

Hear More

The SACAG newsletter is distributed quarterly in the Stangrove area and contains lots of information about recent work and upcoming trips. SACAG are also currently talking to residents and Children to see which New equipment they would like to see in the Children's Play Park on the Stangrove estate as we now have sufficient funding bids going through to re vamp it! With many thanks to Sevenoaks District for there input.

Get Involved

SACAG are constantly looking to attract more volunteers to support their work. We are in contact with Edenbridge Volunteer Centre and V.A.W.K to look for potential volunteers, and will keep the local press informed of the various activities. SACAG is a constituted Charity registered group with its own committee and holds regular monthly meetings, as well as general meetings which are open to all. Any resident in the Stangrove area may join the group if they wish to do so.

Get In Touch

To book onto a trip, talk about getting involved or for more information about SACAG, please get in touch—we would love to hear from you:

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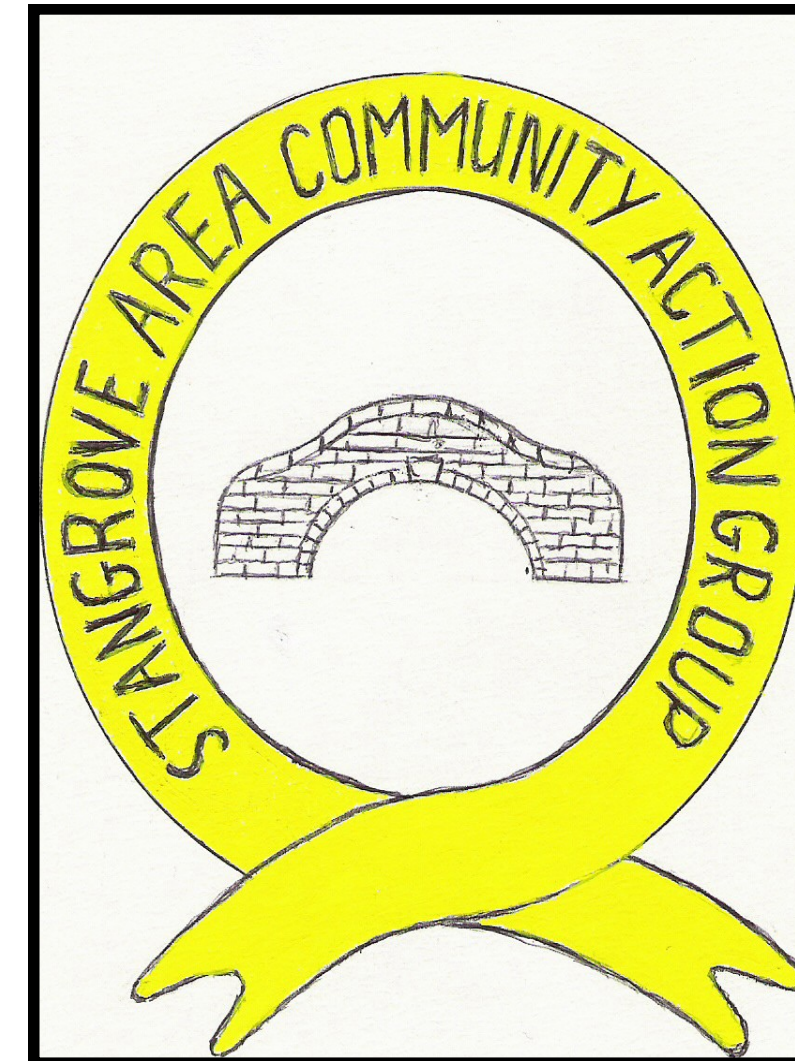
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Community
Events
2009 - 2010

Stangrove Area Community Action Group

Community Programme 2008-2009

Stangrove Area Community Action Group (SACAG) works to make life better for the people living in and around the Stangrove area, both young and old. They aim to encourage and support residents to voice their opinions and take action on local issues that concern them, and promote and encourage participation in community life. This includes campaigning on local issues and trying to raise community spirit through a variety of activities and opportunities.



SACAG recognise that there are some local people who may find it difficult to access certain leisure opportunities and services, whether that is because of the cost or because of issues with transport. For this reason, SACAG applies for funding each year so that it can offer free or subsidised trips and activities. They won funding in 2007 for a minibus, which is now used for all of their trips and is also available for other groups to hire at very reasonable rates.

Information about some of the planned trips for 2009/2010 is below. If you have any suggestions for trips or activities, please let us know and we will try to include them. These trips are aimed at adults, although many (like the Bluebell Railway) are also open to children accompanied by a parent or other relative.

SACAG work with young people on a weekly basis, through detached youth work in the Summer and with the Sevenoaks District Councils Youth Zone Bus in the Winter. We also run trips for young people, younger children and families. If you would like more information on our youth work, please ask for a youth programme (contact details on the back page).

Community Trips and Excursions

The planned programme of trips for 2009—2010 is as follows, with specific dates and times to be confirmed:

 Ongoing	Trips to Bingo SACAG are planning three trips throughout the year to Bingo at Crawley. This is a chance to socialise and have a cheap, enjoyable evening out—who knows, you may even win!
 May 2008	Visit to Haskins Garden Centre at Snow Hill There is something for everyone at this centre, which includes not only a gardening section but a shopping village, flower garden and restaurant.
 August 2008	A Seaside Trip for young families to Dymchurch A traditional seaside day out in Brighton—fun for all the family.
 September 2008	Visit to the Museum of Kent Life Step back in time and re-discover the rural life of Kent on this beautiful 28 acre farm. The museum has many buildings and displays as well as farmyard animals which visitors can hold and pet.
 November 2008	Festive Shopping Trip to Lakeside Get those essential items before the holiday rush at Lakeside, with over 300 shops under one roof.
 December 2008	Trip on the Bluebell Railway Santa Express A ride on these beautiful steam trains will be nostalgia for some of us and a whole new experience for younger members of the family! Ideal for all and a visit from Santa himself with Present!