

# Welcome to Strensall Community Newsletter

June 2024

We hope to bring you all the information of what is going on around Strensall within the community.

You can access it several different ways:

Facebook:

[Strensall Community Noticeboard](#)

[Strensall Helpers Group](#)

St Mary's Church [www.strensallstmarys.org.uk/](http://www.strensallstmarys.org.uk/)

Strensall Village Hall [www.strensallvillagehall.co.uk](http://www.strensallvillagehall.co.uk)

For this to be a community newsletter we need to know about group/event.

Information from the community can be sent by [strensallhelpers@outlook.com](mailto:strensallhelpers@outlook.com)

Notices to be received **by 12<sup>th</sup> of the month**, to be in the following newsletter.

A copy of this newsletter will be placed on St Mary's Church, Strensall Village Hall website and Strensall Community Noticeboard Facebook.

The newsletter will be mainly accessed online, but some copies may be available on request.

ANNUAL FUN DAY FOR ALL AGES



**SATURDAY 15 JUNE, 2024**  
**STRENSALL VILLAGE HALL • 12-5PM**

Supported by



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For more information contact [strensallcc@outlook.com](mailto:strensallcc@outlook.com)  
or visit [www.facebook.com/StrensallCarnival/](https://www.facebook.com/StrensallCarnival/)



THE HALF MOON INN STRENSALL



SATURDAY  
22 JUNE

VINTAGE TRACTOR RUN  
YORKSHIRE  
PUDDING EATING  
COMPETITION - HOG ROAST  
CANDY FLOSS &  
SWEET TREATS - LIVE  
MUSIC FROM  
THE WILD MURPHYS



IN AID OF DAISY CHAIN  
REGISTERED CHARITY NUMBER 1109792





# COMMUNITY BRUNCH

Strensall  
Village Hall

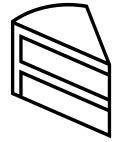
**A chance to  
meet, chat  
and enjoy  
great food.  
All welcome.**

Saturdays  
10am-1pm  
**20th July**  
**17th August**  
**21st September**

If you'd like to help with brunches or other community events, contact us on [Strensallcc@outlook.com](mailto:Strensallcc@outlook.com)



# SPEAREHEAD CAFÉ



Spearehead Cafe is a community cafe  
on every Wednesday 9-12pm  
at St Mary's Church Hall, Church Lane, Strensall  
Homemade cakes, refreshments and bacon rolls

Charity Days - 26<sup>th</sup> June and 24<sup>th</sup> July

We are supporting Isabel, who is coming with  
some craft items to sell. She has been chosen  
to go on a Girlguiding International Trip in Europe.

Facebook – [Strensall Spearehead Cafe](#)



# Reading Group



**Every 2<sup>nd</sup> Friday of the Month**  
**2.00pm – 3.00pm | Strensall Library**

## **A Reading Group with a difference...**

We invite you to chat about the book you are currently reading, we know life can be busy so picking up a set book can be a challenge. Share with the group what you have been reading, come along for inspiration or just a natter.

**No need to book, just pop along! Free to join!**

[www.exploreyork.org.uk](http://www.exploreyork.org.uk)

Follow our story:



# explore

Libraries and Archives

**theWI**  
**INSPIRING WOMEN**

Our next meeting Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> May

Our speaker is Roger Burnett speaking  
about Gardening.

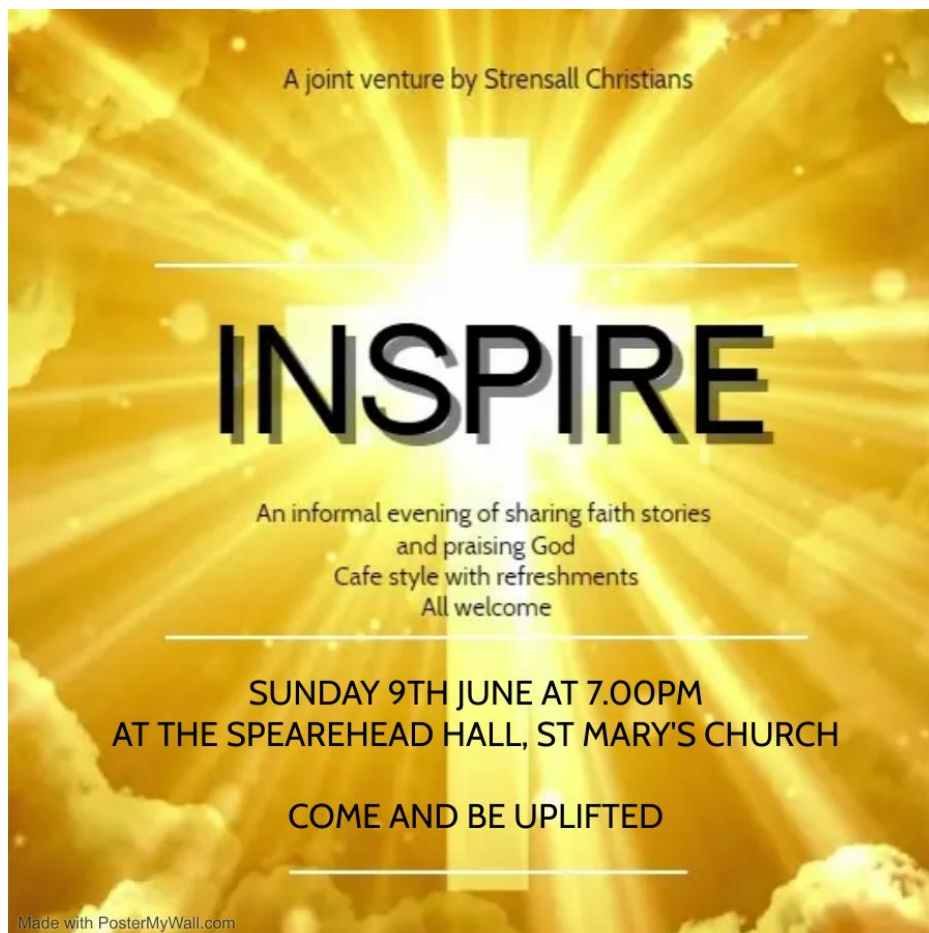
Our competition is a favourite gardening tool.

New members will be made very welcome.

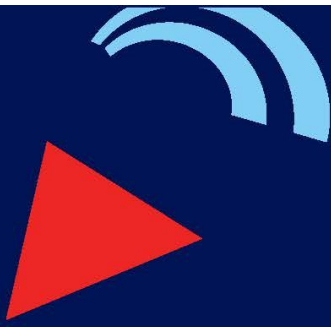
Raffle and refreshments.

WI meetings are the 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of every month in  
Strensall Village at 6:45/7pm.

Facebook – [Strensall Huntington WI](#)







Strensall



## We help all girls know they can do anything

### Volunteer with Girlguiding

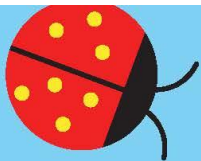
It's totally flexible and there's no commitment too small. You can volunteer in a group or use your skills behind the scenes, you don't need any guiding experience and everyone is welcome!

Find out more [girlguiding.org.uk/volunteerFirst](http://girlguiding.org.uk/volunteerFirst)

**Rainbows**

**Brownies**

**Guides**

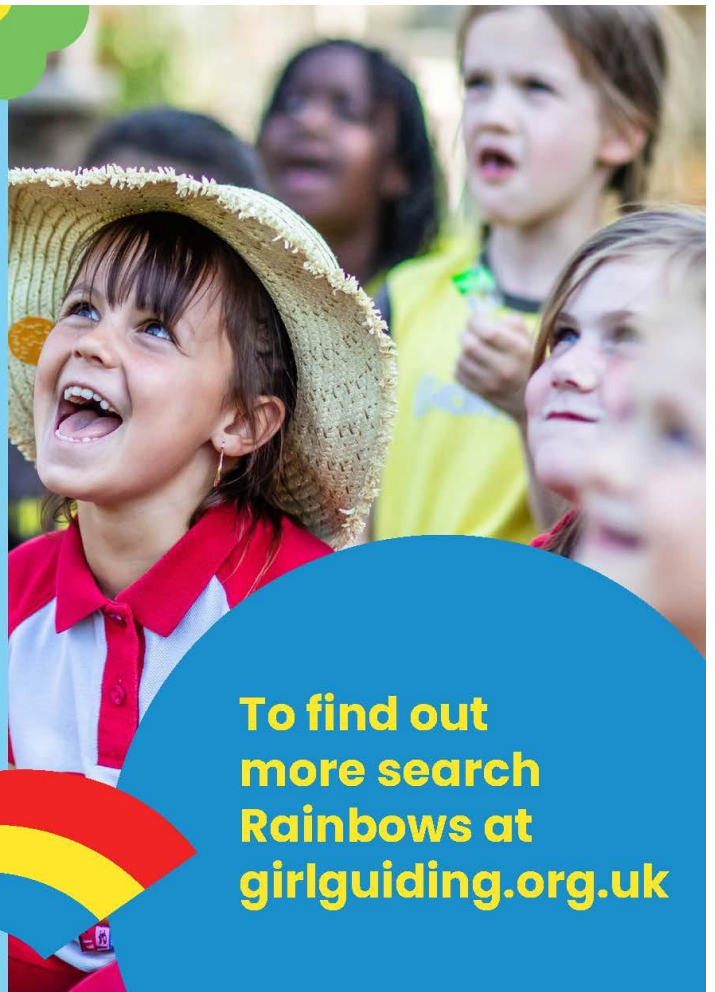


**Rainbows**

Strensall

**Girls play, learn and have tons of fun**

for ages 4 to 7



To find out more search Rainbows at [girlguiding.org.uk](http://girlguiding.org.uk)





## **VOLUNTEERS' WEEK**

**Volunteers' Week is all about celebrating the invaluable contribution which millions of volunteers make to society every day.**

Volunteering builds connections, grows skills and gives back to society. And it's been shown to be good for the wellbeing of volunteers too.

The week raises awareness about the benefits of becoming a volunteer and the diverse volunteering roles that are available. We are very lucky in Strensall to have so many volunteers in our community. Why not consider enquiring about volunteering for one of the groups/activities that go on.

You can meet a lot of volunteers on various stalls at Strensall Carnival on the 15<sup>th</sup> June. See how it makes a difference in our community and be inspired by them.

**Thank you to all the volunteers in Strensall for everything that you do!**



TICKETS

£1

EACH

## RAFFLE PRIZES

- £150 prize sponsored by Your Move Anscombs
  - Dolce Gusto Coffee Machine supplied by Nestlé
  - Half Moon Inn voucher
  - RHS Harlow Carr Family Pass
  - Sewerby Hall Family Pass
  - York City Knights Family Ticket
  - Askham Bryan Wildlife Park Family Pass
  - Cathay Chinese Strensall £30 Voucher
  - Free Haircut at Mark Johns Barber Strensall
  - Armadillo Plumbing and Heating Strensall Amazon Voucher
  - North Yorkshire Moors Railway Family Ticket
  - Wolds Gliding Club Flight Voucher
  - Piglets Adventure Farm Family Pass
- And many more !

Raffle tickets are available from Community Brunch, Spearehead Cafe, The Half Moon and from volunteers



Our Carnival is fast approaching!

One of our main fundraisers for the Carnival is our Raffle so I am on the lookout for some great Raffle Prizes.

If anyone is able to donate a Raffle Prize you can contact Helen at [strensallcc@outlook.com](mailto:strensallcc@outlook.com).

Prizes can also be brought to Spearehead Cafe on a Wednesday morning.

Raffle tickets can be purchased at Spearehead Café, The Half Moon, and The Ship Inn.

Many thanks in advance.



**Baby & Toddler Group**

for all children aged 0-4 and their carers

Tuesdays in term-time, 9.15-10.45am,  
Spearehead Hall, Strensall  
(next to St. Mary's Church, YO32 5XU)

Lots of family-friendly fun, play, crafts,  
songs, baby area & refreshments.

£2 per family up to 2 children, 50p for additional children

We look forward to seeing you

Part of St. Mary's Church in Strensall

St. Mary's Church is a registered charity; Number 1162095



## STRENSALL CRAFTERS CLUB

Meet Spearehead Hall, St Mary's Church Hall, Strensall  
7pm-9pm Monthly

Next meeting Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> June

Bring Your Own Craft (or Spiral Hoops)

See us at the Carnival!

17<sup>th</sup> July meeting – Kumihimo braids

Everyone welcome – Come and join this friendly group.  
Contact Tracey for details 07749 275027

## ART CLUB

Strensall Village Hall, Wednesday 9;30-12:00

Come and explore and enjoy!

All media and abilities

Self-help/No tutor

First two lessons free

£4.75 per session

Contact Teresa 01904 942274





**Strensall  
Methodist  
Church**

**Revd John Hayward**  
**john.hayward@methodist.org.uk**  
**Church contact email**  
[strensallmethodistchurch@gmail.com](mailto:strensallmethodistchurch@gmail.com)

## **SUNDAY MORNING CHURCH SERVICES**

**HELD WEEKLY AT 10-30 AM.**

### **JUNE IS BIBLE MONTH.**

**This year we are looking at the book of GENESIS**

**WEEK1 - held at SHERIFF HUTTON Methodist Church**

**- June 2nd - Eve and Adam - Genesis 2-3.**

**STRENSALL June 9th - Abel and Cain - Genesis 4**

**June 16th - Noah - Genesis 6-9**

**June 23rd - Tower of Babel - Genesis 11**

**SUNDAY 9th June - 'INSPIRE' an informal evening of sharing  
faith stories and praising God.**

**7pm at the Sparehead Hall, St Mary's Church**

**SATURDAY COFFEE. We meet weekly for refreshments and a  
chat from 10 - 11.30 am.**

**WEDNESDAY FELLOWSHIP - JUNE 5TH at 2 pm**

**AGM with Revd John Hayward**

**This is our final Fellowship meeting of the season.**

**Everyone is invited to join us**

**See the notice board at the front of the Church  
or email for further details**





## **STRENSALL WALKING GROUP**

We are a friendly bunch who enjoy 5-6 miles walk usually ending with a lunch in a pub or café

Everybody is welcome without commitment

Just turn up at the Village Hall car park by 9.00am on the following dates:

Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> June

Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> June

Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> July

Friday 26<sup>th</sup> July

Contact 07786914272 / 07891296603





# **STRENSALL BOWLS CLUB**

## **PARK GATE NEAR BUS TERMINUS**

# **TUESDAY NIGHT ROLL-UPS**

***WE INVITE YOU***

***TO COME ALONG ON ANY TUESDAY EVENING***

***FROM 6.30 TO 8.00PM***

***(WEATHER PERMITTING)***

***AND HAVE A TRY AND SOME FUN***

***EQUIPMENT/ASSISTANCE PROVIDED***

***BOWLING CAN BE ENJOYED BY ALL AGES AND GENDERS***



**TELEPHONE :- 01904 491010 ///07810446019 FOR MORE INFORMATION**

## **STRENSALL LOCAL HISTORY GROUP**

**26<sup>th</sup> June – Stamford Bridge Tapestry visit**

**Please note: 1pm for 1.30pm start**

**Meeting place: Platform 66, The Old Station Club,  
Church Road, Stamford Bridge, YO41 1DG**

A chance to see the Tapestry after our talk last month, there will be a short history of the Old Station where it is housed, by Brian Fulton. Refreshments are available afterwards.

July and August – no meetings

All Welcome. Non-members £3 at the door

Membership £12 per year

For information, see our website: [slhg.weebly.com](http://slhg.weebly.com)

Email: [slhg@gmx.com](mailto:slhg@gmx.com)



## Strensall Over Fifties Club

The June meeting will be held at Strensall Village Hall at 2.00 pm on Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> June 2024.

There will be a presentation by Philip Benham (former chairman of North Yorkshire Moors Railway) followed by tea and biscuits, raffle and bingo.

The Club provides a variety of musical entertainment or presentations by local organisations. Outings are arranged in May, August, and a festive meal at the North Star, Flamborough in November. Contact Keith Marquis 01904 492316 for information.

# Spearehead Hall



**Are you looking for a bright and welcoming space  
to hire in Strensall?**

The hall is available to hire by individuals, groups and organisations for one-off parties and events for up to 50 people. We also take bookings for regular weekly or monthly sessions.

As well as the hall, there is a full kitchen, an excellent audio/visual projection system and an outside paved area. The hall is fully accessible via level access.

Bookings for the hall must be made and paid for in advance.

Please enquire via the website : <https://strensallstmarys.org.uk/spearehead-hall>  
or email: [spareheadhallbookings@strensallstmarys.org.uk](mailto:spareheadhallbookings@strensallstmarys.org.uk)



# THE STRENSALL & TOWTHORPE VILLAGE SHOW

To be held in the Strensall Village Hall  
On Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> September 2024 at 2:30pm  
Admission to the Show 50p  
Accompanied children free

## CRAFT CATEGORIES

Section D - Handicraft	
Class	
50	Knitted article
51	Soft toy
52	A pen and ink/Pencil drawing
53	Crocheted article
54	Article made from felt or felting
55	Painting any medium
56	An embroidered book mark
57	A homemade new baby card
58	Item of homemade jewellery
59	Article any craft not scheduled

Section H – Children's Section	
Class	
84	A homemade table mat
85	A creature made out of pom poms
86	A decorated potato
87	3 Jam tarts
88	A farm on a seed tray
89	3 Chocolate nests
90	A decorated emoji biscuit
91	A decorated peg character
92	A collage poster of hero or villain
93	An Olympic figure pipe cleaners
94	Item of jewellery
95	3 Fairy buns
96	A painted rock
97	Design of homemade card
98	Photo - Holiday
99	Photo – Something red

Section J – Photography (Adult Class)	
Class	
100	Door(s)
101	Tree(s)
102	Flower(s)
103	Cloud(s)
104	Animal(s)

### ENTRANCE FEES

Adults: 25p per exhibit up to 30 exhibits  
Any further exhibits will be free of charge  
Children section: Free

# Jazz in the Village

*"Very cool music played in a magical atmosphere - this will appeal to jazz novices as well as hardcore enthusiasts."* Three Weeks Magazine

from Scotland



**Ian Millar**  
*saxophone*

**Dominic Spencer**  
*piano*

*"Beautiful soaring magic! I was blown away by your show, just breathtaking!"*

*"...expect warm, intelligent, reflective, human music..."*

## STRENSALL AND TOWTHORPE VILLAGE HALL

**BYOB**

Northfields, Strensall, York YO32 5XW

**Sat 12<sup>th</sup> Oct 8pm £12**

Accompanied  
under 16s free

Tickets from [strensallcc@outlook.com](mailto:strensallcc@outlook.com)



[www.millarandspencer.co.uk](http://www.millarandspencer.co.uk)



Save the Date!



AUTUMN

CEILIDH

*with*  
**Shindig**

*Strensall's very own Ceilidh Band!*

**STRENSALL VILLAGE HALL**

**October 5<sup>th</sup> 2024**

More details: Steve Marshall 07929 719286

