



ANLABY with ANLABY COMMON PARISH COUNCIL

COUNCILLOR REG ALMOND TO RETIRE AFTER OVER 20 YEARS OF SERVICE

Councillor Reg Almond will retire from the Parish Council in April 2025, after over 20 years of dedicated service, including many years as Chair. A passionate advocate for the environment, Reg's contribution includes enhancing Anlaby House Grounds, planting daffodils around the parish to brighten the community and preserving the parish's history.

Reg also founded the Anlaby Litter Pickers (ALP's) and, more recently, launched 'Friends of Anlaby House Grounds', a new initiative with the potential to make a lasting impact. Always willing to contribute, Reg was delighted to serve as the special guest 🎅 at Christmas events throughout the years! His leadership and dedication have greatly benefited the parish, and his legacy will continue to inspire. We thank Councillor Almond for his years of service and commitment.

Recent works on 'the common' raised interest in the parish about what was believed to be happening in the area. The common has been a standing item on our agenda for many years and at the February meeting of the council it was a main topic and Emma Hardy MP, local Police representatives, Ward Councillors and many residents were present. The Parish Council were clear that they oppose building on the land and it was agreed that cooperation between Emma Hardy's office, Ward Councillors, Parish Council and concerned residents was the best way forward and actions were shared between those parties.

Emma Hardy MP • Follow

Anlaby Common Update

I attended a packed Anlaby Parish Council meeting this evening where the main item for discussion was Anlaby Common.

The good news is that everyone was united in wanting to promote nature and biodiversity on the site and that everyone agreed it was used as an unofficial floodplain.

Actions have been divided between the parish council, the local councillors and myself and as soon as I have something to update then I will. (Quickest is probably via you emailing me and asking to be on my list)

The parish council made a statement and will be uploading it to their website in the next few days.

There are no quick solutions but I know everyone who attended has the best interests of the community at heart and there's a willingness to work together.

The Parish Council has a Facebook page which we will update with matters we think are of interest to those who live in the parish, give it a follow.

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Every year we have helped celebrate Remembrance Sunday with flags and lamppost 'signs' and this year we will do similar for VE Day and VJ Day to recognise these major anniversaries 80 years from the end of World War 2 and all those who have made the ultimate sacrifice for the freedom of our country.



In February we planted 60 trees in verges around the parish with the use of labour from Community Payback. We are keen to keep the parish as green as possible and would like to do similar works in the future. There are guidelines about where trees can be planted and if you have ideas for areas which could benefit please contact the Parish Council. The Community Payback Team are also keen to help with cutting back overgrown verges, which they have done for us before, so if you know a street where the grass is coming further and further out then let us know.





CHRISTMAS EVENT



The first Parish Council Christmas event since Covid was held at St. Marks Church and Church Hall in December and was a very enjoyable few hours. The talent of the local musicians, singers, young dancers, magician and local stallholders mixed with traditional Christmas guests 🎅 was a success and we will be celebrating the start of the Christmas period this year on **5th December** with more details to follow. It would be great to see many parishioners there, it's free entry.



We have also extended the Christmas lights to include Wilson Street and Springfield Way from Haltemprice Leisure Centre down to the junction with Wolfreton Drive and updated the range of lamppost lights to bring Christmas cheer to the area.



ANNUAL PARISH MEETING



Thursday, 22nd May 2025
7.00 p.m.



(Men in Sheds) Community Building, First Lane, Anlaby
All residents of Anlaby and Anlaby Common welcome.

We have welcomed the first 'Friends of Anlaby House Grounds' and given them bird seed and bird feeders to start work on keeping the area a haven for nature.

There are vacancies on the Parish Council, if you would like to help maintain, improve and plan future projects in the parish please contact the Clerk for more details.

The council is here to represent the views of residents and we would love to get feedback on matters of interest to you. If you have any feedback on items in this newsletter or other local matters such as the possibilities of parking charges in the Anlaby car parks or how to try to reduce vehicles speeding on our roads then please send a message via email or our Facebook page or contact the Clerk or one of the Councillors.

Dog poo on footpaths and verges is an unsightly and potentially unhygienic mess; the council has purchased six dispensers and the bags which also work as gloves to help keep the mess off our footpaths and verges.

Once used please dispose of the bags in any of the litter bins, or take it home with you.



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