

ised musical gathering. Taking place in the town's schoolroom, it was said at the time to be "uncomfortably overcrowded". However, a move to the town hall al-

classes by day and adult evening. Varying from poetry to Shakespeare recitals, the first week sees speech classes take place.

The organisers emphasise that the tournament is open to all levels of ability and they are especially welcoming to those entering for the first time.

or can be seen at www.dalesmusic.co.uk

The public can attend the sessions - admission is adult £1 daytime and £3 evenings, children 50p and under-fives free.

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A GRANT of £250 has been received towards the cost of gritting the roads in the village if necessary. Two tonnes of grit had been ordered and received.

Affordable housing. - Amanda Madden, the housing enabler at Hambleton District Council, was not in attendance. She is awaiting replies from landowners contacted regarding identified sites.

Concern was expressed by villagers regarding the questionnaire that was circulated, it was felt that it was not worded as well as it could have been. People also felt that there was not enough village involvement in choosing possible sites. These fears were understandable but outside the control of the parish council.

It was decided to ask Ms Madden to attend the next parish council

meeting to answer questions from the public.

Neighbourhood plan. - A meeting is being arranged with representatives from nearby villages who have completed a neighbourhood plan. It is hoped that they can help the team move forward and give advice. More volunteers are required to help with the plan. Contact George Hunter on 01609-882410.

Stile on A19. - Permission has been granted and the council is hopeful that a dog gate can be installed as well as at other stiles in the village.

Nomination. - The council has been asked by Hambleton to be nominated for Parish Council of the Year after considerable enhancements to the village via various grants and projects.

One member of the council will miss the next meeting to attend a presentation evening and explain why Ingleby Arncliffe Parish Council deserves the award.

Parish website. - There has been some interest expressed in helping with the website. Ian Heseltine is running it at the moment but someone is asked to take on the main responsibility. For details contact Ian or a member of the parish council.

War memorial. - Research is being carried out regarding the inscriptions and names on the war memorial. If anyone has any information or is related to the soldiers mentioned, contact Judith Temple or any other member of the council.

Next meeting. - Wednesday, March 26, at 7.30pm.