

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).

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



Baby Play Group: Little Pumpkin Pals, baby-sensory playgroup every Friday 10.00-11.00 To book find LittlePumpkinPals on Facebook.

Book Group: The Peacock, 1st Wednesday of the month. 7.00-9.00 pm, Maureen maureenbsol@gmail.com



Creatives Craft Group: 3rd Wednesday of the month, 7.00-9.00 Hilary Sinclair 07973 429974

Community Cinema: Village Hall 7.00 pm. one Saturday a month. The membership is full but ad hoc places at £8 per person do become available, if you're interested contact Ken Lawrie, 07841 097217 ken.lawrie@btinternet.com

Dance classes : These classes are currently closed, Holly is hoping to restart in 2027

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

Garden Club: Meeting once a month on 3rd Wednesday, 6.30pm, £2.00 subscription per person. Various locations, Contact Anne Harrison 07484 814487 as to where the next meeting will be. A speaker is planned for October, open to all Cutthorpe residents.

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



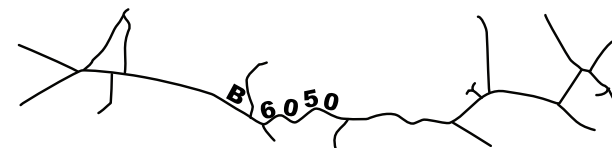
Pilates: Village Hall, every Monday 10.00-11.00, £10 pw. Lisa 07968 109534. All over body exercises, performed slowly and gently aiming to improve posture, strength, balance and mental health

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



Yoga & Mindfulness: Village Hall, every Thursday, £12.99 per month. 10.30-11.30 Yoga for Aches, Pains and Mobility gains. Fay Froggett Brown 07894 451500 www.fatfroggyoga.co.uk

if there are other activities to add to this list please let Hilary know - 07973 429974, hilaryasinclair@gmail.com



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LIVE & LOCAL



Cutthorpe Village Hall,
Saturday 21st November, 7.00 pm.

The Show

16 strings. 8 dancing feet. 4 unforgettable voices. 1 explosive musical comedy experience!

Get ready for Graffiti Classics - the world's most outrageous comedy string quartet, where classical music meets comedy, dance and pure entertainment. Forget everything you thought you knew about a string quartet. These four virtuosos don't sit politely on stage - they sing, dance, joke and play their way through a whirlwind show packed with jaw-dropping musicianship and infectious energy.

From Beethoven to Elvis, opera to bluegrass, gypsy folk to stand-up comedy,

Graffiti Classics smash musical boundaries with a riotous mix of styles, dazzling performances and plenty of cheeky audience interaction. Expect a full-throttle celebration of music, laughter and fun! A firm favourite with Live & Local audiences, Graffiti Classics create an instant connection with everyone they meet. This uplifting, high-energy show promises to leave you laughing, amazed and with a song in your heart. Come for the music. Stay for the mayhem. Leave with a smile. Cutthorpe Village Hall, Saturday 21st November, 7pm. Please bring your own alcohol, refreshments and hot drinks available. Tickets from arleneandpeter@aol.com or call 07877863433

Christmas Coffee Morning

Friday 30th October 10.00-1.00 pm
38 Cutthorpe Road

Vicky is repeating her very popular Christmas coffee morning in aid of Ashgate Hospice.

There will be Christmas cards on display to order together with wrap, tags and bags etc to buy.

Vicky's always delicious cakes, including gluten free and vegetarian, plus decaff tea and coffee will be available.



A new addition will be Kim Roebuck's delightful hand made Christmas decorations.

Everyone is welcome

Vicky Wilkinson 07517 437804

If you have anything that you think could be included in a future newsletter, usually produced every 3 months, let Hilary know - 07973 429974, hilaryasinclair@gmail.com

Village Hall News

Update

October 2026

Christmas Fair – Just to remind everyone, we will be hosting the annual Christmas Fair on Sunday 29th November between 1-4.00 pm. There are two sizes of table available, the small tables are £6 and for a large table, its £12. It will be similar to the one we held in November last year with stall holders able to set up from 11:00am onwards. Any cake donations would be welcomed on the day. If you have anything to donate for the bottle raffle, please let us know. Please contact Liz at liz.robotham@hotmail.com or Wendy at wendy.lawrie@btinternet.com for further details and to reserve a place. All proceeds go towards the village hall charity.

Cinema Night – Our community Cinema opens its doors for the Autumn/Winter season, the first showing is on Saturday the 31st October. We look forward to seeing our regular film critics and newcomers alike on the evening.

Cutthorpe Calendar

We are in the process of finalising the calendar for this year and have had a good selection of pictures to choose from again so thanks to all who have contributed. The calendar should be available from the printers at the end of October. I am expecting we will be able to maintain the price at £7 which, hopefully you'll agree, represents good value and any surplus goes to help fund the Cutthorpe village charity.

If you would like a calendar it helps if you can register your interest by sending an email to calendarcutthorpe@hotmail.com.

Tom Johnstone

The Polar Express – All aboard!

Join us for a magical screening of the Polar Express at the village hall on Sunday the 13th of December at 3:00pm. Children of all ages are welcome so long as they bring an adult, so step into your pyjamas and experience this heartwarming holiday adventure on the big screen. Tickets are just £3.50 per person, which includes delicious popcorn during the film and a warm cup of hot chocolate during the interval. To secure your golden ticket today, email wendy.lawrie@btinternet.com to book your seats.

Contact us - The village hall has its own website with details of the facilities, hire charges and conditions. You will find us at cutthorpevillagehall.com. If anyone has any general queries or suggestions regarding the Institute, please feel 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



Last chance to contribute to the NE Derbyshire Council Local Plan

This will include proposed land allocations and policies that will determine future planning applications.

Any individual business or organisation can express their views before the plan is submitted. The consultation period is from 7th October to Wednesday 18th November. There is an online consultation portal which has the Draft Local Plan, Policies Map and Housing Trajectory, which you can find at www.ne-derbyshire.gov.uk/planning-and-local-plan. Links and more information can be viewed on our website - www.cutthorpe.org.uk

Environment

Hope everyone has had a good summer, it's nice to see how the garden has recovered after such a prolonged time without rain. We have a green and pleasant land back.

We have a speaker booked on **THURSDAY 29th October at 7pm** in the Institute, we are looking forward to hearing from Vicky @ Greystone in Millthorpe it will be an enlightening talk followed by Q & A. There will also be plants for sale. Entrance charge £2 per person including tea or coffee.

All are welcome please spread the word and bring a friend.

Tips for October

1. Lift tubers and corms to protect from frost, let them dry and store in a frost free place.
2. Cut back and divide herbaceous perennials.
3. Protect tender plants
4. Plant spring bulbs.
5. Mulch borders.

Anne Harrison, 07484 814487

Charity Rag Wreath Making

Cutthorpe Village Hall

26th November 2026, 7pm to 9pm.

In aid of Ashgate Hospice and Streetvet. £23 to include all materials and light refreshments. £10 deposit secures a place. Should be a lovely crafty evening for the darker nights and a recycled keepsake to take home. Please text Kim Roebuck on 07570142987 to register initial interest. Limited spaces available.



Three Merry Lads

Sue and Adam are working hard at adding new plans for the pub. They are now open every day from 12.00 and there is a drinks offer from 12.00-4.00pm Monday to Thursday with Beers and cider from £3.00-£4.50 a pint. Food offerings include organic home made sausage rolls plus Sandwiches and soup every lunchtime. A Golden Oldies Midweek roast is planned for November onwards.

There will be free tea and coffee for ex-service personnel and families who want to drop in for a chat on Remembrance Sunday.

Other plans include a Halloween party and disco (for adults) is on 31st October and Lucy Lou is singing live on 6th November. More festive ideas are being made including a Christmas Fair on 5th December.

Speedwatch



There have been various articles over the year on speeding through the village which continues to be a real issue with cars coming through the village well over the 30 limit.

Whilst only being effective when the sessions are being run it is amazing how many people are capable of sticking to the speed limit and does act as a reminder.

The intention is to run these at least every other month but as with all these things it would be better to run them more frequently. In order to up the frequency it would help to have a few more volunteers.

If you are interested in becoming a volunteer please contact me via johnstonetom@hotmail.co.uk.