

UFTON NEWS

August 2024 Diary

Sat	3	Great Ufton Tidy Up Village Hall 9.30 – 10.00 am
Tues	6	Food Waste, Blue and Green
Tues	13	Food waste bin
Sat	17	Coffee, Book,

and Jigsaw morning VH 10am to 12 noon

Tues	20	All bins
Tues	27	Food bin

Coffee, Cake, Books and Jigsaw morning Saturday 17th August 2024 10am to 12 noon, Ufton Village Hall

Come and enjoy a cup of tea/coffee and a piece of cake with your neighbours. Everyone welcome.

The Great Ufton Tidy Up

Ufton Parish Councillors invite everyone to join them on Saturday 3rd August 2024 to take part in the "Great Ufton Tidy Up"

The Parish Councillors feel the village is currently looking a tad "unloved" and could do with a bit of sprucing up. If you would like to join in please meet at the Village Hall from 9.30 am for a 10.00 am start. Refreshments will be available prior to 10.00am and again between 1.30 pm and 2.30pm.

If you have gloves, brooms, dustpans, and rubbish bags please bring them with you.

The Parish Councillors have a list of places they wish to tidy.

If you are unable to help on the day, perhaps you could tidy the area directly outside your residence (if needed) by removing the weeds, brushing stones back onto driveways and picking up any litter.

If we all do a little bit, our wonderful village could look lovely.

Ufton Village Day

An afternoon is being arranged for Sunday 1st September 1.30 - 5.00 pm. Starting in the Village hall with a table-top sale of crafts and produce, Morris Dancers performing outside in St Michaels Close, followed by the Spa Strummers in the Village Hall and the return of Ufts dog show.

Times As follows:

1.30 Table Top Sale

2.00 - 2.45. Hereburgh Morris and Plum Jerkum Dancers

3.00. Spa Strummers, ukulele group.

4.00. Ufts Dog Show

Coffee, tea and cake will be available all afternoon.

To book a table for the tabletop please contact Mal or Wendy, phone numbers below.

We thought it would also be nice to have a table for any fresh surplus garden produce so please bring any spare on the day.

We would like to hold a raffle so would appreciate any donations of chocolate or wine, again you can leave anything with Mal or Wendy.

We'd really appreciate any help you can give on the day, so please let us know.

We look forward to seeing as many of you as can make it for an enjoyable afternoon.

Please text either of us on the numbers below

Wendy 07783606028
Mal 07771694672

Tree and Vegetation around the Cart Pond

A question has been raised about the maintenance of the trees and vegetation around the Cart Pond along Ufton Fields. The Parish Council is currently trying to establish who owns the land.

It has been established that the land which Field Close sits on was owned by Balliol College and they sold it to The Associated Portland Cement Manufacturers Limited on 19th December 1996. Portland Cement then transferred to the builders who constructed the properties.

The Land Registry records clearly show the pond was excluded from the sale, but it does not show who owns it. The Parish Council has nothing in its records to show the land belongs to them either.

Balliol College has been contacted to establish if the land is still in their ownership or if their records show who owned it. (Historically a lot of land within Ufton was owned by Balliol College).

Residents who live near the pond may wish to look at their own deeds or land registry information to see if there is any information contained within them. They may also wish to look at the information they were provided with at their point of purchase i.e. searches which may also provide information.

Once the Parish Council receives a response from Balliol College, the village will be updated.

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