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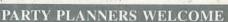
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DO WE NEED MORE **GREEN FIELD SITES** FOR INDUSTRY?

Countryside spoilt for Industrial expansion

Readers who take the "Northern Echo" may have noticed a District Council notice last week advertising the proposed change of Whitworth Farm's land to Industrial and Commercial use.

We print the information so that ALL concerned in the area are duly notified that they may make representations or call at the Council Offices at Green Lane. Spennymoor to see the outline plans.

Full reports on the proposals including the environmental impact are also available for those who are interested. This project has been part of the industrial expansion planned at

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Industrial progress is important and jobs are vital, but is this only obtainable by the steady spread onto green field sites?

We have seen Fujitsu take a large chunk of farmland and just down the road towards the A1M another green site is being developed for Motorway Services much to the annoyment of our neighbours whose boundary it faces.

The Darlington Borough Council have made clear their objections.

Someone should give reasons why we need to encroach further into the countryside.

Someone, in the corridors of power, should justify the decisions taken so that we can begin to understand.

It is just not enough to place a Public Notice in a newspaper to say the plans and reports can be seen at the Council Offices. People should be fully informed by all and any means possible. We offer our columns, free, for that purpose!

Woodham 'A' Level Results Above

National

Average

Sixth formers at Woodham School have achieved outstanding 'A' Level results this year. In every respect they are above National averages which include private and selectives schools. Of all the subject entries 85% were passes and 41% were at grades A or B.

Biology, Maths, Chemistry, Design Technology English Literature achieved 100% pass

"The town has every reason to be proud of its young students" said Head Teacher Steve Harness.

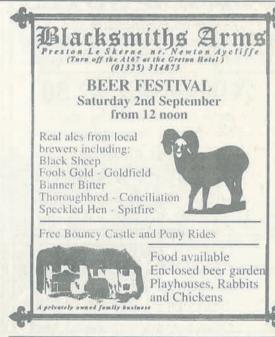
Christopher topped the list with three A grades and like most of the students will be going on to University. We wish them all well and every success in their studies.

"NO LOSS OF ACCIDENT AND EMERGENCY SERVICE" says Chairman

Dr. John Marshall, Chairman of South Durham Health Authority recently met with a group of local clergymen to

discuss the issues surrounding the need for change to improve acute services in the

Dr. Marshall said: "In spite of what people may have heard, I would like to stress it has never been our intention to close the Accident and Emergency Department at Bishop Auckland Hospital. Discussions are taking place about the range of Accident and Emergency services that should be available at different locations, but there will definitely be these facilities available at the hospital.



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AFTER EXAMS VOLUNTEER FOR CONSERVATION **PROJECTS**

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One choice for thousands of people every year is to spend time as a volunteer, working for one of the many organisations that need urgent help. However, finding out how and where to get started can be one of the biggest barriers to overcome for those new to the world of the volunteer.

Volunteering for a Better Career' is a new resource from the British Trust for Conservation Volunteers (BTCV), which aims to provide some of the answers to getting involved with the UK's largest practical conservation charity. Available free of charge through kind support from PowerGen, the pack contains details of the many different ways to volunteer whether its for one day, one week or on a longer term basis.

With a network of over 90 offices around England, Wales and Northern Ireland, you'll be put in touch with your local BTCV office to find out details of weekday and weekend projects in your area from creating a new community woodland to improving access to local greenspaces.

No previous experience in practical conservation is needed to volunteer with BTCV. Every project is run by a trained leader, so you'll not only be playing your part in working for a better environment, but learning valuable new skills at the same

Details of BTCV's Natural Break conservation working holidays are also included in the pack. Lasting for a week or a weekend, Natural Breaks are very often people's first taste of practical conservation, creating valuable new habitat for wildlife in some of our most spectacular countryside.

For those looking for opportunities for a year out, or college placement 'Volunteering for a Better Career' contains a list of over 60 current vacancies around the country for BTCV volunteer officers. After spending between six months to a year at a BTCV office, combining training with work experience, many volunteer officers move on to paid employment with BTCV, other organisations, or go on to further studies.

For a free copy of 'Volunteering for a Better Career' write to BTCV RM VB, 36 Mary's Street, Wallingford, Oxon OX10

VOLUNTEER BUREAU MUST SECURE MAJOR GRANT OF £17,000 PER ANNUM

SINCE THE town's Volunteer Bureau fund-raising appeal started in June, donations amounting to £2,600 have been received from Trusts, local businesses and individuals. Rosemary, who is employed as temporary Fund-Raiser said "We are very pleased so far, but we still have a long way to go. It is vital that we secure core funding. We will not be reopening until the Bureau's work is supported by a major grant of at least £17,000 per annum. Two major grant applications have now been submitted and are being considered. We should know the outcome of both by the end of October".

Rosemary is also preparing an application for a grant to set up a long needed Gardening/Decorating Service for the elderly. This would be a separate project managed by the Volunteer Bureau. Unfortunately, this grant will not be awarded unless evi-

dence can be shown that the Volunteer Bureau has secure funding. Rosemary said "When the Bureau was open, we were inundated with requests for assistance with gardening and decorating tasks. We therefore know this is a gap in community services and I am fairly confident our application would be seriously considered. However, I cannot submit it until the outcome of our other bids are known".

Another setback is that Rosemary's temporary employment will have to be terminated very soon. Most of the money she has already raised, cannot be used to continue her employment and the Bureau's other funds are getting low. The Management Committee has applied to the Charities Aid Foundation Trust for a 'crisis grant' to extend her post for a further two months.

If anyone would like to he in the Fund-Raising Appea please contact Rosemary the Volunteer Bureau, Beveridge Walkway. Te 300122.

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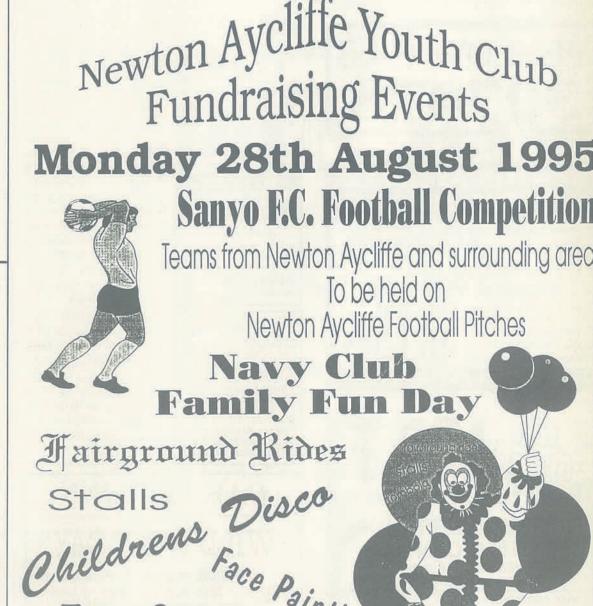
ON SUNDAY 3rd September the weekly Eucharist at St Elizabeth's Church at 10.45am features "Noahs Ark". On Friday 29th September at 7.30pm they are having a Quiz Night and Pie & Pea supper £1.50.

For information please ring Revd. Colin Jay 320112.

Woodham School **Expands** Sixth **Form**

WOODHAM HAS expanded it's sixth form with additional teaching facilities and new courses. The A level programme now offers Physical Education, Media Studies and Religious Education. GNVQ courses in Art & Design, Leisure & Tourism and Health & Social Care provide a vocational dimension to the sixth

The School is particularly keen to encourage adults in Newton Aycliffe to join it's mature GCSE programme. Anyone who is interested in studying at Woodham should contact Gillian Clayton, Head of Sixth Form (300328).



All funds raised are for the refurbishment of the youth club facilities

Face Painting

Bouncy Castle

Tug of war

YOUTH CENTRE **WORKING HARD** FOR GYM REFURBISHMENT

THE CAR Boot Sale held at Newton Aycliffe Youth Centre on August 19th to raise money for the Gym Floor Appeal was a huge success. The management Committee would like to express their thanks to all those who donated Bric a Brac for the Youth Centre's stall, the Youth Club members who worked so hard and all those who attended the event.

The next event to be held is a Fun Day to be held on Saturday September 9th, 11.00A.M.-4.00P.M. There will be something for all the family including a fun fair, abseiling tower, assault course, Pet competition, Fancy Dress, Face Painting and displays by King Cobra Thai Boxing Club, Gymnastics, Dance and Judo and many more attractions.

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were overwhelmed by

the organisation of the

night. We would like to

thank Joe and Sue

Jopling, the Scouts for

the B'B'O and Bar

staff who made the

night such a great suc-

for the next one.

September 23rd (Acts to be confirmed) and the 30th which will be a family night with the amazing Dream Maker. Stuart Ashing, a hypnotist plus another live entertainer, to be confirmed.

Pie and Peas are included in the price on both nights.

formed Youth Club, donations are made to the Scouts for their

The only disappointment was the lack of Village Hall Committee Members, none of which attended.

Yours Sincerely

Church Coffee Morning

held at St Elizabeth's Church Hall, Woodham, on Saturday, September 2nd, between 9.30 A.M. and Noon. Cake and Pie stalls, various raffles, bring and buy, nearly-new jumble sale. Everyone welcome.

MONEY ROLLING IN FROM YELLOW **BRICK ROAD WALK**



Gregg Little, Rotary Club organiser of the Yellow Brick Road Walk at Redworth Hall in June informs "Newton News this week that the event has raised almost £8,000 so far and is expected to reach £!0,000. Including the walk at Newcastle the Charity has received over £40,000 bringing a big boost to funds which help the region's sick children. The photo, tanen on the day, shows (left to right) the Mayor Jim Rodwell behind Yellow Brick Road Official, Gregg Little behind Redworth Hall Manager Pam Henderson. Centre is Mrs. Kay Pearson with her daughter Louise, a cancer victim who has benefited from the Special Children's Unit provided by the Yellow Brick Road

COMMITTEE DID NOT ATTEND ITS OWN **FUNDRAISING EVENT**

All proceeds are for Funds for the Village Hall, and the newly help.

Our thanks to Alan Edgar of the North Brit for obtaining a drinks licence at short

Billy Blenkinsopp

A COFFEE Morning will be

Letter to the Editor

"EACH CHARITY SHOP COSTS THE COUNCIL. AND US, £5,000"

Dear Sir,

Your article in last week's paper in which Mr. Ken Dunning of "Scope" attacked me for an earlier letter of mine, prompted me to obtain their published accounts for 93/94. I said Scope had assets of £35 million and Mr. dunning said they were less than 10% of that. The actual figure of fixed assets is £34.3 million

Income for that year was £78,092,000 and Mr. Dunning says all donated money is spent on people suffering with cerebral palsy, but £37,499,000 was paid to staff.

l could go on quoting figures, but it was never my intention to attack Scope, merely to point out that, like other charity shops, which we once considered poor relations' on the High Street, have become rich uncles who still accept hand-outs from their less wealthy nieces and nephews.

Every charity shop that opens in our town centre (another one has just applied) costs the Council and us, £5,000 in lost rates. This means a poorer serv-

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ice or increased charges, since it is usually the latter other businesses suffer. Dress shops suffer from direct competition particularly those selling secondhand wear and all shops are affected by the willingness of charities to pay the high rents asked by the Landlords. This rent level then becomes the bench mark

If the charities behave like the big businesses they are. throwing money at rented premises to bring them up to the corporate image, then they should also be treated that way - without any subsidies.

As it is, the Council Tax of Newton Ayeliffe residents is indirectly increasing the assets of the Landlords.

The SDC could start by charging the 20% rates they are allowed to, any other change has to come from central Government. Yours faithfully, Harry Taylor.

Ed: We spoke to Area Manger Ken Dunning who said the £35 million in 'fixed assets' was correct, but Mr. Taylor implied Scope had eash reserves of that amount, which was untrue.





Letter to the Editor "WE SHOULD BE PROUD OF OUR **GOOD YOUNG** CITIZENS"

THE YOUNG people of today get a lot of bad press reports but this is only about a very small minority. We should be proud of the vast majority of youth, who are very good citizens. Here is an example of this.



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Yours Sincerely Christopher C.C.R. Palmer BA Hon's Psychology

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7 to 12 - Potato Men Class 37 12 to 16 years - Collage "V.E. Day - Peace Class 38

in Europe"

Section 30, 31 and 32 to be judged by "Fireman Sam" on the day. All entries for Children's Section must be at the Community Centre no later than Friday 8th September,

Section 30 pictures are available from the Community Centre each day 9.30am to 11.30am or from "Woodham Post Office".

Names and addresses must be written on the back of ALL pictures, which will be returned after the Fayre, if required.



Popular T.V. Weather forecaster, Bob Johnson will be at the Fayre

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If the weather is fine OK!, but if the weather is bad you can always blame it on Bob Johnson, Tyne Tees Weatherman, who will be in attendance.

Part Time Courses to Learn New Skills

PART TIME study is becoming a more popular way to gain qualifications or learn a new skill. So much so that Bishop Auckland College has launched a brand new prospectus just for part time courses.

The part time prospectus is full of interesting and useful courses for the whole family, new courses include Vegetarian Wholefood Cookery, Small Business Certificate, AMSPAR diplomas in Medical Secretarial Studies and Health Services' Reception. The list is endless ranging from seamanship skills to Russian from photography to leisure management and cookery. Joanne Tait, Chief Execu-

tive at Bishop Auckland College said: "We recognise the need for flexibility and we are trying to make it easier than ever before for people to take full advantage of the courses and facilities on offer, Not only does the college now open on Saturdays but is going out into the community by developing a network of centres linked with the college that offer numerous courses so that people don't have to travel to Bishop Auckland.

One of these centres is Greenfield School.

The adult learners at Bishop Auckland College prove that it is never too late to go back to college and study. The College appreciates that many people have to juggle their lives around children, jobs and shiftwork so there is a strong support network to help people through. Why not just drop in and see what the college has to offer or telephone (01388) 603052.

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The record to beat is 362 Games which were played by Jackie back in 1988 in a similar time, raising £160 for Save the Children.

Local Save the Children Senior Volunteer, Mrs Olive Howe, said "Seven years on and here is Jackie ready to get more spots before her eyes, ready to play even more games of dominoes and hoping to raise even more much-needed funds for children at home and abroad. We are sure she will have plenty of people ready to help her succeed!" Further details of this event

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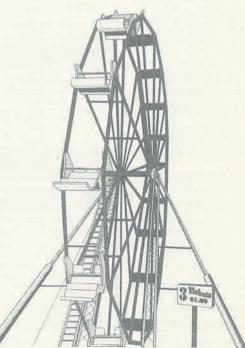
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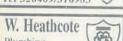
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DANBY Angela and John would like to thank all family and friends for the lovely cards and presents received on our wedding day and helping to make our day perfect TAYLOR David and Su would like to thank all their family

and friends for the lovely presents and for making their wedding day so special. Thanks also to Tony Sutton for the wonderful food and Mrs Ashcroft for the beautiful flowers PRESTON Sara and Mark would like to say a big thank you to all our relatives and friends for all our beautiful presents and cards received on our wedding day, thanks to Pat Percival for a beautiful service, to Mam, Dad and Duncan for all your help also, well done Mick, with love to you all THE FAMILY of Dorothy Evans would like to thank friends for cards and condolences during their recent bereavement. Special thanks to Doreen Grey, Dr Bamford and Sister Cunliffe and her team for their help, care and consideration shown throughout

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in my thoughts. Husband

Harry.
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ear has passed without you

Mam, but as each long year

without you goes by, we still

can't accept that your not here.

Not only did we lose you as a

Mother, but lost our closest

friend, your memories, your friendship, your love and

everything about you still

burns bright now and forever

in our hearts and minds. Your

two sons who will never forget

you Paul and David.

MYRA ATKINS Forever in

our thoughts, still very sadly missed from Karen. We think

of you always Auntie My, love Danielle and John

MARGARET MORGAN

31-8-94, Gentle Jesus up above, take care of my Auntie who I love - Vikki

MARGARET MORGAN

31-8-94, In loving memory of a dear Aunt, always in our

thoughts, June, Rob, John and

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CHADWICK, SAMUEL 29-8-84. I miss you Dad and I walways will, all my love

BAGSHAW, TOM

Died August 29th 1994

Thank you for the years we shared, the love you gave and the way you cared.

To me you were so precious, what more can I say, I only wish with all my heart that you were here today.

Loved always Anne

BAGSHAW, TOM died 29th August 1994. Always in our thoughts a very dear friend, May and family JOAN WATSON

August 1993. Treasured memories of a dear sister and auntie, there's never a day or night goes by without a thought of you, life goes on we know that's true, but uts not the same since we lost you. The day God took you from us was the day God broke our hearts. Loved and remembered always Norma, Cliff and family

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BILL MARSH Died 23rd August 1991

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Remembered with love Wife Margaret and family

BILL MARSH

Died 23rd August 1991 Precious memories of you Dad, make us grateful for the years we spent together, but

spend apart. Loved and missed always by Debbie, John, Christopher and Hazel

sad for the times now

DOWNING Treasured memories of Eileen, a very dear Sister and Aunt, who died 30th August 1993. A special person, a smiling face, some we all love and cannot replace. Lil and families (Blackpool) EILEEN DOWNING Special memories of a dear Aunt, sadly missed by Betty and famil

DOWNING (LENA) Died 30th August 1993. Happy memories of dear Lena from friends and nieghbours ROBERT THOMAS HUTCHINSON (Bob) of

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Congratulations

ELLIS August 27th Doug is "50" today, lots of love and best wishes from wife Brenda

and all the family
ELLIS Happy 50th birthday
Dougie, from Chris, Jeff and the Gang

ELLIS, DOUGLAS Happy 50th birthday, lots of love Dad, from Bryan, Geraldine, Sean and Nichola - The zimmer frame is on order ELLIS 27th August, 95. Hi

Ho Hi Ho Dads reached the big five O!!! Lots of love from Kevin, Tracy, Gavin and NAOI RIE Welcome to

England and to our family - we hope this will be a year you will always remember, lots of love from Bryan, Geraldine, Sean and Nichola

LEANNE congratulations leanne on passing your A levels, well done, good luck, love from Mam and Dad, Nana and

PAULA MEALE Congratulations on achieving your Diploma in Adult Nursing, with the University of North London and the Royal Free Hospital Hampstead. All your hard work paid off! We will all be thinking of you on the 4th September as you take up your post on Jex Blake Ward, Good uck. Lots of love from Mam, Dad, Kelvin, Amanda, Michael and Grandma

CHARLOTTE YOUNG we've shared a lot, we've loved a lot, we've laughed a lot together, so few words, yet such a lot said, and now little sister, you are getting wed, our thoughts, our dreams have all come true, all that's left, from me to you is have a really happy day and I love you forever - Bridgette

YOUNG - DAWSON Have a lovely wedding day Aunty Charlotte and Uncle Adrian, lots of love always - Gabrielle YOUNG - DAWSON To a very special couple on a very special day, congratulations on our wedding day 27-8-95 lots of love always Bridgette and Owen

YOUNG - DAWSON Have a wonderful wedding day 27-8-95, enjoy every minute love and best wishes from both Mams and Dads
PHILIP JENNER Happy

first birthday on 28-8-95, lots of love and kisses from Mammy, Daddy and all the Grandparents

ROWLAND Best wishes Chris on your 13th birthday, love Mam and Clare GLENDINNING Happy 40th

birthday Martin, love from Pauline and all the girls, Claire, Nikki, Hattie, Cilla and

TÍMMINS Anne-Marie Happy 7th birthday sweetheart 24-8-88, lots of love always and forever Mummy, Daddy, Paul and Kelly
AARON McNAUGHTON

Happy first birthday (27th August) to our darling Grandson, tons of love and kisses from Nana & Grandad WESTGART Armstrong congratulations to Lesley and Nigel on your

engagement, love from Karen, Paul, Inma, Lucia and Chelsea WESTGART and Armstrong Congratulations

Lesley and Nigel on your engagement 26-8-95, lots of love and every happiness Mam and Dad Westgarth MATTHEW MURRAY lots

of love and kisses on your 3rd birthday love Auntie Julie MATTHEW MURRAY To my special cousin happy 3rd birthday lots of love from Daniel Mark ASHBRIDGE Nicola

congratulations on your A levels, good luck at Sunderland, love from Dad, Mam and karen

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Charles and Marjorie on your Silver Wedding Anniversary, 31st August, lots of love Linda TINKLER Congratulations

Auntie Marjorie and Uncle Charles on your Silver Wedding Anniversary, hugs and kisses Craig TINKLER Congratulations

and best wishes Mam and Dad on your Silver Wedding Anniversary, 31st August love

TARVITT James William Happy 3rd birthday Dennis the Menace, lots of love, hugs and kisses Mam and Dad

TARVITT James William Happy 3rd birthday, hope you lots of fun love from Nanna and Grandad Frazer

GAIL AINSLIE Good luck in you new job in the Isle of Man (or, if your especially lucky, the Isle of men!) Have a brill time, only lay off the Diamond White at least till everyone has got used to you, love Julie, Carol and Lesley. GAIL AINSLIE (Little Sis!) The Isle of man here you come, God help everyone who

lives there, miss you loads Mark and Julie AINSLIE GAIL Congratulations on your new job in the Isle of Man (Men). Good luck and all happiness in your new life. Lots of love

LUCY COX Congratulations on passing your O levels, love from Terry, Tina, Nathan, Christopher and Joshua

LUCY COX Happy birthday sweet, 16, love from Terry. Tina and the boys

LUCY COX Happy 16th
birthday, love always Dad,
Mum, Bryan, Jonathan and

Michael LUCY COX well done on passing your exams Mum and

NICKY DOWNING Congratulations on passing you A levels, enjoy university, love from Terry, Tina and the

TÓWNES Anniversary Joe 26-8-95, love SHAW 27-8-95. Happy

birthday Nana! Love always

Alexander Patrick Sykes ISOBEL SHAW Happy birthday Mam, your the best! Love Carole and David CHLOE SHAW 1-9-95, Happy birthday Hugs n kisses

cousin from Alex CHLOE SHAW 1-9-95, Happy 5th birthday, love Uncle David and Aunty LIAM LAND 26-8-95

Happy birthday, love Carole, David and Alexander JOHN MURPHY August, happy 70th birthday Dad/Grandad, love and best

wishes June, Rob and Vikki TIFFEN Love and best wishes on your birthday Ken. from Eleanor, Family and

friends
JACKS GIBBS Happy 2nd
birthday to our little boy on
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The District Council has published a "Planning Requirements Statement", to highlight two potential development sites, one to the rear of the High Street, including vacant land, car parks and an existing shop. The other has a direct frontage with the High Street, between Church Street and Thomas Street.

Sedgefield District Council believes the proposal for a new discount foodstore will complement existing retail facilities,

make good use of vacant land and widen choice for shoppers.

Development must be in keeping with the existing town centre buildings and be integrated with the High Street shopping area. Sedgefield District Council's "Planning Requirements Statement" looks at these and other aspects including parking, access, and the general appearance of any new development.

The "Planning Requirements Statement for a Discount Food Store -Spennymoor Town Centre" is available at Spennymoor Public Library. Copies can also be obtained from Council Offices. Comments on the proposal should be with the Director of Planning and Technical Services, Sedgefield District Council, by 15th September

contact Ros Ward, at the District Council on 01388 816166 ext. 4328.

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Group

Meeting

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Woodham Way, forcing

them to "nose" into the

busy road in order to see

"It needs to be brought

back a few yards to allow

cars to join Woodham Way

safely", said a spokesper-

Disabled

Workers

what is coming.

Help

For

which is sited wrongly.

Vision

Sign

time employment. Although the work that she was expected to carry out is not physically over demanding, there is a need for great manual dexterity and the lifting of small lighting units can put some strain on the upper body over a period of

Freda, who suffers from Kyphosis (curvature of the spine) together with eye, lung, and heart problems, was assessed by an occupational nurse to see if she would qualify for assistance under the Supported Employment Programme. Through this programme, employers are able to assess what percentage output of a particular job an employee can handle and will pay them for that level of productivity. The balance of the salary is then made up by contributions from a local funding provider who, in turn, is able to claim this money back from the government.

"Following her assessment by the Occupational Nurse, Freda was thought to be able to cope with about 72 per cent of the work of her colleagues. Her employers agreed to this and so she was able to continue in her employment. The Supported Employment Programme from the Employment Service is an excellent scheme that can have a real therapeutic as well as financial benefit for people such as Freda", he said.

OPENING TIMES FOR HERITAGE BUILDINGS

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Market Place, Wolsingham (Weardale), Co. Durham. Typical Dale's stone built chapel 1830, with extension added 1889, finely decorated pulpit and rails. Baptistry, balcony, old schoolroom and old burial ground behind the church.

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John Williams 51, Steve Todd 40, Paul Eddy 31
Darlington Rugby 192 for 6 (39.5 overs)
Mike Henderson 3 for 82. Sat 19th August Yarm IV v Newton Aycliffe 2nd XI

Match Sponsored by Bernard James Solicitors Yarm IV 154 for 9 (40 overs) Neil Cockburn 4 for 17, Bob Clarke 3 for 36 Newton Aycliffe 2nd XI 158 for 6 (38.5 overs) Lee Weldon 54, Mark Fawcett 24, Bob Clarke 24 not out

Woodham 'A' Level Results

Daniel Austin (2) Andrew Barker (2) Cheryl Beenham (2) Graham Bennett (3) Michael Blake (2) Paul Bowser (3) Vicky Browning (2) Andrew Charlton (3) Simon Collet (3) Timothy Cornley (2) Steven Curran (3) Nicholas Downing (2) Darryl Edwards (2) Christopher Guy (3) Stephen Heseltine (3) Sarale Hickson (3) Rachel Hunter (1) Michelle Jiminez (3) Richard Jones (2) Andrew Jones (2) Matthew King (3) Abbigail Kirby (3) Vicki Milburn (3) Adrian Myers (3) Ian Norman (3) Elizabeth Ripley (3) David Rutter (3) Sarah Self (4) Leanne Shutt (3) Susan Spencer (2) Grant Sutton Lloyd (3) Kellie Tirone (3) Shona Vine (3) Juliette Webster (2) Steven Wheeler (2) Stephanie Williams (3) Lyndsey Woodward (3). _____

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