

Stondon.net Newsletter

April 2011

STONDON ANNUAL PARISH MEETING

IN STONDON VILLAGE HALL, HILLSIDE ROAD
WEDNESDAY 27TH APRIL 2011 AT 7.30 PM



There will be a presentation by
Karen Kenny
of the
National Society of
Allotment and Leisure Gardeners Limited

You will be able to ask questions and will be invited to join the association at the end of the meeting.

For further information contact the Stondon Parish Council Clerk on 01767 221930 or stondonpc@virginmedia.com

PLAY RANGERS

are coming to
Stondon Park
In Easter Half Term

Monday 18th April 2:30 - 4:00 pm

Information

- All sessions are free of charge.
- All ages are welcome.
- Play Rangers will come with play equipment and creative activities. (Please note, no children under 5 in the art tent.)
- All Play Rangers are CRB checked.
- Parents/carers remain responsible for their children at all times. (Children under 5 should be accompanied by an adult.)
- Children are free to come and go as they please, this is an open access scheme.
- Parents/carers are very welcome to join in.
- Play isn't always clean and dry, so wear something suitable.

For more information contact:
Tel: 0300 300 5125
Email: playrangers@centralbedfordshire.gov.uk



JAMES BOND Casino



NIGHT Roulette, Poker & Blackjack
tables followed by Disco & Dancing

Saturday 14th May 8pm till late

Mount Pleasant Golf Club, Lower Stondon, Beds

Tickets £15 each, to include Glass of Bubbly on arrival, Canapes & Fun Gaming Money!



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07833 100799

YOU ONLY LIVE ONCE!



Stondonbury Re-use Boot
Re-opens Easter Sunday 24th April.
Full details can be found [here](#).

All Saints Church has a new website.
You can find all their latest news at
<http://allsaintsstondon.vpweb.co.uk/>

Parish Council Elections - May 5th

Your Parish Council is up for election this year, and as we go to press, it looks like there *will* be an election this time. There are 12 candidates for the 10 available seats on the council. You can vote for as many or as few as you like up to a maximum of 10.

The candidates standing are:

Nigel Benson	Applecroft
Peter Brown	Station Road
Kerry Dellar	Upper Stondon
Kevin Goode	Station Road
Astrid Hansen	Plum Tree Road
Dorothea Hellen	Long Close
Dora Hinton	Bedford Road
Freda Nugent	Station Road
Stewart Rataj	Shillington Road
Gavin Simkins	Station Road
Kevin Smith	Pollards Way
James Stirling	Plum Tree Road



Further information from:
Pam Sowa – 01462 851803
Or mobile: 07904 567371
Pastor Mike Campbell 01462 815915

Meets at Stondon Baptist church hall on the first Tuesday of each month between the hours of 5-7 p.m

DO YOU... ..

- have a busy and demanding life?
- need a place just to be you?
- want to meet someone who will listen, understand and accept without judgement?
- don't know where to go for help?

This may be what you're looking for?

Coffee
Tea, Hot Chocolate
&
Light refreshments
will be served

We are not a counselling service, but can provide a list of professional specialists who can help further if required.

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RSVP Residents of Stondon Village Plan

You may have heard that Stondon is developing a Village Plan. The Village Plan will be developed by people like you and might consider items such as:

- Leisure Facilities
- Employment, Education & Training
- Travel & Transport
- Crime & Safety
- Health & Welfare Facilities
- The Local Environment
- Housing & Future Development
- Facilities for Younger Residents

The 1st stage in the Village Plan will be a "Planning for Real" event.

Planning for Real uses a map of the village & "hands on" participation to help people put forward and prioritise their ideas on how their area can be improved. Participants place suggestion cards on the map indicating what they want to see happen and where (e.g. playground, parking, swimming pool, traffic calming, community centre, standpipe, tree, shopping, etc). The suggestion cards will be sorted and prioritised to establish an action plan which is followed up by the Village Plan Steering Group.

Stondon Lower School 21st May 2011 1pm to 5pm

- Stondon Maps
- Bouncy Castle
- Children's Competitions - "Design a Logo"
- BBQ + Refreshment

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