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HOLME HERITAGE TRAILS

From conception and innovation, back in 2009 by local residents, Alec Wild and Gordon Hawcroft, the double-sided **Holme Heritage Interpretation Board**, is without doubt, a most spectacular accomplishment (see attached pictures).

Through their research, it became apparent to Alec and Gordon that their project needed a constituted body to accept funding and so after discussions with the Clerk to the PC in 2011, it was agreed that the PC would look after any grants that were received and at the same time, the project would be managed by the HOSM Heritage Group, a steering group within the PC, comprising representatives of local community groups, the school and interested individuals.

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Detailed leaflets with artist maps and guides of the Heritage Trails are available for only 50p, from Cathy's Café (Holme Village Green), The Coffee Shop (in the Village Courtyard, off High St) and Katherine's Barbers (High St).

It is thanks to the tireless efforts of the informal working group, Holme Heritage; Karen Adams, Jayne Fisher, Carole Kean, Peter Hastings, Nick Evans and Katherine Whitworth, that we have succeeded in most of our goals to date.

Holme Heritage continued to hammer out a plan and received funds from LEADER, WREN, Countryside Access ERYC and VHEY. Without the help of LEADER Officer, David Bull, WREN Officer, Penny Beaumont and Countryside Access ERYC Officer, Lesley Whitehead and Regional Manager, Andy Grey from VHEY, we would not have had the funding to see it through.

As a long-standing resident of Holme and an inspiration to all who know him, Mr Carey; bell ringer, ballroom dancer, golfer, long distance walker, union official and committed countryman, Holme Heritage invited him to "unveil" the Interpretation Board on Saturday 19th April 2014. This board is seen to be regularly viewed by locals and visitors alike and continues to provide valuable information.

The equipment that we purchased from funding was used to set up the Local History Society, who are now responsible for the archive and the production of a history booklet.

A great achievement by ALL who were involved, this board, which is situated at the heart of our village on the Village Green, is packed with details of Royals that passed through Holme, historic buildings and sites, along with 8 local walks – the Holme Heritage Trails - that visitors might like to try.

For a more in-depth article about Holme Heritage, its early beginnings, the work so far and its future progress, please follow this LINK:

LINK to “HOLME HERITAGE - Beginnings and The Way Forward”

<http://www.holmeonspaldingmoor.org.uk/#!holme-heritage>

If you would like to help Holme Heritage or for more information, please contact our

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