



Welcome to the July 2014 newsletter from the Love's Farm Community Association (LFCA).

Big Lunch – 31 August



Make sure the Love's Farm Big Lunch on the 31 August is in your diary, it is the event of the year and not to be missed. LFCA have a marquee, games and dancing, hosted by our Events Coordinator, Emma. Everyone welcome. Last year we had a glorious day with over 80 residents, we want to beat that number this year and have over 100! You just need to bring a picnic to the Indian Encampment playground. Check the website for the latest information and timings.

Frozen at Barnardo's

Elsa from the hit Disney film Frozen will be making an appearance at Barnardo's, Love's Farm on Sunday 17 August, 1:30-3:30pm. The event includes raffles, a silent auction and the results of the colouring competition. Pop into the shop at any time to pick up a picture to colour - entry is 20p and there's no age limit. All entries must be received by 1pm on 17 August. Barnardo's are still looking for donations of hampers, bottles of wine, sealed toys, vouchers etc as prizes.

Summer Youth Club

There are lots of events planned over the summer for 10-14 year olds. Including:

- Summer Pool Party
- Cinema Trip (16th or 23rd Aug)
- Activity Days with outdoor sports and games
- Three Tuesday evening outdoor activity sessions (5pm-7pm)

These activities are only possible with the fantastic help of our kind volunteers and we'd like to thank those who have already offered their time and support!

If you have a few hours spare during August and would like to get involved in any of the Youth Club activities, either as a one off or regularly, we'd love to hear from you. Please contact Denise: denbarr2002@hotmail.com

SMART day

Join Phyllis and the gang to give 23 August, 11am to 1pm and/or 2pm to 4pm. This SMART day is to tidy up before our Big Lunch.



Parking problems

We are currently collating evidence of parking issues on Love's Farm. We know of some hot spots such as the bridge on Stone Hill, caused by cars parking on the bridge. We have also had reports of people parking on School Drive when dropping off children. This blocks the exit of the residents parking area. We are collecting evidence of these issues, please send us photographs to:
parking@ourlovesfarm.co.uk

Quiz Night

Join us at the Reedman's Bar at St Neots Football Club for our quiz on the last Friday of the month (check the website). Bring your own drinks and glasses. Max of 6 people per team. £1pp - don't worry if you have not got a team, there's always someone you can join.

New Brownie Pack



A new Brownie pack is being formed, which will eventually move to our Community Centre. In the meantime, the pack will meet in the centre of town while the community centre is built. Brownies are for girls, aged 7-10 years old. There is usually a long waiting list, so if you would like to join before we move to Love's Farm, register online and select the 4th St Neots Brownies.

https://www.girlguiding.org.uk/parents_carers.aspx

LFCA committee meetings

The LFCA committee meetings start at 19:30 at the football club. [The next meetings](#) are provisional, check the website closer to the time.

- 13 August 2014
- 10 Dec 2014

Our electronic newsletter

Our Love's Farm newsletter is published on a monthly basis. We alternate between a paper edition given to every household, and our electronic newsletter sent to everyone signed up to the Love's Farm Website. If you haven't already, sign up to the website and you will receive the electronic newsletter every other month.

<http://www.ourlovesfarm.co.uk/>

Dates for your diary

- AGM - 17 October
- Intergenerational event – 1 October

New on the forum

Take a look on the Love's Farm website community forums. Latest discussions include:

- [Charles Church pavement overspill](#)
- [Hairdresser](#)
- [Stonehill bridge parking](#)
- [Loving Love's Farm?](#)
- [Childcare Wanted](#)

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Keep in touch

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