

Village Activities

Plenty goes on in Cutthorpe, that you are all welcome to join in with. This is a list of some of the regular events, with venue, day/time and contact details, they would be delighted to hear from you (more information about some of these may be found in this newsletter). if there are other activities to add to this list please let Hilary know 07973 429974 hilaryasinclair@gmail.com

Art Club: Village Hall every Tuesday 10.00-12.00 am, Wendy Else, 01246 725883, 07305 461604

Book Group: The Peacock, 1st



Wednesday of the month 7.00-9.00 pm, Maureen ¹maureenbsol@gmail.com

Community Cinema: Village Hall 7.00 pm, restarting in the Autumn, Ken Lawrie, 07841 097217 ken.lawrie@btinternet.com

Cutthorpe Calendar

Please don't forget we are always looking for new photos to go into the 2026 edition of the Cutthorpe Calendar. If you can take them in landscape this would be very helpful as portrait orientation will need cropping to fit. Send any contributions to calendarcutthorpe@hotmail.com. Tom Johnstone

Creatives Craft Group: 3rd Wednesday of the month, Hilary 07973 429974 or Arlene 07877 863433.

Discussion Group: Last Tuesday of the month 7.00-9.00 pm, Tom Johnstone,: johnstonetom@hotmail.co.uk

Garden Club: Monthly on a Wednesday, venue varies, sometimes in the Village

Hall, see newsletter for more information Anne Harrison.

peter7anne@icloud.com 07484 814487

Golf Society: weekly on a Wednesday

Ken Lawrie, ken.lawrie@btinternet.com, 07841 097217

Knit & Natter Craft Group: Village Hall 1.00-3.00 Every Friday, Barbara 07980 510591

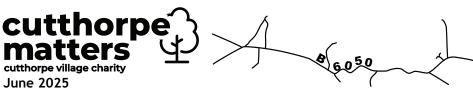
Tea & Toast: Village Hall, 9.30-11.30 First Saturday of the month, Arlene 07877 863433.

Comings and goings

Welcome:

As always we are pleased to welcome all newcomers to our Cutthorpe Community. When you have settled in we look forward to seeing you out and about - do get in touch if you need any help or information about Cutthorpe, popping in to Tea & Toast is a good start.

If you have anything that you'd like to appear in a future newsletter, usually produced every 3 months, let Hilary know - 07973 429974, hilaryasinclair@gmail.com



Village Summer Picnic

Saturday 19th July 2pm to 5pm.

Our village picnic will take place on the Recreation ground on Saturday 19th July from 2pm until 5pm. It is a wonderful opportunity to come together to enjoy time with friends and make some new ones. Bring your families, close friends and grandchildren for an afternoon of fun.

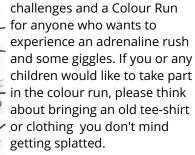
All you need to bring is a picnic for yourself and something to sit on. There will be a drinks van from Cutthorpe Creamery, a doughnut and an ice-cream van for those with a sweet tooth. We will also have some wonderful entertainment for all ages: Aurora Acappella choir, Bouncy Castle, Maynard Flipflap (a street performer who will entertain all with his antics), some cricket stumps



continues to prove as popular

as ever, welcoming old and new friends to the monthly breakfast gathering. Do come and join us, its a good place to meet people, whether you are new to the village, would like

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The village hall will be open for toilets and in case of inclement weather, fingers crossed for sunshine! As this is an event for villagers, there is no designated parking but if you have accessibility needs, please use the Cricket Club car park behind the Three Merry Lads.

If you would like to come but need some assistance please contact Arlene Honeyman and we will do what we can to help 07877 863433.

to meet fellow villagers, or just want to pop in and enjoy the range of breakfast goodies. We meet in the Village Hall on the first Saturday of each month from 9.30am to 11.30am. If you need help getting there, please get in touch and we can help. Arlene 07877 863433 and Claire 07516 610544



Village Hall News ^{Update}



June 2025 Trustees AGM

The trustees of the village hall held their annual AGM for the year 24/25 in May. This year will be a quieter year as far as major projects are concerned with planning only for a possible upgrade to the heating system and repairs to the front windows.

Rates – It was agreed that the current hire charges would be remain unchanged until the next AGM in 2026.

Planters – These have fallen into dis-repair and are being removed, hopefully they will be replaced this year.

Website - The village hall has its own dedicated website giving details of the facilities, hire charges and conditions. You will find us at cutthorpevillagehall.com.

Contact Us - If anyone has any general queries or suggestions regarding the village hall, please feel free to contact me at mike.robotham@hotmail.co.uk or on 07802 243265. For bookings, please contact Jane Johnstone at jane.johnstone@hotmail.co.uk *Mike Robotham*

Coronation Tree Bench

In previous newsletters we advised that

plans to replace the bench around the tree at the top of Common Lane were progressing, and we're pleased therefore to be able to confirm that a new bench will be installed over the coming months.



This is being jointly funded between the Parish Council and Cutthorpe Matters charity. The Charity is contributing £1000 from its funds towards the cost of the bench, some of which comes from the generous donations made each month at Tea and Toast. This will bring to fruition the replacement of the bench which we know many of you have been wanting to happen. The new bench will be a bespoke build by a local joiner so watch out for it starting to be put in place! *Ken Lawrie*

Village Website www.cutthorpe.org.uk

The current website has not been updated recently as we are about to launch a new village version, which will include information about the various groups and events that take place in Cutthorpe - please check it out. If you are the organiser of a group that meets regularly in the village, and would like to share more information via the website, please get in touch with Hilary hilaryasinclair@gmail.com, 07973 429974.

Environment

First of all can I thank all the volunteers who turned up for the litter pick, it was a great success with masses of rubbish collected

(unfortunately). Special thank you to Mick Lane for picking up all the bags ready for the refuse collection.

The ever popular Garden Club has resumed after a winter break - our first meeting included clearing weeds and starting to plant up the community garden near the phone box in the hope we will get some good summer colour, if anyone has any spare plants to add please feel free to pop them in the ground and we will see what does well.

The next meeting is 9th July. We are also organising a trip out to look round the gardens at Melbourne Hall.

If you want to find out more and would like to join our WhatsApp group please contact Anne Harrison peter7anne@icloud.com, 07484 814487

Garden Tips For June

- Plant out summer bedding plants
- Stake and support large perennials
- Hoe borders to keep down weeds
- Water wisely to keep plants thriving
- Pinch out side shoots on tomatoes

Anne Harrison



Some years ago the village were members of 'Live & Local' - a not-

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for-profit arts organisation that brings professional entertainment to village communities and gives residents an opportunity to enjoy the Arts on their doorstep and at an affordable price.

We have joined again through the village charity and are looking forward to hosting two shows, one in late autumn and the other in the New Year. They will be held in the village hall and tickets will unfortunately have to be limited due to lack of space. More information will be in the next newsletter and we really hope many of you will enjoy the events. Check out their website www.liveandlocal.org.uk to see some of their very entertaining activities.



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