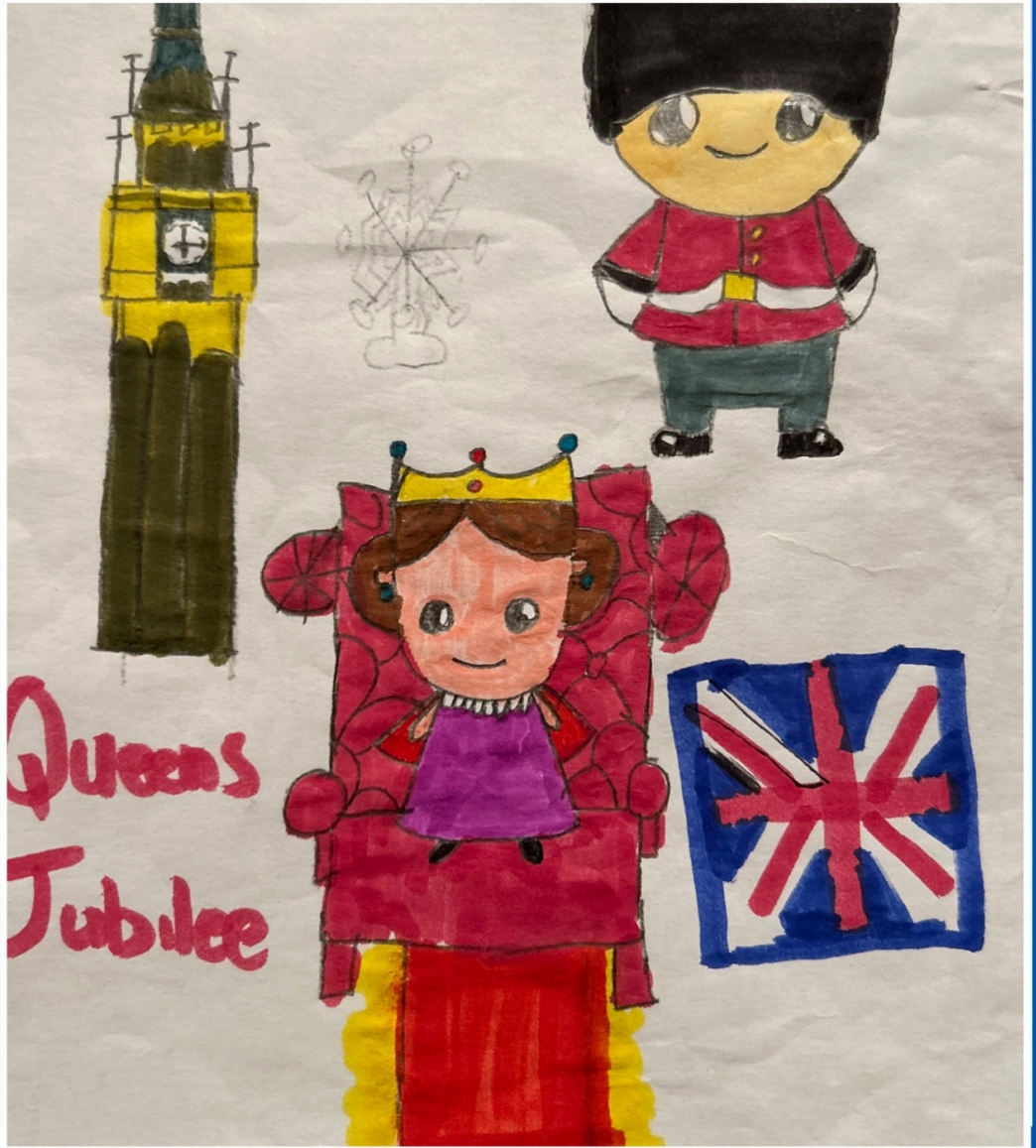


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## A Message from the Carnival Chair

How quickly does a year go by! We are well underway with organising this year's carnival, with the theme "A Moment in History."

We're hoping for another record-breaking year, especially after being able to donate just under £7,000 to village community groups in 2025.

As always, our sincere thanks and appreciation go to our sponsor, Calor, who make the carnival possible, along with all our other local businesses, community groups, and volunteers who help make the day such a resounding success.

Fingers crossed for fine weather – we look forward to seeing you all on 13th June!

**Sue Taylor**

## The Carnival Committee 2026

Chair	Sue Taylor	Vice Chair	Sam Rouse
Treasurer	Val Radford	Secretary	Vicki Pidcock
Publicity	Jenny Fry	Brochure	Monique Soutart
Website	Michael Younger	Royal Family	Laura Abel
Field Events	Jenny Rouse	Procession	Deb Roach
Other Members	Claire Cousin, Max Eaves, Grey Pidcock, Bev Lowe, Dan Cosgrove, Shannon Fox, Andy Williams, Sarah Eaves		

Need some help or want to ask us a question? Committee members will be wearing orange T-shirts on the day. *You can't miss us!*



Please get in touch if you want to get involved. We meet at the start of each month and always welcome new faces [www.stoneystantoncarnival.com](http://www.stoneystantoncarnival.com)

# CARNIVAL

Our Royal Family for 2026 are...



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King**  
Fenn  
McKean



**Carnival  
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Lila  
Abell

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Zara Mahmoud



## Princes

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**Meetings are on the first Wednesday of each month in the Pavilion at 7.30-9pm.**

Join the squash and/or tennis clubs – annual membership for both clubs and hourly rates for tennis are available. Links can be found via the playing fields website.

Football pitches are maintained and used by Croft Juniors Football Club.

The MUGA (all weather multi-use games area) and function room within the pavilion are available to hire for occasional or regular use.

**See our website for further information. [www.stoneystantonplayingfields.org.uk](http://www.stoneystantonplayingfields.org.uk)**



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Alpha is 4 weekly sessions where you can explore the Christian faith in an open-minded and welcoming environment. There's no cost, and no pressure. Just lots of great conversation and space to think. Each session includes a short film, time of discussion, drinks and snacks. Whatever questions you've got, you can ask them at Alpha.

**Register your interest at [www.livingrock.church/alpha](http://www.livingrock.church/alpha)**

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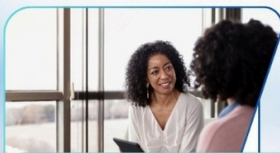


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# Carnival Brochure Cover Competition

This year's Cover Picture Competition, held amongst the children of Stoney Stanton, was won by Toby Weedon. Entries were judged by the Carnival Committee. Here are three more runner-up entries. Thank you to everyone who entered.



**Myla Shilcock**



**Eliza Lily Bennett**



**Erin Chambers**

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These include:

The War Memorial Playing Fields, Scouts, Library, Newsletter Distribution, Carnival, Forget-me-not Cafe, Litter Pickers, Yarn Bomb, Patient Participation Group, Parish Council, PTFA, History Hub & Creative Children's Group to name but a few.

If you would like to join a group or just express an interest, please email them directly, find them on Facebook or ask around the village for contacts.

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# STONEY STANTON PARISH COUNCIL

A huge Thank You to our Carnival Committee for bringing the highlight event of the summer back to our village. Last year, Read Me A Story brought to life so many classic stories and characters from the pages; it was amazing to see the love of reading in such a dynamic and creative way.

This year, we are excited to see history brought to life through A Moment in History. History is an amazingly broad topic; whether looking at British history, world history, local history, sporting history, scientific advancements, or events that mattered to you. I'm excited to see the moments in history that will make it into the Stoney Stanton Carnival history books!

I'd like to take this opportunity to thank all our local historians, and a special thanks to Alison & Kallum Jackson, whose hard work and research has discovered several new names to be added to our War Memorial. The Stoney Stanton History Hub is looking for people to help with community history projects; please contact them on Facebook or email at [stoneystantonhistoryhub@gmail.com](mailto:stoneystantonhistoryhub@gmail.com) if you have some spare time to get involved!

If you know someone who you think has made that difference in our community, like Alison & Kallum, maybe you would like to nominate them for one of our community awards! Whilst this year's nominations period is closed, you can email us all year round to let us know who you think deserves an achievement.

Our village has grown from the early recorded settlement of 14 households in 1066, to around 2000 households today. With the New Blaby Local Plan due in April 2026, at the time of writing, we are likely to see this number increase further. That's why it's critical that all residents have their say when the consultation opens. We at the Parish Council will represent the interests of the village as best we can, but a stronger voice is the voice of you, the residents, yourself.

A big thanks to my fellow councillors who volunteer their time to ensure our village is democratically represented and decisions are made. Thanks also to our Clerk, Roz, and our dedicated team: Simon, Steve, and Wesley, along with Dave Lloyd, who keep the village running and looking its best.

A final thank you to all our incredible community groups in the Procession and at the playing fields without whom Carnival day wouldn't be possible.

I hope you have an amazing Carnival day and create your own little moment in history!

Cllr Luke Cousin Stoney Stanton Parish Council Chair

March 2026



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# Stoney Stanton Carnival 2025

## *Read Me a Story*



Congratulations to The Carnival Committee who were awarded a Parish Council Award in 2025 for all their hard work organising the annual event.

# 1st Stoney Stanton Scout Group

## Squirrels



## BEAVERS

### Squirrels

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### Scouts

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- St Michael's Church
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- Manorfield PTFA
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- Stoney Stanton Scouts
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Here's just a selection of this year's carnival draw prizes. Keep checking our website as more raffle prizes continue to be added.

Raffle tickets now available from The Blue Bell, Bibs, The Bull, & The Community Library with sales outside the Co-op on Sunday 7th June. Tickets will also be available on the field on Carnival day.



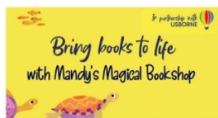
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●  
**Enderby Young Farmers Sheep Sheering 3.30pm (weather permitting)**

**Carnival Games & Stalls**

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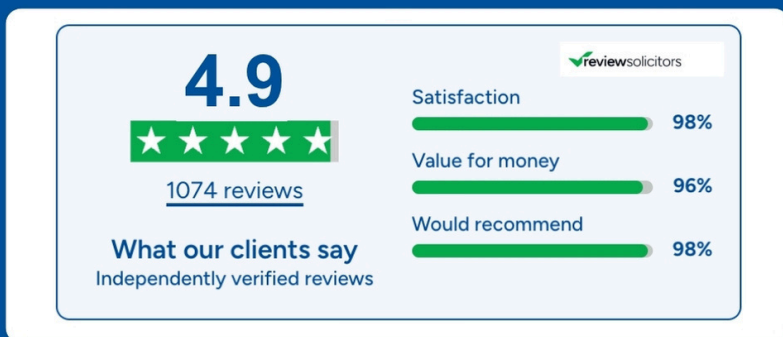
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## ANNUAL FUNDRAISING EVENTS

Each year the Carnival Committee organise events for the village to enjoy and to enhance the fundraising.

February sees the competition for the children to design the Carnival Brochure front cover. Open to all village children, forms are available on the Carnival website nearer the time.



Quiz night is held early on in the year and this year we had a record number of teams and raised £520. Held in the Village Hall, there is something for everyone, and a fabulous cash raffle.

The Family Disco and Royal Family Draw is held each March to choose the participants for the Royal Float. Open to all village children in whichever category they feel comfortable in, appropriate to their year group.



The Carnival Fun Run, held in May each year, is a perfect event for all the family to walk, run, scoot or ride a 3 mile course around the village.

The Tin and Bottle Collection is held mid-May to supply the bottle tombola and tin stall at the Field Event. These stalls are hugely popular and raise lots of money for the pot. Please donate generously.



All events are advertised on the Stoney Stanton Carnival website and Facebook pages throughout the year.



## ROAD CLOSURE PROCEDURE

This year's carnival will start from The Fleet, join Huncote Road and head up Long Street. It will turn right at the Co-Op along New Road, then left at the mini roundabout onto Hinckley Road, ending at Underwood Drive just before the end of the village.

These roads, and the roads leading to them will be subject to a Temporary Traffic Regulations Order and will be closed from 1pm until 2pm on Saturday 13th June 2026.

Drivers should be aware of delays through Stoney Stanton between these times. Every effort is made to keep disruption to a minimum and the Carnival Committee would like to thank everyone for their patience.

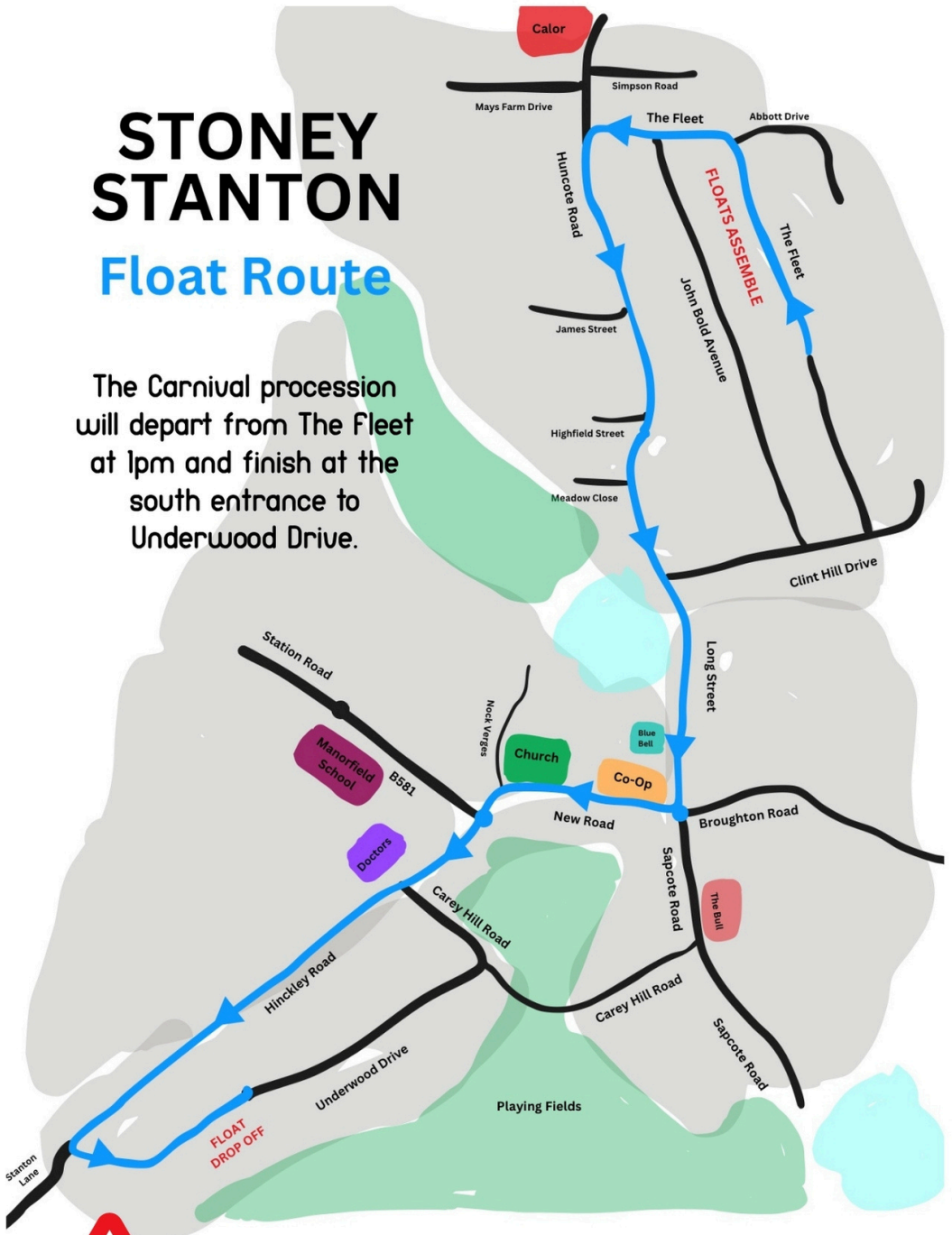
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If you would like to help us with the procession then please get in touch via our Facebook page or email: [stoneystantoncarnival@gmail.com](mailto:stoneystantoncarnival@gmail.com)

# STONEY STANTON

## Float Route

The Carnival procession will depart from The Fleet at 1pm and finish at the south entrance to Underwood Drive.



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