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# Stanton on the Wolds Village Newsletter

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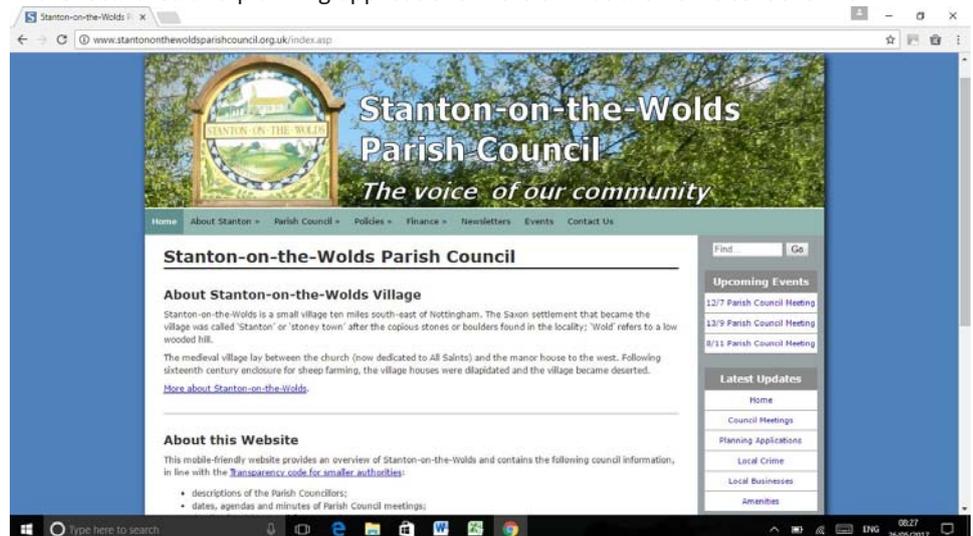
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## New Stanton Website

Stanton on the Wolds now has a new improved website. The new site is easy to use and contains a wealth of information about the village, including details of the Parish Council with agendas and minutes of meetings. Local amenities and businesses are listed, with links to relevant websites. You can also follow links to find out about crime in the local area and planning applications. Here's what the new site looks like:



The site is constructed and maintained by Carruthers Solutions Ltd who run websites for a number of local councils including Normanton on the Wolds, Plumtree, and Willoughby. There are still some areas, such as footpaths and village history which need further input and contributions from residents would be very welcome. The address for the new website is [www.stantononthewoldsparishcouncil.org.uk](http://www.stantononthewoldsparishcouncil.org.uk), so please take a few minutes to have a look at it. Please note that the old website (which has a '.gov.uk' address) will be taken down as soon as possible.

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They are available to meet constituents at any convenient time at their home or any suitable venue/location.



Friends Against Scams is a National Trading Standards Scams Team Initiative

## Friends against Scams

We're hearing increasing numbers of stories about people who have fallen victim to scammers, whether over the phone, doorstep callers or online. Scams affect the lives of millions of people across the UK, resulting in not only financial loss but loneliness, shame and social isolation.

Friends Against Scams is a National Trading Standards Scams Team initiative which aims to protect and prevent people from becoming victims of scams by empowering communities to... 'Take a Stand Against Scams.'

We aim to help the Stanton on the Wolds community by holding a **Friends Against Scams awareness session**, led by Dawne Hallam from Nottinghamshire Trading Standards. This will take place at:

**Stanton on the Wolds Golf Club**

**Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> June at 7 pm**

There will also be input from the local Neighbourhood Watch team who receive alerts about scams as well as other criminal activities. Residents will be able to sign up to receive these alerts via email.

Representatives of the local policing team will also be attending.

For further information or to request transport to the meeting please contact Richard Whitby using the contact details on this page.

Could you also let Richard know if you'll be attending as we need to know who's coming to comply with golf club regulations.

## Parish Council Newsbits

**DATES:** Parish Council meetings in 2017 will be July 12<sup>th</sup>, Sept 13<sup>th</sup> Nov 8<sup>th</sup>. Meetings always take place in the Parish Church, but please look at the village noticeboards for times.

Members of the public can raise items with the parish council at each meeting it holds during the Public Session at the end of the council agenda. The 'open' session is limited to 15 minutes.

## Annual Parish Meeting

Thank you to those residents who attended the Annual Parish meeting on Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> May. The Annual Parish Meeting is **not** a council meeting, but a meeting of the parish electors and offers an opportunity for residents to contribute to the agenda and debate current issues in the community.

We hope to see more residents attending next year – maybe wine and nibbles will tempt you to join us!

## Another Successful Litter Pick

We had yet another successful community litter pick on Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> March. A total of 13 residents took part, either on the day, or on a day to suit them, and we collected 20 bags of litter. Despite our efforts, the number of bags collected remains as high as ever. Thanks must also go to those residents who regularly pick up litter from our village.

**Our next community litter pick will be on:  
Sat 9<sup>th</sup> Sept**

Details to follow in the September newsletter, and on the website and Parish noticeboards.

## Celebrations to mark the end of WW1

Residents in Stanton on the Wolds have been asked to make an early date in their diaries, for Sunday November 11 next year. The parish council has agreed to support a national event 'Battle's Over - A Nation's Tribute and WW1 Beacons of Light' which is taking place on Remembrance Day next year to commemorate the centenary of the ending of the First World War.

Pageantmaster Bruno Peek, after his successful nationwide event to mark the 90<sup>th</sup> birthday of Queen Elizabeth II, is now heading the arrangements for this event and already has over 400 villages countrywide signed up to an event which will include beacons and bonfires.

Says the organiser: "The beacons and bonfires are being lit at 7pm on November 2018 as part of an historic tribute to the many millions who were killed or came home dreadfully wounded during the war. It is also an opportunity to remember the huge army of men and women on the home front who, often in dangerous and exhausting conditions, underpinned the war effort - keeping the wheels of industry turning, bringing the harvests home and ensuring the nation did not starve."

Participants will also receive a complimentary copy of Battle's Over: A Nation's Tribute – 11th November 2018, the official publication of the Battle's Over national and international event, which concludes four years of First World War commemoration and remembrance.

The Parish Council would be grateful to learn of anyone in the parish who is a relative of someone who served their country in WW1 so they can be invited to light the beacon or attend the function as a special guest.

## Open Church



The Parish Church of All Saints, on Browns Lane, will be participating in the Nottinghamshire Open Churches weekend on 22<sup>nd</sup>/23<sup>rd</sup> July.

**Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> July 10am to 2pm**

Vestment displays

Book stall

St Cecilia Singers led by June Corbett will be performing 11-11.30 and 1-1.30

**Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> July**

Church open 3pm to 6pm

Village Songs of Praise at 4pm – all welcome

## A Message from Our New Rector

From the Reverend Tom Meyrick, new Rector of All Saints Church.

*'The Sunday before Ascension Day, five weeks after Easter and known as Rogation Sunday, is a traditional time to pray for the growing crops. In past centuries there were often church processions to pray for good conditions making for a good harvest. On Rogation Sunday this year, the congregation at All Saints came out of church into the open air to pray for our farms and for our parish more generally.*

*Your parish church exists to pray for this community, and loves to be asked to pray: for people in need, for the needs of the village, in thanksgiving and in celebration. Do let us know how we can pray for the things that matter to you.'*

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**Willowbrook**

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**Methodist Church**

Rev. Simon Rose

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**Baptist Church**

Rev. Elaine Blundell

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**United Reform Church**

Rev. Chris Ford

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**Have your say:** Do you have anything you want to see in the newsletter? Any ideas for future articles? Something you'd like to say? Please let us know. Our contact details are: [hilarywhitby54@gmail.com](mailto:hilarywhitby54@gmail.com) or [ricwhitby@gmail.com](mailto:ricwhitby@gmail.com)  
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## St Cecilia Chorale

An appreciative audience was recently treated to an evening of entertainment by the St Cecilia Chorale. The concert took place at All Saints Church on Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> April, and featured a varied repertoire of songs from classical to jazz, in addition to poetry recitals and instrumental performances.



Alexandra Brooks, a member of the Chorale has given us the following information on this talented group:

*"June Corbett is the Conductor and founding member of the St Cecilia Chorale. In her singing career she was a Coloratura Soprano specialising in Mozart, Haydn and Puccini. June is now retired but loves to keep working with the St Cecilia Chorale. She has been involved with Stanton Church on and off since she was 10 years old. Raised in Stanton-on-the-Wolds, June was privately tutored, studying and gaining her ALCM (Associate of London College of Music) performers diploma. Subsequently she worked as a recital singer experienced in Leader, Oratorio, Musical Theatre and Musical Comedy in Spain, Italy, Holland and Majorca. She worked with students at MADDS (Midlands Academy of Dance, Drama & Singing) preparing them for three year courses for the West End from 1983 - 1993. June then founded the St Cecilia Singers (now Chorale). She taught singing and piano for beginners and many of the members of the St Cecilia group are students trained in singing by June."*

The St Cecilia Chorale will be performing on Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> July at All Saints Parish Church, as part of the Open Weekend (see above).