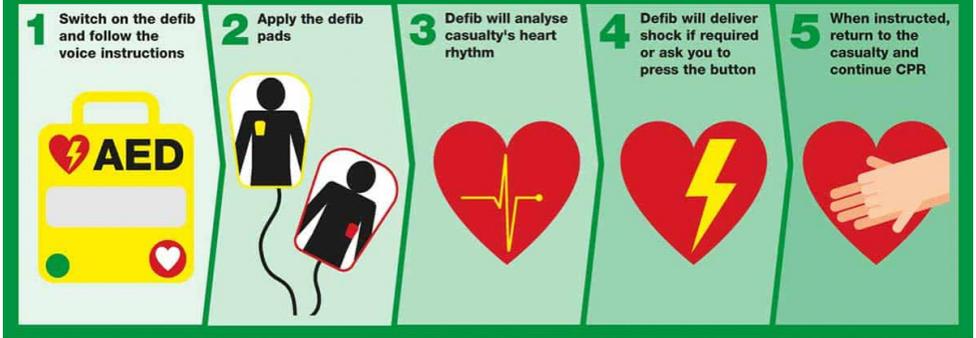
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- ④ Holmesfield Village Hall:** Vicarage Close, Holmesfield S18 7WZ
- ⑤ Rutland Arms:** 96 Main Road, Holmesfield, S18 7WT
- ⑥ Dronfield Woodhouse Bowling Club:** 114 Carr Lane, Dronfield Woodhouse, S18 8XD
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- ⑧ Cowley Mission:** Cowley Lane, Holmesfield, S18 7SD
- ⑨ The Tickled Trout:** 33 Valley Road, Barlow, S18 7SL



How to Use a Defibrillator



TEMPORARY ROAD WORKS

08:00 to 16:00 daily, Thursday 9th to Sunday 12th October: Full road closure of Mickley Lane at junction with B6054 to near Standall Close to facilitate carriageway surface defect repairs by Derbyshire County Council.

Designated Alternative Route: B6054 (Rod Moor Road), Twentywell Lane and A621 and visa versa.

09:30 to 14:30 daily, Monday 13th to Friday 24th October: Full road closure of B6054 from Oowler Bar to Holmesfield Common to facilitate carriageway surface defect repairs by Derbyshire County Council.

Designated Alternative Route: B6056 (Carr Lane), A61 (Sheffield Road / Meadowhead), B6068 (Abbey Lane), A621 (Abbeydale Road South) and visa versa.

07:00 to 18:00 daily, Friday 31st October to Monday 3rd November: Full road closure of Mickley Lane (between Standall Close and near Cherry Tree House) to facilitate carriageway patching and resurfacing by Derbyshire County Council.

Designated Alternative Route: B6054 (Rod Moor Road), Twentywell Lane and A621 and visa versa.

Access will be maintained whenever reasonably possible on the affected length of road. The road will re-open as soon as the work is finished. This may be earlier than advertised.

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HOLMESFIELD CHURCH WALKING GROUP

HOLMESFIELD COWLEY WALK

On **Wednesday 22nd October**, Robin Greetham will lead a walk starting from Holmesfield church car park. We will walk through the fields to Cartledge then through the fields to near Cowley Hall. Mrs Di Fernyhough has kindly invited us for tea and coffee. We will then walk through the fields back to Cartledge and along the road back to the car park.

The walk is approx. 4 miles long but there is a short cut.

If you would like to come just turn up on the day.

The cost of the walk is £5 and the proceeds will go to Holmesfield church.

Please phone Robin Greetham on 01246 412767 if you have any queries.

HOLMESFIELD VILLAGE HALL BOOKINGS & PARTY HIRE

Please contact the individual organisation prior to your visit as pre-booking might be required for health & safety.

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Thursday 9 th / Friday 10 th	: Burgundy and green bin collection
Thursday 16 th / Friday 17 th	: Black bin collection
Thursday 23 rd / Friday 24 th	: Burgundy and green bin collection
Thursday 30 th / Friday 31 st	: Black bin collection

FOOTPATHS

The Parish Council have reported a number of footpaths that are currently not accessible due to overgrowth, crops, ruts and manure heaps. We hope that this will improve conditions for walkers. If you discover an issue with a footpath, these can be reported direct to the Rights of Way team at Derbyshire County Council.

There is an online form available at

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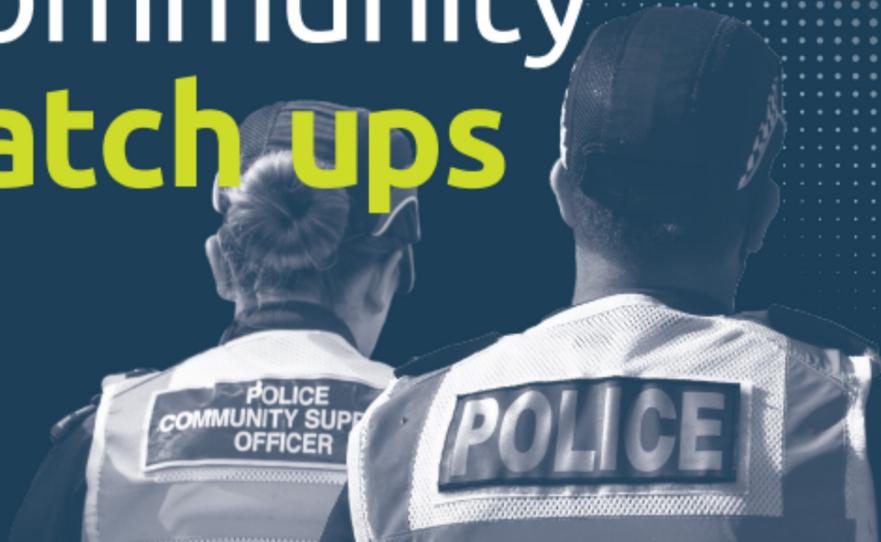


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AUGUST – SEPTEMBER 2025 WEATHER

Summer officially finished at the end of August, bringing to an end a period of three lovely warm months. My weather station recorded 446 hours of bright sunshine over the summer. Some rain fell on 17 of the 92 days, but in total, rainfall was only about 50% of normal. The average temperature I recorded in August was 15.9°C, not quite one degree warmer than normal. The warmest day was the 13th at 30.4°C.

The Met Office announced that 2025 was their warmest summer on record for the UK. This is based on the average temperature during June, July and August and the records date back to 1884. I was curious to see how warm our summer had been in relation to my records starting in 2002. My warmest summer was actually 2006, the next warmest was 2018 and this year was the fourth warmest. It would appear that we live in a relatively cool part of the country. This is perhaps not too surprising as we do stand at about eight hundred feet above sea level and we did have quite a few days when we experienced winds from the NE and low cloud.

The Met Office give a map of the parts of the UK that were particularly warmer than normal this year and the highlands of Scotland did not have a particularly warm summer. So whilst our summer was warm, it was not the warmest, and we were on a par with parts of Scotland.

People usually quote 1976 as the warmest summer on record. Whilst the Met Office says that this record has now been surpassed in terms of the average temperature over the summer, they do also note that 1976 still has the record for the summer with the highest maximum daily temperatures. In 1976, the UK experienced 16 days when the temperature exceeded 32°C (90°F). We did not have any days this year in Holmesfield when the temperature got to 32°C.

My apologies for including too many numbers in this report. I am writing this note on the 8th September, and so far this month it has been very normal both in terms of temperature and rainfall.

Brian Brown

VILLAGE HALL CAR PARK **CHARITY CLOTHING BANK**

Residents are reminded there is a charity clothing bank at the top of the Village Hall car park in aid of the Child & Teenage Cancer & Leukaemia Foundation.

Please place donated clothing in a sealed bag and drop into the bin - clothes only please!





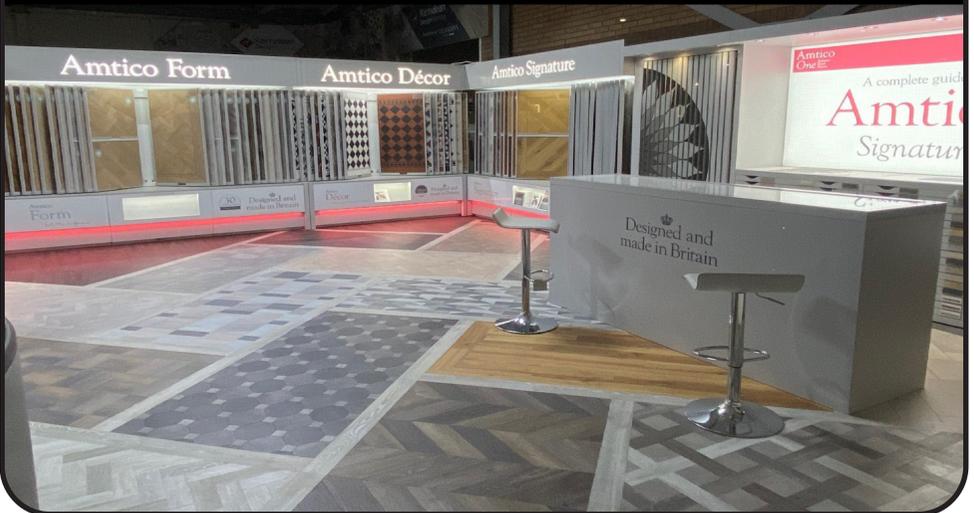
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The Trust was formed over a hundred years ago by a benefactor who left fields with rent to Holmesfield folk which then accumulated and is the source of funding for the trust.

The Trustees are anxious that residents take advantage of the funds of the trust, especially as most of us are experiencing difficult times right now.

So if you are experiencing problems, please do not hesitate to contact the Secretary, Mrs Adele Cantrill on 07809 684717 or email:

Holmesfieldcharities@btinternet.com.

Your enquiry will be treated in the utmost confidence.

NEW LOCAL PLAN

Here is a summary of what was heard at the meeting on Thursday, 4th September.

Currently, North East Derbyshire District Council are committed to providing 330 new houses a year. However, due to new government objectives, that target has now gone up to 600 new houses a year for the next 20 years. (12,000 houses).

In a relatively small window of 2 years, NEDDC has to provide the government with a revised Local Plan to fulfil this new target.

At the moment, they are halfway through the 2 year period. During this time there has been a call for possible sites and a Public Consultation, called "Issues and Options" (June -August 2025), when the public were given information and had an opportunity to comment. The deadline for completion of the new Local Plan is November 2026, at which point it has to be submitted to an inspector.

In early 2027 the new Local Plan will be examined and, if acceptable, it will be adopted in late 2027 by NEDDC.

Currently, NEDDC are very concerned as, in 6 months, sites allocated in the present Local Plan will have been used up. This is another reason why NEDDC need to push for completion of a new Local Plan.

Focus Groups will commence in November 2025. If you would like to know more about them, please call the Local Plan Team on 01246 231111 or email local.plan@ne-derbyshire.gov.uk



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Any thoughts and opinions are those of the individual(s) and may not necessarily be shared or endorsed by Holmesfield Parish Council.

Any submissions must include full name and contact details before publication can be considered by the editor.

Please send your articles typed via email if possible. This is especially important for images you wish to include.

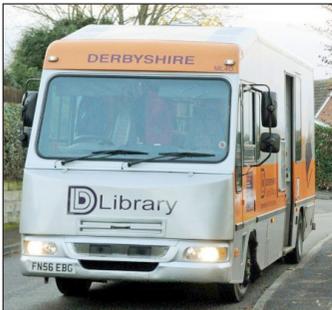
Please email any articles to: holmesfield-newsletter@hotmail.com

REPORTING HIGHWAYS ISSUES

If you are aware of any highway issues you can undertake a direct report on the Derbyshire County Council website:-

www.derbyshire.gov.uk/transport-roads/roads-traffic/road-maintenance/road-maintenance.aspx

MOBILE LIBRARY



Derbyshire County Council's mobile library service operates on a 4-weekly cycle. The mobile library will be at 6 Park Rise, Holmesfield between 10.25am and 10.50am on **Mondays 29th September and 27th October**.

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HOLMESFIELD CRICKET CLUB

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The season has now concluded and thank-you to everyone involved - on and off the pitch - who made it another season of enjoyable cricket.

With two of the last three fixtures being abandoned due to the weather, the 1st XI finished in mid-table - 6th out of the 12 teams - in the Derbyshire County Cricket League Division Three North.

However, the 2nd XI finished an impressive second in the Derbyshire County League Division Seven North and in a promotion spot. Bravo!

The Sunday XI finished a very creditable fourth in Section Three North of the Mansfield & District Cricket League and not to be out done, the Women's XI finished second in East Midlands Women's Cricket League Division 1 North West - a great season for Holmesfield ladies!

Our various youth sides go from strength to strength and many players are now getting a taste of senior cricket.

Come Down and See Us:

We look forward to welcoming supporters in 2026 after the winter – please come along and support your village teams in lovely surroundings.

Club Contact details

Treasurer: Tony Brown – tonynigelbrown@gmail.com

Captain: Jimmy Pearson – jimmypeo@hotmail.com : 0780 328 8200

Junior Co-ordinator: Antony Bolsover – bolsoverfamily147@gmail.com

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ANOTHER SCAM WARNING

A spokesman from a government security department was recently interviewed on the radio. Following the recent testing of the national emergency alert system, an email is circulating which “appears” to be from the Government. It asks whether or not you received the alarm sound , and to respond by pressing either the YES or NO button.

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Please contact Richard Wilkinson by email for further information :
thirdholmesfieldscoutgroup@hotmail.co.uk



NEW BUILD FOR WREAKES LANE

We actually did it! We now have four modular buildings in place, three joined together to form an amazing new hall, and a fourth unit which contains a hallway, toilets, a disabled toilet, and a kitchenette.

We now have a fantastic brand new venue and 120 very excitable young people who met in it for the first time in September.

We held our AGM last week and filled it with parents, carers, and young people. What an amazing achievement for all the people who have helped us to make it this far. Special thanks to Dan at DPU Property Maintenance and Construction, Pennine Electrical from Sheffield, and Richard Wilkinson (Scout Leader extraordinaire) for overseeing the entire project and putting in hundreds, if not thousands of hours of project management and labour into the entire site.

This is now a fantastic venue to hire for parties, weddings, group meetings, and camping. Enquiries can be made by emailing bookings@dronfieldscouts.org.uk

The future is looking very bright for 3rd Holmesfield Scout Group as we enter into an exciting new era with a fantastic new facility. With 120 young people, four very active sections, and our brand new facility, we are looking for new leaders, helpers, and trustees more than ever. If you want to make a difference, please contact Mark by emailing mwalker@3hsg.onmicrosoft.com.

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Mammal Trapping: Sunday 12th October led by with Paul Hancock and Val Clinging from Sorby Natural History Society.

Fungi Walk: Saturday 8th November led by Ziggi Senkans and Paul Hudson. Probably a 10am start but TBC.

Please check website for start times.

The Amazing World of Plants: Monday 1st December with Gerry Firkins in Totley Library. 7.30pm start.

Practical Conservation Mornings: Nick Blood is our new Ranger and we have agreed a new programme. Sessions are open to anyone who would like to join in. Everyone needs to provide their own gloves along with suitable clothes and footwear. Everything we do supplements the work carried out by the Council's woodlands team, meaning much more can be done to improve the wood for its flora, fauna and visitors alike.

Future PCM Dates: Saturday 4th October, Sunday 2nd and Saturday 29th November.

For any clarification, please contact Paul Hancock via email: paulhancock1954@gmail.com

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Sunday services:

1st & 3rd Sundays – usually Holy Communion

Other Sundays — Baptism or Morning Praise

Glow! Our village youth club for Y7-Y13, every Monday (term time only), drop in 7.00-8.30pm. Contact Sarah Webb on 07929 582233 or sarah@webbhome.co.uk

Toddlers: every Thursday morning, 10.00-11.30am (term time only).

New families always welcome but there may be a waiting list.

Contact Chris Taylor on 0114 289 1402 or christine.taylor42@hotmail.co.uk

J-Cafe: Holmesfield's community cafe is open every 2nd and 4th Friday, 10.00am-1.30pm and on market days with all profits going to Hope House homeless project in Chesterfield.

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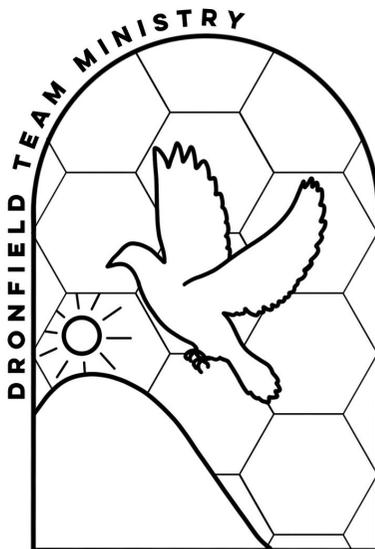
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Contact: For all enquiries please contact the Parish Office in the first instance or visit our website for more info.

t. 01246 412328

e: office@dronfieldteamministry.org

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Dates for October are as follows:

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Destination	Platform	Mon-Sat	Sun	Departs	Days operating	Next Stop
Nottingham	1	✓		05:24	Not Sundays	Next stop: Chesterfield
Nottingham	1	✓		06:13	Not Sundays	Next stop: Chesterfield
Leeds	2	✓		06:33	Not Sundays	Next stop: Sheffield
Nottingham	1	✓		06:53	Not Sundays	Next stop: Chesterfield
Leeds	2	✓		07:00	Not Sundays	Next stop: Sheffield
Nottingham	1	✓		07:12	Not Sundays	Next stop: Chesterfield
Liverpool Lime Street	2	✓		07:15	Not Sundays	Next stop: Sheffield
Sheffield ¹	2	✓		07:23	Not Sundays ¹	Next stop: Sheffield
Leeds	2	✓		08:04	Not Sundays	Next stop: Sheffield
Nottingham	1	✓		08:21	Not Sundays	Next stop: Chesterfield
Liverpool Lime Street	2	✓		08:28	Not Sundays	Next stop: Sheffield
Leeds	2	✓		09:03	Not Sundays	Next stop: Sheffield
Nottingham	1	✓	✓	09:15	Every Day	Next stop: Chesterfield
Leeds	2	✓		10:02	Not Sundays	Next stop: Sheffield
Nottingham	1	✓	✓	10:16	Every Day	Next stop: Chesterfield
Liverpool Lime Street	2		✓	10:24	Sundays Only	Next stop: Sheffield
Leeds	2	✓	✓	11:02	Every Day	Next stop: Sheffield
Nottingham	1	✓	✓	11:16	Every Day	Next stop: Chesterfield
Leeds	2	✓	✓	12:02	Every Day	Next stop: Sheffield
Nottingham	1	✓	✓	12:16	Every Day	Next stop: Chesterfield
Leeds	2	✓	✓	13:03	Every Day	Next stop: Sheffield
Nottingham	1	✓	✓	13:16	Every Day	Next stop: Chesterfield
Leeds	2	✓	✓	14:03	Every Day	Next stop: Sheffield
Nottingham	1	✓	✓	14:16	Every Day	Next stop: Chesterfield
Leeds	2	✓	✓	15:00	Every Day	Next stop: Sheffield
Nottingham	1	✓	✓	15:16	Every Day	Next stop: Chesterfield
Leeds	2	✓	✓	16:00	Every Day	Next stop: Sheffield
Nottingham	1	✓	✓	16:16	Every Day	Next stop: Chesterfield
Norwich	1	✓		16:50	Not Sundays	Next stop: Chesterfield
Leeds	2	✓	✓	16:59	Every Day	Next stop: Sheffield
Nottingham	1	✓	✓	17:16	Every Day	Next stop: Chesterfield
Norwich	1	✓		17:51	Not Sundays	Next stop: Chesterfield
Leeds	2	✓	✓	18:02	Every Day	Next stop: Sheffield
Nottingham	1	✓	✓	18:16	Every Day	Next stop: Chesterfield
Leeds	2	✓	✓	19:03	Every Day	Next stop: Sheffield
Nottingham	1	✓	✓	19:16	Every Day	Next stop: Chesterfield
Leeds	2	✓	✓	20:03	Every Day	Next stop: Sheffield
Nottingham	1	✓	✓	20:16	Every Day	Next stop: Chesterfield
Leeds	2	✓	✓	21:02	Every Day	Next stop: Sheffield
Nottingham	1	✓	✓	21:14	Every Day	Next stop: Chesterfield
Nottingham	1	✓	✓	21:49	Every Day	Next stop: Chesterfield
Leeds	2	✓		22:03	Not Sundays	Next stop: Sheffield
Nottingham	1	✓	✓	22:15	Every Day	Next stop: Chesterfield
Leeds	2		✓	22:23	Sundays Only	Next stop: Sheffield
Nottingham	1		✓	22:52	Sundays Only	Next stop: Chesterfield
Sheffield	2		✓	23:23	Sundays Only	Next stop: Sheffield
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Destination	Plat	Mon-Sat	Sun	Departs	Days operating	Next Stop

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1. Service not shown on Northern Railways timetable 33

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16

MONDAY TO FRIDAY

	16	16 ●	16 ▲	16	16 ●	16	16	16	16	16	16 ▲	16	16	16
Broomfield Linden Drive	06:34	-	-	07:27	-	09:57	10:42	11:52	12:52	13:49	-	15:55	17:00	-
The Green Nursing Home	06:37	-	-	07:31	-	10:01	10:46	11:56	12:56	13:53	-	16:00	17:05	-
Hasland Medical Centre	06:41	-	-	07:35	-	10:05	10:50	12:00	13:00	13:57	-	16:04	17:09	-
Birdholme Mellor Way	06:44	-	-	07:38	-	10:08	10:53	12:03	13:03	14:00	-	16:08	17:13	-
New Beetwell Street B1	06:53	07:32	07:32	07:47	-	10:17	11:02	12:12	13:12	14:09	14:51	16:18	17:24	18:02
Knifesmithgate L2	06:56	07:36	07:36	07:51	-	10:21	11:07	12:17	13:17	14:14	14:56	16:23	17:29	18:06
Newbold Nags Head	07:01	07:44	07:44	07:59	-	10:27	11:13	12:23	13:23	14:20	15:03	16:31	17:37	18:13
Four Lane Ends	07:04	07:49	07:49	08:04	08:04	10:31	11:17	12:27	13:27	14:24	15:07	16:35	17:41	18:16
Cutthorpe Barber Lane	-	-	-	08:09	08:09	-	11:22	-	-	14:29	-	16:40	17:46	18:21
Commonside Crowhole	07:09	-	07:54	08:19	08:19	10:36	11:31	12:32	13:32	14:38	15:12	16:49	17:55	18:30
Millthorpe New Road	07:11	-	07:56	08:21	08:21	10:38	11:33	12:34	13:34	14:40	15:14	16:51	17:57	18:32
Holmesfield Cartledge Lane Garage	07:15	-	08:00	08:25	08:25	10:42	11:37	12:38	13:38	14:44	15:18	16:55	18:01	18:36
Dronfield Pentland Road	-	-	08:05	08:30	08:30	10:47	-	12:43	13:43	-	-	-	-	18:41
Dronfield Civic Centre	07:23	-	08:09	08:34	08:34	10:51	11:43	12:47	13:47	14:50	15:26	17:03	18:09	18:45
Henry Fanshawe School	-	-	-	08:42 ●	08:42	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

SATURDAY

	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	16
Broomfield Linden Drive	06:34	-	07:27	09:57	10:42	11:52	12:52	13:49	-	15:55	17:00	-	-
The Green Nursing Home	06:38	-	07:31	10:01	10:46	11:56	12:56	13:53	-	15:59	17:04	-	-
Hasland Medical Centre	06:41	-	07:34	10:05	10:50	12:00	13:00	13:57	-	16:03	17:07	-	-
Birdholme Mellor Way	06:43	-	07:36	10:08	10:53	12:03	13:03	14:00	-	16:06	17:09	-	-
New Beetwell Street B1	06:52	07:32	07:45	10:17	11:02	12:12	13:12	14:09	14:51	16:15	17:18	18:02	-
Knifesmithgate L2	06:55	07:36	07:49	10:21	11:07	12:17	13:17	14:14	14:56	16:20	17:23	18:06	-
Newbold Nags Head	07:00	07:42	07:55	10:27	11:13	12:23	13:23	14:20	15:02	16:26	17:29	18:12	-
Four Lane Ends	07:03	07:46	07:59	10:31	11:17	12:27	13:27	14:24	15:06	16:30	17:32	18:15	-
Cutthorpe Barber Lane	-	-	08:04	-	11:22	-	-	14:29	-	16:35	17:37	18:20	-
Commonside Crowhole	07:07	07:51	08:12	10:36	11:31	12:32	13:32	14:38	15:12	16:44	17:45	18:27	-
Millthorpe New Road	07:09	07:53	08:14	10:38	11:33	12:34	13:34	14:40	15:14	16:46	17:47	18:29	-
Holmesfield Cartledge Lane Garage	07:13	07:58	08:19	10:42	11:37	12:38	13:38	14:44	15:18	16:50	17:52	18:33	-
Dronfield Pentland Road	-	08:04	08:24	10:47	-	12:43	13:43	-	-	-	-	-	18:37
Dronfield Civic Centre	07:19	08:08	08:28	10:51	11:43	12:47	13:47	14:50	15:24	16:56	17:58	18:41	-
Henry Fanshawe School	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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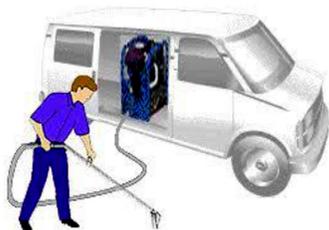
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MONDAY TO FRIDAY

	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	16▲	16●	16●	16●	16▲	16	16	
Henry Fanshawe School	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15:40	15:40	-	-	-
Dronfield Civic Centre	-	-	08:51	09:36	10:56	11:49	12:52	13:52	14:55	14:55	15:50	15:50	15:50	17:08	18:13	-
Dronfield Gardom Close	-	06:46	08:56	09:41	11:01	-	12:56	-	14:59	14:59	15:54	15:54	15:54	17:12	-	-
Holmesfield Cartledge Lane Garage	-	06:52	09:02	09:47	11:07	11:57	13:01	14:00	15:04	-	16:00	16:00	16:00	16:00	17:18	18:21
Millthorpe Village	-	06:55	09:05	09:50	11:10	12:00	13:04	14:03	15:07	-	16:03	16:03	16:03	17:21	18:24	-
Commonside Crowhole	-	06:59	09:08	09:53	11:13	12:03	13:07	14:06	15:10	-	16:06	16:06	16:06	17:24	18:27	-
Cutthorpe Barber Lane	-	07:09	09:18	10:03	-	12:13	-	14:16	-	-	16:16	16:16	16:16	-	-	-
Four Lane Ends	-	07:12	09:23	10:08	11:18	12:18	13:12	14:21	15:15	-	16:21	16:21	16:21	17:30	18:32	-
Newbold Nags Head	-	07:16	09:27	10:12	11:22	12:22	13:16	14:25	15:19	-	16:25	16:25	16:25	17:34	18:36	-
Stephenson Place K3	-	07:23	09:35	10:20	11:30	12:30	13:24	14:32	15:27	-	16:33	16:33	16:33	17:42	18:43	-
New Beetwell Street B12	07:10	07:27	09:39	10:24	11:34	12:34	13:28	14:36	15:31	-	16:37	-	16:37	17:46	-	-
Birdholme Mellor Way	07:15	-	09:45	10:30	11:40	12:40	13:34	-	15:39	-	16:45	-	16:45	17:53	-	-
Hasland Medical Centre	07:18	-	09:48	10:33	11:43	12:44	13:37	-	15:42	-	16:48	-	16:48	17:56	-	-
The Green Nursing Home	07:21	-	09:51	10:36	11:46	12:46	13:40	-	15:45	-	16:51	-	16:51	17:59	-	-
Broomfield Linden Drive	07:25	-	09:55	10:40	11:50	12:50	13:44	-	15:50	-	16:56	-	16:56	18:03	-	-
Holmesfield Woodside Avenue	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15:04	-	-	-	-	-	-

SATURDAY

	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	
Henry Fanshawe School	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dronfield Civic Centre	-	-	08:51	09:36	10:56	11:49	12:52	13:52	14:55	15:50	17:08	18:13	-
Dronfield Gardom Close	-	06:46	08:56	09:41	11:01	-	12:56	-	14:59	15:54	17:12	-	-
Holmesfield Cartledge Lane Garage	-	06:50	09:01	09:47	11:07	11:57	13:01	14:00	15:04	16:00	17:18	18:20	-
Millthorpe Village	-	06:53	09:04	09:50	11:10	12:00	13:04	14:03	15:07	16:03	17:21	18:23	-
Commonside Crowhole	-	06:56	09:07	09:53	11:13	12:03	13:07	14:06	15:10	16:06	17:24	18:26	-
Cutthorpe Barber Lane	-	07:05	09:16	10:03	-	12:13	-	14:16	-	16:16	-	-	-
Four Lane Ends	-	07:10	09:21	10:08	11:18	12:18	13:12	14:21	15:15	16:21	17:30	18:31	-
Newbold Nags Head	-	07:14	09:25	10:12	11:22	12:22	13:16	14:25	15:19	16:24	17:34	18:34	-
Stephenson Place K3	-	07:21	09:32	10:20	11:30	12:30	13:24	14:32	15:27	16:32	17:42	18:40	-
New Beetwell Street B12	07:10	07:25	09:36	10:24	11:34	12:34	13:28	14:36	15:31	16:37	17:46	-	-
Birdholme Mellor Way	07:15	-	09:42	10:30	11:40	12:40	13:34	-	15:37	16:43	17:52	-	-
Hasland Medical Centre	07:18	-	09:45	10:33	11:43	12:43	13:37	-	15:40	16:46	17:55	-	-
The Green Nursing Home	07:21	-	09:48	10:36	11:46	12:46	13:40	-	15:43	16:49	17:58	-	-
Broomfield Linden Drive	07:25	-	09:52	10:40	11:50	12:50	13:44	-	15:47	16:53	18:02	-	-

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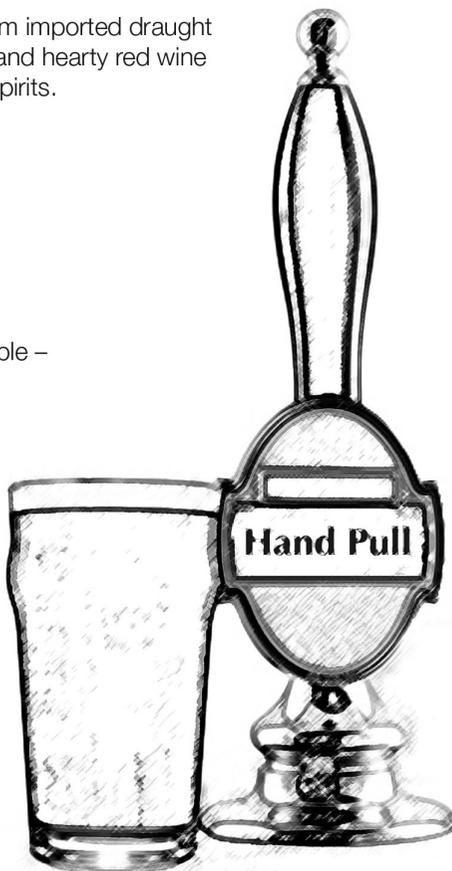
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Cowley was still a part of Dronfield Woodhouse parish at this time until it 'moved' to become part of an enlarged Holmesfield in 1935. Dronfield Urban District – which had absorbed the now defunct parishes of Dronfield Woodhouse and Coal Aston – likely considered this small hamlet as not being worth the extra effort. It was Holmesfield's gain.

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