



SAWTRY EYE

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SAWTRY 10 MILE ROAD RACE

SUNDAY 6TH SEPTEMBER 2026

10AM START
Sawtry Village Academy
PE28 5TQ

20 MINUTES ROAD CLOSURE
at Green End Road / Gidding Road

CHIPPED 10 MILE LOOP
on quiet country roads

TROPHIES AND SPOT PRIZES
on the day – see website for details

PART OF THE CAMBS AA
road league series

ENTER ONLINE:
<https://entries.sublimetiming.com/race/55>

VOLUNTEER MARSHALS REQUIRED
Please contact Matt on 07772017601
if you are able to assist!

**GET INVOLVED
CHALLENGE YOURSELF.
ENJOY THE JOURNEY!**

THANK YOU!

SAWTRY SHOW

Saturday 12 September
At Sawtry Village Academy

Deadline for entries

Friday 4 September, 6.00pm

Art, crafts & photography entries drop off

Friday 11 September, 4.00 - 6.00pm

Show Day - Saturday 12 September

All other exhibits drop off

9.30 - 11.30am

Public viewing, Raffle, Refreshments

1.30 - 3.00pm

For more info check out our

Facebook page, 'The Sawtry Show'

or email us, thesawtryshow@outlook.com



CARESCO DISCO OF THE DECADES

60s, 70s, 80s, 90s Music

Saturday 24 October
7.00 - 11.00pm

At Sawtry Village Academy
Fen Lane, Sawtry. PE28 5TQ

with DJ Rob Bradshaw

Ticket only event
£10 per person
bring your own drinks, glasses and nibbles

RAFFLE ON THE NIGHT

Tickets on sale from CARESCO Centre and CARESCO Charity Shop

All proceeds to CARESCO

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All Saints Sawtry

Harvest Festival Service

For all ages

Sunday 27 September at 4pm

Harvest Gifts are invited (tins, food in packets etc)
and will be donated to Sawtry Foodbank



Service followed by

Harvest bring and share tea

All are very welcome

If you are moving house, please leave a recent copy of Sawtry Eye for the new occupiers - Thank you

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If you would like to have a date considered for inclusion, please email the details along with a contact number to sawtryeye@caresco.org.uk with the subject 'Make a Date' or phone us on 01487 832105 (answer phone outside office hours).

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- TINNED MEATS & TUNA
- TINNED TOMATOES
- LONG LIFE MILK
- CEREAL
- BISCUITS

PLEASE CHECK THAT FOOD IS IN DATE AND PACKAGING UN DAMAGED

07743 593863
FOODBANK@CARESCO.ORG.UK

GREEN END DAY CLUB

QUIZ NIGHT

Held at the CARESCO Centre,
Green End Road, Sawtry,
PE28 5UX

4 September

Starting at 7.30pm -
Teams of 4 – 6 people

Tickets £5 per person
(bring your own drinks,
nibbles, glasses)

Contact 07743 216746 or
email: greenend@caresco.org.uk
for more details or to book
your tickets

Contact details:

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The CARESCO Centre
Green End Road
Sawtry, Huntingdon
Cambs PE28 5UX

01487 832105

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Welcome ...

We are putting together this issue of the Eye in the middle of this lovely weather which is putting us all in the holiday mood as schools break up for the summer.

What a great day we had for this year's Carnival, it was nice to see all those who turned out for the event and the Carnival committee did an amazing job as always.

The next big community event will be the Sawtry Show in September. Full details on page 17. If you receive the Sawtry Eye you're eligible to enter, so make sure to get your hands on the schedule and see which classes you want to enter. There's something for everyone, be that photography, cooking, garden produce, flowers, arts or crafts.

Have a good one

Sawtry Eye Team



SAWTRY EYE IS DIGITAL

Did you know the Eye is available to view on our website?.....

If you would be happy to not receive a paper copy,
please let us know.

Contact the CARESCO Office on **01487 832105** or email:

office@caresco.org.uk / sawtryeye@caresco.org.uk



RELIEF SAWTRY EYE DELIVERERS

Can You Help?

We are looking for relief Sawtry Eye deliverers to join our
team to cover holidays.

If you are interested, please email: sawtryeye@caresco.org.uk /
office@caresco.org.uk or call **01487 832105**

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SCHOOL TERM DATES

Autumn Term 2026

Start of term 1 September

Half Term - 26 to 30 October

End of term 18 December



Spring Term 2027

Start of term 4 January

Half Term - 15 to 19 February

End of term 25 March

Summer Term 2027

Start of term 12 April

Half Term - 31 May to 4 June

End of term 21 July

NB Academies are responsible for setting their own holiday dates and may not match those set by Cambridgeshire County Council. Schools have a number of training days available to take in addition at their discretion. Please contact your local school for more details.

Information taken from www.cambridgeshire.gov.uk/education



**HDC Refuse
Collection**

LANDFILL WASTE (GREY)

(Week Beginning)

3, 17 & 31 August

14 & 28 September

GARDEN WASTE (GREEN)

& RECYCLING (BLUE/GREEN)

(Week Beginning)

10 & 24 August

7 & 21 September

To find out your exact dates
or for more information visit

www.huntingdonshire.gov.uk/refuse



Every Thursday (term time)

9:00 - 10:30am

Methodist Church Hall, Green End Road, Sawtry, PE28 5UX

A safe play space to enjoy adventures with
0 - 5 year olds and all those who care for them.

Bible Themed Crafts, Story-time, Refreshments,
Singing, Prayer and lots of fun!

If you care for a little one as a parent, grandparent, carer or
childminder, come along and join the fun.



**For more information
please contact
fenedgechurches@gmail.com
or call 07769 106562**



SOUNDS GOOD

Come and join us for
all things musical and
the spoken word

We meet on the
2nd and 4th Fridays of the month
from 1.30 to 3.00pm
at the CARESCO Centre

**14 & 28 August
11 & 25 September**

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**Please contact the
CARESCO office on 01487 832105
for information**

**Donations Welcome
Refreshments Available**



NHS Hearing Aid Maintenance Centre

We clean, re-tube and supply batteries for NHS hearing aids

We do not provide hearing aids or hearing tests

Sawtry Village Hall (Old School Hall)

37 Green End Road, Sawtry, PE28 5UY

2nd Thursday of every month

10am until Noon

No appointment necessary. Just drop-in

Volunteers and Donations

We need volunteers and donations to ensure this service can
run, please get in touch if you would be interested in helping.

www.cambsdeaf.org

Telephone - 01223 416141

CDA Hearing Help, 8 Romsey Terrace, Cambridge, CB1 3NH
Registered Charity No. 1062578



CARESCO CAR SCHEME

Providing transport for local people

Run by volunteers using their own cars,
journeys (to medical appointments only) can
be booked via the Co-ordinator 9am - 5pm,

Mondays to Fridays only

(subject to availability)

on **07810 476979**

Please leave a message, your name & phone
number and the team will get back to you.

Contact CARESCO on 01487 832105

Email: office@caresco.org.uk

BOOK STALL AND COFFEE MORNING

At Winwick Church

Monthly, second Saturdays:

8 August & 12 September - 10.00 till 11.30am

The Church is open for everyone to come along and enjoy a cup of coffee and cake and browse our extensive supply of second-hand books

Donations invited in exchange for the above

Proceeds to go to the Church



For more information
please contact :

Sue Fowler 01832 293215



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BACK TO THE 80s QUIZ SHEET



Congratulations to our winner

Janet

Thank you to everyone that supported our
80s quiz sheet

All proceeds to support the work of CARESCO

Registered with



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ARMED FORCES & VETERANS
BREAKFAST CLUBS

SAWTRY

www.afvbc.world

Welcome to the Sawtry Armed Forces
& Veterans Breakfast Club.

We are a group of veterans and serving members of
His Majesty's Armed Forces who meet up for breakfast
and other events

There are no commitments or subs,
just pay for your breakfast.
So come to a great place and meet like-minded people
for support, chat and banter.

Our Breakfast Club meets

Every 2nd Saturday of the month
from 09.45am

at The Greystones Public House, Sawtry

Interested then get in touch via Facebook, email or via
the web Sawtry Armed Forces & Veterans Breakfast Club

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/afvbc.sawtry>

sawtry.AFVBC@gmail.com

<https://www.afvbc.world>



CHATTERBOX

A Friendship Group

Are you feeling isolated due to a family
situation? Are you new to the village?
Have your family moved away? Don't be alone,
come and join us at our drop-in sessions

Chat & relax over a cuppa.

Guest speakers once a month

Every 2nd & 4th Mondays
between 2.15 - 4.15pm

at the CARESCO Centre,
Green End Road, Sawtry, PE28 5UX

Come and join us

No meeting on Bank Holidays

10 & 24 August

14 & 28 September

**Donations Welcome
Refreshments Available**

Dates for the Chatterbox Calendar:

- 10 August: Film - 2024 Documentary -
Recent History - Sawtry
- 24 August: Afternoon Tea in Conington
- 14 September: Amelia Cole -
Nurture and Wellbeing -
Mindfulness and Selfcare
- 12 October: Awareness session about the
importance of strength and
balance for older people
- 23 November: Dawn Salisbury -
Food Nutrition
- December: Date TBC - Christmas Show

For more information email:

office@caresco.org.uk or call 01487 832105



SHOP VOLUNTEERS

Based at the
CARESCO Charity Shop,
7 Greenways, Sawtry
Huntingdon PE28 5UR

We are looking for Volunteers to help at our
busy Charity Shop for the following shifts:

Mondays - 08.50 to 12.30 - Sorting Room

Come and be part of our volunteer team

For more information call Sharon on
07544 588201 or email:

sharon.dougherty@caresco.org.uk

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THANK YOU

A very big THANK YOU to everyone who made Sawtry Feast such a success this year.



The little ones who entertained us when we arrived. The lovely meal, and all those who prepared it. We were waited on for everything we wanted.

Great entertainment after by the Academy students, (such a lot of talent). Not forgetting all the committee, who have worked all year to raise the funds to put this evening together. All was much appreciated.

Ann Martin

JULIE'S STEPPERS MODERN AND TRADITIONAL LINE DANCE CLASSES

Weekly sessions in Sawtry, Yaxley and Glatton for Beginners, Improvers, Intermediates and Advanced

Regular socials and events throughout the year.

New: Absolute Beginner classes starting in September (book in advance)

All details and how to book will be on Julie Gillmore Line Dance (Facebook)
Or contact -

jcgillmore@sky.com (Fully Qualified Instructor)
07939 070 406



VOLUNTEER GARDENER

If you have a few hours to spare, we are looking for enthusiastic people to help maintain our beautiful outdoor space at Ferrar House in Little Gidding.

The job entails assisting with weeding, pruning and general maintenance of the garden beds and small walled garden.

No real experience required, just a keen interest in gardening and the outdoors as guidance will be given.

Able to commit 3-4 hours per month.

A soup lunch provided.

Please call Margaret on

07841 633197 or email:

margarethillson56@gmail.com



Sawtry Community Café

Saturday 1 August 2026

CANCELLED

due to unforeseen circumstances



SAWTRY'S

MAKERS AND PRODUCE MARKET

1st MARCH • 5th APRIL • 3rd MAY

7th JUNE • 5th JULY

2nd AUG • 6th SEPT

4th OCT • 1st NOV • 6th DEC

10AM TILL 1.30PM

THE OLD SCHOOL HALL SAWTRY PE28 5UY



FREE ENTRY

**SUPPORT
LOCAL**



COFFEE SHOP

CAN YOU HELP?

We are looking for some Volunteer bakers to help us with our increasingly popular Coffee Shop. If you enjoy baking and would like to bake for us once every 4 weeks, sweet and savoury, please get in touch.

The expense of ingredients can be covered if required -
Many Thanks

Sharon Dougherty - 07544 588201

sharon.dougherty@caresco.org.uk



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CARESCO is a unique charity providing a range of services to meet needs within our local community visit www.caresco.org.uk for more details.

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Women's Institute building/hall at 6 Gidding Road, Sawtry, PE28 5TS will be sold by way of Auction by;

Firmin & Co Estate Agents
48b Church Drive
Orton Waterville
Peterborough
PE2 5HE

01733 852257

Please Direct Any Enquires to the Instructed Agents.

sing for life

40 women wanted!

We want YOU to perform live on stage
in a charity fundraising event supporting
Sue Ryder Thorpe Hall Hospice...

- 10-week project
- Starting in September 2026
- Your chance to learn to sing
- No previous experience needed
- Professional direction and support
- Great social opportunities

Find out more at one of our
introductory sessions at the
John Mansfield Campus, PE1 4HX on
Thursday 3rd September (7pm - 9pm)
Friday 4th September (7pm - 9pm) or
Saturday 5th September (2pm - 4pm)

  #Sing4Life2026

In support of


For more information call 01733 425194
email info@peterboroughsings.org.uk
www.peterboroughsings.org.uk
or scan this QR code with your phone



Peterborough Singer Registered Charity Number 512190



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EVERYONE WELCOME!




**FUN, FRIENDLY
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ALL AGES & ABILITIES
WELCOME!

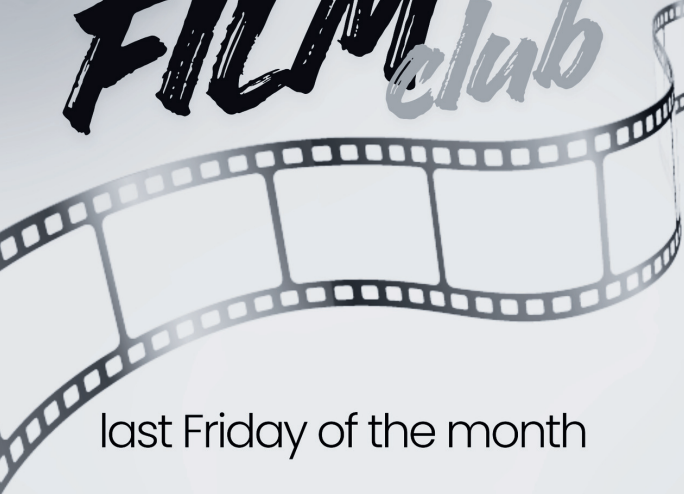
 **EVERY
THURSDAY**

 **6:00PM -
7:30PM**

 **PLAYED AT:
GREAT GIDDING PLAYING FIELD**
Great Gidding, Huntingdon, PE28 5NU

**PROUDLY AFFILIATED TO THE
BRITISH SOFTBALL FEDERATION**
FOR MORE DETAILS PLEASE E-MAIL GIDDINGNEWS@HOTMAIL.COM

FILMclub



last Friday of the month

doors open - 7pm
film starts - 7:30pm

FREE ENTRY
refreshments provided

SAWTRY METHODIST CHURCH,
GREEN END ROAD




BREAKFAST PARTY

- Are you part of a community group?
- Would you like to get together with friends?
- Do you have a birthday or visitors staying?

Then why not enjoy having your cooked breakfast
prepared and served to you by our Tuck Shop.

Saturday mornings at the CARESCO Centre.

Bookings and Payment required in advance.

- Breakfast parties of 4 to 20 are welcome
- Cooked Breakfast will be £7.50 inc. Bottomless Tea, Coffee or Squash
- We will provide table service



 To book your Breakfast Party or
for more information,
call: 07544 588201 or
email: sharon.dougherty@caresco.org.uk

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SAWTRY HISTORY SOCIETY

Is 50 years old come and see us at the
Old School Hall on

**19 and 20 September,
11am till 4pm both days**

Many Displays of local interest
including: Ramsey Rural Museum,
Family History, Great Fen Project
Archaeology, CCAN,
Family Tree, Holme Fen
TOMBOLA



SAWTRY SHOW

Saturday 12 September

At Sawtry Village Academy



For more info check out our
Facebook page, 'The Sawtry Show'
or email us,
thesawtryshow@outlook.com



Sawtry Light Factory
presents

*Light
Factory*

**Waste
Watchers**

**Monday 3rd August
to Wednesday 5th August**

10am to 2pm

**at Sawtry Methodist Church,
Green End Road**

For children in Infant and Junior School

www.sawtrylightfactory.uk || fb.me/sawtrylightfactory

Youth SPACE

**FIRST SUNDAY OF
EACH MONTH**

(TERM TIME)

(YEAR 7 AND UPWARDS)

5.30PM - 7.30PM

ALL SAINTS' CHURCH



Look out for full details of our

**CHRISTMAS
QUIZ SHEET**

In the next Sawtry Eye



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What is Coffee Ark?.....

Coffee Ark is a mobile coffee shop in the form of a converted Land Rover Defender and community interest company, with a particular heart for reaching those who find themselves separated or isolated whether through loneliness, location, challenges around mental health or other social circumstances.

Coffee Ark exists to build community, resource positive mental health, offer radical hospitality and serve great coffee. We use income from sales, donations, public and private events, fundraising, sponsorship and grants to help fund our community action and enable us to be where we need to be.

'Transforming lives one cuppa at a time'

Resourcing
Mental
Health first
Aid training

Barista and
Well-being
workshops in
school

Ethical
trading and
sustainable
sourcing

Proactive
presence in
rural
communities

Great Coffee
and so
much more...



To find out more and to book us for your event...

Website: www.coffeeark.org

Email: coffeearkcic@gmail.com

Social Media: www.facebook.com/CoffeeArkCic

Can You Help CARESCO New Building - GoFundMe

We are delighted to announce that following further discussions with the Meridian Trust and Sawtry Village Academy it has been confirmed that we have been given permission to rebuild on our existing Site. Designs have been drawn up and plans are in progress; further information will be shared as things move forward.

As you can imagine this is a brilliant outcome for CARESCO and we are excited to be able to start planning for our future in familiar surroundings where we are known by the whole Community.

We now have the huge challenge of raising funds for CARESCO's next phase and would ask that if you are able to support us in any way, please look at our GoFundMe page. Whilst we will be focusing on applying for Grants and Fundraising events for our New-build we would also appreciate any donations that the Community can provide.

<https://gofund.me/48dc4dee7>



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www.caresco.org.uk



HOLME COMMUNITY SPEEDWATCH

The 15 July was CSW Day of Action and we had a team out there bright and early to do our bit

We are still experiencing 15-20% of the through traffic exceeding the speed limit so there are plenty of letters being sent requesting offending drivers to consider their actions and the effect it could have on other people out and about doing their own thing.

We have a dozen or so volunteers but would love to increase this number. If you feel you could spare an hour a month, at your convenience, then please email csw.holme@gmail.com and we will send you all the relevant information and training to get you signed up to join us.



SAMARITANS

Peterborough & District

Are you able to volunteer for 12 hours a month to support people who are in despair?

If so Peterborough Samaritans would really like to hear from you.

We will provide comprehensive training and support you all the way.

For more details please contact us at volunteer@peterboroughsamaritans.co.uk

HOLME YOUTH CLUB

We welcomed a cheerful group of Year 4s for their taster sessions in July. They will join us in September as fully fledged members ensuring we have sufficient numbers attending to keep going for at least another year. We are ever hopeful that more adult volunteers will emerge to take the weight off our small number of willing helpers. During the very hot weather we held a much-enjoyed water battle to cool everyone off (our thanks to the neighbour who let us use their water supply)

A most enjoyable session at Fenland Aqua Park took place on 18 July with 20+ members and relatives taking part in a lovely cool dip and a number of mighty leaps.

Our sessions for the academic year 25/26 have now ended but we will be back on 4 September. Our AGM will be held at 7pm on 18 September and everyone is welcome to attend.

Membership of Holme Youth Club is open to school years 5-10 (those who are 10 before 1 September 2027) who live in Holme or who attend Holme Primary Academy. We meet on most term time Fridays in the village hall from 6.30 to 8.30pm, so pop down and see what goes on or email holmeyouthclub@outlook.com for further information. We are also on Facebook and have a website. Admission is £2 and you may need some spending money for our subsidised tuck shop.

Have a lovely summer and Stay Safe!





RAMBLERS
Huntingdonshire

RAMBLERS HUNTINGDONSHIRE

Olivia Newton John sang "Ooh, those summer nights!" and if you too want to make the most of them, then Huntingdonshire Ramblers would love you to join us on one of our shorter evening walks that run throughout the summer until the end of August.

Of course, once you have discovered the benefits of walking with our friendly group then we hope you will join us for some longer weekend rambles too. You can find details of all our upcoming walks at:

<https://www.huntsramblers.org.uk/walks-programme.html>



VOLUNTEERS DRIVERS REQUIRED

CARESCO is looking to increase our team of volunteer drivers who are willing to drive with our Car Scheme and help local people

Successful candidates will:

- Be 25 years and over (for insurance)
- Be required to complete a clear DBS check
- Hold a clean driving licence
- Have use of a suitable car with valid MOT and insurance
- Have some weekday availability
- Be reliable and flexible
- Expenses will be reimbursed

If you would like to know more, please contact the Car Scheme Co-ordinator on 07810 476979 or email: office@caresco.org.uk



CARESCO TUCK SHOP VOLUNTEERS REQUIRED



We are looking to increase the team of Volunteers for our Tuck Shop.

Do you have a few hours to spare occasionally on a Saturday morning preparing and serving a cooked breakfast to our customers?

If you think you can help, please contact, Sharon Dougherty on 07544 588201 or email sharon.dougherty@caresco.org.uk

Raise funds for us for FREE

with **easyfundraising**



Join as our supporter today at:
www.easyfundraising.org.uk/support-a-good-cause
Just search for:

CARESCO

8,000+ retailers will donate to us whenever you shop with them



Start at the
easyfundraising
website or app



Click out
to where you'd
like to shop



Checkout:
prices are exactly
the same!



The retailer sends
a % of your spend
to easyfundraising



They pass
it on to us

Plus, you'll get...



Exclusive retailer offers



Competitions



A warm feeling inside!

Over
£60m
raised for UK good causes

£0
extra cost to anyone



SAWTRY GAMES CLUB

Sawtry Games Club is a friendly weekly meet-up for board games, card games, tabletop battles, and roleplaying. Open to all ages and experience levels, we meet every Tuesday at Sawtry Social Club (10 Gidding Road, PE28 5TS) from 7:30pm – 10:30pm. From quick party games and modern classics to wargames and RPGs, there's always something new to try.

We're proud of our welcoming, inclusive atmosphere - newcomers never need to bring anything, and someone is always happy to teach a game or recommend a favourite.

Alongside our Tuesday sessions, we run Family Fun Days on the third Sunday of each month (12pm – 5pm). These have been a huge success, offering a relaxed space for families and anyone wanting a friendly afternoon of games and good company, with free food provided for everyone attending.

At the club recently, there were exciting rumours about Catan campaigns coming soon. If you're a Catan fan and keen to join in, or you enjoy all sorts of other games, then you've found the right place!

We had a great time meeting new people at the carnival and can't wait to play with you all soon.

Whether you're a casual player or a dedicated hobbyist, come roll the dice with us. Your first session is completely free.

For more information, email sawtrygames@gmail.com or find us on Facebook.

We look forward to seeing you there!

ENGAGED? THINKING OF GETTING MARRIED?



Did you know that you can get married in your local parish church - All Saints' Sawtry, St. Giles Holme and St. Nicholas Glatton.

We love ♥ a wedding and would love to discuss how we can play a part in your special day.

Please look at our website www.fenedgechurches.org, be in touch with the Benefice Administrator.
Email: fenedgechurches@gmail.com



Conington Evensong

Join us at Conington Church (All Saints')
on Sunday 20 September

at 3pm

for a Book of Common Prayer
(BCP) Evensong

Everyone Welcome



Volunteer Chaperones



Based at the CARESCO Centre
Off Green End Road, Sawtry, PE28 5UX

We are looking for Chaperones to accompany and assist our minibus drivers whilst they collect our day club members from their homes to bring them into our Centre in the mornings and to take them home again

*Mondays to Thursdays
08.45 to 10.00 and/or 13.30 to 15.00*

Come and be part of our volunteer team

For more information call Vicki on
07743 216746 or email greenend@caresco.org.uk

www.caresco.org.uk



CARESCO COFFEE SHOP

OPEN EVERY FRIDAY

9.00 - 11.30am

at the CARESCO Centre
Green End Road, Sawtry, PE28 5UX



**A Warm Welcome
For Tea/Coffee,
Homemade Cake,
Bacon Rolls And A Chat**

Yaxley Music4You (previously Stilton in Tune)

We sincerely hope that you can join us for our monthly concerts.

Sunday 2 August

Elizabeth Harrison

Sunday 6 September

Matthew Bason

All shows commence at 2.00pm (doors open 1.15pm)
at The Royal British Legion, 210 Broadway, Yaxley, Peterborough, PE7 3NR
Entrance £10 on the door, which includes refreshments.

For further details please visit: www.organfax.co.uk/clubs/stilton/



Please drop your old or unused ink jets off at CARESCO Charity Shop, the CARESCO Centre or Wellside Surgery.

They will be recycled which is good for the environment and you will also be helping us to raise much needed funds.

**CARESCO Charity Shop,
7 Greenways, Sawtry,
PE28 5UR**

**CARESCO Centre,
Green End Road, Sawtry,
PE28 5UX**

**Wellside Surgery,
High Street, Sawtry,
PE28 5SU**

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Recycle Charity

**Your Ink Cartridges
Could Help Us
Raise Funds!**



Recycle Yours Here!

Oneleisure CARESCO
ACTIVE LIFESTYLES

RightStart 3 Sawtry, CARESCO

Strength and Balance exercise **FREE**

This class focuses on improving strength, balance and suppleness to help you feel stronger and more confident.

- CARESCO Centre, Sawtry, Green End Rd PE28 5UX
- Tuesdays 2:15pm - 3:15pm

SECURE YOUR PLACE FROM WEDNESDAYS ONWARDS BY CALLING THE CARESCO CENTRE BETWEEN 09:00 - 13:00

01487 832105

BENEFITS

- Improved mobility
- Increased muscle strength
- Enhanced balance and coordination

NEWS FROM LITTLE GIDDING

400th anniversary celebrations are on-going. After the excellent Pilgrimage in May some of us went to Westminster Abbey for Evensong to commemorate Nicholas Ferrar's deaconing there on Trinity Sunday in 1626. This year Trinity Sunday was the 31st May, in 1626 it was the 4th June. We were there midway between those two dates, on the 2nd June: a great privilege to be entertained in the Jerusalem Chamber!

The 19th annual TS Eliot Festival also took place on 5th July, and now we have a quieter, more even time, with Rev Fiona Brampton taking up residence at some point, once her other duties are put to bed. Rev Fiona hopes to be able to move in by the autumn.

The house and grounds are available for private bookings (info@ferrarhouse.co.uk) and there is a rolling programme of church services, quiet days and crafting workshops.

Our next "Friends" date is the AGM on Saturday 5th December: more on that later!

Susanna Ferrar

Where you can find all the latest information about The Friends of Little Gidding:



www.littlegidding.org.uk/



facebook.com/little.gidding



[the_friends_of_little_gidding](https://www.instagram.com/the_friends_of_little_gidding)



chair@littlegidding.org.uk

The Friends of Little Gidding, Ferrar House, Little Gidding, Huntingdon, Cambridgeshire, PE28 5RJ

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SCENES OF SAWTRY

We are excited to announce that we are in the process of developing a brand new CARESCO website.....watch this space!

We are inviting the Sawtry Community to be a part of this website by sending in photos you have taken whilst you are out and about in Sawtry, we have some beautiful wildlife in the village and wonderful scenery so let's share it.

Please email your pictures to office@caresco.org.uk or send them by WhatsApp to **07544 588201** (include the word 'website') so that they can be included. CARESCO is all about the community so please be a part of our new website now and in the future.

SIMON BYWATER

COUNCILLOR UPDATE – WORKING TOGETHER FOR SAWTRY AND OUR SURROUNDING VILLAGES

As I write this update, our community continues to face a number of challenges, but it is also important to recognise the dedication of the many people who work tirelessly to keep our villages safe and functioning.

I would like to pay tribute to the dedicated firefighters at our local On-Call Fire Station and the neighbouring crews who have responded to a number of incidents in recent weeks, including road traffic collisions, vehicle fires and other emergency call-outs. Their professionalism, commitment and willingness to serve our community, often at a moment's notice whilst balancing other careers and family life, is truly commendable. I would like to place on record my sincere thanks for the outstanding service they continue to provide to Sawtry and the surrounding villages.

The station is currently recruiting additional On-Call Firefighters. If you've ever considered giving something back to your community and you live close to Sawtry Fire Station, this is a rewarding role that fits around many jobs and lifestyles. More firefighters mean better resilience and cover for Sawtry and the surrounding villages, so I would encourage anyone interested to find out more.

Another issue that continues to dominate my inbox is pot holes and the construction traffic associated with ongoing developments. I know many residents remain frustrated by tipper lorries travelling through the village, concerns over speeding, and the damage being caused to roads, kerbs and pavements.

I continue to raise these matters with Cambridgeshire Highways, planning officers and developers, pressing for stronger action. Additional signage has been installed, and contractors continue to be reminded of the approved routes, but I fully appreciate that this does not prevent every breach.

Unfortunately, effective enforcement of weight restrictions and routing largely depends on police resources, which remain extremely limited. Nevertheless, I will continue challenging everyone involved to do more. Please continue reporting highway issues through the Cambridgeshire Highways reporting system and report any suspected speeding vehicles to the police. Every report helps build the evidence needed to push for further action.

By the time you read this, we should also know the Government's decision on Local Government Reorganisation. Whatever the outcome, I hope it delivers simpler, more accountable local services that genuinely put residents first. As always, thank you for your continued support, for reporting local issues, and for helping make Sawtry and our surrounding villages such special places to live. Together, we can continue to make a difference.

Simon Bywater

County and District Cllr Sawtry and surrounding villages - 07984 637553



GREEN END DAY CLUB

Wow the year seems to be flying by so fast We are now well into Summer and what a hot one it is turning out to be!! If you are feeling the need to escape the heat and are thinking it is too hot to cook, then why not pop down to the club? You can have a two-course home cooked meal in our lovely cool, air-conditioned club room. With good company and plenty of laughter and chatter too it's the perfect place to go to cool off, and if you live within our catchment area we can also pick you up from home and drop you off.

Please get in touch if you would like to come along and join us.

Vicki Currington, GEDC Manager
greenend@caresco.org.uk



To celebrate our 40th Anniversary Sawtry Chorale performs Mozart's Requiem

**Saturday 14 November 2026
7pm, Sawtry Village Academy**

This year Sawtry Chorale is celebrating 40 years of joyous singing.

We would like to invite you to our concert at Sawtry Village Academy for an evening of Mozart's Requiem in D Minor with guest soloist and orchestra followed by a selection of our favourite songs. Sawtry Chorale began life as a night school 40 years ago in September and one of our current members has been in the choir since the very first session at the College with several others joining not long after. We are very much looking forward to performing at Sawtry Village Academy as part of our celebrations.

Sawtry Chorale is a Community Choir made of people from your community, and it would be lovely to have local residents come and celebrate with us. Tickets can be purchased on-line through Trybooking – link provided below or by contacting the choir via:

- Facebook: **Sawtry Chorale**
- Email: sawtrychorale@gmail.com
- Website: www.sawtrychorale.co.uk

<https://www.trybooking.com/uk/GIAR> which can also be accessed via the QR



SAWTRY PARISH COUNCIL

By the time you are reading this the Anglia in Bloom and Britain in Bloom judges will have visited the village. Whatever the outcome we would like to say a big thank you to everyone that has been involved in this community initiative and a special mention to the children who entered the 'Bees Need' poster competition with extra congratulations to the winners.

Other news from around the village –

The Lock-up roof has been replaced in accordance with the Listed building requirements for a Grade II property.

Thank you to MOTO services for providing two more defibrillators for the village, these are yet to be installed and bring this Sawtry's total up to 9 accessible community defibs.

The bus shelter on Green End Road has had two panels replaced.

At the Annual Parish Meeting we welcomed Author Simon Bywater who gave a very interesting talk on his life. We are delighted to say that he will be giving another talk in late October so please look out for further details.

The Firework Display is due to take place at Greenfields on Sunday 1 November. Refreshments will be available on site with hot and cold food from CARESCO and the Coffee Ark. Discounted tickets will be available in advance. To make this a success we do however need help on the night and would welcome community involvement.

We know how vibrant our community is with so many groups and activities taking place around the village. It would be great to showcase all that is available and with this in mind we have set aside Saturday 17 October, 10.30am – Midday for everyone to get together at the Old School Hall. You can book a spot for a display activity or just a space to sit and chat (refreshments provided). Whether it's sport, craft, health, social, fitness, youth etc it would be great to see you. Contact admin@sawtry-pc.gov.uk or call **01487 831771** 9am – 1pm Monday to Friday.

Dick Tuplin stepped down from his term as Chairman at the Annual Meeting and we thank him for his continued dedication to the council. Congratulations to John Potter who was elected as Chairman.

If you would like to be involved in the community, there is a vacancy on the Parish Council and to find out more contact clerk@sawtry-pc.gov.uk



SAWTRY HISTORY SOCIETY

The Archive is open on the Saturday following our Thursday meeting in the Community Centre access is via the library, from 10:00am to 12:00pm. All are welcome, search census records and view old documents relating to our area.

May, The Norman Cross Prisoner of War Camp, another talk from the vast selection offered by Stuart Orme. The complete rundown on the first prisoner of war camp on our shores, including information on the many items that were made for sale in the area some examples can be seen at the Peterborough Museum.

In June we had a speaker new to us, Historian Alan Butler, the Subject, More Tea Vicar, all about the Village way of life which of course is quickly disappearing. This was well attended despite the heat & made an enjoyable evening.

We had a good day at the carnival with many people taking an interest in our stand. Our thanks go out to the organising committee for a very well-run event this year.

We are celebrating our 50th Anniversary with an open weekend in the Old School Hall on 19 and 20 September, with many stalls of local interest. See our ad on page 8.

No meeting In August as usual we are back on the 17 September with

Chris Dodson with The Art of Thatching

'Sawtry Archaeology' is a group within Sawtry History Society that is committed to investigating the archaeological record of Sawtry and neighbouring communities and presenting interpreted findings in the public domain in order to enrich the communal heritage. Details of projects, publications of interest and useful links can be found on the Sawtry Archaeology website (below). Follow Sawtry Archaeology on Facebook (below) where details of fieldwork, other activity and updates to the website will be posted.

Sawtry Archaeology website: <https://sawtryarchaeology.wixsite.com/my-site>

Sawtry Archaeology email: sawtry.archaeology@yahoo.co.uk

Sawtry Archaeology  SHS SawtryArchaeology

Don't forget our sister website the details being www.sawtryhistory.co.uk sawtryhistory@gmail.com

**The History Society meets on the third Thursday of the month
in the Methodist Church, 9 Green End Road, Sawtry, PE28 5UX at 7.30pm**

For info call Chris Merton 01487 831441

CAMBRIDGESHIRE FIRE AND RESCUE SERVICE



Don't be tempted to swim in open water!

When the weather is hot and sunny it might tempt people into swimming in open water.

It might be nice and warm, but the water temperature can still be very cold, which could cause cold water shock making it difficult to swim to safety. The water might also be deeper than it looks, with hidden dangers under the surface.

We know water is tempting when it's warm outside and as friends gather looking for something to do it can seem great fun. But the fun can quickly turn to tragedy and that is what we are trying to prevent by ensuring everyone understands the risks and hidden dangers.

As much as we discourage people from doing so, we are aware that people will decide to swim in open water. If you get into difficulty, you should "Float to Live", by leaning back, using your arms and legs to stay afloat, and try and control your breathing. Once calm, either call for help or try and swim to safety.

Also, a really useful tip to help pinpoint your location is giving us a what3words reference. This is easy to do by downloading the app before heading out and encouraging everyone in your group to do the same, making a note of where you're swimming. The app is free and available to download on any mobile device.

For more information log on to www.cambsfire.gov.uk, follow us on social media or call **01480 444500**

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CARESCO GRANTS NEWS

Our kitchen refurbishment has been completed thanks to a Government grant and KTAL Building and Landscape Services based in Sawtry. We now require funding for two new cookers to support the Green End Day Club, Friday Coffee Shop and Christmas Day Lunch and are also looking at further grants for window repairs as well as core costs.

We received a donation from the St Judes Trust for running costs and we have been given donations from Alconbury Parish Council and the Anderson Sam Charitable Trust for our Foodbank which were very gratefully received.

We have had a lot of declines recently but are awaiting outcomes on several grants at the time of writing, so hope that we might be successful for some. Thank you as always to my two volunteers Emilie and Pam, and to you all for volunteering, donating and making use of all our groups and services.

Denise Pike
Grants Manager
grants@caresco.org.uk

NEWS FROM SAWTRY LIBRARY



Sawtry library is a friendly, welcoming library based in Sawtry Community Centre. We offer a range of services such as children's activities, free pc and internet access and of course fiction, non-fiction and audio books. We also provide help to get bus passes, and we have a selection of local information leaflets.

SRC Hand Drums Craft - Wednesday 5 August 10.30am - 11.30am

Come and join us for some musical fun! Design your own drum faces with colourful pens and paper. Then to complete your drum, add string with beads to make some noise.

For children 4+

£2 per child

SRC Matilda Theatre Workshop - Wednesday 10 August 1.30pm - 4.30pm

Do you love performing? Have dreams of being on stage?

If so, then we have the perfect workshop for you! Join Future Stars Youth Theatre where you will learn songs, dance and drama pieces from Matilda the Musical. Led by musical theatre performer Vicki Fosbueary.

Free event but booking is required.

For children aged 4-11 years old.

SRC Record Player Craft - Saturday 15 August 10.30am - 11.30am

Join us for some record-breaking fun! Get ready to create your own record player that has a secret storage space

For children over 4 years old.

£2 per child.

SRC Sound Story - Wednesday 19 August 10.30am - 11.30am

Join us for a story and a craft! First, we'll read 'Giraffes can't dance'. Then, you'll have the chance to let your imagination run free and create your own music collage.

For children 4+

£2 per child.

SRC Musical Shakers - Saturday 29 August 10.30am - 11.30am

Join us for a story and a craft! First, we'll read 'Giraffes can't dance'. Then, you'll have the chance to let your imagination run free and create your own music collage.

For children 4+

£2 per child.

Rhymetimes - Wednesdays 10.30am - 11.30am (Term Time Only)

Sing nursery rhymes and play musical instruments at our weekly rhymetime sessions.

Drop in. No booking needed.

For children under 5.



Lego Club - Saturdays 10.00am - 12.00pm

Get creative and constructive at our Lego Club every Saturday morning.

Drop in anytime throughout the session.

Suitable for children aged 4+

50p donation appreciated.

Social Media

Please look at our social media pages for information, updates and events. You can find us on Facebook by searching for 'Cambridgeshire Libraries' and on X (Twitter) we are @cambslib.

Opening Time

Monday	Closed
Tuesday	3.00pm - 7.00pm
Wednesday	10.00am - 1.00pm and 2.00pm - 5.00pm
Thursday	Closed
Friday	3.00pm - 5.00pm
Saturday	9.30am - 12.30pm

**Paul Smith,
District Library Assistant,
Huntingdon, Yaxley and
Sawtry Libraries**



SAWTRY WI

Charity Number 229016

Sawtry WI members group continues to meet on the fourth Monday of each month at 7pm at Methodist Hall, Sawtry and our membership is continuing to grow. Our June meeting was great fun with Curling matches organised by one of our members and we welcomed six guests. The head gardener at Burghley House is coming to our July meeting to give us a talk on the revamping work in the gardens which we are very much looking forward to.

Other forthcoming talks include our WI members who do work in local HM Prisons, homelessness, visual impairment and London parks. We have a Festive social evening planned for November. If you would like a copy of our programme, please contact us. Women are welcome to come to one or two of our meetings free of charge with a view to joining us.

Our social groups are open to anyone in the community, and you don't have to be a WI member to attend. Knit & Knatter group meets weekly on Wednesdays 2-4pm. Patchwork, Quilting, Sewing and Craft group meets on the second Monday of each month 10am to 1pm. Our WI Sisterhood group meets at the pub on the third Thursday of the month at 7pm. The Meet & Eat group is on the third Tuesday of the month at 12 noon at different locations which includes a trip to Hunstanton, coffee shops and restaurants.

The WI Community Café is held on the first Saturday of each month from 12 noon to 2.45pm serving hot and cold food, drinks, cakes and fruit. WI members and community volunteers are committed to providing a friendly helpful service which is funded by donations which pay for the hire costs and help towards the cost of providing food. The Café is a great community space where residents of all ages come together to share food in friendship. The first shift 12-1.30 is always the busiest so if you prefer a quieter space do come after 1.30pm. The Café is open to everyone in Sawtry. Signposting and Support is available. Everyone welcome.

If you would like to join any of our groups or would like further information or a copy of our programme, please contact us on: **sawtrywi@gmail.com 07841 647345.**

CAMBRIDGESHIRE FIRE AND RESCUE SERVICE

Stay fire safe while enjoying the summer weather!



Staying safe outside is just as important as keeping your family safe from fire in your home.

As the Summer weather hopefully continues many will take the opportunity to get out in the garden and give it a tidy.

There are a few simple things to do which will help reduce the risk of having a fire:

- Dispose of garden waste using either a local waste pick up service or take it to a local recycling centre. Do not light a bonfire!
- Ensure cigarettes are completely out
- Do not leave glass bottles lying on the ground – the sun's rays reflect through the glass and can start a fire.

If you are planning to have a BBQ:

- Use barbeques on a hard, flat surface away from grass, shrubs or fencing
- Put disposable barbeques on bricks, do not place directly on grass.

For more information log on to **www.cambsfire.gov.uk**, follow us on social media or call **01480 444500**



CARESCO FUNDRAISING

It has been another busy few months for everyone involved with raising funds for CARESCO. There have been Quizzes, a Disco, Carnival Stalls galore, all washed down with a Cream Tea on National Cream Tea Day!

We were once again delighted to support the Sawtry Colts Annual Football Presentation Day on the 20 June. The BBQs were on; 123 Burgers and 59 Hotdogs were devoured plus copious amounts of cold drinks. It's a hard day's volunteering but we are always honoured to be asked to support this event, and we get to watch the many young footballers celebrate their years' work.

In July CARESCO was lucky enough to be the chosen Charity for Julies Steppers Line Dance Fundraiser. It was great fun and the dancing was fantastic. The cherry on the cake was the £535 raised from ticket sales, added to that, we held a raffle on the night which increased the total amount raised to £738 – a great night's work! A massive Thank You to Julie and Phil for putting this event on for us – such a kind thing to arrange.

Sawtry Runners had a small group run on Sunday 12 July and CARESCO were invited to provide breakfasts to everyone after they had finished. Our Tuck Shop volunteers were up early to ensure everyone enjoyed their breakfasts, another great Fundraiser for us and one that puts a smile on people's faces along with a full belly

We have some great events coming up over the next few months so keep an eye on our social media pages and noticeboards. Save the date for our 'Disco of the Decades' too.... full details on the front page.

Thank You from all the staff for supporting CARESCO, your very own Community Charity!

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FINALISED SAWTRY SHOW CLASSES

Saturday 12 September 2026

Sawtry Village Academy

The full schedule with instructions and entry forms will be available from June.

Fruit and Vegetables

1. 5 Runner bean pods
2. Longest runner bean
3. 5 French bean pods
4. 3 beetroots
5. 3 carrots
6. 3 courgettes
7. 3 onions
8. A garlic bulb
9. 3 bell peppers
10. 5 chillies
11. A truss of ripening tomatoes
12. 5 cherry tomatoes
13. 5 salad tomatoes
14. 5 potatoes any variety
15. Pumpkin or squash
16. Misshapen fruit or vegetable
17. 5 eating apples
18. 5 pears
19. 3 stems of rhubarb, with leaf trimmed to 3 inches
20. Tray of your 5-a-day, mix of fruit and / or veg

Home grown flowers and plants

21. 3 dahlia stems, may be mixed varieties
22. A vase of mixed herbs
23. 1 rose specimen, will be judged on scent
24. 3 rose stems may be mixed varieties
25. Vase of 10 Flowering Stems, minimum 3 varieties

Pot plants

26. A fuchsia
27. A begonia
28. Cactus or succulent
29. A Pelargonium Geranium
30. Any foliage pot plant

Flower Arranging (Fresh only & flowers may be bought)

31. A cottage garden arrangement in a basket
32. A modern arrangement in footwear
33. An arrangement of berries, fruits and foliage

Cookery

34. Victoria sponge 3 egg mix, jam filled, caster sugar on top
35. 5 Cheese Scones, your own recipe (Men Only)
36. Pineapple Fruitcake – (given recipe*)
37. 5 pieces Shortbread
38. Vegetable cake iced
39. Focaccia – any flavour

*Recipe will be published in full schedule

Preserves

40. Soft fruit jam
41. Stoned fruit jam
42. Orange marmalade
43. Chutney any type
44. A jar of pickles

Home Brews

45. A bottle of red wine, dry
46. A bottle of white wine, sweet
47. A bottle of liqueur
48. A bottle of non-alcoholic cordial



Crafts

49. Christmas tree ornament - any medium
50. A hotel
51. A knitted post box topper for Remembrance Sunday - any shape
52. A crocheted item
53. Up-cycle pieces of material in to quilted patchwork
54. An item from recycled wood or metal
55. A pop up / 3D greeting card
56. A piece of cross stitch
57. Handmade toy - any medium
58. A handmade necklace
59. A bookmark
60. Any other item not included in the above classes

Art

61. A country scene
62. A portrait
63. A Robin - any medium
64. A textile art - any medium
65. A monogram - a combination of two or more initials - any medium
66. A manga art drawing
67. A miniature

Photography (Maximum size A5)

68. A country landscape
69. A sunset
70. Portrait of a pet
71. A local person at work
72. Humour, with a caption
73. A close up of an insect
74. Own choice photograph subject



Juniors

The following age groups will be judged in each of the classes listed below:

Preschool, Infant School, Junior School

Academy students can enter adult categories but will be judged as juniors.

Ages at the 12 September 2026

Preschool Classes

75. A Leaf Print
76. Decorated Paper Plate
77. Decorate 3 Biscuits

Infant School Classes

78. Make and decorate a bookmark
79. A miniature garden in an egg box
80. Make 5 Rice Krispie cakes

Junior School Classes

81. Make and decorate a frame around a favourite picture
82. Tie dye a t-shirt
83. Bake and decorate 3 cup cakes

Competition - table pong - highest score wins
Info on Facebook - schedule

Academy entries - To be decided

Message us through our Facebook page 'The Sawtry Show'
or email: thesawtryshow@outlook.com for more info



CARESCO CAVE

During the continued hot weather we are experiencing we are pleased to be able to offer a Cool Space, so please feel free to come along and enjoy a refreshing cup of squash whilst taking in the atmosphere and see the projects and repairs we are working on at present. Do you have a project you would like some help with?

We also offer a PAT testing service at a fee of £3.00 per item.

Contact us on **07851 803482** or email thecave@caresco.org.uk, or pop in during one of our sessions, you can find us at the rear of the Sawtry Community Centre, off Green End Road, PE28 5UX.

Our opening times are Monday, Tuesday and Thursday - 9:30am to 1:00pm

SAWTRY FEAST SUPPER



Our Feast Supper this year went amazing! A massive thank you to all our sponsors, volunteers and those that help entertained.

Our AGM is scheduled to be held Monday 19 October 2026 at 19:00pm Sawtry and District Bowls Club (opposite K Coopers Motors)

Join the Feast Supper Committee!

We are a small committee that organises a free annual supper every June for actively retired villagers in Sawtry. It is a wonderful way to give something back to the village!

We are looking for enthusiastic helpers to join our team. With only 5 meetings a year, it is a great, low-commitment way to make a big difference in our community. Interested in joining or want to have a quick chat to learn more?



If anyone is interested, please call Maddy on 07368 210882 after 4pm and she would be happy to discuss.

Also, our waiting list for the next supper is now open so if you've never attended before and would like to add your name, please call Maddy on the above number after 4pm.



CARESCO GARDEN - VOLUNTEERS REQUIRED

The Volunteers who help to maintain our gardenwork extremely hard at improving the outside space we have and are proud of what has been achieved so far.

If you can spare any time at all and are interested in joining our Garden Team, please contact Sharon Dougherty on 07544 588201 or email: sharon.dougherty@caresco.org.uk



SAWTRY CARNIVAL - THANK YOU

Sawtry Carnival Committee would like to say a heartfelt thank you to everyone who supported this year's Sawtry Carnival on the 13 June.

It was wonderful to see the village come together once again for such a fantastic day. From the parade and entertainment to the stalls, food, activities and friendly faces all around, the carnival was a lovely celebration of our community.

A huge thank you goes to our volunteers, sponsors, stallholders, performers, food vendors, parade participants, local organisations and everyone who came along to enjoy the day. Events like this simply would not be possible without the time, generosity, kindness and community spirit of so many people.

Whether you helped behind the scenes, supported us on the day, donated, sponsored, performed, attended or spread the word, we are truly grateful.

For more on the day including a full photo gallery, visit our website www.sawtrycarnival.co.uk

We are already looking ahead to our next community event, the **Sawtry Carnival Christmas Fayre**, which will take place on **Sunday 29 November 2026**. More details will be announced soon, including stall booking information, entertainment plans and festive activities.

Thank you once again for supporting Sawtry Carnival. We hope everyone has a lovely summer and look forward to seeing you all again at the Christmas Fayre!

Sawtry Carnival Committee

WELLSIDE SURGERY NEWS

Welcoming the New Practice Manager

As I write this on the 8 July 2026, I am conscious that this will be the final news I share with you. After 22 years with the surgery, I am preparing to hand over the role of Practice Manager as of the 10 July.



Heidi Williams, our current Assistant Practice Manager, will be taking over the role as of this date. I have worked closely with Heidi for the last few years, and I know I am leaving you in a very capable pair of hands. I wish Heidi the very best for her new role and I hope she finds it to be as enjoyable and rewarding as I have.

Mrs Claire Wright, Practice Manager

Wellside Surgery, Sawtry, Tel: 01487 830340

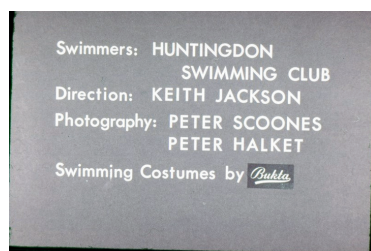
PETER SCOONES AT SAWTRY

Not many people realise the Sawtry connection with David Attenborough and his wildlife exploits.

Think back to his discovery of a live COELACANTH. This was probably the first creature to use flippers to leave the water and become the very first land animal. Thought to be just an ancient fossil they now turned up in the Indonesian waters and were filmed by Attenborough's cameraman Peter Scoones.

Perhaps Peter Scoones' first under water filming experience had been at Sawtry. How come? Well, in around 1968 Scoones was serving in the RAF at Wyton. His Sub-Aqua Club was looking for somewhere to practice under water filming. The Sawtry pool was ten feet deep and just right for their sessions. We, as a Community College, welcomed them.

Now add in the fact that Keith Jackson and his Lifesaving Club in Huntingdon wanted to make useful training material for the Royal Life Saving Society. At Sawtry we had just the right sort of pool for filming, with a clear translucent roof and, thanks to Peter Halket and myself, as Explorer Films, a willing production crew



To demonstrate all the moves that the RLSS demanded, I felt that we needed plenty of underwater shots. So, along came that RAF club member from Wyton. Was this his 'first break' into films?

Complete with 'flippers'? (See picture)

Maurice Dybeck



SING FOR LIFE 2026

40 Women. Ten Weeks. One Stage. Now is the moment to find your voice!

Women across Peterborough and beyond are being invited to take on a unique musical challenge this autumn as the popular Sing for Life project returns, transforming complete beginners into confident singers for a charity at the event at The Cresset - in just ten weeks.

Launching in September, the project offers around 40 women the chance to learn to sing, boost their wellbeing, make lasting friendships and raise vital funds for charity partner Sue Ryder Thorpe Hall Hospice, supporting local families facing some of life's toughest moments.

Last year's project saw more than 100 women take on the challenge, raising over £10,000 and delivering a fantastic sell-out performance. One participant said: "I didn't expect to be so emotional, but being on stage with these amazing people and hearing the support from everyone around us brought tears to my eyes!"

Project Director Will Prideaux says: "We're here to help ordinary women discover that they can sing, whatever they've told themselves in the past. The transformation isn't just in their voices - it's in the confidence they gain, the friendships they build and the pride they feel when they step onto the concert stage together."

Annette Mawby from Sue Ryder Thorpe Hall Hospice, adds: "Every pound raised helps ensure no one has to face the hardest times of their lives alone. We'd love more women to join this year's project and lend their voices to a cause that truly matters."

Sign-up sessions take place at the John Mansfield Campus, Peterborough, on 3 September (7-9pm), 4 September (7-9pm) and 5 September (2-4pm). Register now!

For more information, visit www.peterboroughsings.org.uk, email info@peterboroughsings.org.uk or call 01733 425194.





SAWTRY METHODIST CHURCH

9 Green End Road, Sawtry, PE28 5UX



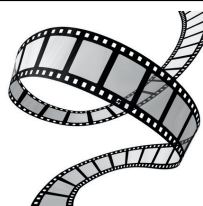
All Are Welcome!

Coffee Mornings

**Every Saturday
in the church hall
from 9.30am to 11.00am**

*Drop in for light refreshments,
a chat with friends -
all proceeds to the church*

We would love to see you!



Film Club

**Last Friday of the month -
7.00pm for 7.30pm start**

Free entry

Refreshments available.

SUNDAY WORSHIP

*There is a service either in the building, online,
(using Zoom), or both every week*

SPECIAL SERVICES

Waste Watchers Holiday Club

3 - 5 August

(see separate notice on page 8 for more details)

Holiday Club Finale

Sunday 9 August at 10.30am

Holy Communion

Sunday 30 August at 10.30am

**For details of other services, how to login via
Zoom, and for other services
please check our website, or call
01487 830345**

Come and join us, all are welcome

Board Games Club

**First and third Fridays of
the month at 7.30pm**

*Come with friends or on your own -
all are welcome.*



For more information, please contact Rev James Bamber on 01480 453857

Email: jjamesbamber@gmail.com, or via www.sawtrymethodist.org.uk

Find us on Facebook - [SawtryMethodistChurch](https://www.facebook.com/SawtryMethodistChurch)

JOURNEYS

Dear Friends,

"Oh, the places you'll go," are words which begin one of my favourite books by Dr. Seuss and the same book concludes with the words, "Today is your day so be on your way." The book reminds me that life is a journey of discovery full of unexpected pleasures and pains as well as the fact that the only day we can be sure of having is today. I wonder where recent days have taken each of you? August with its possibilities for holidays and days out for some may have offered opportunities to explore new places. September frequently marks new beginnings for people, especially children and young people embarking on fresh educational adventures.

As you read this musing perhaps hold in your thoughts and prayers all those who are undertaking something new, all those who are navigating news days they wouldn't have chosen and those who wish they were facing something new but feel stuck with what is. Pondering our own journeys, we might want to think about how we might live differently in the coming year, review our priorities and give thanks for those who encourage us along the way.

Martin Luther King Jr. once said, 'Take the first step in faith. You don't have to see the whole staircase, just take the first step.' In the midst of all the coming days bring to us God promises to share them with us, equip us for them and accompany us through them, if we let Him. Psalm 32: 8 says, 'I will instruct you and teach you in the way you should go; I will counsel you and watch over you.'

All best blessings,

James

(Methodist Minister for Sawtry)



Back at Easter I wrote about settling into Sawtry, unpacking boxes, and beginning to explore the area with my faithful four-legged companion, Mango. Over the past few weeks I've begun to get to know the villages and the people who make up the Fen Edge Benefice, and it has been a real joy to meet some of you and learn the rhythms of each parish. It is beginning to feel like home.

During August our service pattern is a little lighter than usual. If you're planning to join us, do check the rota so you know where we are each Sunday - we'd love to see you. It might also be worth following us on Facebook (search: All Saints, Sawtry) as that is an up to date way of knowing what is going on.

Some of our regular activities also take a rest over the summer, including Little Saints (our group for babies and pre-schoolers) and Youth Space (for school aged children from year 7 upwards), which will both return in September refreshed and ready for a new term. Rest is an important part of the rhythm of life, and Christians often remember the words of Jesus:

"Come with me by yourselves to a quiet place and get some rest."

Summer gives us space to pause, breathe, and prepare for the season ahead.

As we think beyond the summer, we are excited to get our Harvest Festival in the diary. This year we will meet on Sunday 27 September at 4pm (in All Saints) and afterwards enjoy a simple bring-and-share tea. Harvest is always a joyful moment in the year, and it would be wonderful to see lots of you there - everyone is warmly welcome.

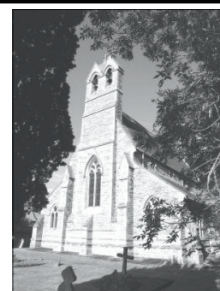
Our Youth Space group is also having a bit of a makeover during the summer. From September we will meet on the first Sunday of every month between 5.30-7.30pm (rather than weekly), and we're excited to try some new things and build on the enthusiasm of our young people. If you have children or grandchildren in Years 7-13, do encourage them to come along - we'd love to see them, we meet in the church and there is always food, fun and a sprinkling of faith.

As I continue to settle in, I look forward to meeting more of you in the weeks ahead. Whether in church, at village events, or out walking with Mango, please do stop and say hello.

Rev'd Claire Brockelsby



ALL SAINTS', SAWTRY, ST NICHOLAS', GLATTON & ST GILES', HOLME WITH CONINGTON PARISH CHURCHES BENEFICE DATES FOR YOUR DIARY



For the latest service information and online service links please visit www.fenedgechurches.org.

Date	All Saints', Sawtry	St Nicholas, Glatton	St Giles, Holme
Sunday 2 August	--	--	9.00am - BCP Holy Communion
Sunday 9 August	--	9.00am - Holy Communion	--
Sunday 16 August	10.30am - Holy Communion	--	--
Sunday 23 August	--	4.00pm - Prayer and Praise (refreshments from 3.30pm)	9.00am - Holy Communion
Sunday 30 August	--	10.30am - Holy Communion	--
Sunday 6 September	10.30am - Holy Communion	--	9.00am - BCP Holy Communion (Patronal Festival)
Sunday 13 September	10.30am - All Together Worship	9.00am - Holy Communion	--
Sunday 20 September	10.30am - Holy Communion	--	9.00am - Holy Communion 3.00pm - Conington All Saints' BCP Evensong
Sunday 27 September	10.30am - Holy Communion 4.00pm - Harvest Festival Service with bring and share lunch after	4.00pm - Prayer and Praise (refreshments from 3.30pm)	--

*BCP A much loved traditional service using the 1662 prayer book



GRACE CHURCH SAWTRY: ENCOURAGED AND THANKFUL

Over recent months, we have been very encouraged to see Grace Church Sawtry beginning to grow roots in the village.

Since starting Sunday meetings at Easter, it has been a real joy to welcome new faces, see friendships beginning to grow, and enjoy a warm sense of community developing week by week. We are also especially grateful to the team at the CARESCO Centre for hosting us so warmly and for all they do in serving the wider village.

Grace Church Sawtry is a church plant from Kingfisher Church, Little Paxton, and our desire is to be a welcoming church community centred on Jesus Christ and the teaching of the Bible.

Alongside our Sunday meetings, we also gather in smaller homegroups during the week, where we build friendships, pray together, and look at what the Bible says about everyday life.

We meet every Sunday at 10:30am at the CARESCO Centre, Green End Road, Sawtry. Whether you are looking for a church, curious about the Christian faith, or have not been to church for quite some time, you would be very welcome to join us.

For more information, please contact sawtry@kclp.uk or visit www.kingfisherchurch.co.uk

Kingfisher Church charity number: 1168532



REMEMBRANCE

The Sawtry and District Branch of the Royal British Legion
remember the fallen throughout August and September

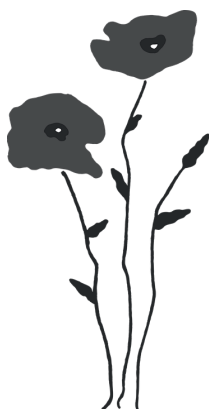


AUGUST

Private Charles Percy CHAPMAN	21 August 1915	Sawtry
Private Walter Henry BAXTER	3 August 1916	Conington
Private William James HIBBERT	18 August 1916	Holme
Private George William COOK	10 August 1917	Holme
Private Thomas BODDINGTON	14 August 1917	Old Weston
Rifleman Frank ABBOTT	18 August 1917	Old Weston
Private George William CULLIP	23 August 1918	Holme
Corporal Lawrence Pearson CLAMP	24 August 1918	Great Gidding
Private Wilfred Cyril BOSWORTH	13 August 1944	Wood Walton
Stoker 1st Class Desmond Roy ROWELL	25 August 1944	Sawtry

SEPTEMBER

Gunner Horace GLOVER	14 Sept 1914	Great Gidding
Private James RICHARDSON	14 Sept 1914	Sawtry
Private Herbert Edward ROWELL	17 Sept 1914	Sawtry/Conington
Able Seaman William Bramich REID	22 Sept 1914	Sawtry
Private Edward HODSON	25 Sept 1915	Sawtry
Private John Robert ROBINSON	27 Sept 1915	Holme
Corporal John Francis EVANS	3 Sept 1916	Great Gidding
Private Charles SMITH	7 Sept 1916	Sawtry
Lance Corporal William Kisby ROWELL	11 Sept 1916	Sawtry
Bombardier Ernest RICHARDSON	21 Sept 1917	Holme
Private James Henry CROW	2 Sept 1918	Holme
Rifleman Edward PARKER	2 Sept 1918	Sawtry
Private J. STRINGER	20 Sept 1918	Winwick
Private Thomas PEACOCK	24 Sept 1918	Sawtry



SAWTRY GOLF SOCIETY

SEASON FINALE

Phew, what a scorcher June has been! The weather has been blisteringly hot, and the golf has provided challenges we do not normally experience in the UK – perhaps dare I say too much sun.

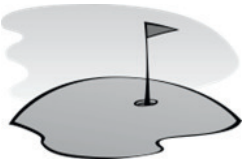
Our final game of the season saw the Society play at **Priory Hall Golf Course** in Corby. The scoring was exceptionally high, with some great golf being played. Going into the final game, the last group was made up of contenders **Tony Littlefair, John Lindsey, Tony Morley** and **Richard Harland**, all of whom had a chance of lifting the season trophy.

Richard Harland played consistently good golf, as he has done all year, and came in with a magnificent **43 points**, claiming first place on the day, clinching the league title and crowning him **Champion Golfer of the Year**. Well done to Richard, as this is always an incredible achievement.

Neil Farrington came second with **37 points** off a low handicap, beating **John Lindsey** into third place on countback. Once again, both played great golf, finishing under their handicaps.

The new season has already started at **Rutland Water** before moving on to **Cold Ashby**. Results will be posted in the next edition of the Sawtry Eye.

Our annual AGM was held on **Friday 3 July** at **Sawtry Social Club**, where the agenda for the new season was set out.



Sawtry Golf Society accommodates local golfers from scratch to 54 handicaps, we welcome all comers who enjoy a round of golf, if you are interested, please contact us on our Facebook page or ring our secretary David Gadsby (07834 386632) our membership is £30 for the season which includes insurance.

SAWTRY LIGHT FACTORY - WASTE WATCHERS

Monday 3 - Wednesday 5 August 2026

At the Methodist Church, Green End Road, Sawtry

Full details at www.sawtrylightfactory.uk
or on Facebook @sawtrylightfactory



SAWTRY AND DISTRICT BOWLING CLUB

It's been another busy and enjoyable few months at the Bowls Club, with plenty happening both on and off the green. The recent hot weather has had an impact on some of our matches and junior coaching sessions, but the safety and wellbeing of our members always come first.

On 28 June, we were delighted to welcome the English Fire Service for a friendly match. There was lots of good-natured banter, some excellent bowling, and a fantastic spread of food afterwards. We'd also like to say a big thank you to the officers from Sawtry Fire Station who came along with the fire engine to support the day. It was a real highlight and very much appreciated by everyone.

Our President's Day, celebrating Alan Clasper's year in office, will hopefully have taken place on 26 July by the time you read this, and we're sure everyone enjoyed another wonderful afternoon of bowling and good company.

We're also proud that long-standing club member Malcolm Scott is serving as County President of the Huntingdonshire Bowling Federation this year. As a result, we've been pleased to host several Newton Trophy matches against neighbouring counties at the club, and Malcolm will no doubt be cheering on all the Huntingdonshire bowlers competing at the National Finals in Skegness during August.

By the time this edition reaches you, the County Finals will have been completed. We'd like to wish everyone who qualified for the National Finals at either Skegness or Leamington the very best of luck as they compete for national honours. We hope you all have a fantastic time and do yourselves - and Huntingdonshire - proud.

We've also got a great line-up of social events coming up, so why not come along and join us?

- **16 August** – Brunch 'n' Bowl
- **4 September** – BBQ and Glo Bowls
- **19 September** – Race Night
- **26 September** – Prize Bingo
- **17 October** – Quiz Night

And don't forget our Club Finals Weekend on **12 and 13 September**. If you're free, do pop along and cheer on our finalists as they battle it out to become this year's Club Champions. Spectators are always welcome, and we'd love to see you there.

As always, if you've ever thought about giving bowls a try, you'll find a warm welcome at the club. Whether you're looking for a new hobby, some gentle exercise or simply good company, we'd be delighted to see you. Come along and give it go!



SAWTRY RUNNING CLUB

Running, when viewed from a sensible distance, appears to be an entirely irrational pastime. It involves voluntarily travelling considerable distances under one's own steam, usually for no immediately obvious reason, and often returning to exactly where one started. Yet every month Sawtry Running Club somehow manages to make this all seem perfectly normal



Speaking of travelling ridiculous distances, **what a machine!** Our very own club coach, Rich Fenn, conquered **Run Sandringham**, a 24-hour running race in which he covered an astonishing **115 miles**, securing **2nd place male overall**. I don't even go that far on my holidays! Absolutely massive congratulations from everyone at the club on an incredible achievement.

Closer to home (thankfully), thank you to all our club members who helped make our annual Club Invitational such a success. We were delighted to welcome so many runners from neighbouring clubs and introduce them to the delights, undulations and occasional mysteries of Sawtry's running routes. Afterwards, everyone gathered at The Greystones for some well-earned refreshments and a raffle, which raised a fantastic **£136** for a very worthy local cause. A huge thank you to everyone who donated prizes, bought tickets and helped organise the evening.

The club also once again entered a strong team into the **Green Wheel Relay**, the wonderfully bonkers seven-stage race around the circumference of Peterborough. Coordinating seven runners across dozens of miles requires the sort of logistical planning normally associated with space missions or moving house, but somehow it all came together. Well done to every member of the team for another fantastic effort and for representing the club so brilliantly.

Finally - and this is where you come in - **Sawtry needs YOU!**

Our popular **Sawtry 10 Mile Road Race** takes place on **Sunday 6 September**, and we desperately need volunteers to help make the event happen safely and successfully. You don't need to run, wear lycra or know your cadence from your carbohydrate loading. If you can spare around three hours of your time, we'd be incredibly grateful.

Please drop a message to our Chief Marshal, **Matt Spinks** (oh, that's me...) on **07772 017601**. Whether it's marshalling, helping at registration or generally keeping hundreds of enthusiastic runners pointing in roughly the correct direction, every volunteer makes a huge difference.

As ever, if you'd like to join a friendly club where running is taken seriously but ourselves rather less so, we'd love to see you at one of our sessions. Club nights are Tuesdays and Thursdays, with a Sunday morning run all from Sawtry Leisure Centre.

SAWTRY TABLE TENNIS CLUB

Club News

From now through to the beginning of September, the club will be closed for our Annual Summer Break. The club will reopen on Monday 7 September for our AGM, followed by a Club Night Session. Other Club Night dates and times will be published on our website and Facebook Page. See bottom for details.



On Monday 7 September, starting at 7pm to approximately 7:30pm, the club will be holding our Annual General Meeting followed by an Open Play Adult Session with invited Under 18's Members from around 7:30pm.

Our AGM will be held at our club's venue: - Sawtry Junior Academy, Middlefield Road, Sawtry, PE28 5SH.

Everyone is more than welcome to come and listen to what the club has been up to over the past year, then your more than welcome to play some table tennis straight after this.

Once the club reopens and the Junior Development Sessions restart as of 14 September, players/members only have to pre-book if your child is wanting to attend our Junior Development Sessions

General information on the club

There are No Membership Fees, only Club Night fees and these are payable on the night and can be paid by Card, as the club is now cashless.

All Under 16's will need to be always accompanied by a responsible adult at all times.

We meet at: - Sawtry Junior Academy, Middlefield Road, Sawtry, Huntingdon, Cambridgeshire. PE28 5SH.

To keep up to date with club news, or to get more information about the club:

E: - welcome@sawtrytabletennisclub.org.uk

W: - www.sawtrytabletennisclub.org.uk

F: - @SawtryTableTennisClub

T: - 01487 804040

If you are interested in joining us, please feel free to contact the club on via emailing: - welcome@sawtrytabletennisclub.org.uk.



SAWTRY COLTS

A shout out to the Under 12 Blue Sox who were the most successful Colts side as they ended their season with the league and cup double - an excellent end to the season for the team. Speaking of winners, the Colts end of season event - the presentation day - took place at Sawtry Village Academy. Lots of families and kids descended on the school playing fields with all players getting an engraved trophy; the individual award winners are also shown in the table:

Team	Clubman/ Parents Player	Most Improved	Players Player	Managers Player
U7 Blue	George Edwards	William Clarke Davis	Harvey Thomas	James Chalmers
U7 Yellow	Ernie Parsons	Rory Simpson	Kingsley Dimelow	Ollie Reed
U8 Blue	Jacob Phillips	Wilf Bunce	George Mann	Kacper Wojtyla
U9 Blue	Monty Fowler	Caleb Binns	Theo Hollocks	Elijah Stewart
U9 Yellow	Oliver Cardwell	Nellie Barnard-Mann	Stanley Hawkins	William Russell
U10 Yellow	Theo Amissah	Harvy Alexander	Matthew Quail	Bobby Watson
U10 Falcons	Billie Wills-Turburville Daisy-Rae Cox	Clara Norton	Everleigh Largerman	Ariah Flynn
U11 Blue	Daniel Geal	George Barber	Louie Norton	Noah Swift
U11 Yellow	Freddie Walton Freddie Barnard-Mann	Charlie Armitage	Jack Skellett	Charlie Collins
U11 Reds	Nico Awit	Eric Bussey	Finley Colmer	Samuel Mills
U12 Blue	Riley Flanz	Harry Bevan	Harrison Stone	Henry Casbon
U12 Yellow	Kanye Adibe	Ben Griffiths	Luke Wellock	Harrison Linggood
U12 Falcons	Nissi Manyathela	Lucy Franklin	Hanna Faltyn	Poppie Musgrove
U13 Blue	George Whitney	Noah Mackie	Sam Morrissey	Dylan Boon
U13 Yellow	Taylor Church	Jack Worrall	Benjamin Wright	Seb O'Flynn
U14 Yellow	Alfie Bell	Josh Sinyinza	Evan Booker	Adam Huntingdon
U14 Falcons	Sophie Reece	Grace Pritchard	Sophie Reece	Maisie Adamson
U15 Blue	Ashton Wathen Jamie Boon	Owen Vinton Eli Farrant	Sammy Le	Sammy Le
U16 Blue	Tao Thomson Lukas Schneider	Max Northwood	Kieron Boon	Freddie Whitehurst
U18 Blue	Robert Kennedy	Caelan Brix-Craig	Will O'Rourke	Matas Kruiakas

A number of players also received Long Service Awards for playing for the Colts for 10 years; they were:

Tao Thomson, Ben Leschallas, Freddie Whitehurst and Emperor Wesley from the U16 Blues and Ben Atkins from the U18 Blues.

In addition, we had most deserved winners of the Norman Tremlett Award in the shape of Lymara Wesley and the Jade Cox was a fitting winner of the John Jones Award for all she does for the club.

Don't forget, to keep up with the Colts teams, pop along to the club website at sawtrycoltsfc.co.uk where details of all teams and their managers can be found for anyone who wants to get involved both on and off the pitch. With a new season beckoning there will always be teams looking for new players.



USEFUL CONTACTS

Doctors / Pharmacy

Wellside Surgery, Sawtry - 830340

Lakeside Healthcare at Yaxley - 01733 240478

Sawtry Pharmacy - 832558 (Boots)

Children's Groups

Beavers/Cubs/Scouts - 07485 054085 or
aidan.joy@hinchbrookscouts.org

Girlguiding, Sawtry (Rainbows, Brownies, Guides,
Rangers & Y.L) - torthilldistrict@gmail.com

Sawtry Woodcraft Folk - sawtry@woodcraft.org.uk

Village Groups

Sawtry Chorale - 07796 972580

Sawtry Games Club - sawtrygames@gmail.com

Sawtry History Society - 831667

Sawtry Women's Institute - 07841 647345

Sport Clubs

Ki Kong Tang Soo Do - 07585 950923

Sawtry & District Bowling Club - 07989 503740

Sawtry Colts - www.sawtrycoltsfc.co.uk

Sawtry Cricket Club - 07943 526379

Sawtry Football Club - 831403

Sawtry Golf Society - (Secretary) - 07834 386632

Sawtry Greenfield Fishing Lake - 07426 334079

Sawtry Junior Cricket Club - 07943 526379

Sawtry Badminton Club - 07976 054613

Sawtry Table Tennis Club - 804040

Sawtry Tang Soo Do - 07425 986309

Sawtry Walking Group - 830167

Sawtry Running Club - www.sawtrywalktorun.co.uk

Churches

Fen Edge Churches (Sawtry, Glatton, Conington) -
fenedgechurches@gmail.com

Grace Church Sawtry - sawtry@kclp.uk

St Luke's Catholic Church Peterborough -
01733 230464

Sawtry Methodist Church - 830345

Pre-Schools / Schools

Buttons & Bows Pre-School -
833010 / 07483 942826

Sawtry Infant School - 830678

Sawtry Junior Academy - 830204

Sawtry Village Academy - 830701

Emergency Numbers

Electricity 24hr Helpline & Emergencies -
0800 7 838 838

Gas 24hr Helpline & Emergencies -
0800 111 999

Police (Non-Emergency) - 101

Samaritans (24 Hours) - 116 123

Other Services

Alcoholic Anonymous - 01603 621128

Cambs Bobby Scheme - 01480 413311

Cambs Libraries Contact Centre -
0345 045 5225

Citizens Advice Bureau, Huntingdon -
0344 245 1292

HACT (Community Transport) - 01480 411114

Huntingdon Delivery Office - 03457 740 740

Sawtry Social Club - 830462

Sawtry Old School Hall / Parish Council - 831771

Sawtry Post Office - 208460

Sawtry Sports & Leisure Association - 831797

Sawtry Youth & Community Centre - 831542

www.safelocaltrades.com - 0800 014 1832

CARESCO

Car Scheme - 07810 476979

CARESCO Centre - 832105

Charity Shop - 208026

Community Support - 07873 187843

Green End Day Club - 07743 216746

Sawtry Foodbank - 07743 593863

The Cave - 07851 803482

If you would like to add a new number
to the list or you have spotted a
wrong number then let the
CARESCO team know on 832105

SAWTRY AREA CODE - 01487

THE GREYSTONES

COMING UP AT THE GREYSTONES

15th Aug - GREYFEST
(Live Music, Festival Stalls, Festival Foods)
28th Aug - Greystones Golf Day (Burghley Park Golf Club)
31st Aug - Family Fun Day (Supporting Addenbrookes Trust)
(Live Music with Graham Buxton & Harri Beasley)
6th Sept - Live Music, Reggae Ray
26th Sept - Live Newmarket Races
(Day Trip, Tickets Available at the Bar)

WEEKLY EVENTS

Every Thursday 12-2pm - Senior Citizens Lunch Club
Every Thursday 8pm Start - Quiz Night



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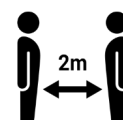
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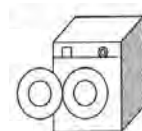


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