# LUDDENDEN CONSERVATION SOCIETY NEWSLETTER

# **JUNE 2017**

## LAST MEETING

At the last meeting there was very little business to discuss and the meeting finished in a record early time!

# PLANNING APPLICATIONS

There have been two new planning applications submitted to Calderdale since the last newsletter. The first, number 17/00623/FUL is for change of use of land to facilitate the construction of a conservatory to the side of Quarry House, High Street, Luddenden. The second, number 17/00666/LBC, is for the demolition of a lean to porch to facilitate a two storey extension at 23 High Street, Luddenden. Comments on either can be sent to the Town Planning Department, Northgate House, Halifax. HX1 1UN

#### WW1 COMMEMORATIONS

The next commemoration at the War memorial to remember the death of one of our local heroes, Karl Chapman, during the first world war, will take place at 12 noon on Friday 30th June.

### **OPEN GARDENS DAY**

The eighth Luddenden Open gardens day will be taking place on Saturday, July 1st, from 11am until 5pm. Sixteen gardens will be open, and there are a number of new ones that have not been on show previously. One of these is attached to Peel House, where both the house and the garden were featured in the TV series Happy Valley. Many old favourites are again open, and these range from small cottage gardens in two of Luddenden's historic cottages to much larger ones with the most wonderful views over the valley. There are typical English rose gardens, or those with cottage gardens attached if you



are more interested in providing your own food. There is a smallholding containing four Shetland sheep, where there will be a demonstration of the wool being spun and woven, along with pet Kune Kune pigs originating from New Zealand and a few hens for egg supply.

Many of the gardens will be providing refreshments, ranging from a cup of tea and a cake to a full lunch, and there will be some plant sales. Tickets are £5 if bought in advance, and can be ordered by phoning 885141. On the day they are £6, and are obtainable from the car park on Luddenden Lane. Two free vehicles will also be running during the day which will take people up either side of the valley, drop them off, and then later take them on to their next garden.

## **APOLOGY**

We apologise for the fact that there are no advertisements in either this newsletter or the Bloom Group's Love Luddenden. This is due to the fact that our new printer has already ceased to function properly. From next month, the Bloom newsletter will be on one side and advertisements on the other. We have now had to increase the cost of these to £10 per issue. The cost has remained at £5 previously since 1993, but unfortunately vastly increased costs have forced the rise upon us. If you wish to have an advert in the newsletter, which is circulated to almost 600 homes in Luddende and Booth, please phone our treasurer on when the fact that our new printer has already ceased to function properly.

#### **NEXT MEETING**

This will be on Thursday June 29th in the Lord Nelson at 7.30pm Unfortunately, our speaker Stephen Waring has had to withdraw the day that this was printed, and it will now be a business meeting. **SEPTEMBER 28th** Mr. David Glover of Halifax will give a talk on Branwell Bronte

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