##  **Shuttington and Alvecote Parish Hall Newsletter**

As well as being the venue for a fabulous New Year’s Eve party – thanks must go to Lisa Tunnicliffe for organising - our village hall was hired by a party of 2 families on Christmas Day who served a full 2 course Christmas menu to 30 people and then an annual Boxing Day get together for another large family group. The hall has full kitchen facilities with tables and chairs to host 80 people and is an ideal venue to hold anything from children’s parties to large family celebrations. Additionally, in the warmer weather there is the patio area with picnic tables. Not forgetting the nearby children’s play area.

The hall is used on a regular basis by various groups ( see reverse for details of the groups ) but there is still availability for private hire for events and the current hire charges are detailed on the village notice board and on our website

 [www.shuttington-alvecote.org.uk/parish-hall](http://www.shuttington-alvecote.org.uk/parish-hall)

 **Dates for your diaries:**

**Good Friday get together on 29 March 11am to 1pm.** Come down and enjoy complimentary cake, hot cross buns and a hot or cold drink. For the children there will be egg decorating competitions, craft area and all children will receive an Easter egg. There will also be games of Musical BINGO with prizes. This event replaces Aprils coffee morning.

The annual village fete will be held on the afternoon of **Sunday 23 June**. As 2024 is an Olympic year the fete will incorporate a Village Olympics Event. More details to follow in the next newsletter.

Coffee mornings are every first Monday of the month – Everyone welcome 10.30 to 12.30. Drink’s and homemade cakes are 75p each and the village hall now has contactless card payment facility. This year’s coffee morning dates are:

4 March 6 May 3 June 1 July 5 August 2 September 7 October 4 November

December’s date to be confirmed later in the year

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 **Parish Hall Events Committee members:**

Samantha Hall 7 Pear Tree Close 07794533956 Margaret Frost 6 Church Lane 07977938101

Sandra Beck 24 School Lane 07517423680 Gaynor Barber 1 East View 07908717330

 GROUPS USING THE VILLAGE HALL EACH WEEK

NRG Dance – street dance classes for children and teenagers. Sessions held in the hall on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings and Saturday afternoons.

Contact 07961263007 for more information

Dog Training Thursday evening 6-9pm Contact number is 07848979119

YOGA Friday evening 6-7pm Contact number 07401550888

Archery Group Saturday morning 9am – 12 midday. Contact number 07917356865

The Whippet Racing Club Training is held on the village field on Saturday afternoons from March to November. Racing weekends are also held during the season.

Contact 07887623393 for more information.