

ANNUAL FUN DAY FOR ALL AGES



EVENT INFORMATION & PROGRAMME

SATURDAY 14 JUNE 2025
STRENSALL VILLAGE HALL • 12-5PM

Event supported by



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WELCOME

Welcome to Strensall Community Carnival's Annual (minus Covid years) Community Event.

This will be the event's 10th year running.

The dedicated small committee have brought you an array of entertainment for all the family, including a fantastic food court area and over 30 charity and business stalls.

Bring picnic blankets, and chairs and enjoy all the entertainment on the Outdoor Arena.

We would like to thank you for supporting this event and we welcome your feedback on this and future community activities at the information stall.

Enjoy the day!

Strensall Community Events Team

SPECIAL FLYOVER

The Strensall Community Events Team are excited to announce that there will be a special flyover from two Spitfires from the Battle of Britain Memorial Flight.

Follow the Facebook page (Strensall Community Events) for updates on timings and route.



Image courtesy of Darren Harbar

FACILITIES



A variety of food and drink will be available in the Village Hall and in our new Food Court area in the car park



Lost Child / First Aid point is located at the Information Stall



Toilets are located in the village hall and also in the car park



There will be **NO** parking available at the event



Dogs not allowed on the field except Guide Dogs

NEED HELP AT THE EVENT?

If you need any help or assistance throughout the day, or would like to report something that is not quite right, please speak to an event staff member in a turquoise t-shirt or visit the information stall.

STRENSALL VILLAGE DIRECTORY

2025



The story of the Strensall Community Events Team



In 2013 a team of five started planning for an event which was the first Strensall Carnival in 2014. There has been a Carnival every year, except for two years when Covid-19 prevented it.

Over the years there have been several members come and go. The current team of 10 are supported by a larger team of volunteers who make themselves available when they are called upon for various events.

The last 10 years has seen the teams remit extend from an annual Carnival to:

- Monthly Community Brunch
- Christmas Together Lunch
- Volunteers Day

- Ceilidhs
- Strensall Walking Trail
- Dementia Talk / Domestic Abuse Talk
- Planting the flowers in the planters in the village.

The funds raised have bought two community defibrillators situated on Brecks Lane and at The Village Hall.

We are always open to new ideas and to new members to the core team, or wider team of volunteers.

If you are interested in joining this group of like-minded volunteers, please talk to a team member or get in touch by contacting us.

Email: strensallcc@outlook.com

Facebook: Strensall Community Events

Follow us on Facebook for updates and announcements of future events.

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**Strensall
Village Hall
Aug 9th - 8pm**
(doors open 7.30pm)



To book tickets please email
strensallcc@outlook.com

BYOB (there is no bar)

**PLAYING
CLASSICS
FROM THE
50s 60s**

TICKETS £8

**JIVING
LICENCE**



Strensall Community Monthly Newsletter

Events and activities in Strensall

Facebook: [Strensall Community Noticeboard](#)

[Strensall Helpers Group](#)

St Mary's Church www.strensallstmarys.org.uk/

Strensall Village Hall www.strensallvillagehall.co.uk

Enquiries email: strensallhelpers@outlook.com

Art Club

Strensall Art Club meets weekly on Wednesdays at Strensall Village Hall 9.30-12pm.
Further Details contact Teresa 01904 942274

Strensall Crafters

Meets 3rd Wednesday every month 7-9pm at Spearehead Hall (St Mary's Church Hall) £5 a session, have a go at a craft/bring your own, natter, a cuppa & cake.
Contact Kirstie 07979 033453

Craft Club @ Strensall Library

Tuesday 10:30am-12
FREE - Bring your own craft

Lego Club @ Strensall Library

Monday 3pm-4:40pm
Saturday 10am - 11am
FREE - Suitable for ages 4+

Foss Photography Club

Thurs 7pm-9pm. Huntington Community Centre. September to the end of May. email us at, fossphotoclub@gmail.com
website: <https://e-voice.org.uk/fossphotographyclub>

Little Fishes Baby & Toddler Group

Every Tuesday in term-time
9.15-10.45am
St Mary's Church Hall

Baby & Toddler Time

Tuesday from 2pm at Strensall Library
FREE - Suitable for under 5s

Keep Your Pet/AgeUK York

Helping to keep elderly or vulnerable with their pets when medical or family crisis arises. Age UK York and Keep Your Pet service can offer free help. Call 01904 933636 <https://keepyourpet.co.uk>



MAKE A DIFFERENCE - BECOME A PARISH COUNCILLOR

Strensall with Towthorpe Parish Council is calling on all community heroes to step up and become a Parish Councillor.

What do councillors do?

Local councillors are the champions of their community who invest time in local issues to the benefit of residents and the neighbourhood. Councillors collaborate with City of York Council to adhere to local needs, and progress vital projects to invest in the future of the community.

What do councils do?

Parish Councils own/manage local assets such as allotments, some footpaths, play areas and open spaces. In addition, it is a statutory consultee on planning applications within the parish.

How long does it take?

A minimum commitment of three hours per month to attend meetings, but you can become more involved in specific areas if you wish.

To be a Parish Councillor you must be:

- A British citizen, or a citizen of the Commonwealth, or the European Union
- 18 years of age or older
- Live in the area that is served by the council or within 5.5km

How can I get involved?

Contact your Parish Clerk to find out more.
Tel – 01904 491569
Email – strensalltowthorpepc@outlook.com

Strensall Methodist Church, The Village, YO32 5XR.

Email strensallmethodistchurch@gmail.com

Wednesday Fellowship; 1st Wednesday of the month at 2pm, Saturday Coffee, 10.00- 11.30am, Sunday Services at 10.30am

St Marys Church, Strensall, Church Lane, YO32 5XU

+44 (0) 7434 889427 <https://www.strensallstmarys.org.uk/>

Tues, Wed & Thurs 10am-4pm quiet reflection & prayer

Sunday Services, 9.30am Holy Communion, 11am Informal Worship

Strensall Village Hall

We are looking for more people to join us and bring fresh ideas. Contact Liz 01904492316 / Chris 01904491123. The Village Hall is available for hire see our website - www.strensallvillagehall.co.uk

OSCAR's Paediatric Brain Tumour Charity support and care for children facing brain tumours and their families, based in York see our website www.oscarspbtc.org or contact Phil phil@oscarspbtc.org or telephone 07596861689.

Strensall Library

Located at 19 The Village, we offer a range of services, activities & books suitable for all ages. It is free to join & use. To find out more please visit our website www.exploreYork.org.uk

Strensall History Group

Run from September to June at Strensall Village Hall

Last Wednesday of each month at 7pm

For further info slhg@weebly.com or via email at slhg@gmx.com

Strensall Over 50's Club

Meet every month on the 3rd Thursday in Strensall Village Hall at 2.00 pm.

Outings are arranged in May, August and November.

Contact Keith on Tel 01904 492316



Spearehead Cafe is a community café on every Wednesday 9-12pm at St Mary's Church Hall, Church Lane, Strensall

Homemade cakes, refreshments and bacon rolls

Facebook – [Strensall Spearehead Cafe](#)

Spearehead Hall

St Marys Church hall is available to hire for one-off events, parties and regular bookings. Contact: speareheadhallbookings@strensallstmarys.co.uk

Haxby & Wigginton Flower Club

The Recreational Hall, The Village, Wigginton YO32 2PL 2nd Tues of the month. Visitors Welcome. Info: janet.fishnflowers@gmail.com Tel: 01347820513 or rosemaryluscombe@hotmail.com

Flaxton Gardening Club

Meet the 3rd Monday of the month at 7.30pm at Flaxton Village Hall, from September to April. Phone: 07972518786 for more details.

Strensall Village Show

Saturday, September 13th, at 2:30 PM, Location: Strensall Village Hall, YO32 5XW
Schedules can be obtained at Strensall Library

River Foss Society

Conservation & improvement of the River Foss
info@riverfossociety.co.uk

Strensall & Huntington WI

Meets every 3rd Tuesday of the month, Strensall Village Hall 7pm.

Facebook: Strensall Huntington WI

Contact email strensallhuntingtonwi@outlook.com

Girlguiding

To register your daughter for Rainbows, Brownies or Guides please visit
<https://www.girlguiding.org.uk>

1st Strensall and Flaxton Rainbows

Meets: Wednesday 6pm-7pm

Contact: flaxtonstrensall.rainbows@btinternet.com

1st Strensall Brownies

Meets: Thursday 6pm-7.30pm

Contact: 1strensallbrownies@gmail.com

2nd Strensall Brownies

Meets: Wednesday 6pm-7.30pm

Contact: 2ndstrensallbrownies@gmail.com

1st Strensall Guides

Meets: Wednesday 7.45pm-9.15pm

Contact: 1strensallguides@gmail.com

Strensall Scout Group

Beavers (6 to 8 year olds) Wednesdays 6:30pm-7:30pm

Cubs (8 to 10 year olds) Mondays 6pm-7pm

Scouts (10 to 14 year olds) Wednesdays 6pm-7:30pm

Meeting at Robert Wilkinson Primary Academy.

www.1stStrensallScoutGroup.co.uk

Army Cadets

12 to 18years old.

Meet Monday and Thursday 7-9pm at Hurst Hall Strensall

Contact - <https://armycadets.com/find-a-detachment/>



**Three
leaders of
the future
need one
leader today.**

Put your skills to use, learn new ones,
and help inspire a new generation.

No Scout background necessary and
give as much or as little time as you like.
The good news is that it's as good for
you as it is for them!

Fun, challenge and adventure for all
young people aged 6 to 14, meeting
weekly at Robert Wilkinson Primary
Academy. Find out more and contact
us through our website.

1stStrensallScoutGroup.co.uk

#SkillsForLife

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Ashtanga yoga classes:

Multi-level yoga class. Beginners welcome.

Tues 10:45 to 12:15, Strensall Village Hall. Contact: Edith Loney Tel: 07961 907 402 or Email: edithloney@hotmail.com

Ladies Badminton

Strensall Village Hall Wednesdays 2-3pm

New members welcome, knock on hall door

Email: Annebruce57@outlook.com

Move It or Lose It: Exercise class for over 60s.

Tuesdays 1.30-2.30 Strensall Village Hall.

Contact Karen Hill on 07305 030706

email karen.wallacehill@moveitorloseit.co.uk

Strensall Short Mat Bowling Club

Thursdays 10 till 12 @ Strensall Village Hall -September to March.

Contact: Jenny Rutland Tel: 01904 849882

Email: jmrutland2@gmail.com

Thursday Night Badminton

Strensall Village Hall 7.30pm - 9.30pm

Casual fun night just to keep fit, new members welcome.

Contact Andy 07940 528502

Strensall Walking Group

Meet every "two weeks plus a day" 5miles. Meet Village Hall car park 9.00 am and car share. Tel:07786914272/01904491858

**Strensall Bowls Club**

Do you fancy some fresh air, some exercise, and perhaps some competition in a friendly, social club?

Strensall Bowls Club are open to new members.

We meet on Tuesday evenings for social bowling, although full members can use the green any time they want to during the season so long as there isn't a match on.

You are very welcome to come along on a Tuesday evening; there's always someone available on a social evening to loan club equipment and show you how to play.

For more details please contact the club on:
StrensallBowlsClub@Gmail.com or 07810446019
or facebook @ strensall bowling club

Full annual membership is £45 or casual members pay £5 for a Tuesday evening. Come and try it for a couple of weeks for free.

We look forward to seeing you soon.



COMMUNITY BRUNCH

Strensall
Village Hall

**Third
Saturday of
the month***

10am-1pm

***Except June &
December**

**A chance to
meet, chat
and enjoy
great food.
All welcome.**

If you'd like to help with brunches or other community events, contact us at Strensallcc@outlook.com

TIMETABLE OF EVENTS

OUTDOOR EVENT ARENA

TIME	ACTIVITY
12.15	Shepherd Youth Brass Band
12.45	Elevate Dance
13.45	Kaminari UK Taiko Drummers
15.00	Frie Compagnie
15.30	Acoustic duo Chris and Angela

MAIN HALL

TIME	ACTIVITY
13.00	Robert Wilkinson School Band
14.00	Enchanting Entertainment
15.00	Japanese Drummers workshops

OUTDOOR SPACE THROUGHOUT THE AFTERNOON

Miniature train

Captivating Creatures

Enchanting Entertainment stilt walkers
and characters

Frei Compagnie Living History Tent

Bethan Sims Magic

FREE CARNIVAL BUS

York Pullman will be running a circular route around the village to help transport people to the carnival.

The bus will stop at:

- Apple Tree Care Home
- Bus stop at Barley Rise
- Middlecroft Drive/York Road
- Robert Wilkinson Academy
- Carnival
- Brecks Lane Terminus
- York Golf Club

RAFFLE INFORMATION

Carnival raffle tickets can be purchased at the information stall on the day. The main prize is £150, along with over 20 other prizes.

Thank you to Robert Wilkinson Academy who have helped us gather tombola prizes for this event.

All funds raised will go towards future community events and activities.



ROAD CLOSURES

Dear Strensall Resident,

As part of Strensall Community Carnival, we will be holding a procession through the village from Hurst Hall near the Six Bells to the Village Hall on Northfields.

The road will be closed from 11.30am to 12pm or when the road marshalls deem it safe to reopen after the procession has cleared part of the route. During this time only emergency vehicle access will be possible.

A short section of Northfields will be closed from 9am to 5.30pm, this will be from The Village to Netherwoods.

We apologise for any inconvenience and thank you for your patience and support of this community event.

We look forward to seeing you join the procession and the day's event.

Yours sincerely,

Strensall Community Events Team

DO YOU WANT TO GET INVOLVED?

We are always looking for volunteers for our next event, if you would like to get involved or chat to one of our volunteers, drop us an email at Strensallcc@outlook.com



COMMUNITY BRUNCH

Join us at our monthly Community Brunch in the Village Hall.

Bacon/sausage sandwiches, cakes and a warm welcome.

NEXT DATE:
Saturday 19 July
– 10-1pm.

