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Stutton Social Committee donate £1000 from Fete to Village Hall

A break in recent poor weather brought glorious sunshine to the third annual Stutton Village Fete on Saturday 22nd June.



Local volunteers worked tirelessly to provide a fun-filled afternoon packed with popular events, traditional games, family activities, and track sports.

Our four-legged friends were stars of their own show. Archery was among the demonstrations by medieval re-enactment group Frei Compagnie. Classic cars and motorbikes were on display and the emergency services called in to give advice and let youngsters sit in the hot seat. While visitors purchased from stalls selling local produce and enjoyed a BBQ lunch, Garforth Brass Band provided a live soundtrack to accompany the surroundings.

All profits from the day have been donated to the village hall, with the cheque presentation outside the hall last week.

Organisers wish to thank all those involved in making the day such a success, and to those who attended another great community event.

Chris M

Ye Olde Stutton Village

Windmill

['Tower Mill']

Can we claim this one?
It's within the Parish so
we're including it!

A familiar sight beside
the A64 for so long,
almost hidden by
surrounding trees
nowadays.

Built early 19th Century,
of our region's famous
limestone. Grade 2 listed
since 1987.



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Please note we will be sharing more pictures, details of these images, and a surprising fact or two related to it on the Stutton Village Facebook page in July.

But for now, a plea for any information about this wonderful old structure. More pictures, and your own memories or stories relating to it down the years, really appreciated. Thank you.



If you have any pictures of people and places of Stutton's past, and are willing to share online, in a future issue of the Standard and perhaps display a copy in the village hall, please contact us via stuttonsocialcommittee@gmail.com (Chris M)

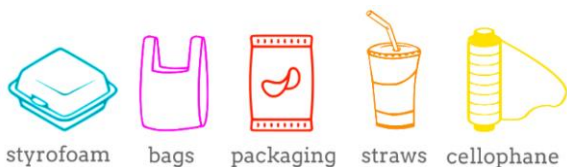


What is an Ecobrick?

12.7 Million tonnes of plastic reach the world's oceans every year; approximately one lorry load every minute. Oil-based non-bio-degradable plastics are all around us, found in our houses, offices, cars and practically every other environment. This not only harms our planet by harvesting a non-sustainable resource but also by irresponsible disposal which often result in plastics infiltrating our planet's eco-systems leading to irreparable damage. Even if these plastics are correctly recycled, there is a large amount of energy required to convert the plastics back into a useful material and this is often from unsustainable sources. Ultimately the goal is to use no unsustainable plastic products which will be supported by modern technological advances. Until such technologies are made commercially viable however, we as individuals can make decisions to utilise these plastics for constructive purposes. The 'Ecobrick' movement aims to tackle the plastic problem by collecting plastic products and converting them into a building material using only resources found in the home which can go towards projects in developing countries which need durable, cost effective and long-lasting materials in order to develop sustainably. 'Ecobricks' are made via several easy steps, starting with a plastic bottle, filled with pliable plastic material and creating them is a process which can fit into your busy lifestyle; supported by an online community, guides and applications. Visit <https://www.ecobricks.org/> for more information.

What you need to start an Ecobrick:

- A plastic bottle
- A wooden spoon
- Clean and dry non-recyclable plastic materials



Some 'top-tips' are listed below:



- Ensure the plastics at the bottom of the bottle are compact – the best tool for the job is a wooden spoon handle
- A 600ml bottle should weigh around 200 grams and a 1500ml bottle should weigh around 500 grams once full
- Visit the website above to see where you can drop off your Eco-brick

Toothbrush Recycling

As you may be aware it isn't possible to recycle used toothbrushes and toothpaste tubes in general home recycling.



Colgate has started a scheme with 'TerraCycle' where they are collecting used toothbrushes, toothpaste tubes and their packaging from dedicated recycle points around the UK.

There is now a collection box at the village hall that you can take any of the following items;

- Any brand of toothbrush outer packaging
- Any brand of toothbrushes
- Any brand of toothpaste tubes and caps
- Any brand of electric and battery toothbrush heads
- Any brand of toothpaste cartons

Let's getting recycling!



Stutton Stocks winner

And the winner is....

Sam Wright with her caption **'get into stocks mum said, it will make you rich she said'**
#wrongstocks #anotherfinemess

Well done to Sam who wins a £100 voucher that can be used at Tom Foolery in Boston Spa or Don't Tell the Duke in Wetherby.

Thank you to Marcus and Loredana for their generous donation and to all those who entered the competition.

Granny P's recipe corner

Gin and Tonic cakes

As summertime has arrived why not treat yourself to a G&T..... cake! As you sit in the garden relaxing

Ingredients

175g unsalted butter
175g golden caster sugar
175g self-raising flour
3 medium eggs
4 tbsp tonic water
2tbsp gin

Icing

250g unsalted butter
500g icing sugar
Juice of 1 lime
4tbsp gin
Zest of 1 lime
1 lime halved and thinly sliced



Method

1. Preheat oven to 170c and line cupcake /muffin tin with 12 cases.
2. Beat the butter and sugar in bowl until creamy
3. Add the eggs and whisk make sure all combine
4. Sift the flour and fold into mixture
5. Stir in the tonic water
6. Bake in the oven for 20 min or until golden
7. Remove from tins and skewer, brush with gin
8. For the icing, whisk the butter and icing sugar
9. Add the lime and gin and pipe onto cakes

If you have any family favourite recipes and you would like to share them with us all, please email them to me at wrigglesworth291@btinternet.com

Lynsay



Pop-up-Pub – Fridays, 7:30-11pm, Village Hall

Whilst the Hare & Hounds remains closed, SSC are running the pop-up-pub, every Friday from 7:30-11:00pm in the village hall.

A range of beverages are available so come along and have a chat with friends and neighbours over a drink or two.

Stutton Be-Aware

Text service



Over the past few years, Stutton has enjoyed the rejuvenation of the community spirit that was missing for too long.

The Parish Council, The Village Hall Committee and Stutton Social Committee all work together to endeavour to promote a mixture of events within the area, catering for the young and old alike, giving the community a sense of involvement and belonging.

Despite using Social Media, posters, leaflet drops and Stutton Standard to advertise events and meetings, the Committees continually hear that people didn't know an event was taking place or they had forgotten it was on. We understand that not everyone has access to computers or social media and that sometimes due to the location of posters they are not seen. In our busy lives it's easy to forget a time or date of an event or meeting that we would have loved to have attended or participated in.

So, to try to offer a solution to this problem Stutton Social Committee have decided to launch a **FREE** Stutton Community Messaging Service.

All residents have to do is register a mobile phone number with us, and then you will receive text messages reminding you of village meetings or events. In time this scheme can be extended to incorporate other local schemes operated by local agencies such as Flood and Weather or incident alerts.

Don't worry you will not be inundated with messages and your number will not be shared. This scheme will simply send a message that is relevant to our community to remind you of an event or meeting taking place in the coming week, or of any local activity that we feel you would benefit from hearing about.

To register please text your Name and Address to 07395 106180

(Please note: this number can only send and receive incoming messages, and is not an emergency contact number)

Once registered, you can unsubscribe at any time by texting "UNSUBSCRIBE" to the same number.

Stutton Social Committee

Upcoming Events

Date	Event	Venue
28 September	Stutton Race Night	Village Hall
31 October	Pumpkin competition	Village
2 November	Bonfire and fireworks	Weedling Gate
15 December	Christmas gathering	Village hall

For further details please come along to the social committee meetings, speak to a member of the committee or email the social committee either at the email address below or through Facebook.

Electronic copies of the Stutton Standard and notes from the social committee meetings can be found on the Parish Council website.

Diary of regular events

Pop-up Pub – every Friday from 7:30pm at the Village Hall

Table Tennis - Every Tuesday 8-9:30pm, Village Hall (over 16yrs only)

Stutton Strollers football team – Tadcaster Grammar school, Tuesday evenings 8.30-9.30pm, 50 weeks a year. Cost is £4, or reduced rate of £3 if in education or over 60. Aimed at 35yrs + but 16yrs+ welcome with parent. Contact Charlie 07388 227414 for more information.

Gardening Club – last Thursday of every month, 2pm at the village hall.

Choir (Ladies only) – Every third Monday of the month 8pm at the Village hall

Bridge club – Every Thursday, 7:30pm at the village hall

Book club - First Tuesday of the month, 8pm, village hall meeting room

Walking Group – Meet outside the Village hall 3rd Wed. or Thur. of the month. See notice board in village hall or in phone box for details or contact Jan (07929073199)

Mindfulness- Tuesdays from 6:45-7:45pm contact Sue - 07729 617471, 01937 831449

www.littleyin.co.uk

Stutton Social Committee meetings – every third Thursday of the month 7:30pm, Village hall meeting room, everyone welcome

Stutton Parish Council meetings – every second Thursday of the month, 7:30pm, village hall meeting room

Local links

Stutton Parish Council website – <http://www.stuttonpc.org.uk>

Facebook pages for Stutton Community – @stuttonVillage

Twitter - @StuttonVillage'

Stutton Social Committee – stuttonsocialcommittee@gmail.com