

Summer Sports programme at the Rec

The programme of sporting activity and games planned for the summer.



Tom Stabler, a young sportsman doing his Duke of Edinburgh bronze medal, will lead a variety of games for children aged 5 and above. Along with Graeme Kennedy you can try your hand with a cricket bat; engage with the fun of parachute games; explore the woodland trail or play football. Come and join in. July 11, 13, 20, 22, 25 and 29, August 1, 5, 8 and 12 (afternoons see times posted up at the Rec)

Sahil Khan, Charters graduate with sports qualifications, is coming from Windsor Leisure Centre on Wednesday afternoons in the holidays, starting 27 July to do some sports coaching with you. Improve your cricket, join in five a side football or play organised games. July 27, August 3, 10, 17 & 24 3.00 – 5.30 pm. Turn up and join in.

Pre-season football coaching 30 August until 2 September – contact Charters Tennis Tel 01256 463673

Charters Tennis Summer Junior tennis coaching begins on Monday 25 July The programme is on every day for 5 weeks 9 am -12 am You can enrol for a day or a week. Contact www.charterstennis.co.uk Tel 01256 463673 to book a place. At other times book at www.charterstennis.co.uk or casual players can pay Monika in the kiosk the £5 court fee (per hour).

The **tennis kiosk** is open every day except Tuesdays, until 5.30 pm serving drinks and ice-creams.

Ceramics Café is open every Tuesday and Wednesday during the holiday, for you to have fun creating your special gift. Refreshments available.

Dates of Parish Council meetings:

July 12, Aug 9, Sept 13, Oct 11, Nov 8, Dec 13

Planning meetings: July 6, Aug 3 & 31, Sept 28, Oct 26, Nov 23

Parish Council office hours

Mon- Thurs 09.00 – 14.00

Fridays: 11.00 – 14.00

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Big Society and Neighbourhood Plan

The Localism Bill is going through its final stages in the Commons. It opens up the possibilities for local people to shape future housing development and open space in the area by drawing together our own Neighbourhood Plan. What do we want for Sunningdale? Your views are important and the Parish Council needs to hear from you



Our Neighbourhood Plan

Our community can now have greater control over the look and feel of development in our area, and we want you to get involved.

A Steering Group made up of members of the community are leading the process of drawing up a **Neighbourhood Plan** for our area and will be holding a number of consultation events and an ongoing discussion with members of the community. The Steering Group is planning a **launch event**

in September with a number of fun ways for you, and your friends and family to get involved. Details will be posted on the website soon.

Our **Neighbourhood Plan** will be a major part of what planning applications will be judged on, so if you have views on employment, the environment, transport, the community, housing, or anything else that is important to you in our area, we want to hear from you.

For more information on our **Neighbourhood Plan**, visit our website at ascotandthesunnings.wordpress.com. If you want to get involved, have a say, or want to be kept informed about what's going on with the plan, email "YES!" and your postcode to ascotandthesunnings@yahoo.com.

Big Society Friends of Sunningdale

In our May newsletter, the Parish Council introduced the Friends of Sunningdale, set up to encourage local residents to get involved as volunteers to support community activities and projects. We've made progress on a range of community projects.

Adopt-a-street

Five areas have been adopted. They are Priory Road, Footpath 13 that runs parallel to the railway track and the woodland path to the Recreation ground, Charters Road, Whitmore Lane and Dale Lodge Road. At the moment, there are about 2-3 volunteers for each of these areas and they are looking forward to hearing from more residents wanting to join any of these areas or in adopting a street, contact Joiy at mmjchan@yahoo.co.uk.

Sunningdale Container Library Volunteers

As a consequence of the Friends of Sunningdale's collaboration with RBWM Library Services, we are in a very strong position to help the village expand its Library services such as opening on Saturdays, the Housebound service, local Reading Groups and bringing Rhymetimes and Storytimes sessions to children in the community. We've so far got 2 volunteers and look so much forward to hearing from others. Contact Joiy at mmjchan@yahoo.co.uk.

We are working on other ideas such as lighting scouts to help the Borough identify non working lights and street parties for the Diamond Jubilee.



Besides setting up the above community projects, the Friends of Sunningdale also participated in a recent Family Fun Day event held at the recreation ground. Our stall was decked with information on the various volunteering opportunities and community projects, as well as interesting gadgets such as an energy monitor that you can borrow from the Library to monitor home use and a dynamo bike, loaned from Royal Holloway, to show how much human energy is required to power a small music system.

Sustainable Sunningdale (SUSS)

SUSS, an initiative of Sunningdale Parish Council, continues to engage with the community on matters of climate change, raising awareness and encouraging lifestyle changes to lower our use of fossil fuels. We work with Ascot Community Environment Network (ASCENT) and with Ascot Green Drinks which meets on the first Monday of every month at Jagz at Ascot Station 8.0 pm

We are looking to build our Eco team of people ready to set an example and sign on to the commitment to reduce CO2. We arrange speaker events like meeting with our MP Adam Afriyie on 24 June on climate change issues. We are seeking to support a local food enterprise so please bring us your ideas. We encourage people

- * to change to green energy providers such as Ecotricity which is dedicated to increasing the supply of energy from renewable sources.

- * to get a free energy audit from RBWM Energy Awareness Officer to show how to reduce your energy bills and improve energy efficiency.

- * Recycle – sign up for recyclebank, use Freegle and recycle carrier bags.

- * Protect our endangered oceans by supporting Oceanstory www.oceanstory.org.

Ellen Brown, our SUSS Coordinator, waits to hear from you on any of these: sustainable.sunningdale@gmail.com

Ascot Retirement Fair on Wednesday 24 August 2011

Grandstand, Ascot. 10 am- 4 pm

The Retirement Fair aims to provide information on the services available in the area and the opportunities for leisure activities. There will be a large number of organisations to talk to, including Big Society Friends of Sunningdale. Do come along

Sunningdale Area Carnival 2011 – Sunday 11 Sept

2011 marks the 35th annual Sunningdale Area Carnival. The theme this year is “Circus”. This allows lots of scope to dress up, to have fun and to enjoy the day together. The celebrations start at 11 am at the Recreation Ground in Sunningdale. www.sunningdaleareacarnival.co.uk

Saturday library

In response to the public consultation the mobile library in Sunningdale will be open on Saturday morning starting on 6 August, as well as Friday service.

New Parish Councillors David Lupton, Mark Klinecicz and Richard Sefton have joined the Parish Council. There are nine councillors with one vacancy.