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Dear Village Life Readers

### **The Black Horse reopens!**

We are delighted to announce a very welcome conclusion to all the effort that the community has put in since the pub closed on 18 January 2020, through: registration of the pub as an Asset of Community Value; objecting to the proposals to convert the pub into residential use; community purchase on 9 May 2023 (funded by community shareholders and the government's Community Ownership Fund); to the repair programme in 2023 to get the Black Horse fit to reopen.

Thanks to all the BHCG shareholders, the wonderful volunteers (over 60 of them aged between 6 and 82) and our fantastic suppliers who have completed work (in many cases for free and/or at mates' rates).

We have found a lovely family, Simon and Tania Henson and their grown-up children, who have taken on the tenancy of the pub. By the time you read this they will have moved in and looking forward to the official opening of the pub from 1200 on Saturday 3 February.

### **OPENING**

**Initially open for wet-sales only**, but intending to introduce food in March.

Opening Times: Sat 12-11pm; Sun 12-6pm; Mon Closed; Tues 5-11pm; Wed 12-3pm, 5-11pm; Thurs 12-3pm, 5-11pm; Fri 12-3pm, 5-11pm.

Facebook page Black Horse Grimston  
Pub website [www.blackhorsegrimston.com](http://www.blackhorsegrimston.com)  
Telephone number 01664 793006  
Email [hi@blackhorsegrimston.com](mailto:hi@blackhorsegrimston.com)

Simon and Tania are also looking for local bar, kitchen and cleaning staff, so please contact them if you are interested and at least 16 years of age.

Please support your community-owned local pub, The Black Horse at Grimston.

Kind regards

Becky, Ben, Carol, Jane, Martin, Mike, Simon, Tony  
The Black Horse Community Group committee