

The Village Diary

Issue 63 The Essential guide to East Dean and Friston events

The Village Diary is published quarterly and kindly distributed with The Parish Magazine
See Parish Magazine for all Church Services.
There is a full list of regular activities in the Village Hall

Every Wednesday Village Market 10.00 am – 14.00 pm

Fruit, veg, eggs, fish, breads, cheeses, venison, dog treats, cuisine from around the world,
local crafters and an onsite cafe

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July 2026		
Thursday 2nd Village Hall	Village Lunch 12 for 12.30pm For residents of East Dean and Friston, booking required 5 days in advance with Mary Gottlieb 01323 422004 £10	Jenny Wilcox 01323 422197
Thursday 2nd Village Hall	Parish Council Planning committee starts at 6.30 followed by Parish Council at 7pm. Public comments are welcomed at 7pm normally first Thursday of the month	Phil Burgess 07974 253672
Thursday 9th Village Hall	Afternoon Tea 2.30pm–4.00pm For residents of East Dean and Friston £4.00	Stephanie Carter 07968 222732
Tuesday 14th Village Hall	Gardening Club 2.00pm for 2.15pm – “Meadow and Prairie planting” Speaker: Alison Marsden	Frances Stevens 01323 423529
Thursday 16th Village Hall	Micheldene WI 7.30pm xxxxx	Susan Ray 01323 422208
Tuesday 28th Village Hall	Local History Group 2.30pm In his talk Healthy Eastbourne, Alan Wenham recounts a history of healthcare in the town.	Valerie Jones 01323 638906
Thursday 30th Village Hall	Coffee Morning 10.30 am – 12.00pm Normally last Thursday of each month for local residents £4.00	Paul Seeley 01323 422361

August 2026		
Thursday 6th Village Hall	Village Lunch 12 for 12.30pm For residents of East Dean and Friston, booking required 5 days in advance with Mary Gottlieb 01323 422004 £10	Jenny Wilcox 01323 422197
Thursday 6th Village Hall	Parish Council Planning committee starts at 6.30 followed by Parish Council at 7pm. Public comments are welcomed at 7pm normally first Thursday of the month	Phil Burgess 07974 253672
Thursday 13th Village Hall	Afternoon Tea 2.30pm–4.00pm For residents of East Dean and Friston £4.00	Stephanie Carter 07968 222732
Thursday 20th Village Hall	Micheldene WI 7.30pm	Susan Ray 01323 422208
Thursday 27th Village Hall	Coffee Morning 10.30 am – 12.00pm Normally last Thursday of each month for local residents £4.00	Paul Seeley 01323 422361
Monday 31st Village Hall	East Dean & Friston Vegetable Fruit & Flower show 2.00pm-4.30pm Admission £1.50 Tea and Cake. Sale of Produce and Flowers at 4.30	Cheryl Veitch 01323 423149

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September 2026		
Thursday 3rd Village Hall	Village Lunch 12 for 12.30pm For residents of East Dean and Friston, booking required 5 days in advance with Mary Gottlieb 01323 422004 £10	Jenny Wilcox 01323 422197
Thursday 3rd Village Hall	Parish Council Planning committee starts at 6.30 followed by Parish Council at 7pm. Public comments are welcomed at 7pm normally first Thursday of the month.	Phil Burgess 07974 253672
Friday 4th Village Hall	Climate Friends	
Tuesday 8th Village Hall	Gardening Club 2.00pm for 2.15pm “Japanese gardens of Kyoto” Speaker: Melissa Hay	Frances Stevens 01323 423529
Thursday 10th Village Hall	Afternoon Tea 2.30pm–4.00pm For residents of East Dean and Friston £4.00	Stephanie Carter 07968 222732
Thursday 17th Village Hall	Micheldene WI 7.30pm xxx	Susan Ray 01323 422208
Tuesday 22nd Village Hall	Local History Group 2.30pm Mike Keller presents East Dean on Screen — the Village and its surroundings on film and TV.	Valerie Jones 01323 638906
Thursday 24th Village Hall	Coffee Morning 10.30 am – 12.00pm Normally last Thursday of each month for local residents £4.00	Paul Seeley 01323 422361
Saturday 26th Village Hall	Quiz Night 6.30 for 7pm. Tickets £15 to include ploughmans’ welcome drink & £3 of raffle tickets. Bar ‘card preferred’ Profits to the Village Hall Trust. Please book.	Stephanie Carter 07968 222732

Entries for the next publication of The Village Diary to be received by **1st September 2026**
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