



ESSEX & SUFFOLK COUNTRY LINK

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Programme – September 2018 – March 2019

| Date | | Event | Contact |
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| September | Thursday 27th | Pub night at Fowlers Farm Vintage Inn, Cressing, Braintree CM77 8DH | Contact Ros on 01787 476581 with numbers for eating by Tuesday 23rd |
| | Saturday 29th | Annual Ploughing Match and Cereal Show This is hosted by Greenstead Green & District Agricultural Club. Ploughing commences at 9.00 am (Refreshments & Bar available) Venue : Maplestead Hall, Little Maplestead CO9 2SL | Contact Jane Harris on 07869 292553. Nos to her by Thursday 27th. |
| | Saturday 29th | John Gargan invites you all to Shirley's Rocket Evening including hog roast - 5 pm onwards Bring a chair and drinks | Please let John know re numbers on 01787 472012 by Thursday 27th |
| October | Saturday 6th | Harwich Shanty Festival – meet for an afternoon – car share advised - meet at Paul's at 2.30 | More info from Paul - call 01206 619514 |
| | Tuesday 9th | Monthly get-together at the Cricketers, Fordham Heath, CO3 9TG. At 7.15 | Numbers to Paul on 01206 619514 by Saturday 6 th |
| | Saturday 13th | Walk with Paul – Meet at 12.30 for light lunch and/or meet at 2pm for 4 mile walk – Meet at Chequers Pub at Great Tey | Contact Paul on 01206 619514 by Thursday 10th |
| | 19th-22nd | National Weekend | |
| | Thursday 25th | Pub night at The Swan at Chappel. Come for a meal or drink! | Numbers to Kirsty on 07740 223998 by Monday 22nd |
| | Tuesday 30th | The Story of the British Isles in 100 Places– Neil Oliver £21 at Mercury Theatre Note tickets are likely to go – so order your own tickets https://www.mercurytheatre.co.uk/ Meet at 6.30 for pre theatre drinks | Contact Sheena for more information on 01206 851974 |
| November | TBA | Guy Fawkes bonfire and fireworks at Tony's - likely to be either Saturday 3 rd or Saturday 10 th (Date will be confirmed nearer the | For more info and to give numbers call Tony on 01206 251515 |
| | Tuesday 13th | Monthly get-together at the Cricketers, Fordham Heath, CO3 9TG. At 7.15 | Contact Paul on 01206 619514 by Saturday 10 th |
| | Friday 16th | Join Ros at The Granary in Sudbury for a cheese and wine evening at 7pm hosted by the River Stour Trust and featuring the Naze Shanty Crew. Tickets cost £12 | Ring Ros on 01787 476581 ASAP as tickets are selling fast. |

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| | Thursday 29 th Nov | Come and visit the Maldon Vintage Christmas Fair 6pm – 9pm (www.maldontowncouncil.gov.uk/maldon-vintage-christmas-fayre) | Contact Angela on 01621 853908 with numbers by Tuesday 27th |
| | Friday 7 th |  Join us for our Christmas Meal. This will be held at the Cricketers in Fordham, CO3 9TG. See attached menu. 3 Courses £23.95 / 2 Courses £19.95 | Full payment and menu choices to Iain by Friday 16 th November |
| December | Saturday 15th | Mulled wine “sur-pies” evening at Ros’s house - There will be a collection for Countrylink Charity | Contact Ros on 01787 476581 with numbers |
| | Saturday 29th | Enjoy a last walk of the year with Paul. Details to follow | Contact Paul on 01206 619514 for numbers and more information |
| | Saturday 12th | Charity Auction to be held at Sheena and Chris’ house– every one has to bring at least 1 lot – Tony will be the auctioneer – Good way to recycle unwanted Christmas gifts Sue White from Cancer Research UK will be invited to attend | Contact Sheena and Chris on 01206 851974 with numbers and for more information |
| January | Wednesday 16th | Come and enjoy a meal out at The Riverside Spice Restaurant, Earls Colne CO6 2PH – 7.30pm | Contact Paul on 01206 619514 with numbers |
| | Tuesday 22nd | Planning Meeting at Paul’s (4 Johnson Drive, Elmstead CO7 7AL) at 7-30pm. – please come with ideas and information where possible. Tea/coffee and nibbles provided | Contact Paul on 01206 619514 |
| | Friday 25th | Burns Supper – come and celebrate the birthday of Scotland’s Bard. Traditional food and take part in some possibly not so traditional activities! Venue – Slough Farm CO7 7RX at 6.30pm | Contact Kirsty on 01206 867670 or David and Jane on 01206 230329 by Monday 21 st |
| | Saturday 9th | AGM – Greenstead Green Village Hall Meet at 6pm for food or 7.30pm for the AGM Further details nearer the time | |
| February | Tuesday 12th | Monthly get-together at the Cricketers, Fordham Heath, CO3 9TG. At 7.15 | Contact to be arranged |
| | ? Friday 22nd | Cinema Night – TBA Venue -? Curzon Theatre in Colchester or Freeport, Braintree. Film will be decided prior to night out | Contact Paul on 01206 619514 for numbers |
| | Thursday 28th | Chinese meal at Banquet 1408 - 342 London Road, Colchester CO3 8LT | Contact Kirsty on 01206 867670 with numbers by Sunday 24th |
| | Tuesday 12th | Monthly get-together at the Cricketers, Fordham Heath, CO3 9TG. At 7.15 | Contact to be arranged |
| March | Wednesday 20th | Games Night at Ian’s house - 133 Francis Way, Silver End, Witham, CM8 3QT | Call Ian on 01376 583900 by Sunday 17 th with numbers |
| | Thursday 28th | Pub night at the Wenham Queen, Great Wenham, Essex CO7 6PU https://wenhamqueen.co.uk/dining | Contact Paul on 01206 619514 with numbers |

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