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Between 150 - 250 new dwellings could be built and although serviced by a different Council the new estate would still be part of School Aycliffe. Despite this increase to the village population it is still not considered large enough to sustain a church, school,

shops or a pub, and no provision has been made in the outline planning brief. Great Aycliffe Town Council have objected to the proposal because access to the estate would be from an existing road off School Aycliffe which they believe is inadequate to deal with the increase in traffic.

Sedgefield Borough, however believe this could be improved at detailed planning stage to satisfy the Town Council's concerns. It would appear that much of the existing beautiful landscape on this site will be unaffected by the new dwellings, leaving ample open space for a very tasteful development which should attract builders of high quality housing.

The site will take a number of years to complete and each phase will need detailed proposals for planners to scrutinise. Use of similar sites for housing elsewhere, such as Winterton Hospital, is being encouraged, as it helps to limit new development in the countryside. The only downside for prospective residents of this site is the close proximity of Hydro Polymers and the possibility of noise from their plant which operates 24 hours a day.

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We are most grateful to Joe Burke the Chairman of Royal British Legion, Newton Aycliffe for providing the venue, and Steve Ibinson in particular for arranging a fund raising cabaret on behalf of SSAFA FORCES HELP.

In addition we would like to thank talented Dave Carr and his roadshow. Sean Carr, Nice to be Nice, and Ron Waters who gave an outstanding performance which positively thrilled the audience, the stars gave their time freely.

The event attracted over 150 revellers and netted £535.75 to help us continue with our work.

We are also most grateful to all those, who contributed to our Raffle. If you genuinely need help, and are connected or have been connected with the forces, no matter what the problem is, our dedicated voluntary caseworkers are waiting to hear from you. Please contact us for further details on 01325 314012. Thank you for your support.

2nd BIRTHDAY

The Community House has just celebrated its 2nd birthday. We are planning the next steps, and invite you to come along to a Special Meeting on Wednesday 26th November at 7.00 pm at the Silverdale Community House (9 - 10 Silverdale Place) Please come!

Open Letter to Council

DO WE NEED TO CELEBRATE THE TOWN'S 50th?

Dear Mr Clingan,
Ref. Proposed Landscaping Works - Woodham Way to Woodham Burn.

On the face of it, the proposed landscaping would seem like a good idea, but one can only wonder how long mindless, moronic vandals will allow it to survive.

What will happen to the great quantity of saplings planted about two years in the area between Woodham Way and the Burn? Will they now be uprooted and thrown on the heap of wastefulness that we have witnessed time and again around Newton Aycliffe. When we moved to Woodham Village eleven years ago, there was no need for landscaping or the establishing of a wildlife corridor.

It was all there in the open land behind our property: Bullfinches, gold finches, green finches, chaffinches, linnets, yellow hammers and a wood pecker used to visit us on the old ash tree at the bottom of the garden. Thrushes and blackbirds serenaded us and now and again we'd hear the skylark. Then one day in early summer, there came a large mowing machine.

All but the chaffinches, green linnets and the usual garden birds deserted us. Oh, well, maybe the thistles were beginning to be a nuisance so never mind, it was still a lovely walk down to the Burn through meadow flowers that managed to survive, and one could still search for and find four leaf clovers.

The last straw was the imposition of a manufactured path this year which I doubt will still be in evidence in another fifty years from now. We still prefer to walk in the grass as the loose grit surface makes the path feel unsafe as feet skid away on the downward slope.

If we must have this path, can it be tarmac like the one from Agnew to Woodham Way? I think bridleways have more beauty and are more appropriate to a so called "village". I know I am not alone in wondering why Newton Aycliffe's fifty years has to be celebrated at all. What is there to celebrate? If there is a good reason, then there must be something more deserving to spend our taxes on, especially when nature, left to its own devices, can do a much job of providing beautiful walks and wild life

habitat.
Mr Clingan, you said you would be pleased to receive any views on the proposal. Well, here you have some of mine. Can you tell me though, why anyone should bother? As far as I'm aware the path arrived with out any ones views being asked for. In any case, past experience has shown when authorities get bees in their bonnets, they have to get stung before they will let go. By then it is too late!

Yours sincerely
Marjorie Spark

Musical Evening

A Musical Evening by the "A K Choral" is to be held in St Clare's Church on Saturday 29th November at 7.00pm. The choir will be performing a wide variety of well-known popular items to suit all tastes. They have performed in Newton Aycliffe on a number of occasions and have been very popular. Everyone is welcome to come along, tickets are £2.00, which includes light refreshments, and are available from the cake stall in St Clare's Church Hall on Saturday mornings or from the "Builder's Arms" in the Thames Centre. Proceeds are for the Parish Development Fund.

Annual Christmas Fair

Once again the time has come to stage the annual Christmas Fair in the Village Hall at Heighington on behalf of St Michael's Church. The fair will be officially opened by the Mayor and Mayoress of Darlington on 22nd November at 2 p.m. after which sales of goods will commence. There will be the usual stalls; such as cakes and savouries, preserves, bric-a-brac, gifts, toiletries, bottle stall, tombola, etc. Father Christmas will of course be there (from 2.30 until 3.15 p.m.) and refreshments will be available throughout the afternoon. The members of St Michael's Working Party look forward to seeing you there.

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Woolworths Lead the Way in Town Centre Revival

BY MARTIN WALKER

Newton Aycliffe's Woolworths store is the best in the district!

The official news comes just as discussions to improve the town centre hot up - and Woolies staff have proved that it can be better, if not the best. Angry residents have expressed their unrest for a number of years in the "Newton News" about our rapidly declining town centre. Councillors to some of who seem ignorant of the steps that have actually been taken to solve these problems, are attacking and defending the current situation. The Newton Aycliffe Town Centre Forum has been formed to improve the town centre - but as we read last week, progress is on the move but it is painfully slow. Your Woolworths store have boosted the town's morale somewhat with this impressive result. Every year, the big company have a Christmas Store Standard "Store of Excellence" competition which is contested nationally. There are rewards for achieving top results, you can either be at bronze, silver or gold standard. Aycliffe are gold!, and YOUR store won the districts round beating off 16 other stores. They were Bishop Auckland, Chester-le-Street, Redcar, Spennymoor, Hartlepool, Stockton, Whitby, Haughton-le-Spring, Ripon, Barnard Castle, Malton, Richmond, Knaresborough, Billingham, Northallerton and Peterlee. Aycliffe are now striving to win what's called the S.I.N.E. (Scotland, Ireland and North East) round which consists of 12 winners of the district and is being judged this week with a result imminent this weekend - Store Manager John Saint says that "inspection" went very well and signs are promising - wait this space next week!!

If they win, they will compete against winners of the Eastern region, Western region and the Cities region. John Saint is delighted with his team's efforts. "We fully deserve it," said, "and the town does as well". "We've proved that small 'local' store can beat the bigger 'Hartland' stores if we can win one then we're good enough to win another." "My team has put enough work into it to win the S.I.N.E. round - if we do it is a boost not only for ourselves but the town centre as well." Councillor Terry Hogan, who is Chairman of the Environment Department at Great Aycliffe Council, Vice-Chairman of Aycliffe's 50th Anniversary celebrations and who is a key figure in the Town Centre Forum which has been formed solely to address and remedy problems of the town centre, says that this result highlights the fact we are on the move. He said: "The result is very positive for the town centre - it just shows what is possible. Our town needs boosts like this and I am sure there will be many more on the way!" Woolworths have set the standard that should try to be emulated - we can be better, it has been proved, and there's no reason why residents of Newton Aycliffe should avoid shopping in our town centre. Meanwhile, there are still £250 worth of vouchers up for grabs if you enter Woolworths recent competition. Children are invited to write a letter to Santa with their parents' name and telephone number included. Post the letter in the special post box at the front of the store and the winner, who is drawn from the box, picks up £250 in vouchers - simple that!

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UNDER 11's FOOTBALL

Newton Aycliffe Under 11's - 2 Marton Hall Drive - 6 Last Sunday, Aycliffe Under 11's resumed their league programme against title-chasing Marton Hall Drive. Aycliffe were slow to respond to their skillful opponents and were 2-0 down within 10 minutes before Kyle Allen was unlucky with an overhead kick. A spectacular long-range effort however just before the break gave the visitors a deserved half-time lead. In the second half, the lads responded to coach Alan Johnston's roasting with some sustained pressure. Graham Johnson and Mattie Laverick-Elliott were both denied by Marton's goalkeeper and Liam Cooper's cracking free-kick was headed off the line. After skipper Matthew Dodds was carried off with an ankle injury, a rare visitor's corner brought about a scramble and their fourth goal before Michael Purves thumped home Aycliffe's response from outside the box. In the final 5 minutes, the visitors scored two more before Michael Purves thunderbolt gave the lads a deserved second goal. Aycliffe's second half performance warranted a better result but the lads need

to produce the goods right from the first minute in order to compete at this level. Midfielder Liam Cooper's all round commitment to the game gave him the "man of the match" award with Andrew Richardson a close second. This week (23rd November) the lads entertain Stockton West End (11.00 am kick-off, Vane Road Primary School). Local support is always welcome.

Xmas Party Food Ideas

Come and join us for a feast of festive food. Ideas for party bites, foodie gifts and heavenly chocolate indulgence. Go on spoil yourself. A 3 week demonstration only programme where a variety of interesting ideas will be prepared - opportunities may be available to sample the dishes prepared. Commencing Tuesday 25th November, 7 - 9.00 pm. Cost £8 for the 3 weeks. The Greenfield Centre, based at Greenfield School, Greenfield Way, Newton Aycliffe, Tel: 300378.

AYCLIFFE B.P. SCOUTS WIN EQUIPMENT LOTTERY AWARD



Even though it was cold and rainy their were smiles all round as 1st Aycliffe Baden-Powell Scout Group showed off their new equipment, all made possible by a grant of £4307 from the National Lotteries Charities Board.

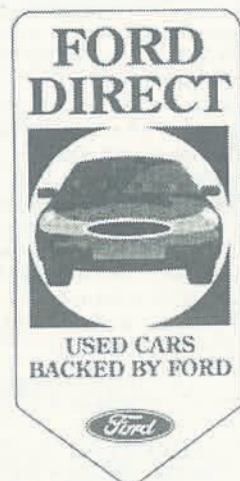
They have been able to purchase quite a lot, some of which will replace old equipment and some that they have never been able to afford before. The main purchases have been replacement tents and camping equipment, along with some specialist equipment such as climbing gear, hike tents, etc... All this new equipment means that more children will be able to enjoy activities with all these new resources. They would like to say a big thank you to all suppliers and a special thank you to Four Seasons of Barnard Castle who have been exceptionally helpful in obtaining the equipment. The Group comprises of both boys and girls in the four sections, Beavers (5-8 years), Wolf Cubs (7 1/2 - 11 years), Scouts (10 1/2 - 15 years) and Senior Scouts (15-18 years) they meet at the Scout Centre in Newton Aycliffe and at the Village Hall, Aycliffe Village on Monday and Tuesday nights. For information on the Group please contact Sue Beadle Group Scoutmaster on 01325 313349.

HURRY! Only a few Panto Tickets Available

A number of tickets are available for the 11th annual panto to be staged at Woodham Comprehensive School Hall on Wednesday 26th - Saturday 29th November. "The Whittington" performed by the Acorn Players, offers excellent night out for all family, providing traditional pantomime fun at only £5 adults, and £2 for children and O.A.P.'s. Tickets available from John E. Shoe Shop in the T.C. Centre or by ringing Christine Robertson on 320205.

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by Andrew Caldwell and Paul Butt.

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Unusual 'Diner' Rejected

Planning Officers have recommended that the Borough Council refuse permission for "Newton Park" to erect a Restaurant/Diner on their site near the A1M junction. The proposed bright, metallic structure would be out of keeping with other buildings on the site. No objections are raised to the principle of a Diner near the existing "McDonalds", but the planners are concerned that the unusual appearance at a very prominent location close to the entrance would convey the wrong impression.

New Garage for Bus Firm

Local bus company K + J Travel have applied to the Borough Council to build a garage for the storage and maintenance of their vehicles at Chilton Industrial Estate.

AYCLIFFE BOWLS TEAM RESULTS

The Vets played Durham in their Inter-Club match picking up all 5 points. In the Denny Cup (Mens all England team event) the Great Aycliffe Men met Durham and won all 4 rinks. D Quickmire, S Davison, B Attwood, D Barron 40-7 E Higgins C MacIntosh, K Dunning, J Palmer, V Robson 23-21 B Allport. N Wake, J Poher, K Stamp, D Dowson 25-17 A Smith. A Metcalfe, W Tilley, W

Maddison, N Evans 19-17 R Johnson A total of 107 shots to 62. They meet Thornaby in the next round on 8 November 1997. The next day the men teamed up with the Ladies in the Egham Trophy (a mixed all England team event) meeting Durham for the third time in a week. The team and scores are as follows:- Mrs M Barron, Mrs J Basham Mr B Attwood, Mr D Barron 35-6 A Coulson Mrs E Brown, Mrs L Jones, Mr W Tilley, Mr J Palmer 33-13 W Kirk Mrs J Beswick, Mrs W Ward, Mr K Stamp, Mr D Dowson 30-21 A Coulson Mrs A Brown, Mrs B Mangles, Mr S Davison, Mr V Robson 30-21 B Robson FINAL SCORE Great Aycliffe - 128 Durham - 61 The next round will be against Houghton le Spring on Sunday 23 November 1997.

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The Grand Christmas Draw will also take place at the Christmas Fayre. The children's favourite, Santa Claus, will be in his grotto as usual and he is looking forward to seeing lots of children, so don't forget to come along. Admission to the Fayre is 20p for adults, and FREE for children. Did you know that St.

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However, the project does not end here. The two authorities co-ordinating the scheme, Great Aycliffe Town Council and Sedgefield Borough Council, are looking to local people to help transform the project into something very special to commemorate the 50th Anniversary of Newton Aycliffe in 1998.

* Getting Stuck In

We are looking for volunteers and organisations who might be willing to help for an hour or two with tree planting and other small-scale practical projects along the route and adjoining public footpaths. No experience is necessary just a willingness to get a little muddy!

If you can help with any of the above, please contact Graham Clingan, Countryside Management Officer, Planning and Technical Services Department, Sedgefield Borough, Council Offices, Spennymoor, Co. Durham. DL16 6JQ. Telephone number (01388) 816166 Ext.4487.

* The Walk With No Name

Not a very snappy title! The Councils urgently need to agree a name or theme for the walk. This should be something relevant to the local area. It could, for example, be derived from the names of flowers, trees, birds or wild animals associated with the walk or perhaps historic features, events or personalities. If you have any ideas do get in touch with Graham Clingan of Sedgefield Borough Council before the end of November.

* The Stories Behind The Walk

Schools, local residents and community groups, are invited to help in the preparation of a walks leaflet which will give information about the route, its wildlife and history. Leaflets are to be available free of charge in Newton Aycliffe. Any information, no matter how small, would be appreciated. This might include photographs, old maps, stories, information on old farms, field names and woodlands and so on. Anyone requiring a plan of the walk to assist in their research should contact Graham Clingan (address below).

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LINDSEY DAWSON To a wonderful daughter on your 16th birthday, 21-11-97. Have a great day, love Mam, Dad and Michael XXX
SHOTTON Joshua Callum, happy 3rd birthday to my special little boy, lots of hugs and kisses, love you always Mammy
PARNABY - PRINCE Karl and Karen congratulations on the birth of our granddaughter, "Amber Jade" with love Mam, Dad and Terri-Ann
PARNABY - PRINCE Karl and Karen congratulations on the birth of your daughter "Amber Jade" with love and best wishes from Lisa, Paul and Francesca XXX
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£3.26 p/hr basic. £3.65 p/hr trained

11 hrs one week. 7 and a half hrs another week. See additional information

Required to work for small local company. General duties will involve: Pressing clothes from dry-cleaning machine and dealing customer requirements. Applicant will be responsible for use and care of merchandise as well as handling cash. Previous experience within a similar environment would be an advantage but not essential as full training will be given. **NEU 11502**

Turner/Fitter
£7,000.00 per annum
Mon-Fri 37 hours per week

Local company require someone who is able to work on Turret and Pillar drills. It is not essential to be time served as long as applicants have the relevant experience. **NEU 11561**

HGV Maintenance Fitter
Wage negotiable
Hours TBA
 Experienced HGV Maintenance Fitter required to work for local company. Duties will involve service and repair of 40ft flat trailers. Applicant must have previous experience. HGV license is preferred. **NEU 11503**

CHRISTMAS MAIL SERVICE

How would you like to have your Christmas Cards delivered in the Aycliffe area for only 12p each, well you can! Ist Aycliffe Baden-Powell Scout Group area again organising a Christmas Post, with full authority from the Post Office. We will be looking for shops/establishments that are willing to sell the stamps and have a post box for us. We will then collect the post in the middle of December and have one main delivery before Christmas to Newton Aycliffe, Aycliffe Village, and along with the help of other groups Shildon and Castleside. They will of course be available at the Table Top sale on the 30th November. If you are able to sell the stamps for us or would like further information please contact Sue Beadle on 01325 313549.

OVER 40's FOOTBALL TEAM

People on the town may not realise that there are a bunch of old cronies turning out each week, playing football in a competitive league, representing the town. The league is the Vaux Bluebell over 40's and covers a wide area. We are in the 2nd division, there being 4 divisions altogether. The age range, is for lads just turning 40 up to 51. We play on Saturday morning, and our home ground is Moore Lane Sports Club which has superb facilities. Last Saturday we beat Houghton CC 3 - 1. On the 22nd we are at home to Boldon Black Bull, kick off at 10.30 am.

