

Ruddington Parish Council

VILLAGE NEWSLETTER

Buyout at the Butchers!

Early in 2011 Ruddington celebrated the reopening of its only dedicated butcher's shop at 15 Church Street by new owner Stewart White and his shop manager Shane Ginty.

Four years on the business has gone from strength to strength and regained the sort of customer support built up over 64 years by the Oliver family up to David's retirement from the premises in 2000. NOW another change has taken place! On Monday 16th February Stewart handed over the keys to new owner Shane – who will now run the shop mostly on his own but with a little help from wife Nicola.



"I've chosen a new life in St Helen's to be with my girlfriend and I'll be taking a break from butchery for a bit" explains Stewart. "For now I'll be working for Tesco Distribution in Bolton. I did have another offer for the business but I chose Shane to continue running it as I thought he'd be the best bet to continue a successful butcher's shop in Ruddington."

"I'm very excited to be taking over" beams Shane. "It's already a really nice shop, so I won't be making many changes, but I will be expanding the range a bit and offer food tastings on Fridays and Saturdays!"

Another thing to note is that Ruddington Village Butchers will now be closed on Wednesdays - but it is still open on all other days except Sunday.

By Graham Wright

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Ruddington Library: the heart of our local community

Offering a warm and friendly welcome, providing a huge range of services and acting as a hub for our local community, Ruddington Library is your first port of call for books, culture, information and internet access.

Free to join, the library offers a great selection of fiction, non-fiction and reference books, for both adults and children, as well as large print and audio books. Regular users will be pleased to hear that, as part of the Pasture Lane development, the library will receive a cash injection of just over £4,000 to replenish its stock.

Computer use and internet access is free (just a small charge for printing), while a new service called Press Display gives you online access to newspapers from across the world. For those with impaired vision, computers have screen magnification software installed. And safety-conscious parents can be reassured that all the children's PCs are separate from adult computers and fitted with online safety filters.

If you've no computer skills and would like to learn, then why not try some one-to-one training – introductory sessions on computers, the internet and email run by library staff? It's a great way to learn some new skills.

Children are well catered for at the library, with a free Rattle, Rhyme and Roll session on the first Tuesday of every month from 11-11.30am. The Bookstart Bear Club for pre-schoolers is a great way to introduce little ones into the world of reading. And the Summer Reading Challenge is an excellent way for school children to keep reading all through their holidays – plus they can

enjoy a host of other activities and craft sessions run when school's out.

The library is fully accessible for pushchairs and wheelchair users. Housebound residents can still enjoy reading thanks to the Home Library Service, run by volunteers. And there are a number of reading groups who borrow books from the library – more are always welcomed.

If that's not enough, you can hire DVDs, do your photocopying, read the newspaper and check out the noticeboard for all the local happenings.

To find out more about any of these services, contact Ruddington Library on 0115 921 2309.

Kay Garrett

Newsletter by e-mail?

Would you like to get a copy of the Village Newsletter sent to you by e-mail? Just e-mail to office@ruddingtonparishcouncil.gov.uk and we will make sure you are sent a copy each month.
Gary Long, Editor.

Methodist March Sale

Ruddington Methodist Church are holding a March Sale on Saturday 14 March from 10am. to 12 noon. Stalls include Cakes, Books, Bric a Brac and Guess the weight of a Simnel Cake. All proceeds will go towards the cost of our forthcoming Flower Festival.

The Flower Festival itself will be held over the May Day Bank Holiday from 1st May to 4th May 2015. All proceeds from the Flower Festival will go to the Lincolnshire and Nottinghamshire Air Ambulance and the Rainbows Hospice for Children and Young People.

Choir gives donation to Teenage Cancer Charity

Ruddington and District Choral Society gave a cheque for £423 to the Teenage Cancer Trust. Angela Kehoe from the Trust was pleased to receive the cheque from Tony Grove, chair of the choir.



Angela explained that young people with cancer felt isolated when they came into hospital, as many wards were for older people or young children. So the Teenage Cancer Trust opened units at City Hospital and QMC hospital for young people 19 to 24 years. Each welcomes inpatients and day patients. There is an attractive social room with soft furniture, TV and DVD player, WiFi, gaming facilities and a kitchen, offering a homely environment. The money collected will be used in these units.

The choir had collections at their Christmas concert, and at a carol sing at the Appletree Pub, West Bridgford.

School's Out... but it's not just for summer

Parents and carers across Ruddington are breathing a sigh of relief as the answer to their holiday childcare has arrived in the shape of School's Out holiday club.

Run by owner Liz Wright, the club caters for children aged 4-12, with a varied programme specifically tailored to each age group. It also offers indoor and outdoor activities to give the children a fun and exciting dimension to their holiday care. Situated at the Club Room at St Peter's School, School's Out is open throughout all the school holidays from 8.30am to 5.30pm, with the option for half days.

With around 13 weeks' holiday to plan for, many parents and carers find themselves using up annual leave, taking unpaid time off and 'tag teaming' with partners, sacrificing valuable family time as a result.

"When I moved to Ruddington, I loved the community feel of the village," says Liz. "From discussions in the playground – and through my own circumstances – I soon realised there was a desperate need for affordable holiday provision. I did lots of research and took lots of advice – there was a mountain of paperwork and bureaucracy to overcome, but we got there and School's Out is going from strength to strength."

The team of eight have been kept busy thanks to the popularity of the club, which has seen up to 30 children there on some occasions.

"We've had great feedback from parents and kids alike," continues Liz. "A lot of parents tell me how much their children look forward to coming, which means a

huge amount after all our hard work in setting up.”

Not content with rescuing parents in the school holidays, Liz has also launched a new venture, Come Cook With Me, which offers an alternative after school option. Children are collected from school and taken to a nearby location, where (under supervision) they prepare and cook a homemade meal using fresh, healthy ingredients. The children can then enjoy eating their meal as a tasty dinner – and parents are welcome to join them to eat.

“My little girl loves Come Cook With Me, and as a working mum I'm delighted that she can go to an after-school activity that she loves so much and the food they cook is amazing too! I would highly recommend this to any parents who have children that are interested in food and want something as an alternative to their usual wraparound care,” says local parent Alexandra Lee.

To find out more, visit www.schoolsout Ruddington.co.uk or phone 07508 056 995.

Kay Garrett

Julia's Kitchen: Cakemaker to the stars!

Our local cake shop has put itself firmly on the celebrity map with a flurry of orders coming in from national and international stars. Less than three years after opening, Julia's Kitchen Cake Boutique on Church Street boasts an impressive list of celebrity clients, including football legend Stuart Pearce, glamour girl Katie Price, singers Kerry Katona and Sam Bailey - and international superstar, Beyonce!

The American singer and film star's management team were responsible for

the shop's biggest ever order to date: a cupcake bouquet for Beyonce's 2014 UK tour. Sadly, business owner Julia Towers didn't get to speak to Beyonce in person - but she did receive a personal 'thank you' on Twitter from Katie Price after making a celebration cake for her baby shower.

As well as baking around 30 celebration cakes a week, Julia and her team also produce a wide selection of muffins, pastries and cupcakes for sale in the shop, sometimes starting at 4am on busy days. In fact, the business is going so well that Julia is now looking to expand into larger premises. And whilst location might not matter to her celebrity clients, for the sake of Ruddington's army of cake-lovers, let's hope Julia stays local!

Faye Stenson

Museum founder leaves Ruddington after 62 years

In 1952 a young engaged couple visited Ruddington to see a site on Old Road, then largely undeveloped, where they were to have a home to be named 'Long Acre' built.

Doreen Cooper and Richard Beardall married on the 30th April 1953 and moved into their new home a month later.

Richard was to become a Parochial Church Councillor and through him Doreen met Dorothy Shrimpton the Vicar's wife. In 1969 Dorothy discovered a framework knitters' complex on Chapel Street, then being used as a plumber's yard by local plumber Sid Rivington.

The historic value of the complex had already been recognised and Doreen joined Dorothy to try and raise the asking price of £2,000. Still lacking over £900

and with the deadline of 31st March 1971 looming, Doreen approached a family friend, Gordon Hibbert of Pretty Polly Hosiery and he gave her a cheque to complete the purchase. Doreen, by now a Trustee of the charity that had been formed, was to serve in that capacity for 25 years. Her family connection with the knitting industry through her father Vernon Cooper was to play a big part in the developments at Chapel Street and in 2003 she was awarded the M.B.E for her services to the Framework Knitters Museum.



Doreen leaves Long Acre for the last time

In addition, Doreen served as a Magistrate for 21 years and worked for the Childrens Society. Richard had become a Parish Councillor serving for 12 years and fundraised for the British Heart Foundation for many years. Sadly Richard died in 2013 and Doreen has decided to move to Aldeburgh in Suffolk to be nearer her son Charles and his family.

This ends a family's service to Ruddington after 62 years. We wish Doreen many happy years in Suffolk.

Peter McGowan

Thursday Coffee Morning

Want a chat?

A friendly group of people meet every Thursday morning at St. Peter's Rooms from 10.30 – 12 noon. It is open to anyone but particularly if you are feeling isolated. We will make you feel very welcome.

£1 coffee and biscuits; 50p tea and biscuits.

Muriel Woodhead 984 5666

Rushcliffe round-up

Ruddington is the 8th best place to live in England, according to a Halifax survey. The annual poll rates local authorities on aspects such as health, education, housing, crime rates and weather to assess the quality of life for residents. Rushcliffe's results in the 2014 and 2013 surveys were 7th and 22nd respectively out of over 400 local authorities.

In other news, plans are afoot to create a new body called the 'N2 Combined Authority' across Nottinghamshire. The proposals are been backed by the County and City Councils, seven borough and district councils, including Rushcliffe.

However, if the new body is ultimately approved, the existing local authorities won't be replaced and will retain their own budgets. You can have your say on the N2 proposals by visiting <http://gossweb.nottinghamcity.gov.uk/survey/N2CombinedAuthorityhys/>.

Faye Stenson

Ruddington Diary

March 2015

Sunday 1st March

Tea, Coffee & Cakes - at the Education Room (near the lake), Rushcliffe Country Park from 10am to 3pm. In aid of FoRCP.

Footpaths Walk - Ruddington Footpaths Preservation Group. "Hickling Circular via Hickling Standard". Meet on the Green at 2.15pm.

Tuesday 3rd March

Ruddington Methodist Women's Fellowship - "Our local Minister Rev. Simon Rose" at 2.30pm

Wednesday 4th March

Alpha Course Week 2 - 7.30pm at The Hub, 62 Musters Road, NG11 6HW. Contact 07804 590 002 or email ruddalpha@yahoo .co.uk.

Ruddington District Probus Club - "Exploring for Oil in Nigeria in the 1960s" At Ruddington Golf Club at 12noon.

History Society - AGM followed by Members Evening. St. Peter's Rooms at 8pm.

Tuesday 10th March

Scrabble - In Ruddington Library 2pm to 4pm. All players welcomed.

Parish Council - at St. Peters Rooms commencing at 7.30 pm. All meetings are open to the public where you can raise your views on any items on the agenda.

Wednesday 11th March

Ruddington W.I. - "The Story of Laura Ashley", by Jo Carter. Exhibition: A Picture of a Doggy Hero. At 7.15pm at St. Peter's Rooms.

Alpha Course Week 3 - 7.30pm at The Hub, 62 Musters Road, NG11 6HW. Contact 07804 590 002 or email ruddalpha@yahoo .co.uk.

Saturday 14th March

Ruddington Methodist Church - "March Sale" stalls include cakes, books, guess the weight of the Simnel Cake. proceeds go towards flower festival. 10am to 12 noon.

Parish Council Surgery. 10am to 12 noon at St. Peter's Rooms. This is your opportunity to speak with your Parish, Borough and County Councillors about

A large print copy of the Village Newsletter is available to read in the library

local issues.

Sunday 15th March

Tea, Coffee & Cakes - at the Education Room (near the lake), Rushcliffe Country Park from 10am to 3pm. In aid of FoRCP.

Tuesday 17th March

Ruddington Methodist Women's Fellowship - "A Dance and a Sing-a-Long" Mrs J Godfrey at 2.30pm

Wednesday 18th March

Alpha Course Week 4 - 7.30pm at The Hub, 62 Musters Road, NG11 6HW. Contact 07804 590 002 or email ruddalpha@yahoo .co.uk.

Ruddington District Probus Club - AGM. At Ruddington Golf Club at 12noon.

Thursday 19th March

Ear Foundation - Do you wear an NHS hearing aid? Come to our FREE walk-in hearing aid clinic. In St. Peter's Rooms between 11.30am to 12.30pm. No appointment required.

Neighbourhood Watch Meeting - St. Peter's Rooms 6.30pm to 7.15pm.

Friday 20th March

Ruddington Business Partnership - at The Ruddington Arms from 8am to 9am. Come along and meet other local businesses. No booking required.

Saturday 21st March

Ruddington W.I. - Spring Fair 9am to 1pm at St. Peter's Rooms.

Tuesday 24th March

Amenities Committee - at St. Peter's Rooms commencing at 7.30 pm. All meetings are open to the public where you can raise your views on any items on the agenda.

If you would like something included in the Village newsletter please talk to the Clerk or Deputy Clerk.

The copy deadline for the next edition is 15th March.

Wednesday 25th March

Alpha Course Week 5 - 7.30pm at The Hub, 62 Musters Road - see above

Ruddington Gardeners' Association. An illustrated lecture entitled "St Anns Allotments" by Mo Cooper, followed by complementary refreshments. The Hermitage, 7.00pm for 7.30pm.

Thursday 26th March

Framework Knitters Museum - Janet Stain presents "Knickers - A brief history" at 7.30pm. Contact Museum 0115 984 6914 or Kathy 0115 984 5375.

April 2015

Wednesday 1st April

Framework Knitters Museum - Museum opens

Ruddington District Probus Club - "Civilisation, democracy, freedom, the City state and its relevance to our progress towards democracy" by Bob Cullen. At Ruddington Golf Club at 12noon.

Alpha Course Week 6 - 7.30pm at The Hub, 62 Musters Road, NG11 6HW. Contact 07804 590 002 or email ruddalpa@yahoo .co.uk.

Sunday 5th April

Tea, Coffee & Cakes - at the Education Room (near the lake), Rushcliffe Country Park from 10am to 3pm. In aid of FoRCP.

Footpaths Walk - Ruddington Footpaths Preservation Group. "Lady Bay to Holme Pierrepont Country Park". Meet on the Green at 2.15pm.

Wednesday 8th April

Ruddington W.I. - "Annual Meeting", Choose the team to run your WI! Exhibition: Buttons. At 7.15pm at St. Peter's Rooms.

Saturday 11th April

Parish Council Surgery. 10am to 12 noon at St. Peter's Rooms. This is your opportunity to speak with your Parish, Borough and County Councillors about local issues.

Tuesday 14th April

Scrabble - In Ruddington Library 2pm to 4pm. All players welcomed.

Planning Meeting: Only held if required - at St. Peter's Rooms commencing at 7.30 pm. All meetings are open to the public where you can raise your views on any items on the agenda.

The Housing Debate

Background

Recently two planning applications have been discussed for new houses being built on Green Belt in Ruddington. One, already submitted, for 250 houses off Asher Lane and one still in the pre-application stage on land around Sellor's Play Area which has already been mentioned in the Village Newsletter.

So why is this happening? Nationally the Government set a number of new houses needed. This is then broken down in numbers for each local authority. Rushcliffe Borough Council (RBC) had to find land for 13,150 houses. RBC then has to identify sites. RBC (in their Core Strategy) indicated a requirement for a total of 584 new houses in Ruddington between 2011 and 2028. 29 have already been built and potential brownfield sites for 305 have been identified by RBC. If some of the brownfield sites do not become available it does not automatically follow that alternative provision would have to be provided elsewhere in and around Ruddington. An article in the next newsletter will talk more about brownfield sites.

This leaves 250 for currently unidentified sites – likely to be from the Green Belt. So, the landowners/developers are interested in putting in planning applications. Chairman of the Parish Council, Councillor Allen Wood, said "The issue facing Ruddington is not so much if the new houses get built but where is the best place".

RBC need to identify sites in the next phase of their Core Strategy. This process is ongoing and currently there is no specific timetable for the information to be published. *Councillor Allen Wood*

Don't Lose Your RAG!

Ruddington has always been proud of its unique identity and rural character. However in recent years we have witnessed significant new housing infill on the available "brownfield" sites within our village. Now we're seeing applications to construct large new estates on our surrounding green fields!

This is because it's been estimated that 250 new homes will have to be built on Ruddington's green belt by 2028 to satisfy our quota – so speculative developers are understandably keen to get THEIR plans submitted and chosen first.

It must be stressed that no decision has yet been made about Asher Lane and that consultations about building on Wilford Road's green belt are at a very early stage. However recent Parish Council involvement in mass objections to the plans for Asher Lane - followed by articles in the Village Newsletter regarding a possible "land-swap" with developers on Wilford Road - have led some residents to believe the latter is already a "done deal".

These events were more than enough to set alarm bells ringing and in the formation of RAG – Ruddington Action Group.



"Fundamentally we are a proactive protest group which will aim to stop unsustainable planning applications in their early stages and respond reactively to all those already in play" says group spokesperson Alison Sail. *"We have a 12 strong nucleus but an ever growing*

following around the village. Our purpose is to ensure appropriate and sustainable development across all areas of the village by working in partnership with residents, other established groups and local agencies to influence local planning decisions - so that Ruddington remains a great place to live."

RAG is a voluntary group and welcomes input and support from all interested local residents and businesses. They can be contacted via ruddingtonaction@gmail.com

Meantime make a note that the Bloor Homes "pre-application public consultation" on their Wilford Road/Sellors' Field plans is being held in St Peter's Rooms on Friday 6th March from 2.30pm until 7.30pm.

By Graham Wright

Health Fitness Peace

All these can be yours through gardening.

The Ruddington Gardeners Association have regular events and you do not even have to have a garden of your own to join in. If you don't have enough space at home, the village is well supplied with allotment gardens for residents.

Each of the allotments has its own community spirit and there is a total of over 100 plots in the village.

Out in the fresh air and sunshine you can enjoy the growth of your own produce from seed to table. Not only vegetables, but fruit and flowers as well. All the produce can be organically grown to keep you healthy. You can work away from the noise of traffic and other everyday cares.

The three allotment gardens are -

Paradise Gardens off Wilford Road run by the Parish Council.

Hareham Gardens off Asher Lane and Musters Road run by The James Peacock Bread Charity.

Buttercup Allotments off Asher Lane, privately run.

If you want to have an allotment, the Parish Council will give you a contact to arrange for a walk round the different gardens.

Details of the Ruddington Gardeners Association are on the website www.ruddingtongardeners.co.uk

Peter Johnson-Marshall

Still Thinking About Being A Parish Councillor?

Maybe you read last month's Village Newsletter and are still thinking about it. Why not come along to a meeting to see what happens? You could stay on after the meeting and speak to current parish councillors to get a better idea of what it involves. All meetings start at 7.30pm and are held at St. Peter's Rooms, Church Street.

10th March – Parish Council

24th March – Amenities Committee

Or you could come along to the next surgery which is on Saturday 14th March from 10am to 12 noon at St. Peter's Rooms..

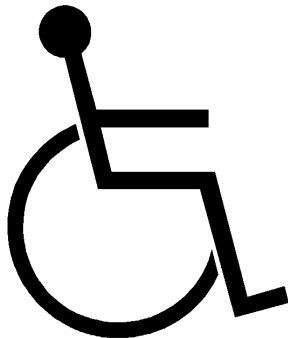
Or, ring Gary / call into the office (open 9.30 – 12.30 weekdays and often in the afternoon). Details on back page. If you are busy in the day leave a message and Gary will get back to you at a time convenient for you.

Wheelchair Thanks

Parish Councillor Barbara Venes would like to thank the Parish Council for the loan of a wheelchair, which she borrowed after an operation on her foot.

The Parish Council has several wheelchairs which may be borrowed by residents who need help. The wheelchairs have been donated in the past to help other

residents. If you have a wheelchair which you no longer use it could be given to the Parish Council to lend to those who need one.



Ten Years of TLC & 20,000 Bears

Ten years ago when the Teddies for Loving Care (TLC) Charity in Nottingham was set up it hoped that a Valentines Lunch, which also shares the sentiment of love, would be a good annual fund raiser for the Charity. This has proved to be more than the case and the event has gone from strength to strength over the ten years.

This year's event on Sunday 8th February was again held at Ruddington Grange Golf Club with a record number of over 120 guests enjoying the day. The event has progressively become family oriented and this year children and adults alike were entertained by award winning Magician Alex Michael.

A bumper raffle and an extensive list of auction prizes including sports memorabilia from Chris Cohen Captain

of Nottingham Forest and a Balloon Ride and Flight Simulator experience donated by Marion Bernacchia of Manor Park, all contributed towards the day making over £2,200 for the Charity.

Graham Riche, the Chairman of TLC Nottingham and a resident of Ruddington, was keen to express his thanks to the many local businesses who had so generously donated items for both the raffle and the auction. He went on to encourage all those present to show their appreciation of the generosity of these local businesses by frequenting their establishments whenever possible.

Bears are issued to all A&E Units across Nottinghamshire, to NHS Drop-in Centres, the Eye Hospital, the Children's Hospital and Children's Outpatients. The bears act as an aid to doctors and nurses to help them settle and comfort children who are frightened by the situation they find themselves in, and when the child is discharged they leave clutching their new best friend.

In January this year TLC Nottinghamshire issued its 20,000th bear and the use of bears in this way has now extended beyond hospitals to the Fire & Rescue Service, to support 'Child Bereavement Teams' across Nottinghamshire as part of the Memory Box given to children who have lost a sibling and larger special bears are used in schools to help comfort distressed children who may come from a deprived home or where a parent may be ill or there is a family breakdown.

If you would like to know more the TLC Nottingham website is: www.tlcnottinghamshire.co.uk

Graham Riche

Sheila Chambers

It is with great sadness that I have to announce the death, early in February, of Councillor Sheila Chambers. Sheila was a parish councillor from 1983 – 87 & Nov 2001 – Feb 2015. She will be greatly missed by all who knew her.

There will be tributes in the next edition of the Village Newsletter.

Gary Long, Clerk to the Council.

Your local museum needs YOU!

Do you have any spare time on your hands? If so, you might consider helping out at the Framework Knitters Museum on Chapel Street, which is looking for more volunteers to swell its ranks before reopening for the 2015 season on Wednesday 1 April. From this date, the museum will be open from Wednesday to Sunday, from 11am to 4pm (1:30pm to 4pm on Sundays).

It's certainly an exciting time to join the friendly team of volunteers, as the museum has seen a recent surge in popularity after receiving a grant from the Heritage Lottery Fund.

Revamped displays and a new interactive film about the Luddite uprising are attracting more visitors than ever before, particularly from local schools. The museum has also bought a neighbouring property, Gunn Cottage, which will eventually be used to create a bigger display space and enhanced visitor facilities.

'There are lots of different ways that volunteers can get involved,' says Museum Manager, Paul Baker. *'On the retail side, you could sell tickets on the admissions desk, help out in the shop, or serve coffee and cakes in our tea*

shop. You could learn how to demonstrate our historic knitting frames to visitors, or get involved in our Education Team and Family History Group. And for those with a taste for the dramatic, we're looking for volunteers to dress up in period costume and show visitors around the knitters' cottages.'

The Framework Knitters Museum is a charity and relies on support from the local community. By volunteering, you'll be helping the museum to continue its valuable work, maintain its visitor services and keep developing what it has to offer. It's also a great opportunity to stay active and make new friends in the village and further afield.

For more information, please contact Paul on 0115 984 6914, email office@frameworkknittersmuseum.org.uk or visit www.frameworkknittersmuseum.org.uk.

Faye Stenson

Not a Police Station!

When the Ruddington Police Station closed the local Beat Team needed somewhere to have a cup of tea and do a bit of admin. They now do this at St. Peter's Rooms, **BUT** it is not a Police Station. There is nowhere there for them to meet the public and, normally, our Beat Manager and PCSOs are out and about. The nearest Police Station with a counter is in West Bridgford.

If you need to contact them please use the phone numbers below

Contact:
DIAL 101 for non emergencies
PCSOs Vee White 07702 141 778 &
Jonny Wilkinson. 07525 226 593
Beat Manager PC Rob Archer 07702 141 804

In an emergency ring 999



Lockton School of Dance raise £300 for the British Heart Foundation at their Wednesday afternoon Tea Dance and a special Dance on Friday night.

We Will Remember Them **WW1 Casualties this month** **100 years ago**

17th March 1915

Private **Thomas Ward**, 1st Sherwood Foresters
Son of Mr T Ward, The Leys, Ruddington.
Cemetery: Merville Communal Cemetery, France

Ruddington WI

The WI is holding a **Spring Fair** at **St Peter's Rooms** on **Saturday 21 March 2015** between **10.00am and 12.00 noon**. There will be Easter stalls with chocolate-filled chicks and bunnies for children (and even adults!), plus cakes, books and the inevitable tombola. In addition to the sales tables, there will

also be 'hands-on' demonstrations and the opportunity for you to 'have a go' at a range of crafts. Come along and enjoy hot cross buns, tea or coffee and dabble with some different crafty ideas!

Ruddington Parish Council **Project and Finance Officer**

(15 hours per week - afternoons)

Salary: £19,048 - £20,253
(Pro rata to hours worked)

Application form and further details available from the Clerk to the Council, details below.

Closing Date for receipt of applications:

Sunday, 29th March 2015

Interviews on Tuesday, 14th April 2015

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