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On May 10th, Stutton Community Hall was packed to the rafters with land army girls, men in military uniform and others wearing red white and blue – and that was just the audience. They'd squeezed in to watch VE80! A celebration of VE day by Stutton Presents with a script by Louise Fryer and Musical Direction by Maria King. It took the form of Stutton's home guard - which bore a striking resemblance to Capt. Mainwaring's platoon in Dad's Army - putting together their own celebration which featured monologues and songs popular during the war, rendered with enthusiasm and plenty of Blitz spirit. These included solo spots and some fabulous close harmony numbers by Stutton's answer to the Andrews sisters – the "Adnams Sisters." There were some serious moments too, as Gay Strutt and Janet Lock, who were there at the time, reminisced about the war and the original VE Day celebrations. The audience were on hand to join in popular favourites such as the hokey cokey which got everyone up and dancing. There are too many people who worked tirelessly on lighting, costumes, make up, props and publicity to list them all here but you know who you are - Stutton Presents thanks you. Unfortunately, it was a one off and a sell-out, so many people were unable to get tickets. We're going to need a bigger hall! (see page 9 for reviews)



The Siegfried Line at the Stutton Presents VE80 celebration



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*STUTTON TODDLER GROUP is looking for someone to run the Toddler Group from September 2025 It's a really wonderful group and we really would like it to continue. Tuesday mornings, term time only. For information phone or text **Abi on 07837733655***



Now that we are at the beginning of June and have already celebrated the 80th anniversary of VE Day, our thoughts turn to the Royal British Legion November Remembrance Ceremonies.

Stutton sadly lacks Poppy Appeal Volunteers especially in the Manningtree Road, Church Road and Stutton Close areas. If you are able to spare a few hours during October and early November to help servicemen and women, both past and present, please contact **Chris Sadd on 01473 328770. Royal British Legion Poppy Appeal Organiser**

We have been overwhelmed with the content for our wonderful village magazine but we have also had our printing costs increase. In order for us to be sustainable we need to increase our revenue.

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<div style="background-color: #f0f0f0; border-radius: 15px; padding: 10px; text-align: center;"> JULY 04 </div>	COUNTRY HO DOWN/BARN DANCE Meals served 6-8:30pm Music 8:30pm
<div style="background-color: #f0f0f0; border-radius: 15px; padding: 10px; text-align: center;"> AUG 08 </div>	CARRIBEAN NIGHT Carribean buffet from 6:30pm Reggae music from 8:30pm with limbo competition

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Stutton Primary School

"It Takes a Village to Raise a Child"



We are as always very busy here at Stutton Church of England Primary School. We have been celebrating our recent OFSTED report which highlights all the wonderful things that are happening at the school and the fact that the children love their school and that they learn in a warm, happy, caring place. We are so proud that the report acknowledges all the hard work that happens in school on a daily basis. The lovely weather has meant we have been able to take learning outside- our Puffins have been learning about coastal erosion and the children are very much enjoying their Forest School sessions. We commemorated VE day with a special assembly and a red, white and blue day and held a special assembly for all of the children.

We have lots of events happening in school over the next half term including sports day, our end of year production and of course the community fun day!

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Stutton's Good Neighbour Scheme

We continue to do our best to respond to requests for lifts. If you need a prescription picking up from the surgery, or some shopping delivered, just give us a ring. Or if there's anything else you need help with, such as minor DIY tasks, we'll try to help.

As many of you will know, Ian Heywood has very sadly died. Ian was a founding member of our Network and part of the Co-ordinating Group. Amongst his other contributions, it was Ian who drew our attention to Meet Up Mondays and suggested we could do something like this in our village. Our whole village community is the poorer in so many ways without him.

Our next Meet Up Mondays are on 2nd June and 7th July, 10.30-12pm in the Community Hall for tea/coffee, cake and chat. Give us a ring if you would like to come and need a lift. And if you know of anyone who might like to come do tell them about it.

A reminder: The Joseph Catts Trust is your local village charity. If you're in financial need and can't get help from anywhere else, please contact one of the Trustees: Jane Pavitt 328512; Nigel Watts 328202; Jenny Morris: 328984

St Peter's Church

As you read this, summer is well and truly under way. One of my favourite hobbies is Birdwatching, and I am a member of the Stour Estuary bird news WhatsApp group. It is astounding just how many rare and unusual birds fly over this part of Suffolk – we are really fortunate! I always find it stunning that something as fragile as a chiff chaff which only weighs about 8g (about 1/3 oz) flies from Southern Europe or even North Africa each year, and they may well do this 6 or 7 times during their life time.

As you will know St Peter's Stutton recently gained its Silver Eco Church Award, which is a real achievement. It means that we are trying to look after our natural environment and to improve our use of energy and our impact on the planet. This is vital work, and is an important part of our Christian Presence in the community – an eco friendly (and perhaps slightly wilder) church yard will help support the insect population which birds like Chiff Chaffs rely on to survive. We are happy for you to keep family graves clear, but you may well find that the grass is longer in other parts of the church yard – we hope that it will encourage both flora and fauna. Please look out for other eco initiatives.

On a more obviously church based note, when I wrote last time, Oliver Kemsley was about to be licensed to the Benefice. I am pleased to say that he is settling in well, and you may well find him taking services at Stutton in the near future. The Open the book group is going well and is proving popular with children, staff and participants alike, and finally, just a reminder that our informal service, Worship4All which takes place on the first Sunday of the month at 11.00 is now held in the Village Hall, this is a growing, fun, interactive service for all ages, if you have not been please do come along and see what we are doing.



Revd Jenny Seggar - Rector

www.tworiversbenefice.org

01473 327951 or 07733 195866

Please note, my usual day off is Friday

Duncan or I will aim to be sat drinking coffee at the Stutton Community Shop between 10 and 11 on a Tuesday morning. Please do come and join us for a chat.

1st June	11.00am	Worship 4 all at Stutton Community Hall
9th June	9.30am	Holy Communion
22nd June	9.30am	Morning Prayer
6th July	11.00am	Worship 4 all at Stutton Community Hall
13th July	9.30am	Holy Communion
27th July	9.30am	Morning Prayer

Please check Facebook and www.tworiversbenefice.org for any last minute changes and for the full list of services in our Benefice.

Enquiries:

Funerals, burials of ashes should be addressed to the Rector

Weddings and baptism to Amanda Bloomfield, Benefice Administrator 07552 445731 or benefice2rivers@outlook.com

Church building or churchyard, please contact the Churchwardens, Jan Brown 01473 327325 or Nigel Watts 01473 328202.

Stutton Community Association

Thanks to everyone who joined us for our April Quiz Night. These are always great evenings which provide the chance to meet people and indulge in some friendly competition. As an added bonus we raised £270.



Community Draw

Collections for the Community Draw are going well however we still have a few rounds to complete hence I'm afraid no published results until the August edition of Roundabout. We will however be holding draws from May onwards and the lucky winners will have their prizes delivered. Thanks to everyone who has joined in.

Summer Community Event

The SCA and the PTFA are holding a Summer Community Event on July 12th, 12 – 5 on the Playing Field and in the Community Hall. There will be lots of activities for the whole family and local organisations will be there to showcase what they do and to give people the chance to try new things. The VE80 Choir will also be reprising some of the musical numbers from their hit show. Do come and join us even if it's only to watch and to partake of our fabulous BBQ, bar or delicious cream tea!

Forthcoming Film Nights:

Friday 27 June - A Real Pain - A 2024 comedy-drama film written and directed by Jesse Eisenberg. It follows mismatched cousins David (Jesse Eisenberg) and Benji (Kieran Culkin - Oscar for Best Supporting Actor) for a tour through Poland to honour their beloved grandmother, but their adventure takes a dark turn when old tensions resurface against the backdrop of their family history.

Friday 25 July Bridget Jones- Mad about the Boy - After the death of her on-off partner turned husband (Colin Firth) Renée Zellweger's Bridget faces new challenges in parenting and love. After jumping back into the dating pool, single mother Bridget finds herself caught between a younger man and her son's science teacher

Table Tennis

We have 2 super table tennis tables available for use. Why not book the hall for an hour or perhaps an afternoon? Bring your own bats and balls. Ring Roberta on 01473 328713 to book.

The SCA is keen to organise more village events at the hall. Our Barn Dance was a huge success and likely to be repeated later this year. We would welcome any ideas you may have for future events. Give me a ring on 07769892578 and in the meantime have a great summer! **Rosie Stuart-Thompson**

Stutton Parish Council - April and May

www.stuttonvillage.net Cllr Darren Cooper - Chair



Welcome to the latest update from the Parish Council, including the annual Parish meeting.

Some exciting work is coming to increase road safety on Holbrook Road, please see my update in a separate article. The Annual Parish meeting went well with reports from local groups, thanks to Cllr Ollie Brazill for chairing in my absence.

After some issues around actual locations being given to Emergency Services (in Woolverstone), Cllr Leach suggested we post What3Words (<https://what3words.com/>) location posters for our defibrillator in the bus shelter and notice board. The Council have also purchased new defibrillator pads whilst the faulty light has been repaired.

This time in planning we recommended refusal for the conversion of 2 dwellings into one on Woodfield Lane on grounds of loss of a dwelling. Other applications were approved, namely a new gate/shingle path in Church Field Road and an extension on Manningtree Road.

The Council decided not to locate a newly bought dog-waste bin, especially as the emptying price has risen again. The new bin instead will be used to replace the broken dog bin at Lewis Lane, thanks to Cllr Mike Hems for taking this not very pleasant task on!

Cllr Hems has also secured cycling on the Greenway for the foreseeable future with owner's consent being obtained now the 12-month trial period has passed without issues. Thanks Mike! We are hoping to get the Parish Council grass cutting started ASAP and are contacting our contractor.

This year's village clean had about 20 volunteers collecting litter around the village, fortunately there wasn't too much around, which is excellent. Thanks to all the volunteers and to Cllr John Pallant for organising. Some fly-tipping down the Drift has been reported to RHS whom own the land.

A reminder that with the current refurbishment of the Co-op in Holbrook, the Community Shop will be available for all the essentials. Opening times are in the Roundabout and on the village website.

The next Parish Council meeting is at the Community Hall garden room on Monday 9th June, starting at 19:30. Do please come along if you can, all really are welcome!

PC Kate Jarrett - Community Police

I want to concentrate on Anti-social behaviour for the topic of this article. What does it look like? Where can it occur? Who does it effect? ASB is a range of actions which can cause someone alarm, harassment and distress and annoyance. This can be to individuals or communities. It can occur in homes as well as in the public. It can affect anyone and everyone. It is often exacerbated with the change in weather.

Here are some examples of what I'm seeing in and around my patch:

- Breaking into derelict buildings and vandalism
- Off road motorbikes riding on land without permission and when confronted- being abusive
- Smoking cannabis in public gardens- especially as the weather is nicer now, the smell is potent and unpleasant
- Vehicle meets and racing, generally with loud exhausts.
- Deliberately starting fires
- Drunk and disorderly behaviour
- Use of inappropriate language/shouting



These are just a few, I could keep writing but I'm on a limited word count. You will see that some of these will fall into the criminal realm as well.

This type of behaviour has often been going on for years, the off-road motorbikes that are ridden in Bobbits Lane, Pinewood (edge of Ipswich) for example, it is not an easy fix to stop it.

There is often a cross over in which agency is more appropriate to deal with the issue and I work very closely with the community safety team at Babergh and Mid Suffolk District council. If you are wanting to report ASB then I urge you to report it to both the Police and the Council. If you are a tenant, then your housing provider. If its regarding school children, please let the school know. Sometimes we don't know our actions are causing upset to someone else. Please pause and think, how would I feel if the situation was reversed?

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The Friends of St Peter's Church Stutton

Any money raised by the Friends goes towards the upkeep of our lovely parish church so i would like to thank everyone who has taken out a subscription for this year and also for the generous gifts we have received.

We are now fast approaching our main annual event, the evening summer party, which this year will be on **Wednesday 9th July** at Stutton Manor. (Postcode IP9 2TE). The theme this year is Turkish and anyone dressing up, headgear or otherwise, will be entitled to an extra glass of wine alongside the one which comes free with the ticket. Tickets, by the way, will be £10 each with under 16's free and they will be available in the Community shop from Tuesday 17th June. Early priority will be given to Friends.

Parking. For those with limited mobility please park at the front of the house, otherwise 100 yards down Manor Lane on the right.

Future events: Suffolk Churches cycle ride **Saturday 13th September**. Friends outing to Wimpole Hall **Saturday 27th September**. And finally after the summer party I shall be stepping down as Chairman of the Friends and I'm delighted to announce that Sarah Strutt will be my successor. I'm sure she will be excellent. With best wishes, **Cavan Browne**



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Charity Horse Ride

Saturday 5th April was a beautiful sunny day in Stutton and the surrounding area. There was a clip clop of horses around the village, but why, we asked? Vale Farm was hosting a charity fun ride around the designated Natural Landscape. "The Nest", a charity that supports mental health for children, benefited from their enjoyment raising OVER £3,000. Thanks to the Strutts and Clarks for making this event possible. 115 riders took part enjoying our beautiful village on their ride.

To be notified of future events
<http://eepurl.com/h-X6Lv>





Reviews

"I thoroughly enjoyed it and it was so well put together. I knew all of the words and tunes and the Vera Lynn song brought tears to my eyes." Glenys Ribbans



My heartfelt thanks for a truly wonderful celebration of the 80th anniversary of VE Day. It was a fitting tribute to the memory of those who sacrificed so much. For me the highlight of the evening came from the young lady dressed as a Brownie. Her vivid memories and wartime treasures brought history to life in such a personal and poignant way. I found this especially moving. The BBC-style narration was excellently delivered, weaving the show together seamlessly. The singing was first class. We are so lucky to have these songbirds living in our midst. The Dad's Army tribute was funny and warmly received by all. Alison, Fison Place



Puffins

This year the annual Open Air Concert by the Puffin Ensemble will be on Saturday 26th July at Bay Tree Farm, Lower Street Stutton. The Puffins will be playing a special arrangement of Mussorgsky's Pictures at an Exhibition, as well as some favourite tunes.

You are encouraged to bring a picnic and enjoy a relaxed evening of music in beautiful surroundings. The concert will start at 7.00 Gates open at 6.30. Look out for posters at the end of June as that is your signal to buy tickets from Stutton Community Shop.



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Community Shop

Summer is definitely on its way! Our stock of ice creams needs regular replenishing and the outside seating in our garden area, with its new shade sail, is in regular use for coffee, cake, sandwiches and sausage rolls! Our thanks go to Pam and Jayne for keeping the garden at its best, and to Gaye for the steady supply of fresh cakes and sandwiches daily. Thanks to Amanda from the Little Cake Box whose sweet treats also fly off the shelf.

By the time you read this, we hope to have been able to cope with extra shoppers from Holbrook while their Co-op is closed for refurbishment.

Our shop is an asset to our village, a great meeting place and a very pleasant building and garden to be proud of. We always try to be competitive in our pricing – this is mainly achieved through canny purchasing of our products by Jenny, who scours suppliers for special deals.

Our thanks also go to our volunteers who make a visit to the shop such a positive experience! If you would like to join our merry gang for a 2-hour shift do, please, get in touch. If you have not visited us before, pop along and get to know us! **Jane Pavitt 328512**

Road Safety News

In a drive to improve road safety in Stutton, the Parish Council are working with Suffolk Highways and County Councillor Simon Harley to improve road safety on Holbrook Road, around the school. Following on-site meetings improvements are to be carried out on lines, signs and repairs to barriers. In detail, the approved plans are to:

- Repair the damaged safety barrier outside the school
- Refresh the hazard centre marking lines on the S-bend
- Refresh the 2 x existing advisory slow markings and replace the bend warning sign plate
- Carry out a comprehensive speed survey



Pending the outcome of the survey, additional “30” and “SLOW” road markings may be applied on the approach to Larksfeld.

The cost of these improvements are being shared between the 3 parties and I'd like to thank Cllr Harley for his financial support in Stutton. The works are expected to create a safer traffic environment on Holbrook Road for not only the children & parents at the school, but all users of the road and pavement. Work should start during the summer. Special thanks to Siobhain Bruneau for the pressure and hard work about the state of the safety barrier!

Cllr Darren Cooper



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Local History Research Group

Having just had our spring meeting in which the recent Journal No. 40 was discussed, it was decided that the next meeting would be held once again in Garden House, Stutton Hall on Thursday 7th. August at 2.30 p.m.

Members are now researching fresh articles for the next Journal No.41, which should be for sale in the Community Shop in the New Year. New members are always welcome and if you are newcomers to the village, purchase a current copy if still on sale, if not there are a number of early issues still available from Vic Scott which will show the interest we take in our village's past. We have an ongoing research into the history of Stutton, and will be pleased to receive any photos, documents etc. relating to people, buildings or happenings in Stutton for our archive, and if necessary will scan and return them to their owners.

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Stutton Young Explorers

It has been a busy start to the Summer Term and we have recently been enjoying the wonderful sunshine! The children recently took part in the VE day celebrations, they enjoyed a 'tea party' at snack time whilst listening to music from the 1940's. They also decorated some bunting and made aeroplanes which were launched in the garden!

We are super excited to be welcoming 5 caterpillars into setting next week. The children (and staff) will watch their transformation over the coming weeks and will also be reading the Hungry Caterpillar book, exploring life cycles and the natural world.

It is around this time of year that we begin preparations for our summer production. This year, the children will be performing "Croak" to all parents/carers on Sunday 6th July at Stutton Young Explorers. Further details on purchasing tickets will be released at the start of June.

This term we are also looking at 'school preparation' and working closely with local schools to ensure the children are well prepared and all runs smoothly. We plan to visit Stutton Primary School to experience a school setting where we may even get time to play!

For those who don't know, Stutton has its very own Forest School located in the community woods, behind the playing field. The Forest School is run by our Charity (Constable Country Childcare) and will be open in September on a Tuesday and Thursday from 9.00am to 3.00pm. Earlier and later childcare can be facilitated at the Stutton Young Explorers setting and the children are walked from/to the forest with qualified members of staff.

Research has suggested that for every one-word children learn inside the nursery, four are learnt via outside learning! If you would be interested in enrolling your child to attend Forest School on one or both days, we will be present in the Forest behind the community shop on Saturday 7th June from 9-12 for parents/carers and children to come and visit, see the site and find out more! Forest school costs £51 per day (£8.50 an hour).

A reminder to all, we provide before and after school care for children attending Stutton primary school and care and education for children aged 4 months to 5 years. If you have any questions about Stutton Young Explorers please contact Hayley Aherne (Group Manager) on 07561 504913, or on 01473 328090.

Mary McLaren

Our District Councillor



“The magic to a great meeting is all the work that’s done beforehand” - Bill Russell

In the District Council Calendar, the annual council meeting in May is the point at which “musical” chairs take place. This is the meeting when the Chair and Vice Chair of the Council are elected and the Chairs and Vice Chairs of the major committees are also elected for the forthcoming year. Over the past year I have chaired the Overview & Scrutiny Committee & Joint Overview & Scrutiny Committee and apart from one year, have been privileged to undertake that role over a few years. Being a chairman is hard work as doing one’s homework is essential to having a successful meeting.

Reports on the financial cost of Climate Change Services, A Review of Waste Services and the Implementation of Simpler Recycling, a Review of the New Car Parking Charges, a re-visit to Pre-Planning Application advice and Accessibility of Written Documents are all scheduled for the forthcoming year.

I would like to highlight a new and innovative report - The Regulator of Social Housing is requiring Councils who provide Council Housing to demonstrate that they are listening to their tenants and are providing opportunity for the tenants to highlight areas of concern and are actively responding to those concerns. The Regulator is also asking for evidence that Tenants have a voice that is evidenced by minutes and action. There is a well-established Tenant Board (The Chair of that Board lives in Stour Ward) and in the past year they have implemented their own Scrutiny Function which will review in- depth concerns raised by other Tenants. They undertook the revision of the new Tenant Handbook which is now complete and available and undertook an in-depth investigation of Anti-Social Behaviour affecting Tenants and how that is managed. Their forthcoming scrutiny activity for the new fiscal year 2025-2026 will concentrate on Complaints.

Another Committee which I attend is the Joint Audit and Standards Committee which meets 3 monthly. This Committee consists of 10 members from both Districts. Ensuring that the risk of Fraud and Corruption is managed within both councils and is overseen and undertaken by the Head of Service for Internal Audit.

Residents already know about my SCC Health Scrutiny Committee commitment however I also attend as an observer on the West Suffolk Hospital Future Systems Board (The New West Suffolk Hospital Project Team) and as an observer on the Ipswich Citizens Advice Board. **Mary.McLaren@babergh.gov.uk**

The Night Sky this month - Mike Haynes

Some of you may have seen or heard a news item recently suggesting that a new planet had been found in the Solar System. Ever since the chance discovery of Uranus by William Herschel in 1781, astronomers have speculated about the presence of planets further out from the Sun. Unusual behaviour in the orbit of Uranus eventually led to predictions of such a planet and in 1846 Neptune was discovered pretty much where expected.

Subsequently Percy Lowell (seen opposite using one of the large early telescopes) proposed the Planet X hypothesis which suggested that a further planet existed beyond Neptune that was causing irregularities in the orbits of both Neptune and Uranus. The discovery of Pluto in 1930 seemed to vindicate this hypothesis but data from the Voyager 2 mission in 1989 clearly showed that errors in the calculations of the orbit of Uranus were to blame. In



recent years many small icy bodies have been discovered orbiting well beyond Pluto and we now believe that there are tens of thousands (or more) such bodies, known as transneptunian objects (TNOs). In 2017 a couple of astronomers suggested that the orbits of 6 such TNOs were being influenced by a so-called Planet 9. One significant feature of modern astronomy is the number of telescopes devoted to carrying out various forms of sky surveys, providing huge amounts of data on the positions of millions of objects from stars to planets and asteroids. A consequence of these surveys is that comparing images of the same piece of sky taken at different times will show up anything that changes, such as objects that move, like planets and comets, or brighter like supernovae explosions. The recent announcement was from an examination of images from two separate surveys 23 years apart which found 13 possible objects of interest orbiting the Sun way beyond Pluto. After further analysis they honed in on one strong candidate for the elusive planet. However, this is not the end; science demands far more evidence before conclusions can be drawn so the team will use another telescope to try to verify, or not, their initial findings. Fingers crossed but I am not holding my breath!

Stutton Community Association
Annual General Meeting 2nd June 7pm Community Hall
All welcome

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Larksfield 12.10 -12.40

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Suffolk Sight is a county-wide independent and voluntary charitable organisation promoting the welfare of blind and visually impaired people across Suffolk. If you feel you would benefit from our services, please contact our Ipswich office on 01473 611011. We meet on the last Weds of the month in Stutton Community Hall Barbara McDonald on 01473 328907

Community Facebook Pages:

Roundabout Stutton for a digital

copy of this magazine

Shaun's Shorts for

news from the villages



Village Link

We are a social club that has been established for over 25 years. We aim to bring villages together in a social context for a monthly meeting with a speaker followed by refreshments and a good natter. We meet on the second Wednesday of each month at 10 a.m. Tattingstone Village Hall. For further information contact **Linda 01473 311262**

Bereavement Support -

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Peninsular Repair Café

Venue Freston Village Hall

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Peninsula Swimming

Woolverstone High School

Email: info@spsc.email

Text: 07546 528336

£4.75 per session

All timings and information are on our Facebook page of the same name





Holy Family Roman Catholic Church

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revgoymour@googlemail.com

The parish website and church noticeboards show details of weekday masses.

The following weekday services may change so please check: stmarksparish.org.uk

Saturday 17.30 St. Mark's vigil mass with confessions from 17.00

Sunday 09.00 Holy Family,

Brantham 11.00 St. Mark's

Tuesday 10.00 Holy Family mass with Eucharistic Adoration at 9.20.

Wednesday 09.30 St. Mark's

Friday 12.15 St. Mark's mass with Eucharistic Adoration from 11.40.

During Lent Eucharist Adoration is replaced by Stations of the Cross and Sunday Services

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Monthly coffee mornings are on the first Friday of the month 10am – 12pm at the Lambe School, Gaston Street, East Bergholt. Monthly lectures are held on the second Wednesday at 2.15pm. Our speaker on 11th June is Andy Moore from Colchester Zoological Society who will tell us how they care for their animals and on 9th July we have Eleanor Jenkins giving a talk on "The Life of a Tudor Housekeeper". There is no talk in August as we have a Summer lunch instead. Come along, meet some members, hear more about us and decide whether you'd like to join.

Da Capo Summer Concert

Local choir Da Capo's summer concert will commemorate the 80th anniversary of the end of WW2 and is aptly named "Allo, Allo". There will be an opportunity to join in singing some Vera Lyn favourites and some Edith Piaf numbers as well as hearing the choir sing whilst you sit back and relax with a cuppa and some light refreshments such as you might have at a street party. The date is Sunday 13 July, the time is 3pm, the place is Stutton Village Hall, the chosen charity to receive all profit made is Blind Veterans UK. We will have three luxury hampers to raffle so bring some cash with you. No tickets needed and no entrance fee. For more information either ring Jane Gould on 01473 3238147 or email Jane on jane.gould@btinternet.con. See you there! PS. Following our Christmas concert we were able to send Bumblebees £800, thank you all for your generosity.

VILLAGE & LOCAL AREA DIARY

June		
2	Meet up Monday - see page 3	10.30-midday community hall
2	Stutton Community Association AGM	7pm Community Hall - all welcome
8	Stutton Grows Working Party	2 pm - 4pm
9	Parish Council Meeting	7.30 pm
16	Community Craft Club	7-9pm all welcome bring your own craft
28	Peninsula Repair Cafe - venue Freston	10.00 - 14.00 see page 18
27	Mobile Library	See page 18
27	Film night - A Real Pain	7.30 pm - see page 5
July		
7	Meet up Monday - see page 3	10.30-midday community hall
9	Stutton Manor - Garden Party See page 8	Tickets on sale from 17th June at the community shop
12	Summer Community Event - See page 12	12 - 5
13	Stutton Grows Working Party	2pm - 4pm
13	Da Capo presents 'allo 'allo	3pm see page 12 & 19
14	Parish Council Meeting	7.30 pm all welcome
15	Roundabout Article Submissions Deadline	roundaboutstutton@gmail.com
21	Community Craft Club	7-9pm all welcome bring your own craft
25	Film Night - Bridget Jones - Mad about the Boy	7.30 pm see page 5
25	Mobile Library	See page 18
26	Peninsula Repair Cafe - venue Freston	10.00 - 14.00 see page 18
26	Puffins - Open Air Concert see page 9	Bay Tree Farm gates open 6.30 for 7

- To do -

Community Hall

Monday	Pilates - Julie, Pure Pilates	6-7 pm
Tuesday	Baby and Toddler	9.30 - 11.30 am
	Divine Dance Academy	4 - 8 pm
Wednesday	Carpet Bowls club nights - 4,11,18 and 25 June/ 9,16 and 23 June	7.30 - 9.30 pm
Thursday	Chair Exercise Class	9.30 - 11.30 am
	Physiotherapy led Pilates x2	6.30 & 7.30 pm
Friday	Two Rivers Art Group	9.30 am - 12.00 pm
Saturday	Alton Water - Open Water Swim booking required	8.30 - 10.00
Saturday	Alton Water - parkrun.org.uk/altonwater	9.00 am

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Thursday	09:00 - 17:30
Friday	09:00 - 17:30
Saturday	09:00 - 14:00
Sunday	Closed



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