

SUTTON NEWSLETTER NO 173

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| Monday | 8.00 to 14.30 | 8.00 to 18.30 | 8.00 to 18.30 | 13.30 to 17.30 |
| Tuesday | 8.00 to 18.30 | CLOSED | 8.00 to 18.30 | |
| Wednesday | 8.00 to 18.30 | 8.00 to 13.00 | 8.00 to 18.30 | |
| Thursday | 8.00 to 18.30 | 8.00 to 13.00 | 8.00 to 18.30 | |
| Friday | 8.00 to 18.30 | 8.00 to 13.00 | 8.00 to 18.30 | |

GP TRAINING CLOSURE DATES

The surgery will be closed on Thursday 12th November at 13.00 for GP training.
Please contact NHS 111 when the Surgery is closed.

Flu Vaccinations

The surgery is hoping to receive more flu vaccinations at the end of November. We will initially administer these to unvaccinated vulnerable patients first. Then we will vaccinate the 50-64 year old category of patients. If you fall into this category and have not received a letter from the surgery please DO NOT contact the surgery. We will contact you individually when we have the vaccinations available.

www.thepeninsulapractice.co.uk
01394 411641

NEWS FROM THE PARISH COUNCIL The next meeting of the Parish Council will be held on Tuesday 24 November. If there are any issues you wish to raise with the Parish Council, then please do email or phone Nancy the Parish Clerk on suttonparishcouncil@gmail.com or phone 079980945949.

The following planning application detail have been received from East Suffolk Council, if you wish to make comment on them please contact the Planning Department at East Suffolk Council direct or alternatively the Sutton Parish Clerk.

Alterations and extensions to Sutton Hall and alterations and change of use of former agricultural buildings to ancillary residential accommodation. - Sutton Hall Sutton Street Sutton Suffolk IP12 3EQ
Ref. No: DC/20/3882/FUL | Received date: Wed 30 Sep 2020 | Status: Pending Consideration | Case Type: Planning Application

Listed Building Consent - Alterations and extensions to Sutton Hall and alterations and change of use of former agricultural buildings to ancillary residential accommodation. - Sutton Hall Sutton Street Sutton Suffolk IP12 3EQ

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MESSAGE FROM YOUR DISTRICT COUNCILLOR Winter is looming and November 5th will be in people's minds. How will we celebrate this year with Covid restrictions? Large official gatherings will not go ahead. As Cabinet member for the Environment, I do ask if we consider the environment before any private celebrations. Stacks of material for bonfires can be an attractive home to wildlife, in particular hedgehogs, so please check to see if anything has taken up residence before setting light. A lot of people will have rubbish gathered from lockdown clearouts but can I give a little

reminder that painted woodwork should not be burned, nor should any plastics. Clothes might be better taken to the charity shop rather than dressing the guy.

Fireworks also cause incredible disturbance and upset to both domestic and wild animals. I feel as we look at caring for the environment, fireworks pollute our air with toxic chemicals which can be very dangerous to wildlife and humans, so please think twice before purchasing.

Cllr James Mallinder

MOBILE LIBRARY The mobile library will be visiting Sutton on Tuesday 10 November at 1525-1545 at the lay-by by the Baptist Chapel, on Woodbridge Road. You will not be able to reserve titles, but a small selection will be available on the mobile. You will be able to return titles on the mobile library. Other dates in 2020 8 December

NEWS FROM FLAGSHIP New homes coming to Sutton

Sutton will soon see four new beautiful homes available on the open market. The development from Flagship Homes brings much-needed homes to the village to address the shortage of homes in the region.

The development offers a selection of three- to four-bedroom detached and semi-detached family homes, along with a new two-bedroom bungalow. The bespoke properties have been designed to offer of modern spacious feel, with high-end kitchens and bathrooms installed.

By utilising a renewable energy heating system, new homeowners will benefit from underfloor heating and lower energy bills. With a strong focus on the environment and to help reduce its carbon footprint, Flagship has also ensured that the new garages are fitted with electric car charging points.

Tony Tann, Managing Director of Flagship Homes said: "We are excited by this development; it is a great addition to our growing portfolio and shows that we continue to diversify in our offering to help solve the housing crisis in the East of England. We're exceptionally proud of what we've created here, we very much look forward to showcasing these delightful homes".

As a landlord with a social purpose, Flagship Homes will use any profit made from its new development to provide affordable homes for people in need – they call it 'profit for purpose'.

Phase one of the development was completed in 2015, which offered five new affordable homes to local residents. This next phase is expected to finish in January 2021. For all enquiries, please contact William H Brown. T: 01394 380280 / E: Woodbridge@williamhbrown.co.uk



SUTTON LADIES CLUB and **FRIENDSHIP LUNCH** have been cancelled until further notice.

MEMORIAL HALL NEWS COFFEE AND CHAT It has been a very long time since we have met socially in the hall due to Covid 19. We have arranged a Coffee and Chat in the Memorial Hall on Thursday 5 November from 10am. Because of social distancing it will be set out slightly different to what we have been used to in the past and if you wish to attend you need to book your place(s) by phoning either myself 01394 411793 or Daphne 01394 384659. We require numbers in advance so that we can set the room out accordingly. You will need to wear a mask to enter the hall and keep it on unless you are drinking or eating. Hand sanitisers have been installed at the entry in the small hall and by the exit (front door of main hall).

Obviously if restrictions should change and we need to cancel or alter the arrangements then we would let you know.

100 CLUB The 100 Club is now up and running, if you have not already joined please contact David and he will send you the necessary membership forms. **Winners will be notified by email or phone (if not on email) and winners will be published in the village newsletter.**

Remember you have to be in to win!

PLAY EQUIPMENT In line with government advice the playground is now open. We would expect you to bring along your own wipes and sanitizers and that you clean any equipment you use before and after use. Please use the bins provided for any used wipes, thank you.

AMAZONSMILE PROGRAMME If you shop online with Amazon. Sutton Memorial Hall would be very grateful if you could purchase your items through AmazonSmile. This will enable the Memorial Hall to receive 0.5% from each purchase made.

It requires a visit to: smile.amazon.co.uk and when prompted you need to choose: **Sutton Recreation Ground and Memorial Hall Trust** as your charity. There is no charge.

There is no difference when using AmazonSmile than when using Amazon products and offers are just the same.

I do hope you will choose AmazonSmile and also tell your friends and families who shop on line with Amazon. Thank you.

FIT VILLAGES Please see the attached documents.

OUTREACH POST OFFICE VAN visits the Memorial Hall on a Thursday morning from approx. 10.00-10.45 all the usual post office facilities available. Services available through the outreach van – **you can pay cash and cheques into your bank account through the post office**, posting of letters and parcels, travel services, banking and finances, savings, insurance, broadband and phone. Why pay to park in Woodbridge when you can do all this at the outreach post office on a Thursday! **Please note the later time, the post office van now visits Sutton Heath first.**

NEWSPAPERS there is the facility to have your newspaper delivered to the Memorial Hall for your collection each day. For more details please phone Caroline on 01394 410069 or email her on 410069 and her email address is caroline.fiddes@msn.com.

WET FISH VAN many people have asked about the fish van that visits the village. Billy stops in The Walks (Close opposite the Plough Inn) on a Wednesday morning at approximately 9.45a.m. and a further stop in Old Post Office Lane.

CHURCH NEWS

THANK YOU!

Dear Sutton Residents,

This is to say a very big thank you to all of you who have donated money to All Saints Church, Sutton, it is very much appreciated. The final amount for the Parish Share has now been paid, thanks entirely due to your generous gifts.

I also wanted to let you know that some time in the next year a new part-time Vicar will be appointed. At present we are going through the process of deciding the type of person we need to help serve the 17 Parishes of the Wilford Benefice, so if you have any thoughts on the type of Person we need please do let us know. I will be putting copies of a questionnaire in the Church so if you are

passing you can go in and fill it in. The Church is not always open, due to the Pandemic, but the questionnaire will be pinned to the notice board in the porch.

If, in the future, you would like to continue to donate towards paying for our team Rectors, ie the Parish Share, please let me know.

I can be contacted on: holidays@suttonhoo.co.uk Phone no: 01394 389013 Address: Castle Farm, Sutton Hoo, Woodbridge, Suffolk. IP12 3DJ.

Many thanks,

Helen Shand. Sutton Church Treasurer.

VICARS VOICE - NOVEMBER. Nights drawing in, the leaves on the trees turning from green to reds and golds, a definite chill in the air, and people are beginning to talk more about...yes, you've guessed it, Christmas!! There are aisles in the shops devoted to Christmas cards, decorations and traditional Christmas treats!

With Covid still dominating our way of life, Christmas for many will be very different this year. With the continued ban on communal singing in church, we might sadly have to forego the idea of a Christmas Carol Service and look at celebrating in other ways.

But November is a special month, and more than just the month leading up to the celebration of Jesus being born in a stable more than 2,000 years ago.

For many people around the world, the beginning of November will involve being at events to mark the 11th November, Armistice Day and in many churches, parks and villages, on Remembrance Sunday there will be a local memorial service to remember those who gave their lives in conflicts past and present.



On the 1st and 2nd on November, people will also be attending 'remembering' services for All Saints Day and All Souls Day, taking time to think of those they grieve in a more personal way.



Research around Life Events show that attending these kinds of events is valued by families as part of their connection with the church and each other, and is often another step on the journey of faith. For bereaved families, these reflective times can be hugely helpful, especially if the local vicar has conducted a recent funeral service, or whether they are remembering someone who shaped their life many years ago.

The Very Reverend Stephen Lake, Dean of Gloucester reflects on how lighting a candle, or simply pausing in the silence, can be an enormous sense of comfort to people. Lighting a candle can help us to remember, to pause, to focus, to calm and to pray.

And so as a candle represents light, and we think of Christ as the light of the world, lighting our way when things seem dark or difficult, may the Light of Christ be with you during this season of remembering,

With love and blessings, Revd Mandy

Details of Church Services November Rota

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| Sunday Nov 1 st All Saints Day | 11.00am 9.00am 11.00am 9.00am 11.00am | Bromeswell All Saints, Eyke St Felix Sutton Heath Shottisham | Family Worship Holy Communion Holy Communion Family Worship Morning Praise | Rev Mandy Rev Kevan Rev Judith Rev Mandy Helene Berry |
| Wednesday 4 th November | 10.00am | St Felix | Holy Communion | Rev Mandy |
| Sunday 8 th November Remembrance Sunday | 9.00am 10.45am 6pm | Eyke Sutton Shottisham | Said Eucharist Remembrance Evensong | Rev Kevan Rev Mandy Mel Spurling |
| Wednesday 11 th November | 10.00am | St Felix | Informal Worship and Praise | Rev Mandy |
| Sunday 15 th November <i>2nd before Advent</i> | 11.00am 9.00am 11.00am 11.00am | Bromeswell All Saints, Eyke St Felix Sutton | Holy Communion Morning Prayer Prayer & Praise Holy Communion | Rev Kevan Rev Mandy Malcolm Salter Rev Mandy |
| Wednesday 18 th November | 10.00am | St Felix | Informal Worship and Praise | Rev Mandy |
| Sunday 22 nd November Christ the King <i>Sunday next before Advent</i> | 11.00am 9.00am 11.00am 9.00am 6.00pm | Bromeswell St Gregory St Felix Shottisham Sutton | Prayer & Praise Morning Prayer Holy Communion Family Communion Evensong | Malcolm S Stephen N Rev Mandy Rev Mandy |
| Wednesday 25 th November | 10.00am | St Felix | Informal Worship and Praise | Rev Mandy |
| Sunday 29 th November Advent Sunday <i>Lectionary Year B begins</i> | 11.00am | St Gregory | Advent Sunday Holy Communion | Rev Mandy |

ENQUIRIES FOR WEDDINGS, BAPTISMS OR FUNERALS please contact Rev Mandy Reynolds on 01394 420129 or email revmandy.rendlesham@yahoo.com.

THE WILFORD BENEFICE CHURCHES Wearing of Face Mask in Church Services. The House of Bishops Recover Group of the Church of England issued the following guidelines on 7th August in respect of the wearing of face masks when attending church services:

Face coverings are currently mandatory in places of worship and church halls. Whilst there are exemptions, outlined below, this is a legal requirement:

Exemptions from wearing face covering

You do not need to wear a face covering if you have a legitimate reason not to. This includes:

- Those who are leading services or events in a place of worship, and those who assist them (for instance reading, preaching, or leading prayer), do not always need to wear a face covering, although one should be worn especially if physical distancing cannot be maintained (i.e. distributing consumables). This exemption does not apply to worshippers, who should wear face coverings consistent with the requirements for any other public space.
- These exemptions will also cover the bride and groom at a wedding and those officiating at the wedding.

These exemptions are made to enable communication, particularly with those who rely on lip-reading, facial expressions or clear sound; they do not exempt clergy and other leaders from wearing face coverings in other situations or other activities.

A SERVICE FOR REMEMBRANCE will be held at All Saints Church Sutton on Sunday 8 November at 10.45am. Due to restrictions the Service and Act of Remembrance will take place in the Churchyard by the War Memorial. Should the weather be wet please do bring an umbrella.

CHRISTMAS TREE AND WREATH FESTIVAL once again we would like to decorate All Saints Church for the Christmas period. As in past years we invite you to decorate a small Christmas Tree (real or Artificial) or make a Christmas Wreath which will be displayed in the Church over the festive period. Any medium can be used for decoration and in a modern or traditional style, the trees are to be no bigger than 3'. Lights can be used but can we ask that they be battery lights. Details will be in the December newsletter regarding when the trees/wreaths can be left at the Church.

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If you wish to include anything in the monthly newsletter please forward to Sue by 23rd of the month. We are now printing and delivering the newsletter, however if you have an email address we can send the newsletter to you electronically can you send your email address to Sue as we then have your details on the data base and can forward any urgent information to you immediately, eg details of roadworks, covid information, planning information etc. For more details please contact Sue on susancollins0911@gmail.com