

# SUFFIELD VILLAGE NEWSLETTER

SPRING 2023

## Parish Council

The next PC meeting will be at 7pm at the village hall on Weds 15<sup>th</sup> March. All are welcome.

The council are hoping to organise a **First Aid** course in addition to the Defibrillator training to be held in the village hall – see below for details.

We will also be asking for volunteers who would be willing to put their contact details on a list which anyone in the village could use in the case of emergency. If you would consider being on this list of “first responders”, please could you email your details to the address at the bottom of the page, or let one of the councillors know.

If you have anything you would like discussed at a meeting please let a councillor know at least 3 weeks before the meeting so it can be added to the agenda. Please continue to support our bottle bank which is situated near the church, as it brings an income into the village which can be used for village projects.

The AGM will be held on 17<sup>th</sup> May at 7pm

The **village website** is [www.suffieldpc.co.uk](http://www.suffieldpc.co.uk) where you can find all the minutes and agenda's for the council meetings as well as on the notice boards.

## Coffee mornings

Held in the village hall from 10am to 12 noon, the community coffee morning is a chance to meet up with friends and neighbours, enjoy a little refreshment and catch up with all the village news.

The dates for the coffee mornings are as follows: 21 Mar, 18 Apr, 16 May, 13 June. There is no set charge but a donation toward costs is appreciated.

## Village Hall

The trustees of the village hall have purchased a defibrillator which is now installed. They have arranged for **defibrillator training** to be given by members of the Norfolk Accident Rescue Service on 9 March at 7.30pm in the village hall. This is a charitable event so there is no charge, but donations will be gratefully received. No need to book a space, just turn up – you could save a life!

We have a few events to look forward to at the Village Hall so put the dates in your diaries

Information to be included in the Autumn newsletter can be emailed to [helenalmey1@gmail.com](mailto:helenalmey1@gmail.com) before September 2023

Sunday 7th May **Suffield Village Coronation Picnic**  
Bring your own picnic and join friends and neighbours at the Village Hall from 12 o'clock Tea and Coffee will be provided.

Saturday 24th June **Tabletop Sale**

Come and buy or sell or both!

Tables can be booked for £5 please contact Karen or any of the Trustees

**Christmas Fayre** 2nd and 3rd December

Local crafts and Christmas treats

More details to follow.

If you would like to book the hall for a private function please telephone Sue Hubbard on 01263 768728

## Suffield Church

The cleaners of Suffield Church are organising the **Suffield Festival of Arts and Crafts** to be held in the church on 29 and 30 July 2023. This will be an event to raise funds for our church and will be a fantastic venue for local artists and crafters to showcase their unique skills. If you would be interested in taking some space for this event or could spare an hour or two to provide refreshments for our visitors, please could you let Patricia Spencer know or send an email to the address at the bottom of the page.

There will be an open meeting on 20 March at 10.30am in the village hall to discuss and iron out the details for this event.

This will be the first fund raising event in the church for a long time and the funds are very low so every penny and every bit of help will be most welcome.

