STILTON

PARISH COUNCIL

Newsletter - January 2026

Welcome to our newsletter - village information is also available via our website, on village notice boards or our Facebook page

In this newsletter:

- **How we could help your community group**
- **Could you be our new Pavilion Administrator**
- **What activities are available at the Pavilion**
- **Play Area make over - help us decide the new equipment.**

Supporting the Community

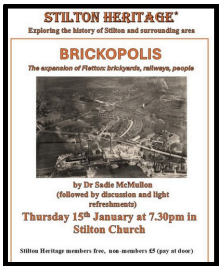
The Parish Council would like to say a huge congratulations to Stilton Christmas Lights team for all their hard work this Christmas with the tree and lights, what a difference it made.

We were pleased to award a Supporting the Community grant of £750 which helped finance one of the light motifs! Other community groups we've also helped with a grant include the Stilton football teams with nets for the goals, Stilton Heritage to help in providing their talks and the Twinning Association for assistance with the costs of an exchange visit.

Each year we have a pot designated for grant awarding so if you are part of a group that could do with some added funds or you know a body that works for the benefit of Stilton residents, fill in one of our Supporting the Community Award forms and we'll consider your request. All forms are on our website but scan the QR code for direct access:









SCAN

We are also able to support groups with a community focus use the Pavilion by providing either complimentary or concessionary use. Stilton Cheese Rolling team were able to utilise the field and Pavilion at no charge to hold their crowd pleasing event last year and we support YES (Young people Engagement Stilton) by reducing charges by 75% for their weekly session, helping our younger residents have somewhere safe to go.

Email the Parish Clerk if your group needs help (contact details on the back page).

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🎉 We're Hiring! Pavilion Administrator 🎉

Do you love organisation, community spirit, and making things run smoothly behind the scenes? Are you part administrator, part problem-solver, part community champion? If so, we'd love to hear from you! Stilton Parish Council is looking for a Pavilion Administrator to help keep our much-loved community Pavilion buzzing with activity and running like clockwork.

🏡 About the Role

Our Pavilion is at the heart of village life – hosting clubs, parties, sports, events and more. As Pavilion Administrator, you'll be the friendly and organised force ensuring everything runs smoothly day to day.

Working closely with the Parish Clerk, you'll:

- Manage bookings for the Pavilion and Community Field
- Be the first point of contact for enquiries (email, phone & social media)
- Process invoices and maintain accurate booking and finance records
- Welcome hirers, arrange viewings, and help coordinate access
- Support health & safety and statutory requirements
- Promote the Pavilion and raise its profile in the community
- Help keep our website and Facebook page lively and up to date.

🧠 What We're Looking For

You don't need to know everything already – but you should work well in a team and be:

- Well organised and good with admin
- Confident communicating with a wide range of people
- Comfortable using IT systems, email and social media
- Community-minded with a proactive, can-do attitude
- Flexible (some evening or weekend work may be required)

Experience of bookings, invoicing or community facilities is helpful, but enthusiasm and reliability are just as important.

⏰ The Details

- Hours: 12 hours per week
- Location: Stilton Pavilion
- Salary: £15.06 – £16.08 per hour (SCP 13–17, LC1)
- Reporting to: Parish Clerk

✉️ How to Apply

To apply, please send a CV, and short covering letter explaining why you're interested in the role and how your skills and experience meet the requirements. Applications should be sent to the Parish Clerk:
clerk@stiltonparishcouncil.gov.uk
Closing date: 4 February 2026 at midday

Farmers Markets 2026

Farmer's Markets have moved to Sundays from 2026. Find them at the Pavilion - 9.30am - 1pm:
* Sunday 15 February * Sunday 12 April * Sunday 21 June * Sunday 16 August
* Sunday 11 October * Sunday 13 December *

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Lets play

Pavilion Play Park - new equipment



Thanks to YES (Young people Engagement Stilton and their winning grant award from the Co-op Heart of the Community initiative, there is a new glockenspiel at the Pavilion Play Park. Sounds lovely.

Barn Close Play Area - we need your help

The date is set and the stickers are ready! Visit the Pavilion on Saturday 7 February between 10am and midday to pass on your thoughts and see what could be possible in the refurbished play area.



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Stilton Pavilion - activities

You might have been to the Pavilion to a party or a meeting but did you know there are lots of activities for residents to get involved in too? From table tennis to Pilates, contact details below.



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on
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CLASSES, CLUBS & ORGANISATIONS AT STILTON PAVILION

Stilton Pavilion

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Table Tennis 11:00-13:00	Pilates with Fran 09:30-10:30 Move It or Lose It fitness 60s+ 11:30 - 12:30	Pilates with Fran 9:30-10:30 Linda's Jungle Body Fitness 11:00-12:00	Futsal Tots 10:00-11:00	Pilates with Vicky 11.15-12.15
Carpet Bowls 14:00-16:00	Table Tennis 18:00-19:30 Juniors Club	Wednesday Club (over 55's) 14:00-16:00	Contact us for more information on any of these classes or if you would like to hold a new class at the Pavilion. pavilion@stiltonparishcouncil.gov.uk 01733 639106	
	Table Tennis 19:30-21:30 Adults Club	YES Youth Zone (Young people Engagement Stilton) 18:15 - 19:45		



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JOIN US FOR MEETINGS, 2ND TUE OF THE MONTH IN THE CHURCH MEETING ROOM AT 7.30PM

How to contact us ...

Email Julianne the Parish Clerk: clerk@stiltonparishcouncil.gov.uk or call 01733 639106
Visit our website: www.stiltonparishcouncil.gov.uk and fill out the contact form

**** Find us on Facebook: Stilton Parish Council ****

For all Pavilion bookings: Call 01733 639106
Email: pavilion@stiltonparishcouncil.gov.uk or clerk@stiltonparishcouncil.gov.uk
You can provisionally book 24 hours a day through the website too
- click the Pavilion tab and fill in an enquiry form

(remember Stilton residents are entitled to a 25% discount)