Local worship

St James The Great
Services:

Our main service is Mass, celebrated in response To Jesus' command to 'do this in memory of me'.

Sunday: Mass 8am.

Family Sung Mass 10.30am. (Sunday School is held during the service).

Weekday Mass on Wednesday 11am and Thursday 7pm.

Rector: Fr. Neil Hibbins 01543278969 email: neil_hibbins@lycos.co.uk
Church Clerk is Mary Carpenter 01543 275296 email: mary.carpenter@tiscali.co.uk
Church Wardens: Joyce Bennett 01543 277713, Kim Lloyd 01922 413718

Trinity Methodist Church
Poplar Street, Norton Canes. WS11 9SG

Morning worship Sunday 11am
Minister Rev C Parkes 01543 682277
Senior Seward: Ian Straughan 01543 276695

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Norton Canes Village News

Welcome to Edition 2 of Norton Canes Village News.
Thank you for all the positive feedback and support about the newsletter which makes this project worthwhile.
It seems many residents are proud of their village and have a real sense of belonging.
Several commented on how they did not realise there were so many great activities going on in Norton Canes.
Having lived in the village for about 40 years it is with a sense of pride that I can highlight even more goings on in this edition.
If you would like to have anything included in the next quarterly edition drop your article into the parish office at the rear of the Co-op or email me cannockcp@yahoo.co.uk by June 30 latest.
Crossing fingers for some desperately needed spring weather.
Janet Lee
Editor

Dog Eared Items Wanted

A Norton Canes dog lover is appealing for bedding for local rescue centres.
Judy is appealing for old: duvets (not feathered), pillows (not feathered, duvet covers, towels and blankets.
All donations will be made into beds and taken to the dog rescue centres.
If you have any of the above ring 01543 459739. She can arrange for the items to be collected if needed.



Would you like to be part of this community newsletter?

Could you volunteer to deliver the newsletter once a quarter to your street or a street nearby?

If so contact parish council clerk Linda Florence on 01543 276812, email her on : nortoncanesparishcouncil@live.co.uk or call into the parish office at the rear of the Co-op.

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NORTON CANES FESTIVAL

Make a diary date for this FREE Family Fun Day

Saturday July 13.

Norton Canes Festival will be an all-day event. There will be bouncy castles; pony rides, football tournament between 2 village primary schools, etc, from 1pm.
Entertainment from West Hill Primary School Steel Band.
Kano Judo Club Demonstration.

The Craft Fair will be from12 noon till 3pm with stalls inside and outside the Community Centre and on the playing fields.

Local history pictures and information plus pictures from the 2013 Schools Art Competition will be on display in the Centre.

Afternoon Tea takes place from 4pm—6pm in the Community Centre with entertainment by Kathy Christian.

In the evening there will be a
PARTY IN THE PARK with DJ *Woody* and groups including local bands
Bloke, Marquis Drive and Cal 22 plus others.

Keep an eye on Facebook for more details.

NORTON CANES GIVES MUCH NEEDED SUPPORT

Would you like to help raise much needed funds for your local **food bank** (run by local churches in conjunction with the Trussell Trust)? The latest food bank distribution centre to open is at **Trinity Methodist Church,** Poplar Street, Norton Canes, Saturdays 10am-12pm.
Those eligible for bags of food need to obtain a voucher from organisations such as the Job Centre, Social Services or the probation service.

Adam Tilsley
Cannock and District Food Bank administrator
01543 422394
Email: foodbank@pyegreen.co.uk

VILLAGE NOTICE BOARD

Is your Organisation on our notice board?

1st Norton Canes Girls Brigade
Girls aged 4—18, meet in four sections
Explorers, Juniors, Seniors and Brigadiers
Members meet at
Trinity Methodist Church
Poplar Street, Norton Canes
Thursdays: Explorers and Juniors
6pm-7.30pm
Seniors and Brigadiers 7.30pm-9pm
New members are always welcome
For details ring Chris (captain)
01543 276695

Norton Canes Historical Society And Family History Group

Saturday June 6
The William Palmer Walk, Rugeley.
Time to be arranged
In conjunction with
Friends of the Museum of Cannock Chase
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Tuesday June 25
Visit to Lichfield Record Office
(to be arranged)

Ring Roger 01543 279313
For details.

St James the Great

For Baptisms and Weddings
contact
Rector Fr. Neil Hibbins
01543 278969
Neil_hibbins@lycos.co.uk

For Beavers, Cubs and Scouts
David Cross
01543 278215

Trinity Methodist Church

We host a tea, coffee and 'biccie'
Morning every Saturday
10am - 12 noon

There is no charge for refreshments
All are welcome

COULD YOU HELP US WITH FUNDS

Would you like to advertise your business in this newsletter?
A copy is delivered to every household in Norton Canes.

'Phone Linda on 01543 276812

Send details to Jan
cannockcp@yahoo.co.uk

Or drop the details into the Parish Office at the rear of the Co-op.

Contact numbers for information:

Cannock Chase Council	01543 462621
County Councillor	
Cllr John Rowley	01889 586612
District Councillors	
Cllr Mrs P Z Stretton	01543 276959
Cllr Peter Gillbert	01543 276973
Cllr Mike Holder	01543 279475

NORTON AND DISTRICT

Independent Family Funeral Directors

1-3 Shaw Court, Brownhills Road, Norton Canes WS11 9SE

Telephone 24/7 01543 278577
Email: nortonanddistrictfd@gmail.com

Bereavement is the one fact in life that we will all have to face in our lifetime. As a small family funeral directors we are more that aware of what a hard and confusing time dealing with a death of a loved one can be, Our aim is to serve the people in and around the Norton Canes area, providing the right information and calmness amid all the confusion, giving everyone their dignity and peace of mind. All of our funerals are catered for what you want, ***not what you can have.***

HERE ARE JUST A FEW SERVICES WE PROVIDE

COFFIN AND MONUMENT STONE SHOW ROOM

NEW FLEET OF DAIMLER HEARSE AND LIMOUSINE

HORSE DRAWN AND MOTOR CYCLE HEARSES

ADVICE 24 HOURS DAY OR NIGHT

BEREAVEMENT COUNSELLING	FLORAL TRIBUTES
PRE-PLANNED FUNERALS	HOME VISITS
PRIVATE CHAPEL OF REST	DHSS CATERED FOR
NO TIME LIMITS ON VIEWING	NO HIDDEN CHARGES
NON-RELIGIOUS FUNERALS	GREEN FUNERALS

We are extremely dedicated to our business and believe that all our clients are treated how we as a family would expect to be treated. As a family run business commitment and understanding and going the extra mile is normal.

Please feel free to drop in to our premises for a chat and a coffee or tea, Everyone is more that welcome.

01543 - 278577
See our website: www.nortonanddistrict.co.uk

NEWS FROM YOUR PARISH COUNCIL



Parish Councillors Get Their Skates on for New Project

Norton Canes youngsters have a new £40,000 skate park
Work started on the Brownhills Road facility on April 3.
The parish council is the lead organisation on the project, having secured a £30,000 donation from Veolia Environmental Trust and £10,000 from Cannock Chase Council section 106 money.
A parish council spokesperson said; "This is an exciting time for the young skateboarders in our village who will have a new facility and they have been involved in the planning."

NORTON CANES FESTIVAL PRIZE DRAW RESULTS

Winners of the prize draw to support Norton Festival are as follows:

1st	J Leadbeater	Ticket No:	0581
2nd	M Taylor	"	0842
3rd	Nev (Zumba)	"	1885
4th	Annabel	"	1111
5th	R Fowell	"	2106

A big **Thank you** To all who bought tickets

NO TO WIND TURBINE

Plans for a wind turbine in Norton Canes have been thrown out after an objection by the parish council.
The council lodged a formal objection against the wind turbine which was to have been located at the junction of Norton Lane and Hickling Road.
A parish council spokesperson said; "Your parish council is consulted on all planning applications applied for through the district council for the village. We actively discuss these in the best interests of the village. If any resident has any concerns about any planning applications, contact the parish council to raise awareness of these issues.

HERE TO HELP

If anyone would like to raise any matter of concern within the village and would like the support of the parish council - put your concerns in writing to the clerk by post or email at nortoncanesparishcouncil@live.co.uk
Alternatively visit one of the parish council meetings on the 3rd Wednesday of each month at the Community Centre. 7pm.

*All information relating to the parish council can be found in the information cube outside the village Co-op.

Norton Canes brownies

The 3rd Norton Canes Brownies have a new home.
They have moved to Unit 13, Norton Canes Business Park,
off Jerome Road.
Members meet on Tuesdays, 6.60pm-8pm.
If your daughter would like to join the Brownie Unit ring Unit Leader/ Brown Owl Jane Hickinbotham on 07703 640 623 or visit the girl guiding website www.girlguiding.org.uk and register your interest.

NORTON CANES NEIGHBOURHOOD NETWORK

Members of village groups, whether voluntary or in public sector, are invited to a networking organisation which meets once a quarter.
The aim is to bring together groups working with residents of Norton Canes to raise awareness of services.
Speakers are invited to meetings to keep residents informed on health and welfare. A recent speaker gave advice on debt. A forthcoming meeting will feature a speaker from the Department of Works and Pensions talking about how changes in benefits will affect disabled residents.
The meetings are organised by Chase Council for Voluntary Service and are free to attend. Tea/Coffee and biscuits are served.
Representative of services or clubs working with residents of Norton Canes would be welcome e.g. GP practices, district nurses, parish council, etc.
The next meeting takes place at the village **library,** Burntwood Road, on **Tuesday May 14**, **9.30am-12.30pm.**
Speakers have attended from Cannock Chase Council, MIND, MENCAP, Norton Canes Food Bank, the Methodist Church, Catherine Care, Staffordshire County Council, Bromford Housing, Heywood Care, The Rowan Organisation, Age UK, Chase Emotional Wellbeing, Sheila Harding on the Village Cema project, The Olive Branch, Staffordshire Community Council and Stroke Association.

ST JAMES THE GREAT NORTON CANES

A Good Friday Service which included activities for children was well attended. Some of the cards created and pictures relating to the season are on display in the church.

The event was followed by our Lent Lunch which supported Christian Aid.

FROM OUR BOBBIES ON THE BEAT

Hello from your local team.
We are pleased to report Andy Turnock is now back in the village working alongside Neil. He has been sorely missed. Also we have a new addition to the team in PC Michelle Denne who I am sure you will see in the village over the coming weeks.
With the improving weather we are sad to report we have had a slight rise in crime. Now is a good time for residents to review their security arrangements. There is a range of leaflets offering crime prevention advice in the police post at the rear of the Co-op and you can contact us on 101 for further advice. One of the popular questions we get asked is about on-street parking do's and don'ts:
As a basic rule we deal with instances of unnecessary obstruction. All other traffic enforcements (including yellow lines) are dealt with by Cannock Chase's Parking Enforcement Team 01543 462621.
If there are any concerns you wish to raise there are many ways in which you can contact us. **101** is the new national non emergency number for calls that do not deem a 999 response but for issues you would like to make us aware of. There is also www.staffordshirepolice.co.uk where you can use the contact us section. Also behind the rear of the Co-op is the parish council office and Norton Canes Police Post. The parish council kindly provides this to us so we have somewhere to have breaks or hold meetings etc. I must remind people this is not a police station and is not manned full time. It is predominantly used by the parish clerk who is more than happy to take messages on our behalf. But **this post is not for reporting crime.** This must always be done through **101 or 999.** This is then recorded correctly and dealt with by the next available officer.

Neighbourhood Watch

Neighbourhood Watch works and is a proven deterrent against residential crime. A scheme can be as big or small as you like and doesn't involve a lot of work to set up. Once set up you receive regular contact from the police involving you in what's going on in your area and what to look out for. It promotes a real sense of community and most importantly **stops crime.** Our website has a comprehensive section on Neighbourhood Watch and its benefits.

Community Speed Watch

Are you concerned about speeding vehicles in the village?
Do you wish you could get involved?
Could you spare a few hours a month?
If the answer to all 3 is yes then we have the scheme for you - Community Speed Watch. Norton Canes Parish Council has kindly funded this scheme. Members of the public are trained in the use of a speed laser device then go out into the village where we have concerns. Motorists who are speeding are collated and written to. There are other measures for persistent offenders. For more details contact the parish clerk on 010543 276812.
Don't forget you can report a crime anonymously and in complete confidence by using CRIMESTOPPERS on 0800 555111 or email crimestoppers.uk.org.
Regards, *Neil*

Norton Canes Historical Society
And family history group

Did you know that in the Doomsday Book of 1086 our village is recorded as 'lying waste'? This because a rebellion in Staffordshire and Yorkshire against William the Conqueror had been savagely put down by him in the preceding year. Villages were burned. Survivors sought refuge in forests and hills. Norton, lying on the Watling Street, was easily reached—and with advance warning the villagers would have hidden in the depths of the ancient Cank Forest, afraid to return for fear of further reprisals.

We have just begun this season's excavations at the site of the Old Turn Inn. This year we hope for better weather.

Volunteers to assist in this interesting project are always welcome.

Upcoming meetings at the Library

May

Tuesday 14. 7pm: Friends of Cannock Chase - a talk by June Jukes

Thursday 23. 10am-12 noon: Coffee morning

Tuesday 28. 7pm: Wills.

June

Thursday 27. 10am-12 noon: Coffee morning.

For more details contact:

Roger Knowles (Chairman) 26, Church Road. 01543 279313

Maureen Garbett (secretary) 121 Norton East Road. 01543 275416

Pam Hopley (FHG secretary) 35 Norton Grange. 01543 278902

Norton Village Butchers

19 Burntwood Road
Tel: 07780 449411

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Ken and Joy - we still miss you

Once upon a time there was a shop in Butts Way, Norton Canes. Shopkeeper Ken would stand wearing his white overalls, somehow keeping his patience while my kids took ages to pick a bag of penny sweets.
Joy - was a joy.
She also kept her cool when the shop was deluged with kids at the end of the school day.
The shop not only provided a service, selling most foodstuffs and more - it was also a focal point where local residents could stop and chat and catch up with each other.
We always knew we would miss Ken and Joy when they shut up shop several years ago. We were right.
If you live in the Church Road end of the village and run out of bread or milk it's not quite the same walking up the road or getting in the car to Sainsbury's.
For local residents it wasn't happy ever after.

A FUN DAY IN NORTON CANES

A charity Fun Day in aid of sports coaching, takes place at Norton Canes Primary School on **Sunday May 12.**

There will be a football tournament, tug o'war, beer garden, raffle, hot and cold refreshments, bouncy castle, DJ, face painting, donkey rides, arts and crafts, velcro wall gladiator duals, cake decorating—and even more.

The event has been organised by Ryan Horton, pictured. Ryan coaches sport in Africa. Money raised is to help towards his costs.

Make a diary date. See you there.


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LIFE AT NORTON CANES COMMUNITY CENTRE

Monday May 6	Centre Dance with music by top class keyboard player **Richard Keeling.** Profit to the centre
Monday May 27	Centre Dance with music by top class keyboard player **Chris Johnson.** Profit to the centre
Saturday June 8	Black Country Night with the fabulous **'Dandy'** Tickets £3.50 (Bring your own food and drink) for details call: Maureen 274396, Jenny 01922 415232 or Wendy 07845 678003
Sunday June 30	Vintage Fayre 10am-4pm
Sunday July7	Indoor/Outdoor Boot Sale
Saturday July 13	**NORTON FESTIVAL** stalls 12pm-3pm Entertainment 1pm-Late

During School Holidays—**Holiday Family Fun Club** runs on Tuesday and Thursday from 10am-1pm for up to 11-year-olds. For more details ring Jackie on 07936 347 050 or Wendy 07845 678 003

A new **Parent and Toddler Group** is at the centre on Mondays from 1.30pm-3pm. Come and have a cuppa and a chat. £1.50

Back In Time

Who are they?

Pictures courtesy of Trinity Methodist Church.





NORTON CANES FLOWER CLUB

Members meet at Trinity Methodist Church, Poplar Street, on the 3rd Wednesday of each month at 7.30pm.

Events in the pipeline include:

May 1
'Visual Feast' - an open demonstration by Michael Handy at Norton Canes High School

May 1-3
National Flower Day

May 15
Practical - Church Flowers

June 7-9
Area Show

June 19
'It's Summer?'Demonstration by Diane Singleton

July 11-13
National competitions in Bournemouth

July 17
'The Cork Garden Trail' - talk and slides with Howard Drury

For details ring Jose Aulton on 01543 278370

ROYAL BRITISH LEGION BRANCH REPORTS

There has been a branch of the Royal British Legion in Norton Canes since it was resurrected in the 1980s.
At the first meeting of the year the ladies' and men's divisions discussed local and national matters at length.
Meetings take place at the Sycamore Working Men's Club, Hednesford Road, Norton Canes.
The RBL's mission is to be the number one provider of welfare, comradeship and representation in remembrance for the armed forces community.
If anyone would like more information, or would like to join, ring me on 01543 279719

Tony Carpenter
Branch honorary chairman/secretary

Norton Canes RBL Women's Section

Although we are only a small section we are very active in fundraising for the men and women serving in the armed forces. We also help with the poppy appeal in and around the village. Monies from all these activities are used in many ways - not only to help serving members, but also the elderly of past conflicts.
Families are also helped if someone in the family has been lost or wounded.
Services are held in the village on Armistice Sunday at St James Church 10.30am, Trinity Methodist Chapel 6pm, the Community Centre – date and time to be arranged.
Norton Canes Primary School also holds its own service.
If any ladies would like to join, ring me on 01543 279719.
Brenda Rose
Chairperson

Dr. B. K. Singh

Hello again. How quickly the months have passed.

Surgery Telephone
Any patient who still encounters problems contacting the surgery, please notify a receptionist. Please remember our busiest time is 8.30am-9.30am.

People not attending for their appointments 'DNA'
The surgery still continues to experience a large amount of DNAs. This costs the surgery a lot of wasted time and money, especially during busy periods. 6.25% of patients did not attend their booked appointment between January and March. If you DNA three times you could be removed from the surgery list.
Please be considerate to your fellow patients.

Summary Care Record (SCR)
The SCR is now quietly running on the practice system.. If you do not want SCR please contact reception.
PLEASE SUPPLY THE PRACTICE WITH AN UP TO DATE MOBILE TELEPHONE NUMBER. The practice/hospital need your numbers to contact you regarding appointments etc.

St Giles Hospice is looking for a golf buggy. Can anyone help? They require it for general maintenance around the grounds. Please ring 01543 432031

Patient Participation Group
The practice has been running a successful patient participation group for the past 4 years. The practice is always looking for new members. If you are interested in joining the group, please speak to practice manager Jenny.
Aims of the group:

- Gives patients the opportunity to meet and discuss topics of mutual interest.
- Provides the means for patients to make positive suggestions about the practice.
- Encourages Health Education.
- Develops self help projects to meet the needs of fellow patients.
- Acting as representatives to help influence the provisions of health and social care.

The next meeting at the surgery will be on Tuesday June 11, 12.30pm.
Just come for a cup of tea even if you don't want to join on a permanent basis.
This is a **Certified Teaching Practice** so there will be a student doctor in attendance the majority of the year.

We hope you all had a happy and healthy Easter.

CHASE ARTS FOR PUBLIC SPACES (CHAPS)

Norton Canes residents are invited to buy a brick for the final phase of a special mining memorial.

Almost a year ago Hednesford mining memorial was dedicated at a service led by the Bishop of Manchester.

Since then many people have expressed an interest in the mining industry on which our community was built.

There have been many requests to have more names included in the memorial.

At their recent annual meeting CHAPS committee members decided to go ahead with a further phase of named bricks.

For a named bricks application form (£20 each) write to CHAPS secretary Sheila Harding at 18 Pinfold Lane, Norton Canes, Cannock, WS11 9PH, ring 01543 275013 or email ashinnorton@btinternet.com

I f you have already expressed an interest you will be contacted by CHAPS. But if you have not heard anything within the next month, get in touch with Sheila.



Applicants are reminded that requests can include names of underground and above ground workers. They are not limited to those who are deceased.

Work on the project will begin in October.

The closing date for receipt of applications is August 31.

Ever thought of joining the Women's Institute?

Norton Canes WI members meet at the library on the 1st Wednesday of each month at 7.30pm.
In the February meeting members enjoyed speaker Kath Reynolds talking about old fashioned remedies to cure all ills.
In the March meeting Gemma Oakley, who worked at Shugborough Hall, told members what life was like for servants in the olden days.
In the April meeting local historian Antony Hunt, who has written yet another book on local murders, told members about a murder in Norton Canes which took place in the 1800s.
If you would like to join the ladies ring Gill on 01543 279039

Catch the Action at Norton Canes High School

These are just some of the recent goings-on at this busy school:

A brand new **fitness suite** is now up and running—used by students as part of the PE curriculum. It is hoped the suite can be opened up for Community use in the near future.

The **Comic Relief Non-Uniform Day** raised **£339.**

The school congratulates Chair of Governors **Teresa Ellis** for being awarded a **National Accreditation** for her service to **Girl Guiding.**

The school's **art department** thanks Norton Canes Parish Council for sponsoring framing of artwork for a forthcoming exhibition in Stafford.
A school spokesperson said "Without professional framing art work cannot be shown in public galleries. This can be very expensive." The council donated **£350** toward the costs.

Artists from Norton Canes Watercolour Club have been delivering workshops at Norton Primary and Jerome Primary. They also spent the day with high school students from Year 8 on March 15.
Students learned the art of using watercolour and produced work on the theme of '**Festival'** to tie in with events planned by the parish council to take place in the village on July 13. Judging takes place on May 17 and prizes will be awarded to the winning entrants. Fifteen paintings will be chosen from each group to feature in an exhibition at the High School and at Chasewater Innovation Centre. The paintings will also be on display at the Community Centre during the Festival.

The school congratulates the following year 10 and 11 students who took part in the UK Mathematics National Challenge:
The **Gold** award (and best in school) went to **Luke Fitzgerald -** placing him in the top 2% nationally. Well done!
Silver: Sam Brockhurst, Tom Fox and **Molly Peach** - placing them in the top 7% nationally.
Bronze: Charley Haynes, Erin Winfer, James Williams, Elliott Jones, Andrew Doyle and **Gemma Bailey** - in the top 13% nationally.

Norton Canes High School has a new **Girls' Football Team**—and they took third place in their first tournament. The team is managed by **Mrs Fowler**, assisted by Year 10 student **Billie Haynes**. "The girls were clamouring for a team of their own," Mrs Fowler said. "I am proud to be able to coach them." The tournament was organised by Cannock and Rugeley School Partnership.

Other recent highlights at the school have been 'a truly inspiring' visit to Iceland plus trips to Newman University, an army base and Rodbaston College. Students also attended the STEM event at Uttoxeter where they won awards for best teamwork and innovation.

Big hearted Norton Canes High School students raised **£420** and donated food items and clothing for the homeless—by **keeping quiet.** The year 9 students were inspired to fundraise following a talk about the Good Shepherd Mission in Wolverhampton. Volunteer Len visited the school and spoke about how people become homeless and the help they need. To get the message across, students were challenged to build a shelter from plastic bags and boxes in 15 minutes.
Students **Chelsey Wright, Katie Swan** and **Joanne Green** organised a sponsored silence and invited all age groups in the school to take part.

CHECK OUT THE SCHOOL'S WEBSITE ON
www.nortoncanes-high.staffs.sch.uk to see what else has been happening.

IT'S ALL HAPPENING AT NORTON CANES COMMUNITY CENTRE

MONDAY		
	Playgroup	**8.15am-1pm ring Karen 07891 149 381**
	Parent and Toddler	**1.30pm-3pm Karen 07891 149 381**
	Watercolour Club	**10am-1pm 01543 275013**
	Sewing Group	**1.30pm-3.30pm Private Group**
	Kano Judo Club	**7pm-9pm 01543 459785**
TUESDAY		
	Playgroup	**8.15-3pm ring Karen 07891 149 381**
	Poundshedders	**7pm-8pm Sue 01543 278534**
	Indoor Bowls	**7.30pm-9.30pm Ann 01543 279185**
WEDNESDAY		
	Playgroup	**8.15-1pm Karen 07891 149 381**
	WRVS	**1.30pm-4pm Mike 01543 276959**
	Zumba	**7pm-8pm Nev 07894 947 334**
	Line Dance Class	**8pm-11pm Nev 07894 947 334**
THURSDAY		
	Playgroup	**8.15am-3pm Karen 07891 149 381**
	Chris's Card Class	**10.30am-12.30pm Chris 07964 578 545**
	Kano Judo Club	**7pm-9pm Ian 01543 459785**
FRIDAY	**Playgroup**	**8.15am-1pm Karen 07891 149 381**
	Tea Dance	**1.30pm-3.30pm 0121 360 1474**
	Jenny's Social	**7.15pm-10.15pm Jenny 01922 415232**
SATURDAY		
	Gladiator Training	**10am-11am Stuart 07944 833 259**
1st and 3rd Saturday		
	Jenny and Terry	**8pm till late 01922 415232**
2nd and 3rd Saturday		
	Nev's Line Dance	**7.30pm-12pm Nev 07894 947 334**
SUNDAY	**Zumba**	**6.30pm-7.30pm Nev 07894 947 334**

CEMA Project Update

CEPINC - Community Engagement Projects in Norton Canes say a big thank you to all who helped plant the new hedgerow on the Church Road/Chapel Street side of the CEMA. Although very cold we had a successful morning on Saturday February 16.
A special thank you to young Jake from Castlecroft who turned up with his tuck bag, spade and daddy and who planted some of the 166 Shrubs and trees.
We could not have done it without the help of the district and county council and also a grant from Cllr John Rowley to enable us to purchase the trees.
Keep a lookout for opportunities to get involved in making our village a happier and healthier place to live. To get involved ring Sheila 01543 275013