



# Village Voice

The Newsletter of Stanton Harcourt & Sutton

September 2019

## September

2 <sup>nd</sup>	Parish Council
7 <sup>th</sup>	Freddie's Quiz Night
14 <sup>th</sup>	Village Litter Pick
14 <sup>th</sup>	Village Market & Cafe
15 <sup>th</sup>	Great Village Produce Show
28 <sup>th</sup>	Celebration of Max

## October

19 <sup>th</sup>	Sutton Singers – Singalong at the Village Hall
31 <sup>st</sup>	FOSHS Halloween Party

## Village Market and Cafe

12 – 2 at the Village Hall on:  
14<sup>th</sup> September

Come on down to see a range of produce and crafts, enjoy a bite to eat at the café and catch up with your favourite villagers!



## Litter Pick & Village Maintenance

14<sup>th</sup> September 10am-12

Meet at the Village Hall and we'll see what we can get done before its time for tea at the market!

Please join us if you can (else come to the next one!)  
Children are welcome but **MUST** be supervised by an Adult at all times



## The Great Stanton Harcourt Produce Show

this year will be on Sunday September 15<sup>th</sup> so it's time to get your vegetables and flowers growing. The artistically inclined might like to be thinking about landscapes and cooks could be sorting out some recipes for apple cake! The full schedule will be available shortly from the village shop.

*With this year's produce show rapidly approaching it is time to dust off your winning trophies and return them ready for this year's winners. They can be given to one of the following people or left at the village shop or Smithy Cottage. Gill Salway, May Powell, Marilyn Booer, Jane Watts. Thank you.*

## Eynsham Road Closure

The B4449 will be closed overnight (8pm – 6am) to enable carriage repairs from the 2<sup>nd</sup> September, estimated to last until the 13<sup>th</sup>.

## Max Hilleard

Many will be aware of the tragic death of Kate and Gil's son Max Hilleard at the very young age of 25.

Max had lived in Sutton for over half his life and was well known-and loved- by many people in the village.

Kate and Gil are holding a "Celebration of Max's life" at the Village Hall on Saturday September 28<sup>th</sup> starting at Noon and invite all in the village who knew Max to come.

No flowers please but donations to Max's favourite charities NASIO and/or Great Ormond street Trust are welcome

[www.max-hilleard.muchloved.com](http://www.max-hilleard.muchloved.com)

*(There is no need to respond to this invitation but if you are coming please arrive promptly)*

## Quiz Night Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> September

Stanton Harcourt Village Hall

7:30 pm (doors open 7pm)

Entry £5 per person

Maximum team size 6 people

Cash Bar

All proceeds to Voluntary Services Overseas (VSO)

Contact Freddie Rich for any further details at [richfreddie22@gmail.com](mailto:richfreddie22@gmail.com)

## **SUTTON SINGERS**

**Would you like to have a go at singing?**

No auditions or previous experience. Just an enthusiasm to have a go!!

Fabulous local singing teacher – **Lizzie Soden** leads our group.

Come along and join our friendly fun group if you fancy a go at singing songs from musicals and other popular songs - for more details please

contact: Jan Tomlinson on

**01865 881709** or email

[janandpaultomlinson@gmail.com](mailto:janandpaultomlinson@gmail.com)

We meet on Tuesdays in the Sutton Methodist Chapel, New Road at 7pm, Sutton.

**Advance notice for**

**Sutton Singers Musical Singalong**

**Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> October 2019 in the Village hall**

**Bring along picnic/bar by FOSHS.**

**More details in September Village Voice.**

**KEEP THE DATE!**

## Drama Group - exciting news soon

about auditions for our twentieth panto in 2020! Keep your eyes on the drama group's Facebook page or the Villagers Other Voice Facebook Group or email [steve@stantonharcourtdrama.com](mailto:steve@stantonharcourtdrama.com) to register your interest.

### Bach at Bampton Sept 14<sup>th</sup> 2019 at 6pm Lower Windrush Chamber Choir and the Harcourt Early Music Ensemble

Will be performing **Bach Cantatas 106 and 131**  
in St Mary's Church, Bampton

Admission is free; retiring collection, bar  
available.

## EYNSHAM ARTS GROUP AUTUMN EXHIBITION

A sale of recent work by a group of  
talented local artists. Entry is free.

Bartholomew Rooms, Eynsham

**21st September until 29th**

**September** 10 am until 4 pm

New members welcome.

Meetings held on the last Wednesday of the  
month in the Music Room, Queens Street,  
Eynsham from 7.45 pm

Please visit our website for further

information [www.eynshamartsgroup.org.uk](http://www.eynshamartsgroup.org.uk)



## LOWER WINDRUSH HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Our new season of talks  
will be kicking off shortly  
and we have an  
increased programme  
this year.

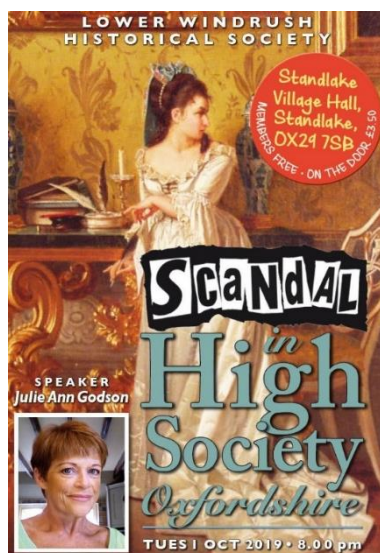
The first one will be  
"Scandal, in High  
Society Oxfordshire" on  
1<sup>st</sup> October with speaker  
Julie Ann Godson

Everyone is welcome  
and our membership is  
very reasonable at  
£15/person for 12  
months membership

which gets you entrance into our 6 evening talks  
plus light refreshments.

Non members are welcome to attend individual  
events for the cost of £3.50/person per  
event. Payment of membership is very  
straightforward - just bring a cheque or cash with  
you to your first event.

For more information, or to be added to our mailing  
list please contact [lwbscommittee@gmail.com](mailto:lwbscommittee@gmail.com) or  
look at our website [www.lwbs.btck.co.uk](http://www.lwbs.btck.co.uk)



## Reg Berry and the Cherries LIVE AT THE RED LION NORTHMOOR



**SATURDAY 7<sup>TH</sup>  
SEPTEMBER  
From 6:30pm  
FREE ENTRY**

### Feeling Creative?

Come and join us in the Methodist Chapel on the first  
Saturday of the month and enjoy a variety of crafts.  
Make friends and try jewellery making, painting, card  
making, sewing etc.

10.30 – 2.00. Small donation to cover costs. Bring and  
share lunch.

*Mandy Cowell and Brenda Waring Creation Craft*

### New Yatt Riding for the Disabled Group

Celebrating 35 years of providing therapeutic riding  
services to West Oxfordshire residents. Currently  
seeking new recruits to help with sessions and around  
the site. If you are available on weekday or weekend  
morning, please visit our website for more information  
[www.newyattrda.org.uk](http://www.newyattrda.org.uk)

Our Annual Charity Golf Day is being held at North  
Oxford Golf Club on Friday September 13<sup>th</sup> Teams of 4  
@ £50 per person, includes coffee and bacon rolls, 18  
holes of golf & a light meal, followed by prize giving.  
Format: 18 hole team Stableford, best 2 scores on each  
hole. Entry forms are available to download from the  
website [www.newyattrda.org.uk](http://www.newyattrda.org.uk)

For all information about entering a team (or as an  
individual, as we will pair you up) please contact Adi  
Hughes, Organiser [nyrdaevents@gmail.com](mailto:nyrdaevents@gmail.com), the closing  
date for entries is 6<sup>th</sup> September 2019

### Page 2 Bird

This month's bird is Dave and  
he's a Dunnock. Dunnocks  
are generally shy birds about  
the size of a Robin, although  
with less eccentric colouring. Often known for their  
rather alternative mating habits they have a  
particularly shrill call for their size and lay an  
alternative mixture of lovely blue eggs.





## Parish Council News

### Next Parish Council Meetings

**2<sup>nd</sup> September.** *First Monday of the Month 7:30pm*

### Oxfordshire Cotswolds Garden Village

The District Council has launched another consultation - don't miss the chance to have your say! West Oxfordshire District Council has published a 'preferred options' consultation paper which sets out current thoughts on how the garden village site should be taken forward. Download the document now:

[www.westoxon.gov.uk/media/2036815/Garden-Village-APP-Preferred-Option-Paper-July-2019.pdf](http://www.westoxon.gov.uk/media/2036815/Garden-Village-APP-Preferred-Option-Paper-July-2019.pdf)

Printed copies of this paper are also available in Eynsham Library. For more information and supporting technical studies visit WODC's Garden Village web page. Deadline for your response is 11 October - don't miss the chance to have your say.

*Email your comments to:*

[planning.policy@westoxon.gov.uk](mailto:planning.policy@westoxon.gov.uk)

*Or write to:*

Planning Policy Team, West Oxfordshire District Council, New Yatt Road, Witney OX28 1PB

Exhibitions of the plans will be held at Eynsham Village Hall on 6 September and Hanborough Pavilion on 20 September from 14:00-20:00.

### Creating a cycling network

Oxfordshire County Council (OCC) has launched a survey to understand what cyclists like or dislike about cycling in the county and any problem locations they have.

Feedback from the survey will help OCC to draw up the first Local Cycling and Walking Infrastructure Plans (LCWIPs). These will then be used to help create a network which is attractive, comfortable and easy to use for all cyclists. LCWIPs will identify preferred routes and priority areas for further development over the next 10 years, with the programme dependent on Government funding.

The survey closes on September 6, please take a moment or two to highlight the B4449 as a route that you would like prioritised. To take part please click the link [Oxfordshire Cycle Survey 2019](#) and then click the box "other ways to respond to this consultation".

### Oxfordshire Minerals and Waste Development Scheme

OCC has started work on the 'Minerals and Waste Local Plan: Part 2 – Site Allocations'. This plan will allocate specific sites for waste processing and mineral working including other minerals development for the period to 2031 and will set out detailed policies for management of development of those sites.

### Hayfield site development

The Parish Council wish to thank Hayfield for providing advance communication material that has enabled more residents to see the intended final layout for this development

### Village Roadworks

The Parish Council is disappointed that despite payment being agreed it has still taken so long to get the dip in the road by the entrance to the Village Hall Car Park fixed. Hopefully the issue will be resolved in the near future.

**[www.pc.stantonharcourt.online](http://www.pc.stantonharcourt.online)**

### Parish Council Information

All official communications should be addressed to the Parish Clerk: Trudi Gasser, 5 Woodlands, Standlake, Oxon, OX29 7RA.  
[trudigasser@rocketmail.com](mailto:trudigasser@rocketmail.com)

## From Oxfordshire to the Orne: Normandy 75<sup>th</sup> Anniversary exhibition comes to the Soldiers of Oxfordshire Museum

The exhibition will run from the 7th August – 3rd November 2019 and will end with a special collecting day on the 2nd November.

SOFO's 'We'll

Meet Again' Collections Day will encourage members of the public to bring objects to the museum and tell their stories of Oxfordshire from the Second World War to the 1970's. Any objects donated or loaned on the day will be used to form our Second World War and Reminiscence displays.

The Soldiers of Oxfordshire Museum is open from Tuesday-Friday 10am-5pm, Saturday 11am-5pm and Sunday 2pm-5pm. The county's only military history museum is located in the grounds of the Oxfordshire Museum, Park Street, Woodstock.



## School News.....

***Back to Primary School on the 3<sup>rd</sup> of September***

***School Clubs start on the 16<sup>th</sup>.***

## Sutton Methodist Chapel

Contact: Rita Stockill ☎ 01865 880200

### September

Sunday 4 <sup>th</sup> 10am	Coffee Morning
Sunday 1 <sup>st</sup> 10am	Informal Gathering
Sunday 8 <sup>th</sup> 10am	Mr Robin Gurney
Sunday 15 <sup>th</sup> 10am	Rev'd Jason Cooke inc Holy Communion
Sunday 22 <sup>nd</sup> 10am	Service at Long Hanborough
Sunday 29 <sup>th</sup>	<b>No Service</b>

**Coffee Morning – First Wednesday of each Month**  
10.00–11.30 am. All welcome

## St Michael's Church

The Lower Windrush Benefice is in the process of appointing a new Rector.

During the period of vacancy, if you have any queries regarding a funeral, marriage or baptism at St Michael's,

please contact Alison Shaw initially;  
01865 300 615 ali46pshaw@yahoo.co.uk

For all other queries please contact:

Gill Salway salwaypg@btinternet.com

Jane Watts jane.saddleback@talktalk.net

[www.lowerwindrushbenefice.org](http://www.lowerwindrushbenefice.org)

### September

1 <sup>st</sup> 9:30	Parish Communion & Sunday School	Stanton Harcourt
8 <sup>th</sup> 10:30	Benefice Communion	<b>Standlake</b>
15 <sup>th</sup> 9:30	All Age Worship	Stanton Harcourt
22 <sup>nd</sup>	No Service	
29 <sup>th</sup> 10:30	Harvest Festival & Benefice Eucharist	<b>Stanton Harcourt</b>

## The Catholic Church of St Peter

**Abbey Street, Eynsham. The Catholic Church**  
for Sutton & Stanton Harcourt

Fr Mark Lagorio

☎ 01865 881613

✉ stpeterschurcheynsham@gmail.com

**Website:** [www.stpeterseynsham.org.uk](http://www.stpeterseynsham.org.uk)

### Weekend Services

Sunday Mass 10.00am with a Children's Liturgy

Saturday Mass 5pm

Bible Study after Mass on Wednesdays

Adoration after Mass on Fridays

**Deadline for next issue is 20th of the Month**  
**[village-voice@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:village-voice@hotmail.co.uk)**

## New Village Website In Progress...

We're developing a new village website to compliment the facebook group and email, the aim of this is primarily to hold longer term information on village groups, businesses and interesting items like village history. The new website is in its early stages but can be found at:

**[stantonharcourt.online](http://stantonharcourt.online)**

If you run a village group or have a business in the village why not let us know and we can include it on the site. Send details to:

**[webmaster@stantonharcourt.online](mailto:webmaster@stantonharcourt.online)**

Or why not get involved and help edit pages, let us know and we'll allocate you a page and set up a login.

**Not a fan of being on the line, if you're a Person who Prefers Paper, try the 'Pink Pages!'**

Alongside this once, we have enough details we're looking to create the Pink Pages (like the yellow pages but pink!) to hold listings of businesses in the village which will be available on paper at various locations in the village for collection.

## Charity Race Night



**Saturday 12th October, 2019**

**Eynsham Village Hall**

Back Lane, Eynsham OX29 4QW

First Race 7.30pm. Doors open at 7.00pm

7 Video Races with Tote Betting,

**Licensed Bar**

**Ticket Price £10** (includes 2 course meal - veggie option available)

Book your table in advance - Tickets available from DIY Evenlode,

Roy Wilkinson 07970 227364, Phil Spencer 01865 881025.

Alan Longford 01865 464179

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**AS ALWAYS – Thank you to this month's contributors, reviewers, & deliverers**

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