

Ebor Ruggers

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May 2012

MEETING DATES

12.30 - 4.30pm at Dunnington Reading Rooms, Church Street, Dunnington YO19 5PW

12th May Working meeting plus "Locker Hooking with Anne Lancaster" all day workshop. There will be a charge for this event.

9th June Working meeting including a beginner's workshop 10-12 noon with Lewis and Louisa Creed. After lunch Lewis and Louisa will stay at the club to offer help and advice. No charge.

7th July Working meeting

YOUR NEW COMMITTEE

The new committee has now met for the first time and decided (amicably!) on the following positions:

Chair: Gill Barker

Secretary: Susan Jordan

Treasurer: Kathy West

Newsletter: Anne Bush and Margaret Hockey

Diary and Visitors: Angela Gray

Mini Packs: Maggie Hague



Jenny and Elizabeth take their rugging to new heights in New York with a spot of "extreme rugging"! Above, in Central Park, and below, at the top of The Empire State Building on the 102nd floor.

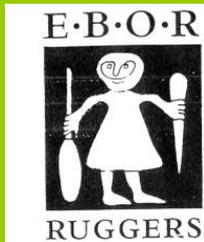


Anne Lancaster's Locker Hooking workshop on May 12th is 10.00 – 4.00pm.

N.B. Usual meeting times apply for members who are not attending Anne's workshop. Anne is also running a one day workshop 'Hooked and Prodded Landscapes' at Ryedale Folk Museum on September 11th see www.ryedalefolkmuseum.co.uk for details.

Reminder – Angela and Susan are manning a stall at the Dutch House Spring Festival on Bank Holiday Monday 7th May which is being held between 11am and 4pm, free entry. Do come along to support them if you can, there are other exhibitors with lovely gifts and things to see as well as delicious teas available!

If you are good with faces but hopeless with names like us then you will appreciate everyone wearing a name badge! How about crafting your own - much nicer than those sticky labels. So get those creative juices flowing and see what you can come up with!



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Saltaire Arts Trail 2012 takes place 5th-7th May. The weekend includes contemporary art and craft, creative family activities, artists film and Open Houses. This is your chance to have a peek inside some of the houses in Titus Salt's model village as well as seeing interesting works of art. More details at www.saltaireartstrail.co.uk

The next Sheriff Hutton jumble sales will be held on 19th May and 16th June. They are a great source of clothes and other textiles at 40p per item last time we visited. Be prepared to rummage!

The enormous and wonderful Knavesmire car boot sales have started up again on Saturday mornings. A great source of clothing, textiles and um, just about everything really! Good for plants, especially in a couple of weeks time. Get there early, but be warned, it soon becomes an addiction! Just ask Margaret.... Find out more at www.yorkcarboot.com

VARIATIONS

Don't worry if you haven't yet completed your Variations project for York Open Studios 2013 as we will be taking your works of art right up to a month or two before the event. See Anne Bush or Susan Jordan if you haven't yet collected a pack or if you fancy doing another piece.

The first meeting at the Dunnington Reading Rooms of the York Felt Makers was a success with several of our Ruggers attending. You can go along as a guest for up to 3 sessions to see if this is the group for you before joining so why not go along to the next meeting on May 19th 12.30 – 4.00pm. See www.yorkfeltmakers.co.uk for more information.

A big thank you to our members for the 'Skill Sharing' session last month. It is lovely to see other people's work and to be able to learn from them. So if you have a skill you would like to share, don't hide your light under a bushel but see any committee member so we can include you in our next session!



Anne & Margaret have taken over the editing & production of the newsletter. Many thanks to Gill for all her hard work as newsletter editor & also for her help in getting us started. If you have any items for inclusion in the newsletter please contact Anne at purplelupin@gmail.com or Margaret at mhockey53@hotmail.com