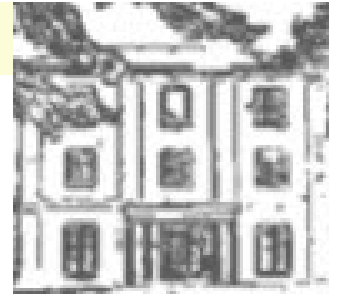


Youth Community Arts

Milton Keynes Community Choir

St. Mary and St. Giles Church

7pm Tuesday 8 June



Doors open at 6.45pm £4
all proceeds to Milton Keynes Mind and York House

Youth clubs

Lorraine, our paid youth worker or leader in charge, is leaving us at the end of this term. Lorraine set up the club two years ago and has done a magnificent job in running a very successful club for 8 to 12 year olds on Monday nights.

A hard act to follow but we need someone to replace Lorraine from the start of next term in September. We are also thinking about starting a new club for local 13 to 15 year olds probably on Wednesday nights. If anyone is interested in running or helping with either of these clubs then please could they contact us at the address below.

The
Big Draw
Saturday
9 October
with
professional
artists

York House News

is published regularly by York House Centre and distributed to members. Membership is free and open to anyone who lives in or has a strong association with Stony Stratford and is over the age of 18. If you are interested in becoming a member or want to know more about any of the events in this newsletter then please contact us at the address below. And if you are already using York House and want to put something into the newsletter about your activity or group then please tell us.

Pavement Art

Come and paint on our pavements. 10 to 2pm on Saturday 19 June at York House. Ages 4 to 19. £2 a pitch. All materials are provided. Prizes for each age category and winners go on to the national finals. All proceeds to the Muscular Dystrophy campaign. Refreshments will be available.

Trustees

Since our last AGM we have lost two trustees/directors and gained two new ones. Abi Davey and Mils Hills have both stood down in recent months. We welcomed Angie Gardner as a director at our May board meeting and the town council have nominated Sharon Sherwood. Sharon should assume her role as director at our June meeting. Welcome Angie and Sharon.

York House Centre
requires a
Leader in Charge
Junior Youth Work

To work independently without supervision to run a youth club at York House, Stony Stratford for 8 to 12 year olds from this September 2010 for one evening a week. The appointment will be subject to a satisfactory CRB check.

Interested?

Please send your application with two references to Youth Worker, York House Centre, London Road, Stony Stratford MK11 1JQ

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Community gardens

If you have been wondering what is going on at the back...

We are cultivating about 600m² of our back land to provide seven community gardens each about 87m². A standard allotment is about 250m². The plots are available to community groups who will then be wholly responsible for the plot and able to grow and sell any produce from them.

We have applied to EcoMinds for some money to complete the work and the Princes Trust have offered to install an associated seating area.

The indicative layout is shown right. The plots could be subdivided if a community group wanted a smaller plot.

Vintage success

The "Vintage and hand made sale" on 15 May was a great success and the organisers are planning another event at York House in November

Lanterns

Volunteers and helpers are needed to help run the making days. Saturday 13 and 20, Sunday 14 and 21 November. Switch on day is Saturday 27 November.

Scala film club

The film club recently showed "Touch of Evil" at York House. Twice in one evening. Both showings were well attended and they hope to show more films in the near future.

Santander

Nine of their employees gave a day of their time in April and decorated both the first floor and the top floor lobby areas. And Santander paid for the materials.

Many thanks Santander.

Beer Festival

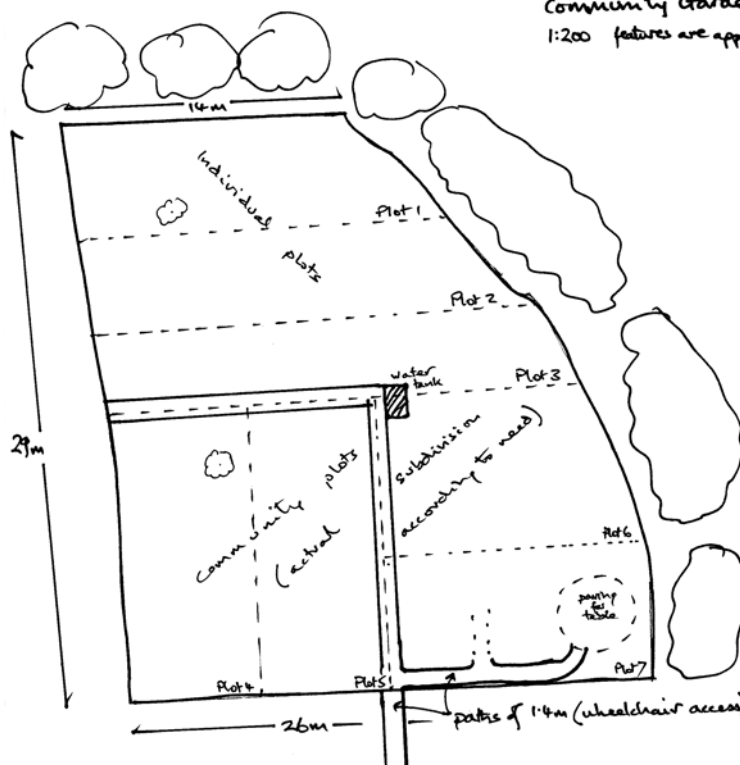
The next one is on Friday 3 and Saturday 4 September. Noon to 11pm. Over 20 local beers and ciders, hot food, live music.

Stony in Bloom

We have made raised beds from planks alongside the London Road footpath. We should shortly be filling them with topsoil then plants.

The April coffee morning raised nearly £250

York House
Community Garden Scheme
1:200 features are approximate



Town council

And many thanks also to the town council for their generous grant of £750 that will pay for some more new furniture.

We gave a presentation to the May council meeting on our activities and ideas for future developments. Copies of the presentation are available from the address below.

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