



# Newsletter

## Winter 2014/15

### A BUSY YEAR FOR HARA

Well here we are at the end of another year, with the Christmas and New Year festivities fast approaching. The HARA AGM took place on the 17th November and, following the first committee meeting a week later, I was appointed as the new Chairperson. Hmm ... intense feelings of *déjà vu* ... been here before, I seem to remember!

It has been a reasonably busy year for HARA (see AGM report on page 3), and we look forward to another busy time ahead with more litterpicks planned, another Open Day and continued regular newsletters; along with ever increasing members on our Facebook page and visitors to our website. As ever, we need your support, whether it be volunteers to help with our village litterpicks, or customers at coffee mornings and, importantly, bums on seats at our AGM to show your support and to question the committee regarding the previous year's activities.

One thing that does seem to work well in Hatton is co-operation between the numerous volunteer groups operating in the village. If you are involved in any activities, please let us know so that we can help promote them via the newsletter, website and Facebook page. Sharing planned activities helps avoid clashes of dates and allows other organisations to maybe assist or take part in what you have planned.

Wishing everyone in Hatton a very merry Christmas and all best wishes for the New Year!

**Anne Allan**  
HARA Chairperson

## PLAY PARKS - What do YOU think?

At the recent community consultation event, the quality of play parks in Hatton was the top issue of concern raised. In light of this HARA has been exploring options for improvement. A public meeting was held in November on the issue and it was agreed that HARA would establish a Play Parks sub-group to take forward the work, in close cooperation with the Hall Committee.

The subgroup is open for anyone with an interest in this issue who would like to support the work.

A proposed new play park scheme has already been drawn up by the Hall Committee on a new site next to the hall but has not yet been acted upon. If this was to go ahead it would replace the current play park at the shop. We would like to hear people's views on this proposal or any other issue to do with play parks and will hold a further meeting soon to discuss this and applying for funding. Please look out for posters and the Facebook page.

If you would like to get involved please contact Robert at [robert.mcgregor@aberdeenshire.gov.uk](mailto:robert.mcgregor@aberdeenshire.gov.uk)

If you would like to advertise your business, if you would like any other items included in the next Newsletter, or if you have any good ideas for articles or features, please e-mail or contact the Newsletter Editor, Fred Coutts.

[newsletter@haraonline.org.uk](mailto:newsletter@haraonline.org.uk)

Any member of HARA is happy to be contacted or you can drop us a line by e-mail or message us on Facebook.



# HARA Annual General Meeting

Our Annual General Meeting took place on Monday 17th November. Although the attendance was nothing to be excited about, those who made the effort were given a demonstration by Ewan Christie of life saving public access defibrillator equipment that he has suggested would be a useful emergency asset in the village. Ewan asked if HARA would support his application to the Scottish Ambulance Service to provide funds towards a unit for Hatton and those attending the AGM unanimously agreed to do so. (See page 6)

Having given their reports, the existing committee stood down and nominations were invited for committee members for the coming year. Those successfully nominated were:

**Anne Allan, Claire Milne, Colin Moir, Robert McGregor, Sandy Allan, Steve Noble.**

Sandy Allan, as outgoing Chairperson, thanked everyone for attending, his fellow committee members over the last few years, and in particular Linda Alves and Anne Webster for all their hard work on behalf of HARA. Anne and Linda are taking a well earned break from the committee but are still going to be assisting in the background. Thanks were also given to Fred Coutts for his continued excellent editing of this Newsletter and to the council's housing staff and to Cllr Stephen Smith for their continued support and assistance.

The business of the AGM concluded, the meeting then adjourned for refreshments.

At the first committee meeting following the AGM, the office bearers appointed were:

Chairperson: **ANNE ALLAN**  
Vice Chair: **STEVE NOBLE**  
Secretary: **ROBERT McGREGOR**  
Treasurer: **CLAIRE MILNE**

**FRED COUTTS** agreed to continue as Newsletter Editor and Webmaster, **SANDY ALLAN** will be the main contact for the Tool Library and continue as Administrator of the Facebook page.

**STEVE NOBLE** agreed to assist Sandy with operating the Tool Library.

**HARA Contact Information on page 23**

# TENANT INVOLVEMENT

Way back when HARA was founded in the closing years of the last century, it was set up as a local tenant group for the council tenants of Hatton Farm Gardens and adjacent streets. In those days few people in the area had bought their council house and the membership was almost exclusively council tenants. Over the first few years it expanded to cover all council housing in the village and later took the decision to extend involvement to all residents of the village, regardless of what sort of tenancy or ownership applied to their home. For most purposes HARA can be regarded as a Community Association and the elected committee has long been a mix of residents, with the current committee quite by chance split 50:50 between home owners and “tenants and other customers” of the council.

The number of tenants getting involved with HARA has fallen over the years, partly as a result of the number of former council properties purchased by the sitting tenants and perhaps later sold on. However, there are still about 100 council houses in the village, one property belonging to Aberdeenshire Housing Partnership (AHP), and a handful of “affordable housing” units at the Station Place development.

The main aims of the organisation are still to safeguard and promote the interests of residents in the area on matters concerning housing, the environment of the area, and to act as a conduit between tenants and Aberdeenshire Council (or other social landlords where appropriate) on matters relating to their tenancy.

What we would like to do over the coming months is get the views of those “tenants and other customers” on their current housing provision and what improvements and changes they would like to see in the future. While some are quite vocal on our Facebook page and/or willing to voice their concerns about matters direct to committee members, few tenants these days seem prepared to come along to meetings and get more involved. To counteract this

trend, HARA will be looking at making direct contact with tenant households on specific issues that arise over the year, via questionnaires or through Facebook and the Website.

Some of the housing concerns HARA have taken up with the council in recent times have been about gas heating servicing, external painter work, boundary fencing, and the lack of completion of environmental work at the new Station Place private development. If you do have particular concerns about any aspect of your current tenancy, please feel free to make contact with any committee member and we will be happy to discuss the issue with you, offer advice about possible methods to resolve the problem, and make direct representation to council officials on your behalf if necessary. Only by tenants voicing their views and raising concerns with their landlord will the housing service provided improve and meet the needs of tenants in this 21st century.

## **Hatton Tool Library**

All hires are for a maximum 24 hour period

**For more information contact Sandy Allan**

Telephone: **841422** or Email: [hara@haraonline.org.uk](mailto:hara@haraonline.org.uk)

**HARA is looking for a**

## **Minute Secretary**

Would you like to volunteer to be the Minute Secretary for HARA or do you know of anyone we might approach?

Duties: to attend committee and open meetings, take a minute, type up and forward draft typed up minute to the committee.

Remuneration to be agreed but will be paid for each occasion services are required.

For more information E-mail: [hara@haraonline.org.uk](mailto:hara@haraonline.org.uk)

# HARA applies for Scottish Government AED funding

In August 2013, former Ryder Cup captain, Bernard Gallacher collapsed during a dinner at the Marcliffe hotel on the outskirts of Aberdeen. Bernard had suffered a sudden cardiac arrest. Fortunately, the hotel had a defibrillator. Thanks to the immediate action of staff with CPR and 3 live-saving shocks from a defibrillator, he survived. Many others are not as fortunate.

Each year 100,000 people die from sudden cardiac arrest in the UK. Out-of-hospital cardiac arrest is the commonest life-threatening medical emergency in Scotland. It can affect anyone at any time, and often happens to people with no prior signs of ill health.

Cardiac arrest occurs when the heart suddenly stops pumping blood around the body. If this happens, you immediately lose consciousness and stop breathing, because your brain has lost its oxygen supply. If your heart isn't restarted within minutes, you'll almost certainly die.



This happens to at least 3,000 people in Scotland every year. The Scottish Ambulance Service only records the number of patients whose hearts are effectively restarted at the scene. In 2011, this averaged 15 per cent across Scotland. Of those accounted for, 85 per cent of patients died at the scene of their arrest. Of those who survived to reach hospital, some died in hospital and others returned home with disabilities.

CPR and early defibrillation with an AED (automated external defibrillator) can increase sudden cardiac arrest survival from 5% to over 50%.

Given the statistics above, the rural location of Hatton, with a

lively and active community, a growing village population and I felt there was good reason to apply for the funding available by the Scottish Government to locate an AED in Hatton.

The intention is that the AED will be placed in a locked cabinet at an easily accessible, central location, yet to be decided. The access code will only be available via 999/112 and the GoodSAM mobile app.

The ambulance service will direct you to the cabinet if you are within a reasonable distance and provide first aid/CPR instructions via the phone. The AED cannot 'shock' someone accidentally or give anyone a

'shock' unless they need it. It can be used by anyone without prior training as you will be talked through the process by the call handler and the AED itself.

I intend to hold 'open days/ nights' for anyone to come along and learn CPR and about the AED once it is in place. This will be free for everyone to attend.

An application has now been submitted by myself on behalf of HARA and the wider community. I will post updates in subsequent newsletters and on the HARA Facebook page.

**Ewan Christie**

## **Hatton Notice Board**

If you would like to post anything in the Notice Board please contact the key holders, Anne (841582) or Linda (841364)

## **Hatton Public Hall Bookings**

Anyone requiring to book either Hatton Public Hall or the All Weather Pitches contact:

**Fiona Wood**  
**Tel: 01779 841019 or 07968533049**

**[crudencommunity.net](http://crudencommunity.net)**

(and [porterroll.net](http://porterroll.net) the harbour website)

Take a look at [crudencommunity.net](http://crudencommunity.net) for local information



The autumn session of Messy Church in Hatton Hall has been very well attended. The children have enthusiastically joined in with action songs, interactive stories and lots of different crafts. It has been great to see so many children returning regularly and welcoming new ones. We are now looking

forward to the Christmas party on the 18th December.

Unfortunately we are unable to use Cruden Bay Hall for the spring session. Therefore meetings will continue in Hatton from January.

Messy church will meet in Hatton Public Hall at 3.30 pm on Thursdays 15 January, 19 February 19 March 16 April and 21 May. Look out for the fliers with more details.



## **Shoogle and Shimmy** dancercise classes for all ages and stages of life



Monday 8-9 pm - Hatton Village Hall

Tuesday 5.15 - 6.15 pm - Boy's Gym, Ellon Academy

Wednesday 7-8 pm - Peterhead Music and Rock School.

£4 per session or £20 for a 6 week block.

Contact Jenny Radford 07903 938142

for more information.

All classes resume the week beginning Monday 5 January

## Hatton Playgroup

Hatton Playgroup is the pre-school facility for Hatton Village and the surrounding area.

- Council funded places for 3-5 year olds.
- Happy and fun learning environment.
- Mon-Fri 9.00 am till 11.30 am at Hatton Public Hall.
- Registered with the Care Inspectorate. HMle inspected.
- **For more information call 07929919446**

## Hatton Toddler Group

We meet every Thursday morning from 9.00 - 11.30 am upstairs in the Hatton Public Hall. We realise how daunting it can be coming to a new group for the first time, but we're a friendly bunch, so why not give it a try! It's a place for parents, grandparents and carers to meet and make friends with others, whilst your pre-school children play in safety with a wide variety of toys and games. We also do arts and crafts with the children, such as Easter and Christmas cards and finger painting when we are feeling really brave! There is a £2 donation per parent per session. Amongst other things, this goes towards new toys and equipment and a healthy snack for the children; as well as a much needed tea or coffee and a 'wee treat' for the grown-ups! We all take turns preparing the snack and drinks every week so everyone gets a turn!

We look forward to seeing you soon!  
Contact Lisa on 07743 **855094** or Laura on **07949 062427**  
for more information



## 1st Hatton Rainbows

We're looking for new members to join our group. If your daughter is between the ages of 5 and 7, then please feel free to bring her along to our next meeting.

**Where: Hatton Public Hall**  
**When: Mondays (during term time)**

Rainbows are a great way to have some fun and be part of the guiding community. Most weeks we work towards a badge or play games or make crafts (many weeks we do all three).

For further information please contact  
**Nicki Lumsden** on **01779 841460**

## 1st Hatton Brownies

We meet on a Mondays at  
Hatton Public Hall

Brownies are open to girls aged between 7 and 10.

Lots of fun doing badges, crafts and  
theme nights – even sleepovers!

If you would like to come and join the fun please contact  
**Ashley** on **07917 868289**

# Brownies

# CHRISTMAS IN CRUDEN PARISH CHURCH

You are invited to come along and enjoy any of our Christmas Services.

Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> December  
4 pm **Christingle Service**

Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> December  
10 am **Family Service**



Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> December  
11.30 pm **Watchnight Service**

The Church will be open at 11.05pm on Christmas Eve for the Watchnight Service and as soon as enough people are in the church, carol singing will begin. The service will start around 11.30pm, finishing at about 12.10am

Sunday 28th December  
10 am **Lessons & Carols**  
Another chance to sing some favourite carols

The Kirk Session has decided that the charity to benefit from the offering at the Christmas Services this year will be **UCAN**

## **Fitba for Auld Mannies (over 35's)**

You don't need to have the skills of Maradona to join us, although the waistline would fit in well. Come along if you enjoy a game of football as it is all about fun and an excuse to get out on a Friday night! Just turn up at the all weather pitch any Friday at around 7.00 pm where we play for about 1.5 hours or until we all collapse. Everyone welcome - we look forward to seeing you there.

**Friday at 7.00 pm, Hatton Astro Pitch**

# Hatton Public Hall

## Chairman's Report 2014

I can hardly believe it is a whole year since I agreed to my one year contract as hall chairman. We have had a successful year with our fundraising. We have held 4 events: Soup & Sweet & Raffle, Clay Pigeon Shoot, Gala, and the Bonfire Night. They all made substantial amounts of money.

Although the Clay Pigeon shoot made nearly £5k, the main organisers of it think that it has nearly run its course in the present format. This year I was amazed that over 60 people helped with the shoot and without this help it wouldn't be possible. We have exhausted our contacts for sponsor money and are just exhausted with it, we need younger folk to take over the organising and to get new contacts for sponsors, but we have decided to hold it for one last year with the proviso that it is to raise funds for a stair lift. The Gala returned this year, efficiently run by Michelle Beacom (she is going to do it again next year) and it was super to have it back in the park and supported so well. The Bonfire Night was also a success with over £1100 being collected.

The hall is a huge asset and an important part of community life and I am delighted that the hall is being used more and more. We have undertaken 2 big projects this year, the provision of a disabled toilet, and the refurbishment of one of the all-weather pitches. This came at a total cost of £33k. We were very fortunate to receive a grant of £25,809 from SITA for the astro-turf and £3k from Aberdeenshire Council towards the disabled toilet.

The running of the hall has gone on the whole smoothly, we have to thank Fiona for keeping it clean, and for doing various odd jobs which save us getting in professionals. Fiona has a full time job now, and I hear that there have been some problems with getting the hall ready for various groups. I think we need someone else to take over that responsibility when Fiona can't manage. I also feel that hall users should leave the hall as they found it. A sweep of the floor, tidy kitchen, and carpet hoovered if need be. I had a word with the playgroup a while ago and would like to thank them for improving the tidiness.

The hall is used by many groups, there has to be a certain amount of consideration amongst you all. Not everything goes smoothly all the

time, but we are all volunteers and want to do the best for our individual organisations and for the benefit of the hall as a whole.

I would like to sincerely thank everyone who has supported our fundraising activities and I hope that you will give Iris Watt (new Chairman) every assistance in the future.

**Muriel Cantlay**

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## **Bogbrae S.W.R.I. Update**

Meets in the Hatton Public Hall at 7.15 pm

9th December 2014

Talk on Tractors – Eric Mallarkey

13th January 2015

Burns Supper (Location to be decided)

10th February 2015

Gift Tree – demonstration, Katrena Wilkie

10th March 2015

“Pamper Night – Janet Forrest

14th April 2015

Evening of entertainment – Cruden Bay SWRI

12th May 2015

Taste and Try



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## **Hatton Senior Citizens Club**

We meet every second Wednesday at 2.30 pm during the winter months.

New members are welcome to come along and join us.  
here is our programme for the next few weeks.

10 December Christmas party (F Stephen and B Christie)

7 January AGM: Alan Fawkes (Bingo)

22 January Burns Dinner (Jim Innes)

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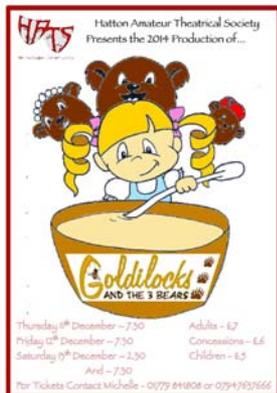
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<b>SUNDAY</b>	<b>12.30 PM – 12.30 AM</b>

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AND AT THE HEART OF THE COMMUNITY.*

# Hatton Amateur Theatrical Society

## Goldilocks and the Three Bears



Rehearsals for our Panto production this year are in full swing, and are going well. We are confident that you will all thoroughly enjoy our show again this year, that is if you have bought your tickets. If not, don't fear there are still seats available for the Thursday, Friday and Saturday evening shows.

Our show is based on the traditional story of Goldilocks who as you know gets herself into trouble with the Three Bears. But as you will suspect, there will very much be a HATS twist to the story. Watch out for some unexpected guests and storylines as the tale unfolds, oh and get ready to 'rock it up' again...who could ever forget our version of Bohemian Rhapsody?

Tickets are priced as follows:

Adults £7  
Concessions £6  
Children (under 16) £5



Show details (tickets still available as of going to press)

Thursday 11th December at 7.30  
Friday 12th December at 7.30  
Saturday 13th December at 2.30 – SOLD OUT  
Saturday 13th December 7.30

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A few copies of the calendar are still available  
Price: £7.00  
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## The Fernwood Trust

The Fernwood Trust is a local Scottish registered Animal and Wildlife Rescue Charity, providing a safe place and veterinary treatment for unwanted, neglected, sick or injured domestic, farm or wild animals.

[www.fernwoodtrust.org](http://www.fernwoodtrust.org)

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## Auto Sorcerer Ltd take on new premises at Foveran

A North-east car broker has opened new premises after enjoying continued success. Auto Sorcerer Ltd are looking forward to selling a range of used cars from the 'Foveran Garage' site, located just off the A90 at the Newburgh junction.

The car broker can do all the legwork for clients - including researching and negotiating the best deals for vehicles across a portfolio of suppliers.

Company director Lee Radford - who has over 15 years experience in motor trade and finance - said that the move will be a great addition to the company. He said: "From starting the company in 2013 I've been working on a consultative basis from a home office but now I can carry a stock of quality used cars - all ready to go from the sales premises at Foveran Garage.

"We will be able to offer a New Car Broker service to supply new cars of any make or model. With competitive prices, we can help commercial businesses and private individuals save time and money ."

Working as a personal consultant, Lee can also offer a full range of financial options to customers, from a £3000 run around to a brand new supercar.

Unlike some car brokers, Auto Sorcerer do not charge fees for their service. The firm earn commissions instead which is paid by the dealerships or profits from the sales of vehicles.

Lee added: "I want people to know there is an alternative and that there is someone who can help them navigate the whole minefield of buying a new or used car. "A lot of my clients are businesses with between 1- 30 cars and monitoring a fleet is hugely time consuming - instead they can rely on me."

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Saturday	9.30 am - 3 pm

Closed for lunch

OAPs prices Tuesday - Friday

### Hatton Household Waste and Recycling Centre

#### Winter Skip Times

[1 September - 30 April]

Monday 12 noon - 3 pm

Wednesday 12 noon - 3 pm

Friday 12 noon - 3 pm

Saturday 10 am - 3 pm

Sunday 12 noon - 3 pm

***Please do not leave any rubbish outside the gates outwith these times.***

### Household Insurance for Council Tenants

Council Tenants are reminded that they can buy household insurance from the Aberdeenshire Council and pay for it along with their rent.

For more details please **phone 01779 477363.**

## Hatton Useful Contacts

Doctors' Surgery		01779 841208
NHS 24		111
Hall Bookings	Fiona Wood	01779 841019 or
& All Weather Pitch		07968533049
Cruden Net		<a href="http://crudencommunity.net">crudencommunity.net</a>
Hatton Primary School		01779 841234
Ellon Academy		01358 720715
Peterhead Academy		01779 472231
Hatton Public Hall, Chair:		01779 841219
HATS		Find them on Facebook
Hatton Hibs		<a href="mailto:hatton.hibs@yahoo.co.uk">hatton.hibs@yahoo.co.uk</a>
Rainbows	Nicki	01779 841460
Brownies	Ashley	07917868289
Toddler Group	Laura	01779 841011
Playgroup		07929919446
Bus Station, Peterhead		01779 470077
Police, Non Emergency		101
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Mobile Library		07899960862
Councillors		01224665033
Joyce Currie Hair Studios		01779 841919
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Aberdeenshire Council		08456 081207
Wasteline (bins, recycling etc)		08456 003900
Housing Office, Peterhead, 8.45 - 5 Mon - Fri		01779 477363
Housing Emergencies		08456 081203
Public Transport Unit, 9.30 - 3.30 Mon - Fri		01224 664586
Social Work		08458 400070
Environmental Health		08456 081203
Peterhead Swimming Pool		01779 477277
Ellon Swimming Pool		01358 727910

**If you would like your organisation's details included please contact [newsletter@haraonline.org.uk](mailto:newsletter@haraonline.org.uk)**

## **HARA Newsletter Dates and Contacts**

### **March 2015 (Spring)**

Latest date for articles etc - 1 February 2015

### **June 2014 (Summer)**

Latest date for articles etc - 1 May 2015

### **September 2015 (Autumn)**

Latest date for articles etc - 1 August 2015

Send articles or any other material to Fred Coutts,  
[newsletter@haraonline.org.uk](mailto:newsletter@haraonline.org.uk)  
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Why not try an advert in the Newsletter to promote your organisation or advertise your business. 430 copies of the newsletter are printed and distributed to every household and business in Hatton Village. A copy also appears on the HARA Website [www.haraonline.org.uk](http://www.haraonline.org.uk) and on [www.crudencommunity.net](http://www.crudencommunity.net).

You can now place an advert for next year's (2015) Newsletter. For £40 your advert will appear in 4 editions of the newsletter, the distribution of which is Hatton Village and surrounding area.

Please e-mail your advert before the end of January 2015 to [adverts@haraonline.org.uk](mailto:adverts@haraonline.org.uk) or contact Steve on 01779 841302.

Cheques to be made out to HARA. And delivered to  
14 Manse Road Hatton AB42 0LQ



## **The Work of HARA**

[www.haraonline.org.uk](http://www.haraonline.org.uk)

HARA relies on people giving up a small amount of time to support the work undertaken to make Hatton a great place to live in.

Currently HARA undertakes the following:

- Tool Library
- Notice Board Management
- Newsletter
- Website
- Litter Pick Ups and Events
- Providing a voice for tenants and residents of Hatton and surrounding area

HARA's Recent Contributions:

- Fencing around recycling bins in Hatton
- Erection of Notice Board in Hatton
- Donations to other village groups
- Communications in relation to bridge repair and recent road resurfacing work
- Survey of council tenants about property maintenance issues
- Representation on national tenants events

If you can spare some time to help support HARA please feel free to contact any HARA member. (Contact information on Page 23)

If you wish to contact the newsletter directly please e-mail  
**[newsletter@haraonline.org.uk](mailto:newsletter@haraonline.org.uk)**

*All monies collected in relation to adverts within the newsletter are used to fund the work of HARA.*

HARA receives funding from Aberdeenshire Council and has to provide the Council with evidence of how this money is spent. HARA's accounts (audited by the Council April 2014) can be evidenced at any time by contacting the Treasurer.

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If you have any special messages, congratulations, birthday wishes, thank you messages, announcements etc, and you would like them to be included in the newsletter please

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before the latest dates on Page 21. (Adverts will require a donation). *Include a scanned photo for extra effect.*

## Children's Colouring Page

Colour in the Christmas Tree picture on the back page and post it to **7 Hatton Farm Road AB42 0LL**. The best pictures will be put up on the Notice Board beside the Hall car park .

We have had lots of autumn pictures. Thanks to all the children who coloured them in so brightly.

Send in your picture and your one could be on the Notice Board!



Name

Age