

LEONARD STANLEY NEWS

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Items for inclusion in the newsletter can be left at **34 Dozule Close** or email clerk@leonardstanley-pc.gov.uk or telephone **01453 822287** (there is an answerphone, if there is no reply please leave a message). Please make sure all items are handed in **before 5pm** on the **Friday before the next edition** is distributed. Space is allocated on a first come, first served basis, so to guarantee that your item is included, please send it in as early as possible. Thank You.

EDITOR'S NOTE: Please note that the next issue of the Newsletter will be **Monday, 9th December**.

Also, with the Christmas season rapidly approaching, the last Newsletter of 2024 is likely to be **Monday, 23rd December** (depending on our printer's Christmas deadlines). Please forward any items/articles covering late December/ early January events to the Parish Clerk as early as possible.

Thank you.

Fancy a **Knit & Natter**?

Why not join in with the Knit & Natter Group which is now being held every Monday at The Rest, Kings Stanley from 10 a.m. to 12 noon.

Or if you have some time to spare **Tiny Tigers Toddler & Baby Group** is very much in need of volunteers to help getting out and packing toys away, taking money, preparing food and helping with crafts, etc. If you have a couple of hours to spare, then contact the Group who meet every **Wednesday** during term time in **Whitminster Villag Hall from 9.30 a.m. to 11.30 a.m.**

SAXON BARN, Sunday 24th November ADVENT MARKET with Gurt Wings and Niang's Thai and a special visit from Randwick Reindeer.

THE REST WINTER MARKET, 17th November and Christmas Market on 1st December 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.



LEONARD STANLEY FILM CLUB – Saturday, 16th November in the Village Hall

Anyone who is lonely or fed up with the weather and approaching winter - why not come to our monthly Film Club held in the village hall. 9.30 for coffee and film 9.45 am. Its only £20 for the year, and we have a film for every month, with the December film finishing with a shared Christmas lunch. You would be made very welcome.

The film for November stars Helen Bonham-Carter, Judy Dench and Jim Broadbent and is a true story of a famous novelist and her husband from their student days and her battle with Alzheimer's.

Auction of Promises

LEONARD STANLEY VILLAGE HALL
SATURDAY 16TH NOVEMBER 2024 7:30PM

In aid of Leonard Stanley Primary School and
Leonard Stanley Village Hall new roof fund

WHAT CAN YOU OFFER?

We are still accepting offers of promises, items and experiences.
So far, we have:



Sausage-making class
at Frocester Fayre



Afternoon tea for 2 at
The Black Shed, Slimbridge



Trip in a classic
E-Type Jaguar

AND MUCH, MUCH MORE!

More info to follow!

Please contact: events@thevillagehall.co.uk for more information
or if you would like to donate a promise, item or experience.



TECKLES MINCE PIE MINGLE: 1st December

A magical festive evening of mince pies, mulled wine, and merry mingling! Explore craft stalls, the heartwarming sounds of a choir, and soak in the Christmas spirit – all while supporting Teckels and Stroud Food Bank,




STROUD DISTRICT FOODBANK – CHRISTMAS HAMPERS

The Stroud District Foodbank creates Christmas hampers each year to help those in need. The food bank relies on the generosity of the community for donations to help with the operational costs and to create the hampers. You can help by:

- dropping off items at collection points in local supermarkets, including Tesco, Waitrose, Sainsbury's, and most local co-ops
- Dropping off items at the food bank's warehouse at Unit 19 Canal Iron Works, Hope Mill Lane, Brimscombe, GL5 2SH, Monday–Friday, 10 AM–12 PM
- Donating online via www.givetoday.co.ukstrouddistrictfoodbank
- Running a community or workplace collection

If you or someone you know might benefit from a hamper, you can speak to a support worker or school for a referral. The food bank does not deal with requests directly.



STROUD ROTARY COMMUNITY AWARDS

A programme to support organisations within the Stroud area with a grant of up to £500.

If a small grant would make a real difference to your community project, apply for a Stroud Rotary Community Award. Nothing is too small to be considered.

For more details go to : www.stroudrotary.org.uk or email : community.awards.stroud.rotary@gmail.com

Closing Date for Applications is 6:00 p.m. 31st January 2025



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