



Youth Community Arts

New stores!

We completed the 600ft² storage block at the end of February. As the pics to the right and below show we still need to tidy up the outside a bit but have been fitting out the insides with shelves and racking for Centre users.

This final phase of the project was funded by a loan from Barclays with grants from Bernard Sunley and Garfield Weston Foundations plus some money from our own reserves.



The project is dedicated to the memory of Pip Wise who sadly died recently: Pip was a member of the St. Giles Youth Club and then a youth leader at York House from 1970

This new building is to be formally opened by Rob Gifford, Chair of the Town Council, around 11am on St. George's Day, Saturday 23 April, as part of the Spring Plant Sale and Coffee Morning.

See you there!

Spring Plant Sale & Coffee Morning
9.30am to 12.30pm Saturday 23 April

Family Seed Planting workshop at 10.30 and Act Out/Act Up and the Stony Stratford Theatre Society are performing Shakespearian excerpts throughout the morning

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LocalGiving Thanks

It's a huge thankyou to all those who donated to the latest LocalGiving campaign to "double your money". There was a limit of £1,000 per group and we (ie you) hit it! This means over £2,000 in the pot for future community and arts events like Christmas Lanterns, Big Draw, Community Gardens, Actout/Actup youth drama...

Events Reviews

January: The Bardic Trials elected a new Bard of Stony Stratford...

The Stony Wassail pictured below saw over 50 people paying musical and poetical homage to York House's orchard to encourage a fine harvest of autumn fruit...

Furrowed brows and puzzled expressions at the Pointless Quiz raised over £500 for our community activities...

More puzzled looks from those who wanted to know "Can a Centipede Hop 50 Feet"...



Saturday March 19 8.15pm Geoff Eales Birthday Concert Masterful keyboard wizardry and songs with Geoff Eales and his group

Saturday March 26 8.15pm Comedy night with the Comedy Cow



Saturday April 2 8.15pm StonySwings!3 with Dirty Bizness – an evening of jazzybluesywingy classics in aid of York House

Saturday April 30 Borderline Crossing 8pm in folkybluesy style for Milton Keynes Community Cardiac Group

More details of all the above at www.york-house.org.uk

February: Fire 350 provided a fascinating, delightful, sometimes hilarious, sometimes very moving rendition of eye-witness accounts of the Great Fire of London...

From cellos and theorbos to banjos from the UK-touring Evie Ladin and Keith Terry. ...

Over £700 raised for RNLI (and £200 for York House) at the fourth S.S.Shanty! event

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