

Braybrooke Fete

The Braybrooke Fete planning group have had two meetings so far this year to get the annual fete under way.

The fete is on 8 July, which is a later date than normal due to the church being booked for a wedding. The fete is held in Ann and Clive Underwood's garden but the church is the reserve venue in case of bad weather.

The meetings have been well attended and plans are well underway. The group is working on new ideas for the fete this year, plus more activities for children.

We are pleased to say that the Fire Service will be sending a fire engine, with stickers and coloring books for children, as well as helmets for them to try on.

Some of the other new proposals are a Juggler/Entertainer and face painting for the children.

The best decorated cake competition (two categories) and make a wacky fete day hat competition.

We will also be having the Classic Car Show, which was very successful last year. In addition there will be the good old favorites such as, Gretton Silver Band, the famous WI teas, Braybrooke Singers, Braybrooke Morris Dancers, skittles, splat the rat and many more.

The pre fete pub quiz will be on 4 July and the Duck Race will be on 17 June. This always helps to boost the income from the fete. The fete profits are distributed to village organizations and in the past it has been allocated on a percentage basis. Last year it was allocated on a needs basis. In other words the groups submitted their requests. This was all achieved very amicably and the groups are extremely grateful for this financial support.

Help in setting up the fete, during the day and dismantling is always needed. Please contact Stephanie Canning if you would like to get involved in any capacity.

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