

## **A Trip to Hornsea Inshore Rescue Thursday, 25 May, 2017**

Our visit to see and learn more about Hornsea Inshore Lifeboat was bathed in glorious sunshine. We were met with tea and coffee which was preceded with a talk on the history of the lifeboat and how it works.

It is one of a number of independent lifeboats around the country and is totally voluntary run with no funding from the RNLI (Royal National Lifeboat Institution).



The boat needs £140 per day to keep running and saving lives on our coast, all of which has to be raised locally.



Two of the crew, Tom and Tom, showed us how quickly they can don their gear for launch.



And then we had a lovely fish and chip lunch followed by an explanation of the lifeboat and jet ski outside.





We had some free time to enjoy an ice cream and a view of the sea before coming home through the lovely countryside.



Thank you Pauline, for the lovely day and article,  
and Mike for the photographs.