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Stanton on the Wolds Village Newsletter

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Ride and Stride

Saturday 11th September

Stanton Church will once again be taking part in the **Ride and Stride** event organised by the Nottinghamshire Historic Churches Trust. This event involves participants being sponsored for walking or riding between as many churches as possible to raise money for the Trust which gives financial support to historic churches. For more information see

http://nottshistoricchurchtrust.org.uk/

Stanton Church will be open between **10am and 3pm** to welcome Ride and Stride participants and anyone else who would like to visit this lovely church. Hot and cold drinks and cakes will be available.

Community litter pick

Due to unavoidable circumstances, the Community Litter Pick is now postponed until Saturday 9th October

We'll meet at 10 am in Stanton Parish Church car park off Browns Lane to distribute equipment and allocate areas. All equipment such as litter pickers and hoops is provided but please bring your own stout gloves as hedges and ditches can be extremely prickly. Please contact Hilary Whitby if you'd like further information and would like to help us keep our village tidy.



Queen's Platinum Jubilee

In 2022, Her Majesty The Queen will become the first British Monarch to celebrate a Platinum Jubilee, seventy years of service, having acceded to the throne on 6th February 1952 when Her Majesty was 25 years old. An extended bank holiday, from Thursday 2nd to Sunday 5th June, will provide an opportunity for communities and people throughout the United Kingdom to come together to celebrate the historic milestone. The four days of celebrations will include public events and community activities, as well as national moments of reflection on The Queen's 70 years of service.

Our village community has celebrated previous jubilees so it seems fitting that we should organise an event to mark this landmark occasion. The Parish Council would like to hear suggestions from residents as to how we might best achieve this. We have no village community facilities so in the past have relied on the generosity of individuals or collaboration with the Parish Church to host such events. Please let us know your thoughts by contacting any member of the Parish Council so that we can discuss it at our next meeting in September.

Parish Council Meetings

DATES: Meeting dates for 2021 are as follows: 8th Sept, 10th Nov

Notice of Parish Council meetings will be published on the website, so please check there for confirmation of dates and times. www.stantononthewoldsparishcouncil.org.uk.

Meetings are held in All Saints Parish Church, Stanton.

Members of the public are able to attend Parish Council meetings but please contact the Parish Clerk beforehand as numbers are currently limited due to Covid 19 regulations.

All Saints Church

In July, we held a very successful benefice picnic with songs of praise on the lawn of the church grounds. Those attending brought their own picnic and chairs along and sat in socially distanced Bubbles. Everyone enjoyed singing along to old favourite Hymns, and having the chance to catch up with friends in a safe manner.

In fact, the event went so well that many in attendance expressed that it would be nice to make it a regular thing.

Church attendance has been good and consistent, often filling 6 or 7 of the 8 spaces allowed. We are hopeful that a review in September will increase capacity.

We are planning a harvest service at 5pm on Sunday 26th September to be held outside, and a good array of harvest songs and hymns will be included for all to sing. Please bring a chair and brolly in case of inclement weather.

As with all services we are still required to take bookings and observe previous lockdown rules (mask wearing inside the church, sanitising on entry etc.) All services are subject to Government Guidance and Church of England regulations. Services are currently held at 6pm every Sunday evening, but these are under review for September. All services are also advertised in the Church Weekly News Sheet. Please contact Lynda Brooks 07703 269 475 for further details and to make any bookings.

A remembrance service is being planned for Sunday 14th November at 10.45am.

Alexandra Brooks

Church Warden at All Saints Church, Stanton on the Wolds.

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: <a href="https://hittp

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

Welcome to New Councillors

We have some changes to the Parish Council. Councillor Paul Spillane has resigned and we thank him for his service to the community.

Two new Parish Councillors have been co-opted and we extend a warm welcome to Robert Day and Gill Rahman. It's always nice to see new faces and hear fresh ideas on the Parish Council and we hope they both enjoy contributing to village life. Parish Councils are the first tier, and an important part, of democracy in our country.

Pavement Obstruction

It's that time of year when hedges and shrubs are growing vigorously and are often in need of cutting back. This is particularly important if growth is overhanging the pavement, making it difficult to negotiate especially for those who are less infirm, visually impaired, mobility scooter users and anyone pushing a pram. The Parish Council is aware that there is stretch along Browns Lane on the 'railway land' which is encroaching onto the pavement and a letter has been sent to Network Rail to highlight the matter and ask for hedge trimming to take place.

Litter and Dog Poo Bins

During a discussion on the' Nextdoor' social media site, the lack of dog poo bins on Browns Lane was highlighted. As a consequence, the Parish Council has agreed to fund another bin to be sited opposite the entrance to the church. This is subject to approval from Rushcliffe Borough Council. The Parish Council has also put in a request for a litter bin to be sited in the bus layby next to Brook

litter bin to be sited in the bus layby next to Brook Drive in the hope that this might reduce the amount of littering in that spot.

Your Local Churches

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Big Notts Survey

Notts County Council is asking residents to have their say on the Council Plan which is being put together this autumn to set out the council ambitions for the next 10 years. This is an opportunity for you to give your views on what matters to you and your family. You can complete the survey online at:

www.nottinghamshire.gov.uk/bignottssurvey

Paper copies of the survey can also be picked up at libraries.

Village Signs

The village gateway signs have unfortunately been delayed by the Covid pandemic but we now have the final design which has been sent to the foundry. Hopefully it won't be too long before we can see them sited at the village gateways on the Melton Road and Stanton Lane.

