



Stanton on the Wolds Village Newsletter

VE Day Celebrations

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Next year sees the 75th Anniversary of VE Day . This will be marked by **VEDay75** in May 2020, a three-day national and international event that is set to be one of the biggest commemorations of the end of World War 2 in Europe. Tens of thousands of people will be taking part from 8th to 10th May 2020 in a whole range of inclusive events:

- Buglers playing the Last Post & Reveille from the top of the Four Peaks and at many other locations around the world
- Pipers playing the tunes Battle's O'er and VE 75 Years
- The Nation's Toast to the Heroes of World War 2
- A Cry for Peace Around the World
- Ringing out for Peace in churches and cathedrals
- Street parties and celebrations at pubs, clubs, hotels, village greens and halls
- Services of commemoration and celebration in churches, including the reading of a Tribute to the Millions and the playing of the Last Post & Reveille

In Stanton we held a very successful event to commemorate the end of The First World War, so it would be wonderful for the village to come together to mark VE Day, an event within the living memory of many parishioners. However, the Parish Council would like to know how much support there would be for such an event and whether people are willing to help in any way – it's usually the same people who put in the hard work organising events such as these.

If you're interested in helping in any way to support a village commemoration of VEDay75, there will be a meeting at:

7pm on Wed 11th September

Stanton on the Wolds Parish Church

This will be a 15 minute meeting prior to the Parish Council meeting at 7.15pm so won't take up too much of your time. If there's no interest then regrettably the Parish Council won't pursue the matter.

Christmas Get Together

Stanton on the Wolds Parish Council would like to invite all residents to a Christmas Social Evening at Stanton Golf Club, so please save the date in your diary:

Tuesday 17th December

Drinks and mince pies will be on offer. Further details will be published in the December newsletter.

As our community is so spread out, people from opposite ends of the village rarely get the opportunity to meet so this is a great way of bringing everyone together.

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Parish Council Newsbits

DATES: Meeting dates for 2019 are as follows:

11th Sept, 13th Nov. 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

Free Trees

I'm sure we're all aware of the value of trees in maintaining a healthy environment and providing valuable habitats for a host of wildlife. Rushcliffe residents can now make their properties even greener by applying for free trees for their homes and communities within the Borough. Crab Apple and Rowan trees are available free of charge to all residents as part of Rushcliffe Borough Council's strategy to provide sustainable environments as part of the Borough's significant housing and employment growth in the next decade. The Crab Apple, or Malus Sylvestris, can grow to 12 metres and suit areas of partial shade, whilst the Rowan trees, or Sorbus Aucuparia, grow best in full sunlight and can reach up to eight metres. Households can apply for up to two trees by visiting: www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/RushcliffeFreeTrees2019 and submitting an application before September 30.

Willowbrook Junction

Following concerns raised at the Annual Parish Meeting regarding the safety at the Willowbrook/Stanton Lane junction, the Parish Council requested an investigation by Notts County Council.

The Highways Department has now carried out an inspection and assessed the junction as 'not dangerous'.

However, we all know that this junction has limited visibility, often made worse by parked cars, particularly at the beginning and end of the school day. We would like to monitor the situation so if you know of any accidents or near misses please could you inform Mike Sheriston, Chairman of the Parish Council. It's important that we have these facts to back up the argument for any action to be taken.

Community Litter Pick

Our next litter pick will now take place on Saturday 7th September (please note that this a change from the date previously advertised) We'll meet at 10am at 138 Browns Lane (and not the church as previously advertised) to collect equipment, which is all provided and allocate areas. I'd recommend wearing sturdy boots or wellies as a lot of litter accumulates in ditches and gardening gloves or similar are a good idea. There'll be coffee and cake afterwards at 138 Browns Lane. Please come along and help keep our village litter free.



Your Local Churches

Stanton on the Wolds

Parish Church

Revd Tom Meyrick
0115 937 7380

Email: rector@ksbb.org.uk

Catholic Church, Willowbrook

Fr. Michael Williams
01509 852147

Methodist Church

Rev. Simon Rose
0115 914 3794

Baptist Church

Barbara J. Lister
0115 937 3565

United Reform Church

Church Sec. Benita Boulby
0115 9148066



Church Report

On 30th June, Stanton Church held a **Benefice Picnic** following the morning Sunday service for Parishioners' of the benefice and their family and friends. The attendance was good with parishioners' bringing some of their own snacks and drinks to share at the picnic. This resulted in a fabulous spread of food and drink with variety a-plenty. Joining our company were a couple of visiting Clergy from Newark bringing with them information on a course opportunity called Cisco. The 'Cherry on the cake' proved to be the lovely weather, thankfully not as hot as the day prior to the event but still sunny and clear – all together it was a beautiful afternoon!

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The Church Open turned out to be a lovely little weekend. As previous years, events were held on the Saturday and the Sunday of the 3rd weekend in July, to provide an opportunity to welcome those of the wider community to the church, those that may not have been inside the church before or may not attend regular services. The weekend was met with a positive response, despite the national "open churches" event not officially being held this year. The St. Cecilia Chorale sang at a coffee and cake morning on the Saturday and on the Sunday a Songs of Praise was held at the church at the earlier time of 4pm, residents of the local and wider community contributed their choices for the hymns and readings. Another great suggestion was made that we could include poetry choices in our future Songs of Praise Services.

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A reminder that Stanton Church will be open for the **Ride and Stride** on 14th September and there will be a coffee morning also that day inside the church between 10am and 2pm, all visitors welcome.

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This year's **Harvest Festival**; a service will be held at Stanton Church on 29th September at 10.30am and a benefice bring and share lunch will be held in the Parochial Hall following the service. Last year the Harvest festival proved to be a great success, hot food was provided in the way of baked potatoes and a choice of fillings – all thanks to group efforts and volunteering. A table of "free from" foods was also available for those with specific allergies and intolerances.

Alexandra Brooks

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: hilary.whitby@stanton-on-the-wolds.parish.email or richard.whitby@stanton-on-the-wolds.parish.email

Views expressed in the newsletter are those of the contributors and may not be those of the Parish Council

Nominated Neighbour Scheme

Unwanted callers can cause a great deal of stress to many people, but particularly the elderly and those living on their own.

The Nominated Neighbour scheme helps to protect vulnerable people from unscrupulous doorstep callers and rogue traders.

If you live in Nottinghamshire you can sign up to the scheme. We will arrange for a trusted neighbour to speak to any doorstep callers on their behalf.

This means that you don't need to answer the door. You can pass the caller a card and your neighbour will deal with the caller instead.

Nominated Neighbours don't have to be at home – they can deal with the doorstep caller over the phone.

The Nominated Neighbour will check the reason for the visit and confirm the caller's identity.

If appropriate the Nominated Neighbour will go with the caller during their visit. Once the caller has finished their visit, the Nominated Neighbour will escort them off the premises.

If you, or someone you know, may benefit from the scheme contact the Citizens Advice Consumer Service on 03454 04 05 06.

Tetra Pak Recycling

As you can see from the chart on the right, Tetra Pak cartons are not accepted in the Rushcliffe blue bin scheme. These cartons are used to package liquids such as juice, soup and milk drinks and are made from a mixture of card, polyethylene and aluminium, making them more difficult to recycle.

However, there are recycling sites which will accept them. The nearest ones to us are at ASDA in West Bridgford and Morrisons at Gamston. A new site is now also available on Fieldfare Road, Colliers Park Cotgrave – not far from Cotgrave Country Park. This site also has facilities for glass and clothes recycling.

For further information on recycling different items, have a look at the A to Z of waste on the Rushcliffe Borough Council website:

<https://www.rushcliffe.gov.uk/environmentandwaste/recyclingandwaste/bincollections/a-zofwaste/>

Funding for Churchyard

At the last meeting of the Parish Council, in July, it was agreed to give financial support towards the cost of maintaining the church burial ground and the war memorial. The burial ground is an important community asset as it is available to all residents of Stanton on the Wolds, regardless of faith or belief.

Please note that the Keyworth burial ground is for the interment of Keyworth residents only. The contribution made by the Parish Council will be reviewed annually.

Recycling

We all have a responsibility to minimise our impact on the environment and to protect it for future generations. There's a wealth of information on the Rushcliffe Borough Council website:

<https://www.rushcliffe.gov.uk/environmentandwaste/recyclingandwaste/>

A good policy to follow is 'Reduce, Reuse and Recycle'

Reduce the amount of waste produced

- Choose products with less packaging
- Buy in bulk where possible
- Buy quality items that last longer
- Buy refills rather than new
- Buy pre-loved items at a local charity shop

Reuse things more than once to save money

- Use 'bags for life' rather than carrier bags
- Donate quality items to charity shops
- Use jars for storing things like left over sauces or gravy
- Compost your uncooked vegetable peeling and garden waste at home
- Cooked food composting: A wormery or bokashi system can compost kitchen waste including meat fish and dairy products.

Recycle only if you cannot reduce or reuse

- If you cannot find a use for something, recycle it
- Use your blue bin for paper and card, plastic bottles, yoghurt pots, margarine tubs and mixed food and drinks cans

There is often confusion as to what should and should not go in the blue bin and unfortunately, contamination with inappropriate items can lead to a lot of potential recyclable material ending up in landfill. Hopefully the chart below will help to clarify things:

Are you Bin smart?

✓ Yes Please ✗ No Thanks

Yes Please	No Thanks
Paper <ul style="list-style-type: none">✓ Newspapers & Magazines✓ Envelopes & Writing paper✓ Catalogues & Directories✓ Junk mail	Other Paper <ul style="list-style-type: none">✗ Kitchen roll✗ Tissues✗ Wet paper
Cardboard <ul style="list-style-type: none">✓ Cereal & Egg boxes✓ Kitchen & Toilet roll tubes✓ Flat pack cardboard	Drinks cartons <ul style="list-style-type: none">✗ Tetra Pak✗ Juice cartons✗ Pet food pouches
Food tins, drink cans and aerosols <ul style="list-style-type: none">✓ Food tins✓ Empty aerosol cans✓ Drinks cans	Plastic food trays and wrapping <ul style="list-style-type: none">✗ Plastic bags and film✗ Polystyrene✗ Food trays and punnets✗ Textiles or toys✗ Bottle tops and lidsThese are often made from different plastic which is not recyclable
Plastic bottles and yoghurt pots <ul style="list-style-type: none">✓ Milk & Soft drink bottles✓ Shower gel & Shampoo/Conditioner bottles✓ Household cleaning product bottles✓ Fabric softener bottles✓ Cosmetic & Toiletry bottles	Glass <ul style="list-style-type: none">No glass.Please take your glass bottles and jars to your local bring site

Please make sure that the items you place in your bin are clean and empty
www.areyoubinsmart.co.uk

Diary Dates



Community Litter Pick

Saturday 7th September

(Please note the change of date – not the 14th as previously advertised)

10.00 – 12.00

We'll meet at **138 Browns Lane** to collect equipment (it's all provided) and allocate areas, then return there at 12.00 for coffee and cake.

If you're interested in helping please contact Hilary, either by phone 07815 686388 or email hilary.whitby@stanton-on-the-wolds.parish.email

Ride & Stride,
Church Open and Coffee
Morning



At

All Saints Church,
Stanton-on-the-Wolds

**Saturday 14th
September**
at
10.30am



Harvest Festival

At

All Saints Church,
Stanton-on-the-Wolds.

Starting with the Church Service followed by a Bring & Share lunch at the Parochial Hall, Keyworth.

Sunday 29th September
at **10.30am**

Remembrance Service

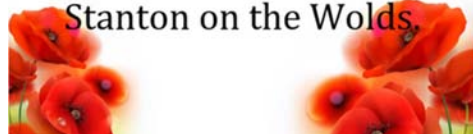
Sunday 10th November

At

10.30am

At

All Saints Church,
Stanton on the Wolds.



The St Cecilia Chorale
Presents

An Autumnal Concert with a
Winter Twist



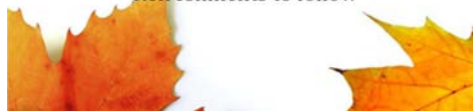
Saturday 16th November 2019

At

7.15pm



All Saints Church
Stanton on the Wolds
Tickets £7.50 Available on the door
Refreshments to follow



All Saints Church
Stanton on the Wolds

Carol Service

22nd December 2019

at

6pm

Refreshments to follow

Midnight Mass

24th December 2019

at

11.30pm



Village Signs

It was agreed at the last Parish Council meeting that the design for the signs would incorporate two elements that are unique to Stanton – the church and the railway test track and tunnel. There will be three signs sited at Willowbrook/Stanton Lane and each end of Melton Road. Siting of the signs will be subject to approval by Nottinghamshire County Council Highways Department, as it's important that there is no reduction in visibility for motorists.

Community Road Safety Programme

The monitoring equipment to support the Community Road Safety Scheme is now all fully operational. This scheme is operated by volunteers with support from Nottinghamshire Police and aims to remind drivers to stick to the speed limits. Volunteers are also able to report to the police any drivers identified as speeding. Some training is necessary in order to safely and correctly install the equipment, but can usually be done 'on site'.

We ran this scheme in Stanton for a couple of years in 2015/16 so it would be great if we could get it going again. It does rely on volunteers though, and that's where you come in. Would you be interested in giving up a little of your time to help to address the speeding issues which have such an impact on our village? The more volunteers we have, the more areas we can target and the burden doesn't fall on just a few people. If you can help, please contact any member of the Parish Council.

Footpaths

We're lucky to enjoy such a variety of footpaths in Stanton, and on the whole, they are well maintained. The landowner is responsible for ensuring that paths are not obstructed, for instance by the overgrowth of crops. If you come across a footpath where there are problems, please report it either to any member of the Parish Council or to Nottinghamshire County Council who is responsible for ensuring that rights of way are usable by the public. You can report problems online at :

<https://www.nottinghamshire.gov.uk/planning-and-environment/walking-cycling-and-rights-of-way/rights-of-way/report-problem>