Staverton Village Hall
Croft Lane, Staverton
Northamptonshire
Charity No. 276646

Staverton Village Hall Annual Report 2022 - 2023

During the year the Village Hall Committee members had not changed.

Event summary 2021-22:

2022

- 6th July - AGM
- 3rd September Flower and Produce show
- 12th November - Quiz Night - ?? quizzers enjoyed some tough questions and an amazing curry.

2023

- 14th Jan - Welcome Drinks to new residents
- 10th Feb - Refreshments and unfinished crafts
- 17th March -.Refreshments and unfinished crafts
- 9th April Easter Egg Rolling and Trail
- 6 -7th May KIng Charles III Coronation Celebrations
- 12th May -.Refreshments and unfinished crafts
- 5th July AGM

Our regular bookings of Yoga and Dance continued using the hall. A steady amount of private bookings from villagers and some external bookings, as well as the Parish Council (PC), Women's Institute (WI) and 16 Staverton singers using the hall to practice for the Christmas Church Service.

We are striving to improve the running of the hall. In the past year we have registered a smart pay, despite the hall/village having poor internet signal. This made the running of the bar for the quiz night much easier. We purchased an industrial quality stainless steel kitchen work unit for the center of the kitchen.

We have two sub committees

1. 5 year plan for future improvements
   gates, garden, windows, kitchen units

2 Historic documents to be able to register the Village Hall with the land Registry.

Looking back through previous minutes and archived files it is evident that the original deeds have been lost as well as the original constitution; which are needed to prove the status of the property when applying for grants. However there are many documents to evidence the land gift and building of the hall. By engaging the help of Northamptonshire ACER we have obtained a copy from their records of the original constitution. It is our intention to continue by engaging a conveyancer to get the Land registered.

The statutory Health and Safety report, Fire Safety Inspection and Electrical Infrastructure Checks have all been completed and various areas updated with improvements and recommendations being implemented which all benefit the users of the hall.

With regards to Social media and What's on; we continue to have a Facebook page, a website (www.stavertonvillagehall.co.uk), and make use of the village WhatsApp facility to promote our events. There are also printed notices posted on the three notice boards: The Green, The Jubilee Tree Green (near the school) and the Village Hall in Croft Lane.
Our operation processes using Google accounts with dedicated email addresses for the bookings, treasurer, and chair this is in compliance with GDPR and very successful.

It was a good year for the Village Hall and the committee is grateful for the support from the villagers.

The village Hall end of year financial report is not available until June 2023,