

Seated Exercise Classes @ the Village Hall

Every Wednesday morning, 9.30-10.30, £3

New members very welcome, please come along and give it a try.

Winter Warmer

This year's Winter Warmer raised £420 for the Village Hall, a record total. Thank you to all the helpers, especially Margaret Eley for donating all the raffle prizes and running the raffle and to everyone who attended.

CARLTON FILM CLUB SUMMER SEASON

All films start at 2pm with FREE refreshments provided.

Please note some new dates!

21 March	Spy
24 April	Sicario
22 May	High Rise
19 June	The Lady in the Van

APPEAL

A doctor in Newark is collecting hand towels which are sanitized and sent to Africa to be used to wrap new born babies. If you have any you would like to donate to this cause please drop them off with *Margaret Eley @ Pinelands* - or contact her on *margooley@yahoo.co.uk*

DATES for your DIARY

8 March
LITERARY
DISCUSSION GROUP
10am-12 @ the Village Hall on The Rubaiyat of Omar Khayyam

27 February
COFFEE MORNING:
Coffee and cake £2,
10am-12 noon @ the Village Hall.

15 May
CARLTON HISTORY
WALK: 10-2pm, with break for lunch as 12.30, meet at the Village Hall.

7 May
COFFEE MORNING:
Coffee and cake £2,
10am-12 noon @ the Village Hall.



NEW EXTRA SHOW AND SHARE HISTORY AFTERNOON

3 APRIL, 1-4PM

@ The Village Hall

**Free soup &
sandwich lunch**

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BIG SCREEN EUROVISION QUIZ

In aid of St Mary's Church.
Tickets now on sale
£7.50 including buffet
supper and suitably kitsch
puddings!

Prizes for retro dress!

**Friday 14th April,
from 7pm**

MEXICAN GOURMET NIGHT

Tickets are now on sale for the next gourmet night, which will feature four all-you-can-eat courses of Mexican food including a chicken molé made with 50 different ingredients. Dishes will not be very hot, but rather richly spiced. Hot sauces will be available for those who like a bit of extra heat!

12 March 2015 @ 7pm The Village Hall

Tickets £16pp, BYOB

Available from Fiona@The Grey House /
07887 886945 / fiona@deepermedia.co.uk

NEW YEAR COMPUTER CLASSES @CARLTON VILLAGE HALL, 10.30-12

On 20 February and 5 March there will be drop in sessions at the usual time to which you can bring problems and queries. You can bring your own devices or use one of our laptops. Everyone welcome.

Please let us know any subjects you would like to cover. Tracing your family tree has been suggested. We are also thinking of running the beginners' course again so let us know if you'd be interested.

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Village Hall Website: cotvillagehall.yolasite.com
For bookings and Village Hall events please contact Nigel Fletcher
on 07768 295513 or email nigel@krazykat.freemove.co.uk

The Village Hall Committee - CAN YOU HELP?

In April each year there is a meeting in the Village Hall to elect a new committee to run the Hall, which is a charity funded entirely by donations. We run a lot of events in the village, which we hope many of you reading this enjoy.

We are currently looking for new members to join in April - last year we did not have our full complement of members and would like in any case to expand the number of people on the committee to spread the load a little. If you are interested in getting involved please come along to a meeting - the next one is on 9 February - and look out for the date of our AGM!

We are also looking for associate members who are willing to help out from time to time. We are particularly looking for people who are interested in local history and would be willing to help with several projects to record Carlton's history and make it available to everyone via the village archive and online. We have several ideas for bringing history alive in Carlton-on-Trent but we need extra, interested hands to make it happen.

We are always looking for people willing to bake for events. Costs are reimbursed. And although we have a dedicated kitchen squad who help with food preparation before events, we can always do with more hands. If you're a keen cook, fancy waiting on tables, or are able simply to peel spuds, your help would be most appreciated.

CARLTON NO COLD CALLING ZONE

The Parish Council are trying to set up a 'NO COLD CALLING' zone in Carlton on Trent. I am co-ordinating the effort. If you are visited by door to door salesmen, friendly or otherwise, please let me know so I can log the incident for the council. If possible take down the company they represent, vehicle license plate numbers etc. In the meantime I will be talking to the Council about getting an official designation and having signs put up in the village.

MAKE A NOTE OF IT!

With most annoyances the powers that be only act if there is proof. So note the details like company names and number plates of speeding vehicle or heavy lorries, and if possible take photos - of lorries' logos, of people and their pooping pooches, of potholes, of overhanging trees. This makes it much more likely that the Council will act.

REPORTING NUISANCES

Members of the public can report nuisances; you do not need to report them to a Parish Councilor first. And such things are often resolved faster if you do report direct because the Parish Council has to wait up to 2 months for their next meeting in order to action your issue.

If you have spotted something you are in the best position to describe what the problem is and where it lies to the relevant authority, and they will pay just as much attention to you as they will to a member of the Parish Council.

If you report something to the PC, we have to go and check it out in order to report it, and the Clerk's time is involved - admin which is ultimately paid for in the form of the Parish Council Precept levied on all households in Carlton. If you can help us take care of the village, we can keep the Precept as low as possible.

We have been having sewage problems this winter. If you see or smell anything, please report it to **Severn Trent**, even if it's something minor. Unless they log a lot of complaints they won't do anything to upgrade the pumping station despite frequent call outs to overflows. We know the sewers have been bad for years, but they say they have not had many complaints, so please call in problems to **0843 479 6678**, 24/7, and also tell the Parish Council. If you have sewage coming into your home or garden call the **Environment Agency** on **0800 80 70 60** as well.

Useful contacts

Fly tipping: 01636 650000 / www.newark-sherwooddc.gov.uk/flytipping/reportflytipping/

Non emergency police number: 101

Royal Mail Fraud: 020 7239 6655

Eddie Howes, Dog Warden: 01636 655570

Nigel Fletcher, Flood Warden & Village Hall Hire (£3/hr): 07768 295513, nigel@krazykat.freemove.co.uk

Litter picks: If you'd like to know about volunteering for the next litter pick please email Fiona on fiona@deepermedia.co.uk

Flood alerts: Register to receive alerts by phone or email for your home: <https://fwd.environment-agency.gov.uk/app/olr/home>

Report a pothole: <http://www.nottinghamshire.gov.uk/highwaysenquiries/Locations/Search?subjectcode=CWPO>



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ROAD SAFETY

We have had reports of a couple of near misses from pedestrians walking in the road where there is no pavement, involving a dark hatchback coming through the village at speed. Most drivers go slowly and go round pedestrians but a small number do not. Please take care where there are no pavements to walk on.

Carlton is a village with a lot of people, particularly dog-walkers, out at night. Please make sure you AND YOUR DOG are visible by wearing light colours or reflective material, and use the pavements where possible.

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Classes on 16, 23 and 30 January will be all about images - scanning photos, manipulating them, retouching and rescuing old photos, creating visual effects and image management and storage. You can bring your own project along and we will advise on how to tackle it.

There will also be a class on 6 February, on using Windows 10. On 23 February and 5 March there will be drop in sessions at the usual time to which you can bring problems and queries. You can bring your own devices or use one of our laptops.

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