

Happy New Year !

Durweston Village Hall
Invites you to get dressed
up for our

2024

NEW YEAR'S EVE

Celebration

Sunday, 31st DECEMBER

DOORS OPEN AT 19.00 • £10.00 per family
Tickets through Kayleigh 01258 488883/07947089959 or
villagehall@durweston.org.uk

• Bring your own drink and nibbles
CASH AND CARD BAR OPEN

Durweston Village Hall

Newsletter November 2023 Tel 01258 488883

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

November 24th

Pub Night

7 until 11

December 8th

Over 60s Christmas Lunch

Doors open at 12.30

December 9th

Christmas Party

Children Party 4.30 -6.30

Everyone – 7pm until 11pm

December 31st

New Years Eve Party

7pm onwards

Christmas Church Services



Sunday 3 Dec - 10.30am Advent

Sunday, Holy Communion.

Lighting of the Advent wreath.

*Sunday 10 Dec - 4pm Benefice
Carol Service at STOURPAINE
church.*

*Sunday 17 Dec - 4pm Evening
service with Carols.*

*Saturday 23 Dec - 7pm Candlelight
Carol Concert.*

*Sunday 24 Dec - 10pm Midnight
Mass.*

*Sunday 31 Dec - 10am Benefice
Service.*

*All services at St Nicholas's Church
Durweston apart from the 10th
December.*



Concert by Palida and friends

a much loved acapella choir
Saturday 16 th December 2023,
6.00pm – 7.00pm

St Nicholas' Church, Durweston

You are warmly invited to a festive concert during this
Christmas season 2023.

Wine and nibbles will be served from 5.30pm.

Palida, conducted by Karen Wilmhurst, is a well known
and loved Shaftesbury based acapella choir. Their broad
musical range will include well-loved seasonal songs.

Donations are invited to raise funds for our lovely
St Nicholas' Church.

We look forward to the pleasure of your company.

Chrissie Anderson
Tel. 07757 627692

CHRISTMAS CAROL CONCERT



Nothing but your favourite Christmas Carols!



Saturday 23rd December 2023 @ 7pm



St Nicholas Church,
Durweston



FOLLOWED BY CHRISTMAS NIBBLES & MULLED WINE



IN THE CHURCH



No ticket. Free entry.
Retiring donations, greatly received.



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THE LITTLE PAGE OF HAPPY RECIPES

WE HOPE EVERYONE ENJOYED HALLOWEEN SEEING ALL THE PUMKINS
OUT SIDE PEOPLES HOMES AND IN THEM IS ALWAYS MY FAVOURITE BIT
SUCH A VARIETY OF COLOURS SHAPES AND SIZES, HERE IS A REALLY
YUMMT RECEIPIE FOR A
SLOW COOK PUMKIN STEW.

INGREDIENTS



- 2 tsp vegetable oil
- 1 onion, sliced
- 2 garlic cloves, crushed
- 1 -2 red chillies (to taste), deseeded and sliced
- 2 tsp. ground cumin
- 2 tsp. coriander seeds
- 2.5cm piece fresh root ginger, peeled and grated
- 3 tbsp tomato purée
- 600 g pumpkin, peeled, deseeded and cut into 2.5cm pieces
- 400 g tin chopped tomatoes
- 200 g full-fat coconut milk
- 1 vegetable stock cube, crumbled
- 250 g microwavable pouch lentils
- small handful coriander, roughly chopped (optional)

METHOD

Heat the oil in a medium frying pan over medium heat. Add the onion and a large pinch of salt and fry for 10min, until softened. Stir in the garlic and chilli(es) and fry for 2min, until fragrant.

Add the cumin, coriander seeds, ginger and tomato purée. Fry for 1min. Scrape into the bowl of a slow cooker and stir in the remaining ingredients except for the lentils and coriander. Season.

Cover and cook on low for 6hr, or until the pumpkin is tender. Stir in the lentils, re-cover and cook for 5min more, until the lentils are piping hot.

Coming This December
Craft Morning
@ Durweston Village
Hall

*More Details
Coming Soon!*

Join us for a
friendly Chat and
if you would like
join in with a
little crafting,
bring your own
or see what we
have.

*Taking
Donations of
Craft Materials*



EVERY **Tues** **10-12**
Day **£1.00 FOR HOT DRINK**

Durweston Primary School

Our school Remembrance Service is a very special moment and moving moment in our school year. We are lucky to be able to gather in the church and to welcome a local standard bearer and a bugler. As the children listen to the Last Post and Reveille, I always hope that this is a memory they will treasure for the rest of their lives.



Lots of classes have been enjoying trips to the farm this term. It was the youngest children's turn recently. They loved feeding the sheep, collecting eggs from the chickens and looking at some of Mr Hosford's tractors. If you know anyone with young children, please do let them know that we run a toddler group in the school on Friday mornings from 10am.



Reiki Share in Durweston WITH ANNABEL FOX



Annabel is a fully qualified Reiki practitioner, master and teacher. She has been working as a therapist and Reiki teacher for over 20 years.

Annabel also offers one to one Reiki sessions and teaches all levels of Reiki from her home practice in Durweston.

THE SESSION INCLUDES:

Guided meditation and healing.

Receiving and giving Reiki.

Existing Reiki channels and newcomers welcome.

2024 DATES

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| ● Friday 5th January | ● Friday 6th September |
| ● Friday 2nd February | ● Friday 4th October |
| ● Friday 1st March | ● Friday 1st November |
| ● Friday 5th April | ● Friday 6th December |
| ● Friday 3rd May | |



Cost £10. Please bring a blanket, pillow and water bottle.

Please message me to let me know that you will be attending.

2.00 PM TILL 4.30 PM
DURWESTON VILLAGE HALL
TEL 0790 007 6789
annabelreikifox@gmail.com

MEDITATION CIRCLE IN DURWESTON WITH ANNABEL FOX



2024 DATES

- Friday 19th January
- Friday 16th February
- Friday 15th March
- Friday 19th April
- Friday 17th May
- Friday 14th June
- Friday 19th July
- Friday 20th September
- Friday 18th October
- Friday 15th November
- Friday 20th December

1pm to 3pm

Journey into relaxation through guided meditation, self-healing practises and breath work. Please message first so we know you are coming. Cost is £10. Please bring a blanket, pillow and water bottle.

www.annabelfoxreiki.co.uk

Tel/Message: 0790 007 6789

Christmas will be upon us very soon and we hope that some of you will join us at our Christmas Fair at the school on **Saturday 2nd December from 11am - 2pm.**

Please could you also consider buying one of our lovely Christmas trees or wreaths? The trees are of very high quality and the wreaths are handmade by parents and villagers.

Ring the school office if you would like any more information (01258 452277).

**Durweston Primary
Christmas Fair**
Saturday 2nd December
11am - 2pm

Join us for Yuletide fun and festivities
and collect your Christmas tree

- Story time with Santa ■ Stalls and raffle
- Carol singing
- Turkey rolls & mulled wine
- Kids crafts & games

Lots of prizes to be won!

Durweston CE Primary School **PTA**

CHRISTMAS TREE & WREATH SALE

Nordmann Fir Non-Drop Trees
Handmade Fresh Foliage Wreaths

4ft tree - £30 5ft tree - £40
6ft tree - £50 7ft tree - £60
Standard wreath - £20

Available to pre-order and collect from
DURWESTON PRIMARY SCHOOL
CHRISTMAS FAIR
on Saturday 2nd December 11am - 2pm



Scan the QR code to order or contact
PTA@durweston.dsat.org.uk to receive
a link via email

Pay by 17th November and collect from the fair to receive £5 back on tree purchases.
Alternatively, free delivery for trees can be arranged within 5 miles of Durweston on
Sunday 3rd December. Wreath only deliveries will attract an additional £2.50 charge.

100% of profits go to Durweston Primary School PTA

Happy Christmas !

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Durweston Village Hall is excited to announce it is now fully up and running using Hallmaster.



This means that by logging on to our new website and clicking on bookings, you will not just be able to view our calendar for all our current events, you can now also book yourself in! and all from the comfort of your own home.

As always please get in contact if you are having any problems we are always happy to help.

You can contact us on



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Congratulations to
Dan and Laura
Who got Married this
month and celebrated here
at
Durweston Village Hall



You made the hall look lovely, we hope you had a wonderful time and we wish you a life time of happiness together. Thankyou for letting us share your photos



Locals get discount when booking the Hall!!!

Locals prices are:

* MAIN HALL	£ 26.00	£ 9.00
* MEETING ROOM	£ 16.00	£ 7.00
CHILDREN'S PARTIES	£ 41.00	N/A
WEDDINGS - ALL DAY	£325.00	N/A
PARTIES/DANCES	£103.00	N/A
Full use of kitchen	£ 25.00	

If you would like to book the hall or have an enquiry for an event you are having please do get in touch, Contact us via

Email

villagehall@durweston.org.uk

Phone

01258 488883

Text/whatsapp

07957089959



Meeting Room

Do you work from home and sometimes have to take part in meetings, whether you're looking for some where quiet to sit for those online meetings or your company or the company you work for are looking for an affordable room to hire, then please get in touch!



Would you or someone you know like to book our stage?

We are very lucky at Durweston Village Hall to have a fantastic Stage, with lighting and sound equipment to hand

If you would like to come and have a look please get in touch, we would be very happy to show you around, it would be fantastic to offer more shows to the locals and to get the stage used more.

If you are interested in visiting our Village Hall to see what we have to offer or to discuss how our space can work for you

please get in touch via email
villagehall@durweston.org.uk

Merry Christmas

You are Cordially invited to..
Our over 60s Christmas lunch,
served with a glass of wine on..

Friday 8thnd of December
Doors open at 12.30, lunch served at 1

Come and enjoy a free Christmas Dinner in the wonderful
company of friends and neighbours
If you wish to bring an under 60 partner they will
need to pay a charge of £5.00

Please confirm your place by
November 24th
to Kayleigh on 01258 488883/07947089959
or by email at
villagehall@durweston.org.uk
(There are limited spaces so booking is essential)

From
Durweston Village Hall



The poster features a festive winter scene with snow-covered houses and trees under a full moon. A cartoon reindeer with large antlers and a red nose is on the left, holding a golden bell. A red Christmas ornament with a gold ribbon is in the center, and a blue date stamp is on the right.

Durweston Village Hall
CHRISTMAS
PARTY

£5
Per
Child

DECEMBER
9th

Under 10s Childrens christmas Party
4.30pm until 6.30pm
Games - Dancing - Food
Plus a Very Special Visit from Santa

Christmas Party For All
7pm - 11pm - Bar Open
All Free and Welcome - just turn up!
Wear something Festive for a Free
Mulled Wine

We are very grateful to
be sponsored by
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Please get kids party tickets Via
Kayleigh on
07947089959 (whatsapp/text) or
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