



PARISH NEWSLETTER
AUGUST 2019

SERVICES FOR AUGUST 2019

Sunday 4th August *Trinity 7*
10.15 am Parish Communion (Stanford)

Saturday 10th August
1.00 pm Wedding

Sunday 11th August *Trinity 8*
10.15 am Parish Communion (Stanford)

Sunday 18th August *Trinity 9*
10.15 am Parish Communion (Stanford)
6.00 pm Evening Prayer (Hatford)

Saturday 24th August
1.00pm Wedding

Sunday 25th August *Trinity 10*
10.15 am Parish Communion (Stanford)

Sunday 1st September *Trinity 11*
9.00 am Holy Communion (Goosey)
10.15 am Parish Communion (Stanford)

From the Registers

Baptism Service

Sunday 14th July

**Austin James and Arthur James Ernest
Harding**

Sunday 21st July

**Autumn Rose Matthews and
Ava Polly Noviss**

WHO'S WHO IN THE PARISH?

Vicar	The Revd Paul Eddy	710267
Wardens		
	Margaret Williams	710254
	Nigel Archer	718163
Verger	Mrs Susan Mayall	

Open House – No Open House in August. The next one will be on Saturday 1st September

Baptisms, Thanksgivings and Weddings - please contact the Vicar on 710267.

Paul is on sick leave and hopes to return to work later in August. Please continue to pray for him, Verity and the family at this difficult time. On urgent pastoral matters please contact the Churchwardens Margaret (710254) or Nigel (718163).

Stanford-in-the-Vale Allotments

The waiting list for allotments has been rapidly reducing so there is now the opportunity for you to have a plot. There are two in the Jubilee site and one at the Joyce's Road site. Too late to do anything. It's never too late. There is time to plan for quick maturing salad crops such as summer lettuce, radish, rocket. Cold stored potato tubers could be ready for Christmas, You can sow spring cabbage, turnips, overwintering onions. Green manures act as a soil improver to cover bare areas when dug in, they conserve nutrients and improve soil texture. If you get a plot now the fee will be pro-rated to reflect the normal start of the year in April. Contact Tim Mills if you are interested. tim.mills@ppcstanford.org.

Stanford in the Vale CE Primary School
High Street

From September 2019

Stanford in the Vale CE Primary
School have one or two spaces in

Year 2

Year 3

Year 5

Year 6

If you are interested please ring the
school office on 01367 710474 to
arrange a visit.

Stanford Drama Group

Stanford Drama Group would like to thank all the people who came to support us in our recent production. Although the audiences were small, we hope you all enjoyed watching as much as we enjoyed performing.

We would also like to thank all the groups who gave up their hall booking for us ; the Coffee Shop and the Vogue for selling our tickets and the CoOp for displaying our notice board.

Once again, we always looking for new people to join our small, but happy group; not just to perform on stage, but to help with publicity, backstage and various other jobs. We meet in the large Village Hall every Tuesday at 8.00pm. Phone Yvonne or Barry on 01367 710400 for more details

Chatterbox Small Village Hall
Every Thursday from 10 – 12 noon

All are welcome to call in for a drink, catch up with friends or meet new ones. Occasional raffles, quizzes and bring and buy.

Music in the Vale

Our next Music in the Vale concert entitled “*To Lands beyond Time*” starts at 6.00pm on Saturday 3rd August 2019 in All Saints Church, Goosey.

The concert features *Triocca*: Riona Ó Duinnín – flute, Nancy Johnson – viola, Geraldine O’Doherty – harp, with Music by Debussy, Bax & John Buckley (special commission)

Admission is £15.00 (refreshments included).

For reservations please call 01367 718344, 01367 718420 or email DJPedderDPA@btinternet.com

Please book early as seating limited – proceeds (after expenses) to All Saints Church



Bored with Monopoly? Try

boardGOATS! boardGOATS meets fortnightly on Tuesdays at the Horse and Jockey to play “Euro” style boardgames (i.e. modern games like Ticket to Ride, Carcassonne, Catan and Bohnanza). You don’t have to know any rules or how to play the games, as we explain as we go along. We usually play shorter games from 7.30pm as people arrive, until 8pm when we will start something a little longer. For more details, see <https://boardgoats.org> or email boardGOATS@gmail.com, alternatively just come along, grab a pint or a coffee from the bar, and join us for one of our next meetings: **6th & 20th August.**

Cast On! Knitting and Crochet Group

Fun, friendly and free. We meet every 2nd Wednesday of the month at the Horse & Jockey from 7pm until 9.30pm (ish). Bring along your current project or ask us to show you how. Contact: Ruth Chester
Email: caston@tlkc.co.uk Tel: 710362

Stanford Volunteer Taxi Service

If you need transport for a medical appointment, please phone **MARJORIE GOODING 01367 710656**
As much notice about any appointments makes things easier and more drivers would be greatly appreciated

Repair Café

The Repair Café has met in the Coffee Shop in June and July. There were up to seven repairers present and items for repair came in steadily during the two hours we were open. Items such as a guitar, toaster and Vacuum cleaner were repaired. However, the main items were shears and secateurs for sharpening. Our thanks to Clair in the Coffee Shop for letting us work there. We asked for donations only.

We are aiming to open again on **17th August 2-4pm** and then to open on the third Saturday in the month between 2 & 4pm.

We aim to try and repair any household goods electrical or otherwise. We also can organise sewing and darning (i.e. buttons and hems). For more information my 'phone number is 01367 710283. Many thanks to everyone

Derek Sayers

ADVANCE NOTICE

**The next Parish Council Meeting
is on Wednesday 4th September
in the large Village Hall at 7.30 pm
All welcome**

Horticultural Show

**The show will take place in the Village Hall
on Sunday, September 8th**

**CLASSES FOR FLORAL ART, FLOWERS, FRUIT,
VEGETABLES, DOMESTIC AND HANDICRAFT -
PLUS CHILDREN'S CLASSES** (Activities for the
Summer Holiday?)

**OPEN TO THE PUBLIC 2.15pm
RAFFLE, TOMBOLA, REFRESHMENTS etc.
PRODUCE AUCTION**

**SCHEDULES AND ENTRY FORMS AVAILABLE
FROM:
JOHN SMITH, 5 NEVILLE WAY, STANFORD IN THE
VALE (Tel: 710494. Email: jofrsmith@gmail.com)
OR Stanford Coffee Shop**

Stanford Summer Festival 2019

A reminder to organisations who still need to pass on their donations.

**Next year's Festival is on Saturday
13th June and Sunday 14th June 2020.**

Stanford Pre-school News

This has been a very busy, fun-packed term with lots of time spent enjoying water play in the sunshine (under the parasols!). We have been talking about keeping ourselves safe in the sun; making sure we wear sunscreen, a sunhat and drinking plenty of water.

We had a wonderful Pre-school outing to Roves Farm; the children enjoyed a Tractor ride, they got to feed the animals and all the parents came along which made it a very special day!

Over the last few weeks our focus has been on preparing our older children for the transition to Primary School. With many of our children leaving and with us welcoming lots of new children in September, it's an exciting time!

The older children have enjoyed lots of activities that will prepare them for Primary School. There has been lots of visits to the school including the children taking part in the Primary School's Sport's Day. This was yet another opportunity to become a little more familiar with their new surroundings and they certainly enjoyed taking part in the races!

The children have been participating in School role play where they have had the opportunity to wear School uniform and act out their visits to School. The older children have created their own 'School Book' which include photos of their new teachers and their new school together with any thoughts, concerns and the things they are looking forward to about moving up to Primary School. For our younger children they have been making 'Pre-school books' which include photos of their key person and of the Pre-school. The idea of these books are for parents to share them with their children over the long Summer break so that whether they are going up to Primary or simply returning to us at Pre-school, we hope they will help to make the start of September a really positive experience for our children and parents alike!

Thanks to all who came along and supported our fundraising initiatives at the Village Fete, you helped us raise over £200!

We wish everyone a lovely Summer break and we send our best wishes to our older children who will be starting Primary in September. We will miss you!

Please note: The Pre-School operates a waiting list. We advise parents wishing to secure a place for their child to get their name down on the waiting list as soon as possible. Download a Pre-registration Form from our website (www.stanfordpreschool.org.uk) or call into Pre-school and pick one up. If you wish to make an enquiry, please call us on 01367 718696.

We still have a few spaces left on our register for this September! If you are interested, please email: manager@stanfordpreschool.org.uk



We are the School Council of Stanford in the Vale CE Primary School. Please read our school report below.

Sports day

On Friday 5th July we had our sports day. As part of our multicultural week, each class's gazebo was decorated with bunting inspired by their country. We also had an opening ceremony with KS1 performing a Hakka style dance and KS2 a Bollywood inspired one. The sports events included a vortex howler throw, a sprint, an obstacle race, egg and spoon race, sack race and more. The overall winners were Blue Dolphins but everyone did very well and showed good sportsmanship.

Class swap day

On Wednesday 10th July we all took part in class swap day. We went into the hall in the morning to find out who our new teachers and TAs would be for September. We then spent a whole day in our new classroom doing different activities and finding out what our new topics would be. We had great fun and are looking forward to September.

KS1 Quadkids

On the 11th July, some of KS1 took part in the Quadkids athletics tournament. 7 schools took part and we each did 4 activities, a sprint, a long-distance run, a long jump and a vortex howler throw. Everyone tried their very best and showed great determination, well done.

Thank you for reading our report.

To include items in September's newsletter please send to send to jmwarren302@gmail.com or telephone **01367 710789** and leave a message. **Closing date: 18th August 2019. Late items cannot be accepted.**