

NAILSTONE NEWS

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Richard Stinson — March 2022

Welcome to the April 2022 Nailstone 'Community' Newsletter.

We welcome items from the various Community groups, Parish Council, Event organisers, businesses, school and you, the residents. It is your newsletter, so whatever you feel should be shared we will try and include.

If you would like to add anything to future newsletters, please can you email it by the 10th of the month, and we will endeavour to include in the following months edition.

If you have any photos or images that we could use on the cover please email them through.

(Please note we do not edit material sent. It needs to be print ready to just slip in and include..)

Email: Clerk@nailstoneparishcouncil.org.uk

Parish Council contact details

Website <https://www.nailstoneparishcouncil.org.uk>

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Neighbourhood Watch

A reminder that there is a village What's App group (Nailstone Watch Alliance) which shares information about suspicious activities and crime in the village. If you would like to join this group please send your mobile phone number and name to Wendy Luczywo on 07525 622234. There is currently no coordinator for a Neighbourhood Watch Group so if anyone would like to take this on please contact Wendy. You can also email Nailstonecommunitygroup@gmail.com To get regular local information from Leicestershire Police you can sign up to <https://www.neighbourhoodlink.co.uk>. This will update you on the latest information in the Hinckley and Blaby area.

Easter in Nailstone

Egg Hunt! Please put Easter Saturday 16th April in your diary as Nailstone Church is holding an **Easter Egg hunt for children** in the grounds of the church and the garden from 2pm until 4pm. There will be refreshments for the children, plus tea and cake for purchase for any adults who would like to come along to the church in the afternoon. Donations welcome of chocolate eggs for hiding to Sharon at 49 Bagworth Road or to the Tuesday Church Café.



Community Litter Pick



Litter Pick! Nailstone Community Group is also taking advantage of the church being open on the 16th for tea, coffee and cake to hold a **Village Litter Pick** at the same time, starting at 2pm from the church and returning to the church at 3pm. All equipment and high viz waistcoats will be supplied.

Last time we held a litter pick it was great fun, we don't think we'll get huge amounts of litter (except maybe up Bagworth Road which is the worst area), but it's best to do it before the grass really starts growing and hides it all. Bring your bag back to the church and receive an Easter egg reward before you disappear into the church for well-earned tea/coffee and cake!

We look forward to seeing you there!

Nailstone Book Group

Book group is now meeting on the 2nd Wednesday of the month to avoid having a meeting in the same week as the Community Group. Next meeting will therefore be Wednesday 13th April at The Hollies, 41 Church Road. This month we are reading books under the heading of Scandi Noir. The May meeting will be on 11th May, venue and book to be agreed.



Nailstone Parish Council

The April meeting of the Parish Council will be the AGM and the Annual Parish meeting.

Groups representing the community are invited to attend to give a brief report of their year, or submit a report to be read out by the chairman on their behalf.

Everyone Welcome

April 27th, 7pm Dovebank School

Queen's Platinum Jubilee – June 2nd – 5th 2022



House, Window, Garden Decorations.

As part of the village Platinum Jubilee celebrations, we would love you to decorate your windows, house or garden, with a royal theme: Red, White and Blue or with the official purple and silver colours from the platinum jubilee logo. There'll be prizes for the best decorations



Windows Trail.

On Friday 3rd June and over the weekend there will be a Royal window trail where you can pick up a trail leaflet and identify the royal person hidden in each participating window. If you would like to take part in this and to agree your royal character, please DM Sharon Shaw on Facebook Messenger, email Nailstone.events@gmail.com or pop a note through to Sharon at 49 Bagworth Road, or to Kathy Elkin at 37 Church Road.

We had a fabulous Nailstone Advent Windows and everyone that took part in that can get in touch on the existing private Facebook group

Bunting.

As well as re-using the bunting (of any kind) that we've probably all got from previous events we have decided to make some cost-effective ecologically friendly bunting. Thanks to a generous source we have a pile of cotton material in various colours to cut up into triangles and sew onto tape. If you have any spare colourful cotton material to donate we'd love to have it (donate via the Church Tuesday Coffee morning or as above). We are going to have a 'making morning' at the Church (date to be confirmed). Sewing and craft persons required to help please, and if you have a pair of pinking scissors all the better please bring them.



WHATS HAPPENING



APRIL 2022

5th 10.30am—12pm All Saints Church Café Morning, All Saints Church

7th 7.30pm—Community Group Meeting Yew Tree Farm

12th 10.30am—12pm All Saints Church Café Morning, All Saints Church

13th Book Group Meeting - 41Church Road, Nailstone

16th 2pm—4pm Easter Egg Hunt/Litter Pick , Nailstone Church

19th 10.30am—12pm All Saints Church Café Morning, All Saints Church

21st 7.15pm - WI Meeting, All Saints Church, Nailstone

26th 10.30am—12pm All Saints Church Café Morning, All Saints Church

27th 7.00pm - Parish Council Meeting AGM and Annual Parish Meeting, Dovebank School, Nailstone

May 2022

3rd 10.30am—12pm All Saints Church Café Morning, All Saints Church

5th 7.30pm Community Group Meeting— Venue

10th 10.30am—12pm All Saints Church Café Morning, All Saints Church

11th Book Group Meeting - Venue TBC

17th 10.30am—12pm All Saints Church Café Morning, All Saints Church

18th 7.15pm - WI Meeting, All Saints Church, Nailstone

24th 10.30am—12pm All Saints Church Café Morning, All Saints Church

25th 7.00pm - Parish Council Meeting Dovebank School, Nailstone

Further information for these events will be posted on the

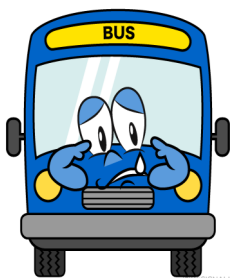
Parish Council website events page <https://www.nailstoneparishcouncil.org.uk/community-events.html>

Nailstone Community Facebook Page <https://www.facebook.com/groups/1061263810655855>

BUS SERVICE 153

Arriva are making cuts to the local bus services which will result in the 153 service no longer stopping at Nailstone, Barton in the Beans and Carlton from Sunday, April 17.

The Bosworth branch of the Liberal Democrats group has launched an online petition to try to save the service. This can be accessed at the web address below and a petition form will also be circulating the village for signatures.



<https://bosworthlibdems.org.uk/en/petition/save-153-bus-service-in-barton-in-the-beans-carlton-and-nailstone>

Village Garage Sale

Saturday 25th June 9am – 2pm

Advance notice of a date in your diary. Start looking out your items for sale –

the Nailstone Community Group garage sale is back!

We'll let you have more detail in the next newsletter including how you can sign up, how it will be organised, locations and refreshments available