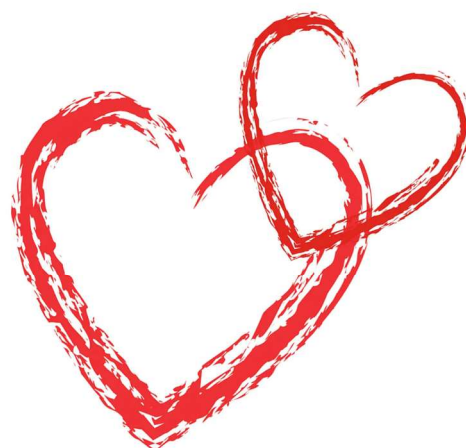


BRAIPTON ABBOTTS

Village Hall

News Update January/February 2024



News Update Frequency

As things settle down at the VH we have slightly less to shout about so we aim to update you in a bi-monthly Newsletter.

This however doesn't mean to say we have taken the brakes off improving the VH as there is still lots we can do to improve the facilities and the running efficiency.

2024 Events

**BRAIPTON
ABBOTTS**
Village Hall

**POP-UP
PUB
EVENING**

Wear a flash of Tartan as a nod to Robbie Burns

Motley Hog Brewery

Beer Lager Wine plus two Motley Hog Ales
Cider G&T Fizz

**Thursday
25th January
from 5.30pm – 9pm**

WIND DOWN TO THE WEEKEND!

We will be exploring with everyone who comes along to the January Pub Night if they would be up for a Curry at the next Pub Night on Thursday 21st March. We have contacted a caterer but need to guarantee a minimum number of takers so, if you fancy a curry please let us know on the night or via admin@bavhall.co.uk

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BRAMPTON ABBOTTS VILLAGE HALL

Barn Dance

Saturday 24th February 7pm



Yah Hoo!



Adult £10

Under 16's Free Entry (£4 for Hot Dog)

Ticket includes the caller, live music with 'The Good, the Bad & the Ceilidh' plus Hot Dog

TICKETS: 07940 017738 or admin@bavhall.co.uk

Dust off your cowboy boots and join us for an evening of music, dancing, drinks, food and FUN!

Tickets go on sale Monday 22nd January. Be quick as tickets are limited to allow for the dance floor!

Event Planning

The events team will be meeting soon to plan the next two below events, please join us if you would like to help us, more support would be very welcome.

Pub Night Thursday 21st March – As mentioned above it would be great to offer a Curry at Pub Night. Please let us know if you would support this so we can plan the catering admin@bavhall.co.uk

Skittles Saturday 11th May – The indoor Skittle Alley has been booked and we are looking at offering a Ploughman's Supper. More details to follow as the event takes shape!

Cleaning of the VH

We are currently considering employing a cleaner for the VH. Over the last year a few Trustees and volunteers have covered the cleaning for which we would like to say THANK YOU. Now that the VH is regularly being hired/used we need to ensure it is cleaned on a weekly basis – we will keep you posted.

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Curtains

The ongoing saga of the VH Curtains has an end in sight! The fabric that had been held up on a shipping container is now with the UK manufacturers. The curtains will be fitted in time for the Barn Dance. Once we evaluate the difference they make to the acoustics, we will consider if we need to go down the route of acoustic wall or ceiling panels.

Boundary Wall

The repair of the boundary wall is now complete and SAFE again. The sheeting will remain in place to protect the wall until it's completely dry.

House Notes

The below set of House Notes have been prepared for users of the VH.

<p style="text-align: center;">BRAMPTON ABBOTTS <i>Village Hall</i></p> <p>Entry to the Village Hall</p> <p>There is a key safe to the left hand side of the front door. The entry code is XXXXXXXXXXXX The box opens by pulling down towards you and the key (green tab) is hung up. There is no alarm system.</p> <p>Lighting</p> <p>All lights are on automatic sensors with the exception of the Main Hall switches which are located just inside the Main Hall doors on the left.</p> <p>Heating</p> <p>The heating in the Toilets and Main Hall is activated for one hour by pushing the button located inside the entrance door (it will be lit up in Blue when the heating is off or has finished its cycle).</p> <p>The heating in the Kitchen is activated for one hour by pressing the button by the Kitchen door. There is no heating in the Entrance Foyer and two Storerooms.</p> <p>Water Heaters</p> <p>The switches for the Kitchen water heater is in second cupboard along from the left, under the sink.</p> <p>The switches for the water heaters for the Accessible, Gents and Ladies toilets are clearly marked.</p> <p>Kitchen Ovens & Hob</p> <p>The switches for the ovens and hob are found in the right hand corner cupboard to the right of the ovens.</p> <p>Rubbish</p> <p>Bin bags are in the cupboard under the sink. Put your rubbish bags in the black bin and recycling in the green bin outside the Village Hall.</p> <p style="text-align: right;"><small>Please turn over...</small></p>	<p>External Kitchen Door</p> <p>The key is in the lock of the door (There is no alarm system).</p> <p>Tables, Chairs and Coat Rail</p> <p>Tables, chairs and chair trolley are located in the large storeroom along with a coat rail.</p> <p>First Aid Box & Accident Book</p> <p>The First Aid Box & Accident Book are located in the large storeroom, directly ahead of the entrance door. You are legally required to complete the Accident Book in the case of any incident.</p> <p>French Windows</p> <p>The keys for the left hand and middle French windows are in the key box to the right of the serving hatch. The right hand French window (FIRE EXIT) is operated with a push bar.</p> <p>Fire Exits & Extinguishers</p> <p>Main Hall - FIRE EXIT (French Window), CARBON DIOXIDE FIRE EXTINGUISHER and FOAM FIRE EXTINGUISHER Kitchen - FIRE EXIT (Back Door), FIRE BLANKET Foyer - FOAM FIRE EXTINGUISHER</p> <p>Cleaning</p> <p>Please ensure the Hall is left swept, clean and tidy as found. The cleaning trolley is located in the large storeroom. When mopping up any spillages on the Main Hall floor use the Karndeem Cleaning Fluid as per the instructions attached to the Trolley.</p> <p>Check List for Exiting the Building</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Ensure the water heaters are switched off (3 x toilet, 1 x kitchen) 2. Turn off the Hob and Oven switches 3. Ensure rubbish is removed 4. Ensure all windows are shut and Kitchen backdoor and French windows are locked 5. Turn off the Main Hall light switches x 3 6. Lock the front door and return the key to the key safe <p>Emergency Contact Number</p> <p>There is an emergency contact number on the website www.bavhall.co.uk</p>
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Website Updates

- 'News / Fundraising' section has been updated to include the January/February News Update
- 'News / Fundraising' section 'Financial Partners / Supporters / Friends has been updated to include new 'THANKS'
- 'What's On' section updated to include more information on the 2024 Events

Next Trustee Meeting

Wednesday 21st February 2024, 7pm