Parish Council Meetings

10th June Ordinary 6.30pm 15th July Ordinary 6.30pm 23rd September Ordinary 6.30pm 25th November Ordinary 6.30pm 20th Jan 2025 Ordinary 6.30pm

All Parish Council meetings are held in Coughton CofE Primary School Hall

There is a 15 minute slot at the start of the meeting for you to address any concerns, issues & questions you have. Please come along and let us know what we can do to help you.

Agendas & Minutes of all meetings are available on the Parish Council website and noticeboard by Coughton CofE School

Parking Issues

Whilst we appreciate that parking is very limited in Coughton Lane & Sambourne Lane, can we please ask you to be mindful of residents? DO NOT park opposite or over anyone's driveways AT ANY TIME. Thank you



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Sambourne Village Notices

100 club

April's Jackpot Winner for £450 was won by Susan Lines who lives in Henley on Thames and is Phil Bond's sister

<u>May's Winner</u> was Hannah Nappin who lives in Amersham and is the younger daughter of John McTavish

Draws are made on the first Sunday each month at 5.00pm in Sambourne Church Hall. The June draw is for £100 but the July draw will be a Jackpot draw for £450.

Please give some thought to joining the 100 Club as by doing so you will not only be helping to maintain a lovely grade 1 listed building but also have a chance of winning a cash prize each month.

Contact Peter Laband (01527 893879) or John McTavish (01789 764703) should you wish to join.

Coughton with Sambourne Church Services
7th July Sambourne Holy Communion 4pm
21st July St Peter's Coughton Morning Worship
11.00am

All are welcome .Friendly informal services .

Refreshments afterwards

Sambourne Events:

Sambourne Summer Fete Saturday 29th June 2024 @2pm



Coughton Past & Present

Coughton Station

Coughton Parish Councillors

Sarah Whittaker: Clerk
Roy Piddington: Chair
Christine Lewington: Vice Chair
Len Carter: Cllr
Lynne Stanton: Cllr
Jim Hawthorne

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Village Pass

If you have recently moved into Coughton or do not have a 'Village Pass' for Coughton Court, please contact:

Claire.hancox@nationaltrust.org,uk

COUGHTON PARISH COUNCIL'S NEWSLETTER JUNE 2024









Dates for your Diary

Coughton Community Choir practice every Thursday @ Kings Court Hotel

Bi Monthly Parish Council Meetings (details on back page)

6th June 80th Anniversary D-Day Landings: BYO Picnic & Blankets to 'The Mews' to celebrate, with music, fun and laughter. Dress up if you feel 'In The Mood'.

29th June Coughton Community Choir Annual Charity Concert @ Grieg Hall **Scarecrow/Plant pot Competition**

Sunflower Growing Competition

Monthly Coughton Coffee Mornings in Coughton Mews Gardens September Litter Picking Day October Cemetery Tidy Weekend

Halloween Party

December Hog Roast @ Coughton Court

December Carol Service

If you have anything you would like to put into the Newsletter. Please contact Lynne.

Road and Highways.

After many, many emails and site visits to Coughton by Highways, Flood Dept, District and County Councillors and our MP. Work has eventually been undertaken on the roads to help alleviate some of the flooding issues. There were cameras put into the drains, to find out there had been a collapse. Consequently the collapse has been repaired and new manholes have also been fitted. They are still finishing the project at present. There were also new drains fitted at the bottom of Sambourne Lane and 2 new drains and an Acro drain fitted at the bottom of the Fordrough. We are still awaiting contact from National Trust with regards to the field flooding homes.





Coughton & Sambournes Chapel Restoration Project As you are possibly aware a group of villagers have instigated

a restoration project for the chapel in Sambourne Lane. We had a meeting with villagers to gauge their thoughts and offers of help. We had a mainly positive response, some great ideas and offers of help. Obviously any work that is undertaken has to be approved by the diocese. Once approval has been received we will then apply for grants etc. to raise money to complete each phase.

Coughton Ford

A new bench has been purchased from community funds and has been fitted on the grass at the ford. Huge thanks to Adrian Dobbins and his helpers from Australia for installing the bench and completing this work for the community. Rubbish has also been an issue at the ford again, this was reported and removed by the Council. We are still awaiting fitting of a new bin to replace the one lost in the floods.





Coughton Community Choir

This years Charity Concert by Coughton Community Choir is titled 'With A Little Help From My Friends' The concert is being held at The Greig Hall, Alcester, on 29th June, the doors open at 6.30pm for a 7.30pm start. We will be having a super Raffle and the bar will be open all evening. All proceeds from the concert will be distributed amongst local charities. The choir will be singing songs such as 'Sing', 'Let it Be', 'Friends' and 'One Day Like This' to name but a few. There will also be duets and solo performances during the evening. Please come and join us for a wonderful evening of entertainment and fun. Tickets are selling fast, and are £10 per person, to obtain yours please contact a

member of the choir or online at www.ticketsource.co.uk/coughton-community-choir See you there!

Coffee Mornings

The next Coughton Coffee Mornings are in 'Coughton Mews'. It would be fabulous if you could join us for a coffee, a chat and CAKE! The dates are June 22nd & July 27th, 10am to 12pm. Any sign of rain, coffee will be in The Post Office Kitchen.



THE FAIRIES ARE COMING...

Fairies have lived in the Village woodland for many years and this spring, lets fill the Village and woods with lots of new fairy doors for little feet to find. Join us by adding your own fairy door in the village for the children to seek. Here are a couple of

doors, let the children have some fun finding these.



Coughton Village



Sunflower Competition

How are your sunflower seeds growing? If you have not had any, please pick them up from The Old Post Office. Keep me updated on how they are growing ready for judging!!

Coughton Litter Picking with Coughton CofE Primary School

A group of villagers, teachers and children from Coughton CofE Primary School had a litter picking morning in Coughton Fields Land and at the Ford. We collected approximately 8 bags of rubbish, one car number plate and even a car bumper! A great morning was had by all. The Parish Council gave all the children a certificate for their hard work.

