

Stichill News



May 2016

The Village Hall Facebook page is now up and running, so go and see if you like the look of it.

Here is the link to the hall Facebook page. Even if you are not on Facebook you should still be able to look at it. Any comments welcome.

<https://www.facebook.com/Stichill-Village-Hall-972573872823280/>

The Hall Committee is pleased to announce,
The Strange Undoing of Prudencia Hart. (Scottish National Theatre)

Saturday 11th June. Tickets from Brown's Newsagents Kelso.

One wintry morning Prudencia Hart, an uptight academic, sets off to attend a conference in Kelso in the Scottish Borders. As the snow begins to fall, little does she know who or what awaits her. Inspired by the Border Ballads – and delivered in a riotous romp of rhyming couplets, devilish encounters and wild karaoke – Prudencia's dream-like journey of self-discovery unfolds among and around the audience.

Bar and light finger buffet

Women on the Verge of a T Junction (MsFits Theatre Company)

Saturday 16th July. 7.30pm. £8 and £7. Box Office 01573 470707

Three women, four counting the scary PC, on a collision course that will change their lives forever... and seriously damage their rear view mirrors! When their cars collide at a T junction three very different lives get as entangled as their bumpers in an hilarious and poignant comedy drama from The MsFits.

Jazz in the Village. Millar and Spencer. Saturday 10th September. 8.00pm.

Classical Flutes. Lis Dooner and Friends. Friday 23rd September. 8.00pm.

The Boyds. (More R & R than R & B!) Saturday 29th October. 7.30pm.

See the weekly events calendar for "what's on".

Future Specials

The Committee are arranging special evening events including jazz and popular music, so look out for more information in "The Stichill News".

CONCERTS

Organization and preparations would be made easier if an indication of attendance numbers were known in advance so please get in touch with the Box office: George Anderson Tel: 01573 470707. Email:

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Friday 24th June.

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Women's Institute.

Tuesday 3rd May

Visitors' Night - Fashion Show by Liba of Kelso

Competitions - 1) 3 pieces of fudge
2) A Bangle (Stichill and visitors)

Hostess - Committee and Members

Tuesday 7th June

AGM and Who's Who Quiz

All members to bring a baby or toddler photo of themselves for the competition.

Competitions - 1) 3 Butterfly cakes
2) Fancy piece of writing paper

Hostess Jean McDermid

Please note this meeting will start at 7.00pm

There will be no meetings in July and August.

All welcome

The Stichill 10k Fun Run will be held on Saturday 18th June at 12.00 Noon.
Registration 10.30am onwards.

The Kiddies' Sports will follow the 10k Run in the afternoon.

The Village BBQ will **not** be held on 18th June as previously advertised. There will be a meeting in the village hall on Wednesday 4th May at 7.00pm to decide upon a later date for the event and to review the format. Anyone interested please come along.

The Scottish Parliamentary Election will be on 5th May 2016.

The next meeting of the Community Council will be on 18th May.

The Referendum on UK membership of the EU will be on 23rd June 2016

WEEKLY EVENTS CALENDAR

Hall Programme	
Monday	<p>Bowling Club – from October 7:30 to 10:00 pm. Every third week of the month meet on Wednesday.</p> <p>Whist – Every 3rd Monday of the month at 7:30 pm. Contact Crawford Brown on 01573 470377</p>
Tuesday	<p>Ceilidh Dance Tuition – starts again in September every 2nd and 4th Tuesday of the month at 7:30 pm. . Contact Fran Redpath on 01573 223898.</p>
Wednesday	<p>Crafts – for members of the U3A. 1st Wednesday of the month 10:00 am to 12:00 noon. Contact Erica Smith on 01573 470264</p> <p>Art Classes – Every 2nd and 4th Wednesday of the month 1:30 to 3:30 pm. Contact Gaynor Taylor – gaynor@braecottage.net or 01573 470739.</p>
Thursday	<p>Wing Chun Kung Fu – Open to men and women age 16+ every week 7:00 to 8:30 pm. Contact Mark Entwistle, fully graded Black Belt level instructor, on 07788 192080.</p>
Friday	<p>Pilates – Classes every Friday at 9:15 & 10:30 am and 6:15 pm. Contact Fiona Fleming on 01573 229170 or 07415 617615</p>

SPECIAL EVENTS CALENDAR

Date	Event
Saturday 11 th June	The Strange Undoing of Prudencia Hart.
Saturday 16 th July	Women on the Verge of a T-junction.
10 th September	Jazz duo Spencer & Millar

The next meeting of the Stichill Village Hall Committee will be the AGM on Wednesday 15th June at 7:00 pm.

Anyone interested is welcome to attend.

The Lighter Side!

Value for money.

Ever since I was a child, I've had a fear of someone being under my bed at night, so I went to a psychiatrist and told him all about it.

"Just put yourself in my hands for one year", he said. "Come and see me three times a week and I'm convinced I can get rid of your fears."

"How much do you charge?" I asked. "£150 per visit."

"I'll sleep on it," I told him.

Six months later I met the psychiatrist in the street. "Why didn't you come to me about those fears you were having," he enquired.

"Well £150 a visit, three times a week for a year added up to £23,400; a bartender cured me for £10. I was so happy to have saved all that money I bought myself a new car."

"Is that so?" he replied, slightly irritated. "And may I ask how the bartender cured you?"

"He told me to cut the legs off my bed; there's nobody hiding under there now!"

It's always wise to get a second opinion!

A group of chess enthusiasts were kicked out of a hotel reception for discussing their games. It's spring, not the time for – chess nuts boasting in an open foyer!

Hall Committee

Chairman – Mr. George Anderson

Secretary – Mr. Ian Dutton

Treasurer – Mrs. Brenda Waring

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