

Things to do.

We have dedicated this issue to activities in the Doxey area which you might like to take part in. So read on , get some ideas and try something new.

The Wildlife Trust

Fun Day

at Doxey Marshes Nature Reserve.

Saturday 28th July

11a.m. To 4 p.m.

On Central Pasture (in the middle of the reserve)

And it's **FREE**

Family activities include: pond dipping, bug hunts, willowcraft, coracle making, treasure hunt, and light refreshments.

Bat walk

On the evening of the 28th of July

It will **cost £2.00**

and sets off from **Focus car park**

At 8.30 p.m.

Find out about noctule, pipistrelle and daubentons bats

Moths at Doxey Marshes

Learn from the experts as they show you some of the 800 moths found in the U.K. Not all are brown and 'boring', You may get to see ruby tigers, swifts carpets and other colourful moths on:

Saturday 11th August

9pm to midnight

Meet at Focus car park at 9 p.m

£2.00 per person, children welcome.

Please bring a torch.

There will be a selection of local food and drink for you to try.

Please book by Friday 10th on 01889 880100

Belly dancing

How about this for something different? We are hoping to bring classes to Doxey in the near future. It is great fun and very good exercise. If you would like a taster then go along to:

Littleworth Community Centre

St. Thomas Street

Saturday 14th July

From 1pm to 4pm

The cost is £10 with half price concessions.

Please note you must be **14 or over**.

To **book** please contact Aileen on **01785 244637**.

Lunch club

At St Thomas and St Andrew's Church

12.30 to 2.00,

the first Tuesday of each month.

Come along to make new friends or meet old ones and at the same time enjoy some excellent home cooked food.

Coffee Morning

Every Monday

10.30 a.m. until 11.30

in the Community Centre, Sutton Drive.

Drop in for a natter and renew acquaintances or make new friends over a cuppa.

Life Support project.

Call **Steve Smith** on **0775 404 3329**.

This course really could mean the difference between life and death. Suitable for ages 10 to 100.

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Stafford Festival present the 11th Live @ the Castle

On Sunday 15 July 2007
From 12 noon till 10pm

This event is free admission
with a £2 parking charge per car

Live at the castle has three stages this year
featuring the very best of local talent. For the first
time this year we have a comedy/cabaret stage
along side the regular main and acoustic stages.

Stafford Film Festival 2007

2nd – 9th October

If you want to be involved then please contact us
on: **01785 619 727**

Websites

Want to keep up to date with what is going on?

To find out who your councillors are and what they
are doing visit www.doxeyparishcouncil.co.uk/

to find out about the community you live in both
now and in the past visit www.doxeyca.org.uk/

If you have pictures of 'tin town' please contact
Iain Simpson (webmaster@doxeyca.co.uk)

Doxey Youth club

The club runs from 7.30 to 9 p.m. on Monday nights.
Activities are aimed at 11 to 14 year olds. There is a great
group of youngsters who attend regularly and really
benefit from the activities which run.

If you think you might be able to help keep this valuable
resource going then ring **Nigel on 07974 755685**

Doxey Day



A huge thank you to
all who supported the
Fete. It was a most
enjoyable day and
even the weather
encouraged our efforts.
With your help
around £1200 was
raised for the school.
Some of this money
could be spent on an

interactive white board for the school hall, which will be
of benefit to both the children and the community.

Congratulations to the following winners:

Sean Hamilton - sweets in a jar

Lisa Redden - 50/50 square

The balloon race winner will be announced later in the
month.



Doxey Ramblers

Enjoy walking? Want to see more of our beautiful
area? We meet once a month to cover around 5
miles of picturesque countryside in all weathers!

All welcome.

Join us on the 2nd Saturday of the month

9am

outside the Church of St. Thomas and St. Andrew

Please bring suitable boots, waterproof, butties,
cash for refreshments etc.

To find out more details phone **Geoff on 248383**