

SPRING/SUMMER 2019



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Welcome...

A BIG BIG thank you to everyone for making our Hathern 2018 programme of events such a great success. 2018 was special for the village commemorating a triple anniversary – the visit of King Edward II in 1318, the casting of the oldest church bell in 1618 and of course the end of the First World War in 1918.

The Hathern 2018 team oversaw and co-ordinated the events, many of which were successfully delivered because our community groups and organisations co-operated, and we thank them for all their hard work. It really was Hathern Together. And that's what our team will be in the future. The success of 2018 has spurred us on to organise another programme for 2019, supported financially by the Parish Council.

In this brochure you will find details of our many community groups and their events in the first six months of 2019. We have something for everyone in Hathern. Why not come along to an event or join one of the groups we have in the village? We particularly extend an invitation to anyone new to Hathern to get involved. You will be assured of a very warm welcome.

Keep in touch with the latest news on our Facebook page or website. Let us know if your group has an event in the second half of 2019.

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Get your group in THE GUIDE!

Any club, group, event or venue is welcome to get into either part of the guide. It's split into two, the 'What's On' section and then the general 'Regular Groups & Activities' section, meaning all bases are covered.

If you would like to feature in our next edition - **July to December** - then please email: theguide@hathernonline.co.uk

Deadline for next issue 30TH APRIL 2019

Key to symbols & logos

The Hathern Together team have listed many of the events, organised by all different groups, taking place in Hathern during the course of the year and have compiled them into this one handy brochure.

Below is a list of the logos which are used throughout the brochure and a brief description of what each one represents.



Hathern Old Cricket Club

Any event displaying this logo is organised by the Cricket Club.



Hathern Village Association

HVA run the events that show this logo. They also oversee the Big Week.



Hathern Open Gardens

Open Gardens is organised and run by volunteers from SS
Peter & Paul Church.



St Peter & St Paul Church

The events displaying this logo are run by the local church and its volunteers.



Hathern Community Library

HCL run many events at the library. Look out for their logo.



Hathern Band

Hathern Band help run the Proms In The Park and run the Training & Youth bands.



Hathern's Big Week

The events displaying this logo are all part of Hathern's Big Week which runs in June.



Hathern History Society

The History Society logo is shown next to the events that its members have organised.



Hathern School & FPTA

The school have been actively involved in organising events. Their logo shows which ones.



Hathern Guides

The Guides are getting involved too during the Big Week - find their logo!



Pub In The Park

This logo shows when the 'pub' is open for business during Hathern's Big Week.



Hathern Youth Club

HYC have also helped organise events. Keep an eye out for their logo.



The Anchor Inn

The Anchor will be hosting live music events. Find out which ones with this logo.



Pastures New Playgroup

Look out for the Teddy Bear's Picnic!



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Exclusive offer for Hathern Residents



Hathern Village Association are offering HATHERN RESIDENTS ONLY discounted tickets for **Wicked Hathern Fest**.

These exclusive prices are only available on three days - 18th January, 9th February & 16th March.

Adults (18+) £15 (normally £25) Teens (13-17) £10 (normally £15) Children (3-12) £5 (normally £8)

Each household is eligible - all you need to do is bring proof of your address and come along to one of the events labeled with the 'Discount Day' sticker.

Offer only available to residents on the electoral roll

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HATHERN BAND'S LOROS CONCERT

RAISING FUNDS FOR THE LOCAL HOSPICE

Saturday 12th, 19:00 | £10 St Peter & St Paul Church, Church Street

The annual fund-raising concert for the organisation which has been pivotal in some band members' lives. The first £750 is matched, pound for pound, by Barclays Bank and all proceeds go to LOROS, usually in the region of £2,000.

A concert of great music by a great brass band.

Tickets from:

Lesley Bentley 01509 672 029 Lesley.Bentley@dsl.pipex.com



MEET THE NEIGHBOURS

YOUR CHANCE TO GET INVOLVED

Friday 18th, 19:30 | FREE ENTRY Hathern Club, Dovecote Street

A warm welcome is extended to everyone who'd like to come along. Whether you are part of an existing club, on its committee, and are looking for new members or help and guidance on certain issues, or you are just looking to join a new club, then this is the perfect night for you.

Come and see who's around and take the opportunity to network with other like-minded people. You could even come along to be nosy - we're not fussy, we just want to meet you!



HCL'S 3RD BIRTHDAY

PLUS HANGING OF THE 2018 QUILT

Saturday 26th, 10:00 - 12:00 | FREE ENTRY Hathern Community Library, Green Hill

Hathern Community Library turns 3 in January and to celebrate this and the fact that they were voted the Best Community Library in 2018, everyone is invited to the party!

There will be fun and games for the children, storytelling, refreshments and importantly the unveiling of the Community Quilt. Panels have been made by villagers as part of the 2018 celebrations and these have been assembled into a quilted wall hanging which has been finished off by the library's Craft and Chat group.



HVA AGM & VOLUNTEERS AWARDS

CELEBRATING OUR WONDERFUL VOLUNTEERS

Saturday 9th, 19:00 | FREE (places need to be booked) Hathern Community Centre, Pasture Lane

Come along and have your say at Hathern Village Association's Annual General Meeting. The meeting will be followed by complimentary food & drinks for all our volunteers along with a special awards ceremony.

You can also come along if you'd like to volunteer for Big Week, Wicked Hathern Fest and Wicked Hathern Fireworks & Bonfire - contact HVA for more details.



AFTERNOON TEA

DELICIOUS HOME MADE CAKES & TREATS

Saturday 16th, 14:00 - 17:00 | £7 Adults / £3 Children St Peter & St Paul Church, Church Street

Do you love a cuppa and a slice of cake? Fancy giving your nearest and dearest a Valentine gift with a difference? Then why not come along to St Peter & St Paul Church for a traditional afternoon tea, with sandwiches, cakes, and scones with jam and cream.

So you can book your place contact anyone from the church team - details in the back of this book.

We look forward to seeing you.



DYDD GŴYL DEWI HAPUS!

AT HATHERN COMMUNITY LIBRARY

Wednesday 20th, 10:00 - 11:30 | Donation to Library Hathern Community Library, Green Hill

Get ready to celebrate St. David's Day with dragons and daffodils, and come along to our Welsh-themed activity morning. Fun for all the family, just call in any time between 10:00 & 11:30.



HATHERN'S BIG BOOK DAY

AT HATHERN COMMUNITY LIBRARY

Thursday 7th, 11:00 - 12:30 | Donation to Library Hathern Community Library, Green Hill

It's World Book Day... Celebrate with us and help us make the biggest book Hathern's ever seen!

Write or draw something which shows how much you love reading and bring it along with you.

Storytelling sessions at 11:30 and 12:00.

Come and join in the fun!



LITTLE WICKED

WITH THE NEEDLE & PIN

Saturday 16th, 17:00 - 00:00 | FREE ENTRY Hathern Community Centre, Pasture Lane

Come and sample Wicked Hathern Fest in miniature form as we focus on all things local - local music & local beers! We'll have some great bands and acoustic artists performing for you.

Our special guests The Needle & Pin will be providing the bar, with speciality beers, ales, ciders, gins, vodkas and wines - with information displays showing the heritage of each local beverage.

Come down and enjoy a little slice of Wicked Hathern Fest for free!



WI OPEN MEETING

WITH KEN BARFIELD

Monday 18th, 19:30 | FREE Hathern Village Hall, Dovecote Street

Come along to this open evening at Hathern WI to hear Ken Barfield tell us about the legend that was George Formby.

Hear him sing and play his ukulele, and maybe join in some of his iconic songs.

There will also be tea, coffee and cakes, a raffle and a quiz.

We're always happy to meet new people, why not come down and see if Hathern WI is for you?



HATHERN BAND IN CONCERT

RAISING FUNDS FOR ST PETER & PAUL CHURCH

Saturday 6th, 19:00 | £7 St Peter & St Paul Church, Church Street

Hathern Band are in Concert again at Hathern Church, this time raising funds for Hathern Church.

Another great evening of brass band music.

Tickets from:

John Worsfold 01509 842 585 JHW.hathern@gmail.com



SPONSORED WALK

FOR HATHERN COMMUNITY LIBRARY

Sunday 7th, 7:30/9:00 | Entry via sponsorship Newtown Linford Church (33miles) / Copt Oak Pub (5miles)

This year HCL is organising a sponsored walk following the Charnwood Round, a walk of 33 miles in total. However, worry not, as only a few hardy souls will be attempting the full walk. You can, as an alternative, walk the second leg of 5 miles from Copt Oak to Mount St. Bernard's Abbey.

It promises to be a fun day, with levels of challenge to suit most people. Please join us and help us raise £2500. For full information & to register email: Bill Leivers billleivers@sky.com.



EASTER AT OAKLEY

THE FAMOUS EASTER EGG HUNT

Friday 19th, 12:00 | FREE ENTRY Oakley Grange Farm, Shepshed Road

For great fun for all the family, pop along to Oakley Grange Organic Farm, Cafe & Delicatessen on Good Friday. Activities include their famous Easter Egg Hunt, a 'most creative' Easter bonnet competition, a fun farm quiz and a guided farm tour!



FAMILY FUN DAY

ATTHE ANCHOR INN

Monday 6th, from 14:00 | FREE ENTRY The Anchor Inn, Loughborough Road

The Anchor Inn are opening their doors once again on another of their now-famous Family Fun Days.

The garden will be filled with free inflatables for the kids, there's be live entertainment and family games.

Naturally the bar will be open all day and the kitchen will be open serving fresh cooked food to - what a great way to spend a Bank Holiday.



HATHERN OPEN GARDENS

A STROLL AROUND HATHERN'S HIDDEN TREASURES

Saturday 11th & Sunday 12th, 12:00 - 17:00 | £3 St Peter & St Paul Church, Church Street

Hathern Open Gardens is known for being one of the friendliest garden walkabouts in the area. Come and explore the hidden treasures of the village and see people's private havens in this exclusive glimpse behind the gates.

If you'd like to open your garden this year, you can get in touch with John Worsfold or Tony Croft - details on the contact page.



HISTORY WALK

DISCOVERING HATHERN'S HISTORY

Thursday 23rd, 19:00 | FREE Starting at Hathern Cross, Cross Street

The idea behind this event is to give an insight into some of Hathern's oldest and most interesting buildings. It will appeal to anyone living in the village, and particularly to newcomers who may not be aware of Hathern's rich history. The walk will be led by members of the History Society who have lived in the village all of their lives. They will tell of the history of the buildings and some of their own experiences relating to them, including some amusing anecdotes. The route will take approximately 2 hours, ending no doubt at a Public House!



BIG WEEK: THE LAUNCH

PARTY THE NIGHT AWAY

Friday 7th, from 20:00 | FREE ENTRY The Anchor Inn, Loughborough Road

Join us as we launch this year's Big Week live from The Anchor.

What better way to start off the week than with a party at one of the hottest venues in the village (apart from the Pub In The Park of course!)

The fun will continue into the wee small hours too, so get out your party gear and join us for a great night out.



YOUTH CLUB PARTY

LAUNCHING BIG WEEK IN STYLE!

Friday 7th, from 18:15 | £1 Hathern Village Hall, Dovecote Street

Aged between 7-18? Hathern Youth Club is open every Friday night in term time and you're invited! With different activities every week, alongside our range of pool tables, table tennis and video consoles (we even have Virtual Reality helmets!), there's something for everyone.

Join us for ther launch of Big Week as we have a mini party, come and see what the club is all about! 6.15pm-7.30pm for Juniors (7-11Yrs) and 7.30pm-9.00pm for Seniors (11-18Yrs)



THIS IS HATHERN: EXHIBITION

BY HATHERN LOCAL HISTORY SOCIETY

Running all week, times vary | FREE ENTRY St Peter & St Paul Church, Church Street

For the whole of Big Week, starting Saturday 8th, we will be mounting an exhibition in the Parish Church, covering many aspects of Hathern's history. The subjects covered will include: Hathern old and new; 1842 village map and census; the hosiery industry; framework knitting in Hathern; archaeological finds. We will also display work in progress on our next venture: investigating Hathern's former businesses.

The exhibition will culminated in the showing of the film 'This Is Hathern' in Church on Friday 14th. (details on page 28)



HATHERN VILLAGE FÊTE

AND VINTAGE CAR PARADE

Saturday 8th, 13:00 - 17:00 | FREE ENTRY Hathern Park, Pasture Lane

Now an annual event, this fun-filled day is a treat for the entire family.

The Marquee In The Park will be filled with table-top games for you to try your hand at, plus side-stalls thanks to Pastures New Playgroup.

There will also be the It's A Knockout games, bouncy castles, food vendors, Hathern Concert Brass and live acoustic music. Plus the Pub In The Park will be open and trading all day.



IT'S A KNOCKOUT

LETTHE GAMES BEGIN

Saturday 8th, 14:00 - 17:00 | £12 per team Hathern Park, Pasture Lane

Open to teams of six, the annual It's A Knockout games are a fantastic fun-filled day of wacky races!

Prepare to get wet and look very, very silly as we compete to award the top prizes. Winners receive passes to Wicked Hathern Fest. There is also a prize for the best dressed team!

ALL team fees will go to a charity of the winning team's choice Details of how to enter your team in the back of this brochure.



COUNTRY ROCKS THE PARK

LIVE MUSIC AND CEILIDH DANCING

Saturday 8th, 19:00 - 23:00 | FREE ENTRY The Big Marquee, Hathern Park, Pasture Lane

Join us for live music from TWO bands. The fantastic Hell On Heels will be providing tight harmonies to all your country favourites - classic and modern.

We also welcome back Reel Easy and their caller. We haven't forgotten how much everyone loves a good barn dance, so they'll be getting everyone up on their feet.

The bar will be open all night and food vendors available.



THE BIG VILLAGE WALK

FIND OUT WHAT'S ON YOUR DOORSTEP

Sunday 9th, 10:00 | FREE ENTRY Hathern Primary School, Pasture Lane

Want to get to know our wonderful village and surrounding countryside better? Then join us for a leisurely walk along the fields and lanes, taking in the sights and sounds of our tranquil community.

The walk is self-guided, with 3 routes to choose from, depending on ability. Everything is signed and mapped so there is very little chance of getting lost!

Walk at your own pace, meet new friends, learn more about our local area and generally enjoy being outdoors.



BBQ IN THE PARK

WITH LIVE ACOUSTIC MUSIC

Sunday 9th, 12:00 | FREE ENTRY (cost for food & drink) Hathern Park, Pasture Lane

The FPTA (Friends Parents and Teachers' Association) will be holding a BBQ in the park, the Pub In The Park will be open, and HVA will be providing live acoustic music throughout the day.

Everyone is welcome to come down for an informal day of sport, music, food & drink.



CRICKET MATCH

A PERFECT SUMMER'S AFTERNOON

Sunday 9th, 13:00 | FREE ENTRY Hathern Park, Pasture Lane

Come along and support Hathern Old Cricket Club as they take to the green. Fixtures hadn't been published at the time of going to print, but the day is sure to be a good one.

They'll also be putting on a tombola to help raise money for the club, so why not have a go?



YOUTH & TRAINING BAND WORKSHOPS

WITH HATHERN BAND

Monday 10th, 18:00 - 21:00 | FREE ENTRY The Big Marquee, Hathern Park, Pasture Lane

Training Band (18:00 - 19:00), Youth Band (19:15 – 20:45)

Instruments, music and tuition are provided free of charge to young people learning to play brass or percussion instruments. Beginners receive one-to-one tuition, then progress to the Training Band. The band is directed by the Musical Director with experienced players assisting with tuition.

Hathern Youth Band is for players graduating from the Training Band. The aim is to improve musicianship and have fun! Many players progress to our Concert Brass Band or the main Band. Come along and find out more!



WE'RE GOING ON A BEAR HUNT

WITH HATHERN COMMUNITY LIBRARY

Tuesday 11th, 15:30 | FREE ENTRY The Park, Pasture Lane

Join Hathern Community Library as we go on a bear hunt around Hathern! Starting on the park after school, the hunt will take you on a short guided walk around the park itself and back up into the village.

The story will end at the library where you can stay and read if you wish. We'd love to see you there.



THE BIG QUIZ

INCLUDING CHIP COBS!

Tuesday 11th, 19:00 | £3 (Includes a chip cob)
The Big Marquee, Hathern Park, Pasture Lane

Last year's Big Quiz was a massive success with over 20 teams entering. Come and test your general knowledge and see if you can beat our Quizmaster.

The night includes a chip cob too - what more could you possibly want?

The winning team will receive a passes to Wicked Hathern Fest 2019.

ALL the profits raised on this night will go to charity.

If you don't fancy joining in, why not just come down for a drink?



LUNCH IN THE PARK

GETTOGETHER INTHE PARK

Wednesday 12th, 12:00 | £5

The Big Marquee, Hathern Park, Pasture Lane

Come down for a spot of luncheon, a refreshing cup of tea or coffee and a game of bingo!

A hot meal, refreshments and transport (if you need it) are included in the price - but you must book your place so we can cater for you!

Places can be booked via St Peter & St Paul Church or Hathern Baptist Church at their lunch clubs each month.

BOOK BY FRIDAY 7TH JUNE



GUIDES & BROWNIES

EVERYONE WELCOME FOR A TASTER SESSION

Wednesday 12th, 18:00 | FREE ENTRY Hathern Park, Pasture Lane, Hathern

Crawshaw District Guides & 1st Hathern and Long Whatton Brownies invite all girls aged 7-18 to join us for our outdoor meeting in the park, where you can join in and find out what sorts of things we do in Girl Guiding.



PRAISE IN THE PARK

AN EVENING OF SONG AND WORSHIP

Wednesday 12th, 19:30 | FREE ENTRY The Big Marquee, Hathern Park, Pasture Lane

Hathern Church's Praise Group (plus some young friends) will be bringing lots of lively hymns and songs, some you will know and some you won't, but

lots of lively hymns and songs, some you will know and some you won't, all very singable - including a short talk and refreshments afterwards.

The evening provides a taster of what Hathern Church does every month, so why not join us for an hour of 'Songs of Praise' - lively music in praise of God?



LINE DANCING

OPEN EVENT FOR ALL TO TRY

Thursday 13th, 13:15 | FREE ENTRY Hathern Village Hall, Dovecote Street

Your chance to try line dancing with Linda and the Hathern dancers! FOR FREE! You'll be surprised.

Easy peasy beginner dances suitable for most levels of fitnesses and ages. All you need is low or flat shoes or boots.

Two left feet a speciality.



ENDORFIT TRIAL NIGHT

SAMPLE HATHERN'S NEWEST FITNESS CLASS

Thursday 13th, 18:30 or 19:30 | FREE ENTRY Hathern Community Centre, Pasture Lane

Fancy joining a fitness class but want to sample it first? Now's your chance. endorFIT runs every Thursday at Hathern Village Hall, but for Big Week we've moved to the Community Centre to get all our guests in!

Put yourself through your paces in a Circuits/HIIT (High Intensity Interval Training) Class from 18:30 to 19:15 or if you would like to try something a little less intense give the Stretch/Relaxation class a go from 19:30 to 20:15......or why not stay for both?!

Participants must be aged 16 or over. All levels are welcome. Please bring your own mat, a towel and don't forget your water bottle.



MEET THE NEIGHBOURS

AT HATHERN CLUB

Thursday 13th, 19:30 | FREE ENTRY Hathern Club, Dovecote Street

A warm welcome is extended to everyone who'd like to come along and have another chance to meet the neighbours.

Hathern Club stock a wide range of beers & gins and other beverages and there'll also be acoustic background music to entertain.

Come along and try some networking - Hathern style!



TEDDY BEARS' PICNIC

WITH PASTURES NEW PLAYGROUP

Friday 14th, 12:00 | FREE ENTRY Hathern Park, Pasture Lane

Pastures New Playgroup would love to see you at their free event - their Teddy Bear's Picnic.

Bring your own picnic, blanket - and of course your Teddies - and they will provide some fun activities - including parachute play.



YOUTH CLUB

GOES OUTDOORS

Friday 14th, 18:30 | FREE ENTRY Hathern Park, Pasture Lane

HYC are leaving their home at the Village Hall for one night only and will be playing various fun games both in and outside of the marquee.

The Youth Club is open to 7-18 year olds and, whilst normally split between two sessions, we will instead run as a single session for the Big Week.

Our classic tuck shop will also be present!



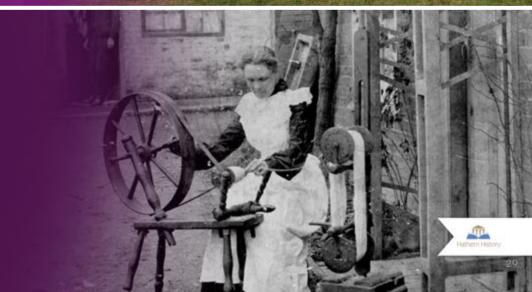
THIS IS HATHERN: THE FILM

HATHERN ON THE BIG SCREEN

Friday 14th June, 19:30 | FREE ENTRY St Peter & St Paul Church, Church Street

The History Society is putting on its big screen audio-visual show "This is Hathern". The show features photographs of Hathern and its people covering more than a century of history, and gives a real insight into how the village has changed over that period. As well as old buildings, we also include businesses, industries and social activities of the village.

The photographs are accompanied by the voices of Hathern residents who have lived through some of those changes. Recordings of Hathern Band supplement the soundtrack. The show lasts 90 minutes.



COFFEE, CAKE & CRICKET

A CLASSIC SUMMER'S AFTERNOON

Saturday 15th, 12:00 - 17:00 | FREE ENTRY (cost for refreshments) Hathern Park, Pasture Lane

A proper afternoon tea is available, with sandwiches and cakes, teas and coffees and Hathern Old Cricket Club will be entertaining us with a home game.

Hathern WI will provide the refreshments, which will then continue to be available into the Proms during the evening.



BIG WEEK MARKET

VINTAGE ITEMS, CRAFTS & LOCAL PRODUCE

Saturday 15th, 12:00 - 17:00 | FREE ENTRY The Big Marquee, Hathern Park, Pasture Lane

Have a wander down to the park and browse amongst the local stallholders as they show your their wares. Pick up a bargain or two from the vintage stalls and maybe a gift from the craft stalls. We also have local produce for sale.

Refreshments are available all day thanks to Hathern WI providing afternoon tea & sandwiches as well as coffees and cakes. Delicious!



PROMS IN THE PARK: WWII

75TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE D-DAY LANDINGS

Saturday 15th, 19:30 | FREE ENTRY (collection for Hathern Training Band) Hathern Park, Pasture Lane

Join Hathern Band with special guests the Loughborough Theatre Choir as they present Proms In The Park - a night packed full of music from WWII and a Last Night of The Proms sing-along section. Songs include I Vow To Thee My Country, Jerusalem, Land of Hope And Glory, You'll Never Walk Alone and the National Anthem.

Bring your picnics, chairs & flags (a limited number of flags will be supplied) and we'll provide the bar, teas & coffees.

Food will be available if you don't wish to bring your own.



HATHERN F.C.

PASTURE LANE

Hathern F.C. was founded in 1966 to provide a team to represent the village in men's adult football on a Saturday afternoon. The club was promoted to the Leicestershire Senior League in 2006, won the Loughborough Charity Cup in 2009, and Senior League Division One in 2017.

They now play in Senior League Premier Division, at Step 7 of the English Non-League Pyramid.

Additionally, the team has a Veterans side which plays in the Leicester City Veterans League for players aged 35 or over.

Both sides feature a large number of Hathern-based players and ages range from 17 to over 50. They also have a series of lively social occasions, and meet at the Anchor Inn after matches.

They are always looking for new players, sponsors and supporters - feel free to pop down any time.

MEETING TIMES

Games

Saturday Afternoons through the season

Training

Wednesday evenings through the season

CONTACT DETAILS

Mason Norton 07784 793052

HATHERN BELLRINGERS

Church bells are the biggest and among the loudest musical instruments. Hidden away in the top of tall church towers their sound has

been part of the "rhythm" of life in villages, towns and cities for over a thousand years.

In 1792 there were five bells and the oldest was the third bell cast in 1618. Today there are eight bells. The old third, now the sixth, is still the original 1618 bell - 400 years old and still being rung today.

Hathern is an Association of Ringing Teachers Hub and welcome anyone who would like to learn more about the bells or learn to ring.

They practise ring regularly on Thursday evenings and on the 4th Thursday of each month they ring at Belton to keep their bells in working order!

MEETING TIMES

Practice Rings

Thursdays

CONTACT DETAILS

Tony Croft 01509 842634

HATHERN CLUB

DOVECOTE STREET

Hathern Working Men's Liberal Club was founded in the 1870s and is still operating today as Hathern Club. Everyone is welcome - member or guest!

Hathern Club is operated through a committee of volunteers, giving their free time to oversee the management.

On offer is a variety of beer and lager and recently introduced gins.

Hathern Club offers entertainment every Saturday evening with a variety of acts from different genres. Monday night is quiz night and new teams are always welcome.

They host a dominoes team which meets on Thursdays and also have dart boards and a pool table.

They run regular family events with children in mind - their Easter event includes a children's disco and Easter Bonnet competition. Similar events are held at Christmas and Halloween.

They have a large space for private rent, so contact them for more details.

OPENING HOURS

Mon: 19:30 to 00:00

Tue: CLOSED

Wed: 19:30 to 00:00 Thu: 19:30 to 00:00 Fri: 19:30 to 00:00 Sat: 19:00 to 00:00

Sun: 12:00 to 16:00 & 20:30 to 23:30

CONTACT DETAILS

Marie Hill (Stewardess) 01509 769985 Find us on Facebook

HATHERN VILLAGE ASSOCIATION

FESTIVAL FIELD

Hathern Village Association are a team of volunteers who organise and run Wicked Hathern Fest, Wicked Hathern Fireworks & Bonfire and provide the infrastructure to Hathern's Big Week.

They're always on the lookout for volunteers to help set-up and pack away their events and also for anyone who has a business that may be able to help them out.

They give up their time (and holidays) for free and all money raised from the events goes back into the next event or is given away to village groups who help them out.

REGULAR EVENTS

Volunteer Awards Evening 9th February

Hathern's Big Week 7th - 15th June

Wicked Hathern Fest 9th & 10th August

Wicked Hathern Fireworks & Bonfire 2nd November

New Year Fireworks 31st December

CONTACT DETAILS

hathernfest.co.uk chairman@hathernonline.co.uk Find us on Facebook & Instagram

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HATHERN COMMUNITY LIBRARY

GREEN HILL

Hathern Community Library is a charity established in January 2016 and run completely by volunteers. It provides library and information services for the community, and is developing itself as the Village Hub.

Not only is it the smallest library in Leicestershire, it was also voted the Best Community Library in 2018!

OPENINGTIMES

Tue: 14:00 to 18:00 **Wed:** 10:00 to 12:30 **Thu:** 14:00 to 18:00 **Fri:** 10:00 to 12:30 **Sat:** 10:00 to 12:00

REGULAR ACTIVITIES

Craft & Chat

Wednesdays: 14:00 to 16:00

All Join In

Alternate Thursdays: 10:30 to 11:00

Reading Group

Tuesdays, monthly: 18:00

Reading Cafe - tea & coffee

available

Fridays: 10:00 - 12:30

Art GroupCOMING SOON

CONTACT DETAILS

hatherncommunitylibrary.org enquiries@hatherncommunitylibrary.org find us on Facebook & Twitter

ST PETER & ST PAUL CHURCH

CHURCH STREET

The Parish Church in Hathern is situated at the heart of the village and has a warm welcome to everyone to its services and social activities.

SERVICES

Family Service First Sunday: 10:30

Holy Communion First Sunday: 8:30

Second & Fourth Sunday: 10:30

Third Sunday: 18:15

Cafe Church - Breakfast &

Fellowship

Third Sunday: 10:30

Evensong

Fourth Sunday: 18:15

Morning Prayer Wednesdays: 8:30

Praise Evening - Worship, Song &

Supper, with live music! Fourth Wednesday: 19:30

Little Saints (term time only) - £1

Thursdays: 15:00 to 16:30

REGULAR ACTIVITIES

Coffee & Chat

Wednesdays: 10:00 to 12:00

Coffee Morning

First Saturday: 10:00 to 12:00

Lunch at Church

Fourth Friday: 12:00 to 13:30

CONTACT DETAILS

Rosemary Worsfold 01509 842585 achurchnearyou.com/church/5269 fund us on Facebook & Twitter

HATHERN VILLAGE HALL

DOVECOTE STREET

Hathern Village Hall is run by Hathern Recreation Association. The hall has toilets, including an accessible one, wheelchair access, kitchen facilities and projector plus drop down screen. It is available to hire both on an hourly rate or, if you are looking for somewhere to run a regular class, on a more permanent basis.

REGULAR GROUPS

Hathern WI

Third Monday, 19:30 *Gail. 01509 842874*

Hathern Parish Council Meetings

Mondays, once every 6 weeks, 19:30 *clerk@hathernparishcouncil.org*

Baby Massage

Tuesdays,

babybellesmassage@gmail.com

Pilates

Tuesdays, Thursdays & Fridays, times vary office@janethomaspilates.co.uk

cara.tatterton@btinternet.com

Yoga

Tuesdays & Saturdays, times vary

elainedenton@icloud.com

Pasture Lane Players

Tuesdays, 20:00

Bridge Club

Wednesdays evenings, 19:30 - 22:30 r.m.sholl@btinternet.com

Village Voices

Wednesday, 14:00 - 16:00

info@vvoices.co.uk

Line Dancing

Thursday, 13:15 - 14:45 Linda, 07907 711282

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Thursday, 18:30 - 20:05 Hannah, 07814 397920

Hathern Youth Club

Friday, 18:15 - 21:00 *Ian. 07837 066190*

Martial Arts

Sundays, 16:00 Ellen, 07960 255708

HIRE CHARGES

Hourly: £15p/h (one off bookings), £8p/h (regular bookings)
Daily: prices start from £50 for half a day. Please contact for full details.

CONTACT DETAILS

John Worsfold 01509 842585 jhw.hathern@gmail.com find us on Facebook

HATHERN BAPTIST CHURCH

THE LEYS

Hathern Baptist Church is situated at the southern end of the village on The Leys. The church is a welcoming place where people from all walks of life enjoy meeting together to worship God.

SERVICES

Service of Worship Sunday: 11:00

Evening Fellowship

Sunday: 18:15

Ladies' Prayer Group Wednesday: 9:30

Prayer Group

Wednesdays: 19:30

REGULAR ACTIVITIES

Little Acorns (term time only) Fridays: 9 - 11:15

Oasis

First Monday: 14:00 to 15:30

Lunch Club

Last Monday: 12:00 to 13:45

Bible Study First Friday: 19:30

Men's Fellowship Lunches

times vary

CONTACT DETAILS

01509 554584 hathernbaptist@gmail.com

HATHERN BAND

PASTURE LANE

The Hathern Band family consists of four brass bands. The main Band is a contesting band which competes in the top Championship section with Concert Brass a non-contesting band.

Training and Youth Bands are the band's future. Instruments, music and tuition are provided for only a £4 monthly subscription. Children are taught not only to play a brass or percussion instrument but also music theory in a relaxed and fun environment.

Hathern Band operates a Patrons Scheme - patrons contributing a minimum of £25 per annum - and there is also the Friends of Hathern Band which is free to join. Patrons and Friends receive a quarterly newsletter.

MEETING TIMES

Main Band

Sun & Tue: 18:45 to 21:45

Concert Brass

Thu: 18:45 to 21:35

Training Band

Mon: 18:00 to 19:00

Youth Band

Mon: 19:15 to 20:45

CONTACT DETAILS

www.hathernband.co.uk lesley.bentley@dsl.pipex.com 01509 672029 07786 604552

HATHERN GARDEN CLUB

HATHERN VILLAGE HALL

Hathern Garden Club is a small friendly group of people who share a common interest in gardens, gardening and related subjects.

They meet on the second Monday of each month during the winter months (October to April) in the Village Hall when they have presentations or speakers on a variety of subjects with a garden or floral theme.

In the spring and summer time they get out and about to enjoy the beauty of British gardens and plants by visits to sites of gardening interest in Leicestershire and adjoining counties.

They usually also manage to find a place to enjoy a cup of tea or coffee and a cake!

Their annual membership fee is only £15 but for £4 visitors are always welcome at talks and outings so why not go to one of their events and check them out?

MEETING TIMES

Monthly Meeting Second Monday: 19:30

CONTACT DETAILS

Tony Croft 01509 842634

Phil Clark 01509 842345

HATHERN WILDLIFE GROUP

LOCATIONS VARY

The Hathern Wildlife Group was formed in 2012 with the following aims:

- to raise awareness about the natural environment
- to develop and maintain local wildlife habitats
- to monitor and record the wildlife and wildlife habitats
- to publish information describing the natural environment

The group aims to bring together individuals from the village who have a love of the countryside and an interest in the environment.

CONTACT DETAILS

Sean Hale 07443 902947 sean.hale48@gmail.com

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PASTURES NEW PLAYGROUP

PASTURE LANE

Pastures New Playgroup and Breakfast Club run at Hathern Community Centre during term time.

Prices are from £12 per session, with funded places available.

Rated 'Outstanding' at their last Ofsted inspection in March 2015, the facility boasts a fantastic, spacious outdoor garden.

The Breakfast Club operates every morning during term time and and prices start at £4, which includes breakfast and a drink.

Please contact to book your space or to come and have a look around.

OPENING TIMES

Mon: 8:45 to 11:45 Tue: 8:45 to 11:45 Wed: 8:45 to 11:45 Thu: 8:45 to 11:45 Fri: 8:45 to 11:45

REGULAR ACTIVITIES

Breakfast Club

Mon-Fri: 7:30 to 8:45

CONTACT DETAILS

pasturesnewplaygroup.co.uk pastplaygroup@live.com 07975 767723

HATHERN WI

HATHERN VILLAGE HALL

Hathern WI are a group of women aged 18+, (some more plus than others) who meet up on the 3rd Monday of each month.

They enjoy hearing speakers or demonstrators on subjects as varied as game shows to gardening and history to keep fit! They have a raffle, a quiz and a chat over light refreshments.

The group also enjoy meeting up regularly for lunches, afternoon teas, walking and theatre trips.

They encourage new people to come along, it only costs £5 as a visitor!

MEETING TIMES

Monthly Meeting
Third Monday: 19:30

CONTACT DETAILS

Gail Wooliscroft 01509 842874

VILLAGE VOICES

HATHERN VILLAGE HALL

Village Voices are a group of local people who enjoy singing.

They meet up every Wednesday during term time, 14:00 – 16:00 in Hathern Village Hall, Dovecote Street, to sing a variety of different styles of music in 3 parts.

They are led by Katherine and Tom, and you don't have to audition to join.

They do occasional concerts for charity, but they are optional.

The next term will start on Wednesday 9th January 2019, go along and give them a try, just £5 per session.

MEETING TIMES

Weekly Meeting

Wednesdays: 14:00 - 16:00 (term time)

CONTACT DETAILS

info@vvoices.co.uk

HATHERN HISTORY SOCIETY THE ANCHOR INN

Hathern Local History Society was formed in the 1980s in order to research and preserve the history of the village.

During that time, they have produced several publications and audio-visual presentations. They regularly mount exhibitions of photographs and items of historical interest and have recently set up a website.

Currently, they are researching industries and businesses that have flourished in the village over the past centuries and are particularly interested in the buildings associated with the framework knitting industry.

They meet in the upper room of the Anchor Inn, Hathern and always welcome new members. They occasionally have speakers, organise social events and visit places of interest.

MEETING TIMES

Regular Meeting Third Thursday: 19:00

CONTACT DETAILS

Chair: Terry Cox

01509 843107 tandmcox@hotmail.co.uk

Secretary: Kay Hughes

01509 646384

kayhughes100@yahoo.co.uk

Website Administrator - Anthony White 01509 829579 whiteant 77@outlook.com

www.hathernhistory.co.uk

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HATHERN OLD CRICKET CLUB

PASTURE LANE

Hathern Old Cricket Club are one of the oldest and friendliest county cricket clubs in Leicestershire.

They offer a warm welcome to anyone interested in getting involved in the Club, from a playing or supporting role.

Two senior teams play in the Leicestershire and Rutland Cricket League and midweek cricket is offered on Thursdays. They also play the occasional Sunday friendly game.

They offer juniors a chance to play up to Under 14 level, with practice sessions and matches on Friday evenings and Sunday mornings.

CONTACT DETAILS

Garry Leeson garry.leeson@ntlworld.com

HATHERN DANCE GROUP

COMMUNITY CENTRE

Hathern Dance Group consists of approximately thirty mature members who enjoy sequence dancing and good company.

New members, who are familiar with the basic steps of ballroom dancing, are always welcome.

Dance shoes are required to protect the floor.

The group meets each Friday evening, in term time, at 19:30 in the Community Centre.

Why not give them a try?

MEETING TIMES

Weekly Meeting Fridays: 19:30

CONTACT DETAILS

Judith Wardell jwardell@btinternet.com



CONTACTS

There are many more ways to get involved in your village than the ones featured in our brochure!

ENTER IT'S A KNOCKOUT

To enter your team into It's A Knockout and join in all the fun (as well as supporting charity), please email Hathern Village Association.

hva@hathernonline.co.uk

VOLUNTEER

If you'd like to offer your services and volunteer at any of the events in Hathern, you can contact the directory and we will pass on your details.

volunteer@hathernonline.co.uk

HAVE A STALL

To get your wares on sale, contact Hathern Village Association who will be happy to run through the details with you.

hva@hathernonline.co.uk

OPEN YOUR GARDEN

Hathern Open Gardens are always looking for new gardens and unexplored areas of the village to add to their map. Contact them if you're interested.

jhwhathern@gmail.com

GO TO PARISH COUNCIL MEETINGS

Hathern Parish Council always want to see villagers at their meetings and forums. Email them to find out the date of the next one.

clerk@hathernparishcouncil.org

GET IN THE BROCHURE

Don't forget that this brochure is open to any group or club within the village. If you'd like to be featured - either as an event or as one of our regular clubs - then please get in touch with us. We'd love to hear from you

theguide@hathernonline.co.uk

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JANUARY

Tuesday 1st

New Years Day Walk

Saturday 5th

Church Coffee Morning

Monday 7th

Oasis

Baptist Church, 14:00

Saturday 12th

LOROS Concert Hathern Church, 19:00

Monday 14th

Parish Council Meeting

Friday 18th

Hathern Club, 19:30

Monday 21st

Garden Club Anchor Inn, 19:30

Monday 21st

WI Meeting



Friday 25th

Lunch at Church

Saturday 26th

HCL 3rd Birthday

Monday 28th

Lunch Club Baptist Church, 12:00

FEBRUARY

Saturday 2nd

Monday 4th



Saturday 9th

Garden Club

Saturday 16th

Friday 22nd

Lunch at Church

Monday 25th

Lunch Club

Monday 25th

MARCH

Saturday 2nd

Church Coffee Morning

Monday 4th

Oasis

Thursday 7th

World Book Day

Saturday 16th

Little Wicked Community Centre, 17:00

Monday 18th

WI Meeting



Monday 21st

Garden Club

Friday 22nd

Lunch at Church

APRIL

Monday 1st

Oasis Baptist Church, 14:00



Saturday 6th Church Coffee Morning Hathern Church, 10:00

Saturday 6th

Hathern Band In Concert Hathern Church, 19:00

Sunday 7th

HCL Sponsored Walk Newtown Linford Church, 7:30

Monday 8th

Parish Council Meeting

Monday 15th

WI Meeting Village Hall, 19:30

Sunday 21st

Easter Activities

Friday 26th

Lunch at Church

Monday 29th

Lunch Club

Baptist Church, 12:00

MAY

Saturday 4th

Church Coffee Morning

Monday 6th

Saturday 11th

Open Gardens

Open Gardens Hathern Church, 12:00 - 17:00

Monday 13th

Parish Council Meeting

Monday 20th

WI Meeting

Thursday 23rd

Lunch at Church

Friday 24th



Friday 7th - Saturday

Hathern's Big Week Various locations & times

Monday 17th WI Meeting

JUNE

Saturday 1st

Monday 3rd

Oasis

Church Coffee Morning

Hathern Church, 10:00

Baptist Church, 14:00

Monday 24th

Lunch Club Baptist Church, 12:00

Monday 24th

Parish Council Meeting Village Hall, 19:30

Friday 28th

Lunch at Church Hathern Church, 12:00

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