

Stillington News

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November 2014

Stillington Bonfire - Saturday 8th November

In the field to the south of the Sports and Social Club.

Torchlight procession leaves the Village Hall at 6.45pm.

For safety reasons, an approved traffic management company will close the High Street to traffic between 6.45 and 7.15pm.

The bonfire will be lit by the torchbearers on their arrival at the field.

Fireworks commence at 7.30pm.

Please note that for safety reasons, private fireworks and sparklers are not allowed on the field.

Tickets: £3 adults/£1 children in advance at the Post Office, or £4 and £1 at the gate.

Please note: we aim to collect combustible material from around the village between 9am and noon on the day of the bonfire, in the usual way. If you have material suitable for burning that you would like to put out, please be available to help with loading. Please note we cannot take mattresses.

Please help!

We are very grateful for the response we have received to our requests for help in recent months. More volunteers would be very welcome – to help with the rubbish collection (please come to the field at 9am on the day) and to act as stewards in the procession and at the field during the event (you can do this while enjoying the event in the usual way - please call Graham Cookman on 810347 or Andy Hart on 810598 for details).



ROYAL BRITISH LEGION STILLINGTON BRANCH



The Remembrance Sunday Service will take place at

All Saints Church Brandsby on Sunday 9th November 2014 at 10.45 am.

Legion Members and Guests should parade outside the Church at 10.30. am.

Field of Remembrance

A small Field of Remembrance will be set up in Stillington Churchyard just beside the church porch. It is for anyone to plant a cross in memory of those departed who served in HM Forces.

The remembrance crosses can be purchased from Royal British Legion poppy sellers when they come round during Remembrance Tide.

A short Service of Remembrance will take place at the Field of Remembrance at 11.00 am on Tuesday 11th November 2014

Remembrance Sunday at St Leonard's Farlington

This recently reintroduced service is being held again this year and will start at

10.45 on Sunday, November 9th

The service will be followed by a simple lunch at High Towthorpe which any member of the congregation is welcome to join.

There will be no charge for the lunch but any donations will be given to the British Limbless Ex-servicemen's Association.

Welcome to the November edition of Stillington News.

Copy deadline for December issue: Thurs 20th November.

Contributions by email to (copy to both, please):

Howard Williams: howardw1151@btinternet.com

Hazel Ratcliffe: ratcliffe528@btinternet.com

Or hand in your contribution to put in the 'Stillo News' envelope behind the counter at the shop (please leave a contact name). Photos by email, please, preferably B&W.

Weather Report

Rainfall

September was widely reported as being the driest for 100 years. My records for Stillington do not go back that far but it was certainly the driest I have recorded. At 17mm it was less than a third of the average figure. It may have been dry but it was not sunny. The output of my solar panels was the lowest since February!

Normal rainfall has been resumed in October with 35mm in the first sixteen days.

Temperature

Temperatures in September did not again reach the 25.7°C attained on the 5th of the month. However the latter part of the month was mild, with day-time temperatures mostly reaching the low 20's. The coldest night of the month was the 26th/27th when it fell to 6.2°C.

October started mild but then temperatures fell sharply. On the 14th the day-time temperature only reached 13.1°C. *MT*

Neighbourhood Watch

Halloween and 'trick or treating'

Most people are happy to hand over sweets or biscuits to children who are having fun. However, occasionally things can go too far with threats of vandalism such as 'egg and flouring' the house or worse. So some residents might not want to answer the door at this time of year.

We have some posters you can use to show your preferences. They also have some useful advice on the back:

- No trick or treaters - A4
- No trick or treaters - A5
- Trick or treaters welcome - A4
- Trick or treaters welcome - A5

If you are going trick or treating:

- Children aged 10 years or younger should be accompanied by an adult.
- Wear light coloured clothing or something reflective. Have a torch or light stick with you and leave them switched on.
- If your children are going trick or treating without you, make sure they tell you where they are going and that a responsible member of the group has your phone number.
- Never enter anyone's house unless you know them well, are comfortable doing so and they have invited you into their home.
- Never ask for money.
- Trick or treating should end at about 9:30 p.m. Don't ring doorbells after that time.
- Even if lights are on, don't ring anyone's doorbell more than twice.
- Always use the front door - never go to the back of a house.
- Don't walk across lawns and gardens - use the path to the front door and respect other people's property.
- Always be polite and remember to say thank you!

Stillington Under Fives



New advertising! We hope you like our new posters that are now up around the village...we are currently going through an overhaul of all of our advertising to bring it up to date and freshen it up.

Baby wipe collection. Some of you may be aware that Stillington Playgroup collects empty baby wipe packets to help raise money for a Brain Tumour charity called Ellie's fund. We now also collect baby wipe packets from other local playgroups and have recently sent off a

parcel of 1300 packets! If you use baby wipes or know anyone that does, please save them for us so that we can put them towards our fundraising efforts!

Superheroes are landing for Children in Need! Our children (and staff) are getting involved with raising money for Children in Need by dressing up as superheroes for the day! There will also be a bun sale for the parents at the end of the Playgroup session.

Come and say hello at the Christmas Fayres! Look out for our stall at the Village Christmas Fayre this year...hopefully we'll be stocked up on plenty of cakes, chutneys and other Christmassy items!

Our AGM is on 20th November, 8pm in the Playgroup classroom (behind the main school building), all welcome.

Baby and Toddler Group runs every Friday during term time, 10-11.30am, at the Village Hall. This group is open to anyone with children from birth to school age, come along and meet us!

If you would like any more information on the Playgroup then please use the details below to contact us!

Contact: 07779 414226; **Website** www.stillington-under-fives.org.uk

Stillington Wanderers

29th Sept. walk was round Crayke's Millennium walk with the Howardian Hills as backdrop. The mosaic trail markers from the village go northwards to the Dutch House at Mill Green and the route turns west and back via Gallows Hill.

A new walk to many on 13th October was from Ampleforth westwards along the picturesque southern boundary of North Yks Moors National Park round Hesse Hill to Byland Abbey. The search here was the field site for the BBC TV's recent filming of "Countryfile" featuring this year's "One Man and His Dog" competition.

Next walks are 10th and 24th November. Meet outside the White Bear at 09.30.



CHRISTMAS FAIR

Village Hall
Friday 28th November
6-8pm

lots of stalls, seasonal refreshments
raffle and Cheshire Home tombola

VILLAGE LUNCH

White Bear Inn
Tuesday 18th November
From 12.15pm

£6.50 2 courses / £7.50 3 courses.
Come along for a meal and good company

Christmas Village Lunch will be on Tuesday 16th December
Book now Call 810024

THE PIRATES OF PENZANCE

YORK OPERA : THEATRE ROYAL : THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 6th

The coach will leave from outside the Bay Tree at 6.30pm

There are still one or two places left on the coach: **£20** circle seat [+ price of coach seat] If interested, telephone 810024

In the Countryside

Monday, 20th October has dawned rather grey with many leaves still on the trees. This month has been another wonderful time of fine mild, dry days - many of which were still and sunny. The autumn work on the farm has gone on wonderfully well with seed planted into good seedbeds, even if a little dry.

Some oilseed rape crops have suffered with the ravages of flea beetles. These tiny little beetles jump around on the bare ground eating emerging leaves leaving some plants with many holes in the leaf and totally eliminating others. In a heavy infestation the ground shimmers with these hungry insects. They were the cause of much crop failure in the turnip/swede fields of our fathers

before DDT was invented. Since, seed dressings have dealt with the problem. However, some chemicals have been removed from the market and the little beggars are back this year and, down south, some farmers have lost 25% of their crop. The grass is still growing vigorously and the sheep are feeding well on it setting them up well for the winter months.

Yesterday, we picked apples to store for winter use. We find that they keep well if they are stored cool and frost-free in our outbuildings. There is a good crop with wonderful colour as they have ripened in the sunshine to gold and rosy red. The forklift is a vast improvement on the old ladders on the high trees - and much safer.

Saturday, we were at the Countryside Live Event at the Yorkshire Show Ground. There were several Red Kites about; it always amazes me how they seem oblivious to crowds of people and vehicles. Recently, I saw one flying low and the sun on its back revealed a red colouring on the upper rump of the bird. In a falconry display, a barn owl was mobbed by five or six carrion



Barn owl

crows but took little notice of them and remained obedient to its handler. Later a larger harris hawk was released and the crows soon disappeared. I wonder why?

We had a goldcrest feeding on the cotoneaster busily hopping around after tiny insects. The last swallows have only just gone - they being the youngsters from a final brood, who, with the good weather will have got well fuelled up with fat reserves for a long overseas haul. One bird goes - others just arrive. There are more jays this year about than usual I think. Some birds will be indigenous but more will have come from the continent to consume a good crop of acorns. One jay landed just a few yards from the wagon in the yard where I was having a lazy moment. So I enjoyed having a close look at this colourful member of the crow family, corvidae being the proper title for them. These buff

brown birds with stiffer bills than other crows and speckled foreheads with an unmistakable white rump - seen at best in its undulating flight - and of course the sky-blue black spotted feathers in the wings, that have often adorned the trilby hat of years past.

Recently at Morrison's Supermarket in York, a young tree's branches were whited with what look like lichen; on closer looks it was bird droppings so I guess that a goodly group of wagtails

were roosting there. Wagtail seem to like the bright lights of city life for their night life. The pied wagtail numbers seem to be on the increase by what I see in the fields. We have a grey wagtail about the yard at the moment - they have yellow bellies and grey upper parts and, like other wagtails, are rather smart.

There is a vast array of wonderfully coloured trees about at the moment to enjoy visually, along with a rich variety of cloud colours, rainbows and amazing sunsets all there for the eye that sees. Enjoy.

R & MJ

SCHOOL NEWS

The first half term of the year has been completed and everyone has settled in well and is working hard.

Junior Trip

The Junior Class are visiting the Danelaw Centre for Living History based at the Yorkshire Museum of Farming on 3rd November to support their topic of 'The Romans'.

During the day the children will experience first-hand the daily life of a Roman soldier. The children will take part in role-play scenarios and will have the opportunity to use period equipment and artefacts.

Fire Safety

North Yorkshire Fire and Rescue will be visiting us on 7th November to talk to the whole school about fire safety.

Guys for Stillington Bonfire

Our Year 6 children will be making Guys for Stillington Bonfire. Their creations will spend a few days sitting outside Stillington Post Office so please look out for them when you are visiting.

Sporting Events

The children have been very busy taking part in various sporting events

with other children in the area. After two rounds of netball and football matches, we are taking part in tag rugby and a cross country competition in November. We have an enthusiastic bunch of children at Stillington School who thoroughly enjoy taking part in these events!

Christmas at Stillington School

As you can imagine, the run up to Christmas is very busy at school. We are beginning our festivities with a Christmas film night run by our Friends of Stillington School.

Starting Primary School in September 2015?

If you have a child who is due to start primary school next year or you know of any friends or family who would be interested in Stillington School as their primary school choice, now is the time to apply. Admissions can be done online at www.northyorks.gov.uk/admissions.

We are always happy to show prospective parents around our school, so if you would like to make an appointment or you would just like to ask a few questions, please ring Mrs Gough in the office on 01347 810347.

Sports and Social Club Quiz

Friday 7th November
[for the Tennis Club]
8.00pm at the Club

All are welcome - either come on your own to make up a table, or come as a team.

October Quiz raised the magnificent sum of £287 to help the re-formed Football Club. The organisers and players are wished well for their new venture.

The winning team was Betty & Geoff Bainton, Jacob Gray and Michael Turvey.

Their overall score matched the three-man team of Janet & David Martin and David Hargreaves and it was the bonus round ruling that made the difference between coming 1st and 2nd.

White Bear Pub Quiz
Sunday 30th November

Parish Council Notes

(A full set of the minutes can be seen at the Post Office)

MINUTES OF MEETING HELD ON WEDNESDAY 1st OCTOBER 2014 IN STILLINGTON VILLAGE HALL

Common Land on the South Side of Newton House, York Road Stillington

There was no further news from The Land Registry Tribunal on our application and their decision is still awaited. It is hoped that a decision will be forthcoming in the near future.

Fairview High Street Stillington

A formal planning application has been submitted.

New Parish Notice Board

Norton Joinery has now completed the Notice and it will be delivered in the next

couple of weeks.

Painting of the White Fences

The paintings of the fences are expected to be completed by the end of this week.

Stillington Village Signs

It was agreed to delay a decision on the renewal of the signs until the November meeting.

Hedges around the Churchyard

Action is in hand to cut the hedges around the Church. This will be completed in October.

Yellow Lines Outside the School

The information given by NYCC to the Parish Council regarding the date of 6 September when the Yellow lines were to be repainted was incorrect. NYCC have now confirmed that the school lining works are currently on hold while an amended Traffic Regulation Order is granted. It is not known when this will be granted.

Mobile Telephone Mast

There was no further progress on this to assist the Harlequin Group. It was agreed to re-visit, and to identify other possible sites in the village and surrounding areas.

? It's time to look at the Future Use of our Village Sports and Social Club

Cricket has been played in Stillington since the 1880s and Football from the early 1900s.

But it wasn't until 1959 and 1961 that land was purchased to enable both sports to be played on the same site and the Stillington Playing Fields charity was established. A wooden ex-RAF building became the first Social Hall, Bar and changing rooms; extensions in the 1970s provided a brick built bar, lounge, wider hall and new changing rooms.

Both the outdoor and indoor facilities have been managed and maintained more or less entirely by volunteers throughout this time. Bar stewards have been employed to help run the bar until just recently.

We now need to look at possibly different ways to use and manage the facilities for the next generation.

- The Club has an idyllic setting within a woodland belt on the edge of the village
- Safe car parking is available
- Children's Play Area is being refurbished
- How best to use and manage the indoor facilities?

Some ideas that are already coming out:

- Re-model the layout
- Indoor recreation and fitness activities for all age groups
- Parties and functions
- Live Music
- Renewable energy
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If you have any ideas and would like to be involved please contact:
Dennis North, Chairman on Tel. 810216, Jane Ingham, Secretary Tel. 810312
Christine Cookman Tel. 810047 thecookmans@btinternet.com
or Harold Tomlinson Tel. 811443 haroldtomlinson@hotmail.com

Stillington Gardening Club

- 24th September
Ray Creek - Orchids

I cannot have been the only listener at Ray Creek's excellent talk to think sadly of the various orchids I have killed with a mixture of over-watering, over-feeding and ignorance.

We learnt that there are some 20,000 wild species of orchids, spread from the tropics to the arctic.

They are not soil growers, preferring to grow in the fork of a tree with their roots hanging free to gather moisture from which they gather their own food. So stop packing their pots with compost and just wet those roots (preferably with tap water) every few weeks.

But they do need light. So if yours like mine have started to drop their flowers it is because of our shorter hours of daylight. Hang on till Spring and it will recover.

Every three years or so they will need a bit of fresh coconut husk compost and any dodgy bits of root removing. But on the whole we were urged to neglect them more, keep them cool but not cold, and just to enjoy them.

The next Gardening Club meetings (7.30 pm Village Hall) are on 29th October when Martin Howe will talk about "Problem areas in the garden" and 26th November when Ian Room will talk about "Tropical and Exotic Plants". SVC

Host for Hope

in aid of Pancreatic Cancer UK

I am taking part in **Host for Hope** in memory of my sister in order to help improve research and diagnosis.

I will be holding a Coffee Morning/Bake sale, 11am to 1pm on Saturday 29th of November

at Carrside, York Road, Stillington (opposite the bus shelter)

I would be delighted if you could join me, Lorraine Chamberlain

Chorus Natus Est 13th December

Chorus Natus Est take big sounds to small places, recreating well-known works usually sung by hundreds with just four classically trained voices. Come along to start Christmas with a beautiful rendition of Messiah at the Village Hall on Saturday 13th December at 7.30pm - a perfect winter warmer. Tickets available from the Village Stores and tel:811544 from mid November.

Women's Institute

Our last meeting started with business. Two of our ladies will be attending the Autumn Council Meeting in York later this month. All poppies have now been collected in time for the

Remembrance Service at Brandsby. We discussed our Centenary Lunch next January to celebrate the Centenary Year of the WI. We talked about the National Federation of Women's Institutes Annual Meeting in London next June, and how it will be shown via link at the Galtres Centre. 'Picnic in the Park; at Castle Howard next July, was also mentioned.

Our speaker for the evening was John Foxtan who gave a wonderful talk on 'Bulbs and Autumn Bedding'. He talked about planting bulbs in groups, not lines. Also thinking about heights that the bulbs will grow to, but also die back, so as to get the best display. Old favourites were covered like primroses/primulas, pansies/violas and wall flowers which still give brilliant displays. John shared his skills and experience with us, and told of his time working at Castle Howard.

Margaret J thanked John for his wonderful talk, and refreshments were served.

We meet on the 2nd Wednesday of each month at 7pm. Our meetings are open to everyone, and our speakers usually start at 8pm. We charge £3.50 to guests which includes the talk, refreshments and a raffle ticket.

Our talk for November is 'Missions in Space'. We look forward to seeing many new faces. SM



STILLINGTON TENNIS CLUB

Tennis AGM is Monday 10th November 8pm at the Sports and Social Club. All are welcome.

Winter club sessions continue from 2pm on Saturday afternoons and there is Ladies tennis on Friday mornings from 9am to 10am. Again all are welcome.



STILLINGTON CRICKET CLUB

The cricket season came to an end with a BBQ and Raffle night at the club on Saturday 13th September; the committee would like to thank everyone for buying tickets.

List of winners:

Keith Midgley	Belinda Wells	
Toby Wells	Tim Jarvis	
Peter Jarvis	Mark Aconley	
Mr Dobson	Derek Harrison	
Sandra Harrison		
Xanthe Coulson		
Mark" The chef at the White Bear"		
David Milburn	Jackie Powell	Ben Drummond
Chris Drummond	Neil Dale.	

Presentation night was held at the White Bear on Friday 26th September; the awards were presented by the chairman Tim Jarvis:

- 1st team Batting, Barry Milburn
- 1st team Bowling, John Milburn
- 1st team Catches, Mark Aconley
- 2nd Team Batting, Tim Jarvis
- 2nd Team Bowling, David Jarvis
- 2nd Team Catches, Peter Jarvis

Clubman of the Year went to 1st Team Captain Mark Aconley

Many thanks went to the Groundsman Dennis North for all his hard work this year keeping the grounds looking immaculate, also not forgetting the time and commitment by the 2 umpires, David Milburn and Eric Wade.

STILLINGTON CC AGM WILL BE HELD AT THE SPORTS CLUB ON MONDAY 10 NOVEMBER AT 7.30PM. MEMBERS TO ATTEND. NEW MEMBERS VERY WELCOME.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS. ANY NOMINATIONS CAN BE FORWARDED TO THE SECRETARY, BELINDA WELLS, 811180 belindajwells@live.com.



Sports and Social Club

Easy Sequence Tea Dances

Sunday 2nd November: from 2pm - 5pm

Music by Elizabeth Harrison

Dancing, refreshments and raffle for £4.50

Christmas Dance: 2pm - 5.30pm : £5

Sunday 7th December

CDs by Peter Caley

STILLINGTON SQUASH CLUB

The Peel handicap trophy played on Sat 27th Sept. was won by Mike Williams; Runner Up Ollie Headlam-Morley; Plate winner Giles Bilton and Runner up Nick Peel.

Coach Matt Bridson has started after-school mini-squash sessions on Wednesday afternoons. This is focused on primary school age children. Please contact Matt mattsquash@live.co.uk if interested.

A big thanks

On 26th September at 07:40am I was merrily cycling to work and unfortunately an incident took place at the York Road T junction where a vehicle collided with me.

I would like to thank all of the people that stopped to help me and telephoned the emergency services.

The most memorable of these were Dr Jones for reassuring me my injuries were not too bad, John Milburn for informing my wife and son of the collision, and Steve who lives opposite the T junction for looking after my poorly twisted bike and returning it to me.

And also after my return from hospital the fantastic gift of fruit and cake brought round by Mrs Cookman: all very much appreciated.

A Big Thanks

Nigel Kettlewell

STILLINGTON POST OFFICE & STORES

**Mince Pies & Coffee Morning
Saturday 29th November
from 9.30am onwards**

Come upstairs at the Shop for a chat and a cuppa, and take a look at our range of Christmas goods and hampers.

VILLAGE DIARY

(VH = EVENTS AT THE VILLAGE HALL)

NOV

1		10
2	U19 Football v Fulford; Tea Dance 2-5pm	11
3	Dominoes 5s & 3s v Blacksmiths [away]	12
4	Short Mat Bowls 2-4pm VH	
5	Parish Council 7.30pm VH	13
	Pool: A v Castle,	14
	B v Mended Drum [away]	15
6	Sewing Class 9am-3pm	16
	Martial Arts 5.15-8.15pm VH	17
7	Baby & Toddler Group 10.00 VH	18
	General Knowledge Quiz 8pm	19
8	Football v Union	
	Stillington Bonfire	20
9		

	Stillington Wanderers 9.30am W Bear	
	Cricket AGM 7.30pm; Tennis AGM 8pm	21
	Short Mat Bowls 2-4pm VH	22
	Bowls Match 7pm VH	23
	W.I. 7.15pm VH	24
	Pool: B v Horseshoe,	
	A v Blacksmiths [away]	25
	Sewing Class 9am-3pm	26
	Happy Hour 2pm VH	
	Martial Arts 5.15-8.15pm VH	
	Baby & Toddler Group 10.00 VH	27
	Football v Snainton 2pm; Dominoes	
	Football U19 v Rawcliffe	
	Gardening Club Committee Mtg	28
	7.30pm	29
	Short Mat Bowls 2-4pm VH	30
	'Lions Tea' 2-4pm VH	
	Pool: A v Mended Drum,	
	B v Horseshoe C [away]	
	Sewing Class 9am-3pm	

DEC

1	Dominoes 5s & 3s v New Inn
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CHURCH SERVICES

METHODIST CHAPEL

Minister:	Rev. Elizabeth Cushion	☎ 821460
Stewards:	Robin Jackson	☎ 810250
	Bob Brown	☎ 810543
	Sally Gall	☎ 810374

Services & Preachers

Nov 2	The journey of the Early Church	10.30am
Nov 9	Evening Service - Mr Paul Carter	6.30pm
Nov 16	Circuit Service @ Heslington (no service at Stillington)	6.30pm
Nov 23	Evening Service with Communion - Rev Elizabeth Cushion	6.30pm
Nov 30	Joint Advent Service at St Nicholas Villages Together Advent at Alne Hall Rev Elizabeth Cushion	9.30am 3.00pm

ST JOHN THE EVANGELIST RC EASINGWOLD

Priest:	Fr. Leo Chamberlain	☎ 821295
Sunday Mass:	8.30am & 10.30am	
Vigil Mass:	5.45pm Saturday	
Confessions:	5.00-5.30pm Saturday	
Website:	www.stjohnneasingswold.ampleforth.org.uk	

ST. NICHOLAS

Vicar:	Rev. Chris Ellis	☎ 810251
Church	Muriel Law	☎ 810484
Wardens:	Michael Turvey	☎ 810473
	email: michael.turvey@btinternet.com	

Stillington and Benefice Services:

Nov 2	All Saints Memorial Thanksgiving	9.30am
Nov 6/13/20/27	Prayers	9.00am
Nov 9	Holy Communion Remembrance	9.30am
Nov 16	Benefice Family Eucharist, Sutton	10.30am
Nov 23	Holy Communion Common Worship	9.30am
Nov 30	Advent Carol Service	9.30am

ST. MARY MARTON

Services in a Celtic Tradition		
Church	Sally Coomer	☎ 810891
Wardens:	email: sally@scoomer.freearmy.co.uk	
	Michael Carter	☎ 821428
	email: mikecarter67@yahoo.com	

Nov 2	Celtic Eucharist	6.00pm
Nov 16	Benefice Reflective Worship	6.00pm

ST. LEONARD FARLINGTON

Church	Margaret Singleton	☎ 878735
Wardens	Sally Downing	☎ 878745
Nov 9	Service of Remembrance	10.45am
Nov 23	Baptism with Holy Communion	11.15am

St Nicholas

CHURCH CLEANING

Oct 20 - Nov 1	Mr & Mrs Clark
Nov 3 - Nov 15	Mr & Mrs Law
Nov 17 - Nov 29	Dr & Mrs Martin

FLOWER ROTA

Nov 2	Mrs P Bisset
Nov 9	Mrs L Cumberledge
Nov 16	
Nov 23	Mrs V Everett
Nov 30	ADVENT

Further copies of this issue are available from the Shop.

calling all families

Messy Church

Sunday 9 November

4.30pm-6.30pm

Sutton on the Forest Church

Our theme will be:
"Heroes"

Friends, food, fun and faith
for the whole family —
including tea-time!

Everyone very welcome!
All children must be accompanied
by an adult.

All Saints Memorial Thanksgiving:

Sunday 2nd November at 9.30am

A Celebration of All Saints; part of which will be a memorial and thanksgiving for the lives of those dear to us who we love but see no longer. There will be opportunity during the service to light a candle in memory of a loved one, and a time of silence to remember and give thanks for all they mean to us.

In addition to the lighting of a candle, if you would like your loved ones remembered by name in the prayers, please either leave their names on a slip of paper and place it in the basket at the back of church, or pass their names to Michael Turvey (810473), Muriel Law (810484) or Margaret Price (811262) NO LATER THAN 30th October please.

People Learn What they Live

(adapted from poem by Dorothy Law Nolte).

If a person lives with criticism, they learn to condemn.

If a person lives with hostility, they learn to fight.

If a person lives with shame, they learn to be guilty.

If a person lives with tolerance, they learn to be patient.

If a person lives with encouragement, they learn confidence.

If a person lives with praise, they learn to appreciate.

If a person lives with fairness, they learn justice.

If a person lives with security, they learn to have faith.

If a person lives with approval, they learn to like themselves.

If a person lives with acceptance and friendship,

they learn to find love in the world.

Rev Chris Ellis