



impington

Celebrating 75 years of
Village College life



1939 - 2014

Music
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Welcome

I am delighted to welcome you to our festival of celebration to mark the 75th Anniversary of Impington Village College.

The College originally opened in 1939 within days of the declaration of World War 2. The remarkable Grade 1 Listed Building was born from the meeting of two visionary thinkers. Walter Gropius, who was arguably the leading architect in the world at the time, fled Nazi Germany in 1934 when he came to London to join an architectural partnership with Maxwell Fry. At the same time the innovative educationalist Henry Morris was negotiating investment and land to build three new Village Colleges in Cambridgeshire. Morris believed that the Village College building should act as 'the silent teacher', offering a welcoming and inspiring space for local community of all ages to learn and socialise. When Gropius was introduced to Morris he was so inspired by the concept of the Village College that he agreed to design it. The result is the iconic building that still stands at the heart of Impington Village College.

We continue to welcome visitors from across the globe to admire both the building, and to be part of the work that we do today. Through the main College, International Sixth Form Centre, Community and Adult Learning programme, and the Sports Centre we strive to be inspirational, inclusive and international.

The Impington75 Festival includes a range of events, activities and projects for our community to enjoy. I hope you will join us in celebration of all that is IVC; past, present and future.

Rob Campbell
Principal

Gropius Restoration Pledge

The Grade 1 Listed Gropius Building at IVC is currently undergoing some important restoration work. Funding has been secured from the Heritage Lottery Fund and the Wolfson Foundation, with crucial support and seed funding from the PSFA.

To help match the grant award requirement the Henry Morris Memorial Trust has pledged 400 books to the College. The books will be available from September with all profits contributing directly to the restoration programme.

If you have any fond memories of IVC, feel you owe a debt of gratitude in any way, or would simply like to support the preservation of this important building please pledge £10. In return you will receive a copy of the new biography telling the colourful story of Morris's creation of the Village Colleges. If we receive 400 pledges then £4000 will be raised towards the restoration programme.

The appeal will be launched at our anniversary weekend celebration on 13 – 14 September, when author of the book, David Rooney, will be offering a talk and sharing insights about Henry Morris.

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Be part of the story...



Impington Village College is proud to provide a varied programme of opportunities for both students and local people of all ages. Whilst public funding contributes to these, it cannot alone provide the facilities and prospects that we believe our students and community deserve. To achieve this goal, we need your help. You can show your support in a variety of ways:

- **Buy tickets** for one of the shows or events detailed in the Impington75 programme. We believe there is something for everyone.
- **Volunteer** your time to support one of the many community projects or events that are happening through the year.
- **Pledge £10** towards the Gropius Building restoration programme and in return you will receive a copy of the Henry Morris biography.
- **Become a member of the Alumni** to reconnect with other former students, offer support to current students, and hear the latest news from IVC.
- **Join the Parents, Staff and Friends Association** to help run fundraising activities, support College events and socialise with other local people.
- **Donate** in cash or in kind to support any area of our work in the College and community.

Your contributions make a real difference to the life and work of our Village College.

To offer your support and find out more please contact Amy Wormald, Development and Engagement Manager, on:

impington75@impington.cambs.sch.uk

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... make a
difference

Saturday
13 September, 4 – 8pm

75 years after Impington Village College first opened its doors to the public we invite you to join us in front of the College for the launch of our anniversary celebrations.



Welcome 4.00pm – 4.30pm

Official launch of the Impington 75th Anniversary celebration. Please join us for speeches on the front lawn.



75 Pieces Exhibition

The exhibition brings together 75 items that tell a story about Impington Village College past, present and future. Exhibits include gems from IVC Archive including the first punishment book from 1939, as well as artwork, objects and artifacts from the many organisations and clubs that use the College today. The exhibition links to a web app with further information and games which can be found at www.75pieces.org.uk. Please bring devices with you to access the web app – there will also be some available for visitors to use.

Reconnect

With 75 years of memories, stories and experiences this is an opportunity to reconnect with former classmates, staff, family and friends of the College. Everyone is welcome, but if you are interested in meeting people from a particular period in the College's history please follow this guide:

Gropius Hall:	5.00pm	1939 – 1955
	5.30pm	1956 – 1972
	6.00pm	1973 – 1989
	6.30pm	1990 – 2006
	7.00pm	2007 – 2014

Premier Film Screening

IVC@75 is a film created by young people that explores different experiences of school over the past 75 years. This will be the first time this film has been screened publicly, and the young film-makers will be present to answer questions.

Brackenbury Room, 5pm & 6.30pm

The Family Group

Henry Moore was so inspired by the Village College concept that he designed a sculpture for Impington called the Family Group. Now it's your turn to get creative. Drop in and draw a picture of your family to add to our installation. **Gropius Hall**

Buildings of the Future

Drawing inspiration from our Grade 1 Listed building we are inviting you to take part in an architecture workshop. Supported by the Royal Institute of British Architects this will be a drop in activity for all ages to enjoy.

Who was Henry Morris?

David Rooney, author of the Henry Morris biography, gives a talk about the creation of the Village Colleges including interesting insights and anecdotes about Morris that may well surprise you! **Brackenbury Room, 6pm**

i75 Ale

The Parents, Staff and Friends Association of IVC has commissioned a special Impington brew called the i75 ale. A team of ale enthusiasts have been working with local microbrewery Lord Conrad's to create the beer which will go on sale at the anniversary weekend. You can also be one of the very first to sample the new brew at the preview tasting event on Friday 12 September, 7pm in the Carnegie Room.

Food and Drink

There will be refreshments served in the Carnegie room including tea, coffee and cake, wine and our very own i75 ale. Visitors are welcome to bring a picnic and enjoy the many green areas around the College (the dining room will also be available in case of wet weather). There will be hot food available in the form of gourmet burgers from Steak and Honour, and delicious handmade local ice-cream from Jack's Gelatos. **Carnegie Room and Front Lawn**

Share your story

Please bring with you stories, photographs, old uniforms and any curious objects relating to IVC. We invite you to share your story through the 75 Pieces exhibition and in the Cabinet of Curiosities

7.30pm – 8.00pm

Finale

Join us outside the front of the College for a special performance from IVC Orchestra. The evening will be closed with some fireworks set behind the Gropius Building. **Front Lawn**

Please note there will be no parking at the front of the Village College. Visitors are invited to use the car parks to the side and back of the College site.

All welcome. Please let us know you are coming by contacting rsvp@impington.cambs.sch.uk or 01223 200400.

Come and join us for an afternoon of activities for all ages including workshops, demonstrations and talks, music, sports and much more.

Community Open Day

12 – 4pm

Apple picking and juicing

Join Histon and Impington Community Orchard Project to help pick and juice the apples from our Lord Lambourne trees. Bring along a clean plastic bottle. Please note that the juice will not be pasteurized. **IVC Orchard**

Get Active

A variety of gym and pool based challenges will be on offer as well as exercise classes to try. Whatever your age, skill or ability, everyone is encouraged to take part. There will be prizes, goodie bags and t-shirts to give away plus a competition to win one year free membership! **Sports Centre**

Model Aeroplane Display

The IVC Model Aeroplane Club presents an exhibition of models. **Classroom G1**

Stalls and more

An opportunity for you to talk to local societies, clubs and groups. Come and share your memories with the Village Society, learn about how the i75 ale was created or sign up to become a member of the Impington Alumni. The 75 Pieces exhibition will also be open across the afternoon.

Call Me Ceilidh

Take a whistle-stop tour of the ceilidh world in this open workshop with Cambridgeshire Music's 15-piece youth ceilidh band from 12 – 2pm. Have a go at playing jigs, reels, hornpipes and polkas. All instruments and abilities welcome. **Music Room E18**

Den Building

Fun den making activity for all ages to enjoy. **Front College Grounds**

Woodturning

Impington Craftsmen's Guild demonstrates the art of woodturning. **Art Room**

12.15 – 12.30pm

Learn a song with Ten Sing

Join Cambridge Ten Sing for a singing workshop when we will learn a song and sing it together for family and friends. *Listen out for singing buskers around the College during the afternoon.* **Grass Quad/ Dining Hall**

12.30 - 1pm

Stretch your Imagination

Children's author and former IVC student Pippa Goodhart will be playing with stories. If you could choose anything, what would *You Choose*? If you were *Winnie the Witch*, what magical things would you do? For ages 5-8 but siblings, little ones and parents also welcome. **IVC Library**

12.30-1pm

Film screening: IVC@75

An opportunity to see a special film created by young people to celebrate the 75th anniversary. **Gropius Hall**

**12.30 – 1.15pm / 1.30 – 2.15pm /
2.30 – 3.15pm**

Fitsteps

Fitsteps is a combination of the most popular Latin and Ballroom dances, designed by two of the professional from Strictly Come Dancing. It's easy to learn and you don't need a partner. Suitable for all ages, under 12s must be accompanied by an adult. **Dance Studio E19**

**12.30 – 1.15pm / 1.30 – 2.15pm /
2.30 – 3.15pm**

Tribal Drumming

Energise yourself and express your free spirit in this fun workshop with beautiful tribal drums. Suitable for all ages, under 12s must be accompanied by an adult. **Dance Studio E14**

12.30 – 3pm

Around the Globe

Drop in and learn about the languages and culture of other countries with an opportunity to meet the languages tutors from adult learning classes in French, German, Japanese and Polish classes. **Classrooms G3, G4, G5**

1 – 2.30pm

Scout Activity Base

Join the fun at the Scout Activity Base with team activities and games for all to enjoy including a Scout favourite *Kabaddi*. Just turn up and take part. **Grass Quad**

1.30 – 2pm

Who was Henry Morris?

David Rooney, author of the Henry Morris biography, gives a talk about the creation of the Village Colleges including interesting insights and anecdotes about Morris that may well surprise you. **Gropius Hall**

2 – 2.30pm

The Bauhaus Connection

Patricia Wyman is an experienced lecturer who spent 14 years teaching in Germany next to the Bauhaus in Dessau. This talk will focus on Walter Gropius, comparing his ideas with the founding of Impington. **Gropius Hall**

2 – 2.30pm

Fact-Filled Fiction

Children's author and former IVC student Pippa Goodhart will be sharing her historical novels. Do you know the myth about the ravens at the Tower of London? Can you imagine what was it like to travel across the globe in 1897 in search of gold? For ages 9-12 but siblings, little ones and parents also welcome. **IVC Library**

2 – 4pm

Open Piano

Impington Music Society hosts an open piano for people who would like the opportunity to play the grand piano. Guest pianists will have a 10 minute slot to play for their own pleasure, and to entertain family and friends. **Brackenbury Room**

3 – 4pm

Thanksgiving Service

The local churches unite to offer a Thanksgiving service at the Village College with plenty of music and singing. **Grass Quad/ Dining Hall**

5.30 – 7pm

Sunday Cinema: The Wizard of Oz

Launching the new monthly cinema night, our first film is a classic from 1939, the same year that the Village College opened. Join Dorothy on her adventures in Oz. Suitable for all ages. Popcorn and refreshments will be available. Please feel free to bring cushions or bean bags for your comfort. **Gropius Hall**

Across the weekend refreshments will be served in the Carnegie Room including tea, coffee and cake, wine and our very own i75 ale. Visitors are welcome to bring a picnic. There will also be hot food available in the form of gourmet burgers from Steak and Honour, and delicious handmade local ice-cream from Jack's Gelatos.

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Premier Screening of IVC @75

IVC@75 is a film created by young people that explores different experiences of school over the past 75 years. As Impington Village College has grown, has the experience of going to school changed? Join current students as they tell you what it's like to go to school now, and as they discover how this compares to years gone by.

Supported by Histon and Impington Youth Committee, coordinated by filmmaker Steve Wallis. The film will be screened to the public for the first time at the anniversary weekend.

Saturday 13 Sept - 5pm and 6.30pm in the Brackenbury Room
Sunday 14 Sept - 12.30pm in the Gropius Hall

Entry is free and all ages are welcome.

Young Filmmakers Competition

Age 10 – 17? Love films? You could be in with a chance of winning a 6 months unlimited cinema token and the chance to screen your work to a wider audience. To enter the competition, make a film based on the theme of **Past, Present, and Future**, no more than 5 minutes long. It could be an animation spectacular, a totally awesome adventure movie, or a gripping documentary. Make it with friends or by yourself. The deadline for entries is 20 December 2014.

Get involved

Supported by the Histon and Impington Youth Committee. If you have an interest in film and would like to help run our community cinema nights please get in touch. Support is needed to run the box office, sell refreshments and also to be part of the programming team who decide on future film choices.

To find out more contact Steve Wallis on
hello@stevanjwallis.com





Sunday Cinema

In September a monthly cinema night will be launched in the Gropius Hall at Impington Village College. When the building opened in 1939 the design of the main auditorium included a projection booth so that films could be screened and enjoyed by the community.... cinema is back in the Gropius Hall for the 75th anniversary!

Refreshments will be available each night including popcorn, sweets, snacks and soft drinks.

- Sunday 14 Sept, 5.30pm **The Wizard of Oz** U rated. 103 mins

Dorothy (Judy Garland) and her dog Toto are swept away in a tornado to the magical Land of Oz. Here she meets some memorable friends and foes in her journey to meet the Wizard of Oz.

Free entry – donations welcome

- Sunday 12 Oct, 6pm **The Book Thief** 12 rated. 131 mins

An extraordinary, spirited young girl sent to live with a foster family in WWII Germany. Intrigued by the only book she brought with her, she begins collecting books as she finds them. She learns to read and creates a magical world that inspires them all.

Tickets: £3 adults, £2 students age 12+

- Sunday 9 Nov, 7pm **Inside Llewyn Davis** 15 rated. 104 mins

Living at the mercy of both friends and strangers, Llewyn's misadventures take him from the basket houses of Greenwich Village to an empty Chicago club on an odyssey to audition for music mogul Bud Grossman.

This screening will include live music acts before the film plus a licensed bar. Strictly over 15s only.

Tickets: £5 adults, £3 students age 15+

- Sunday 14 Dec 4pm **The Lego Movie** U rated. 100 mins

Emmet and his friends go on an epic journey to stop the evil tyrant, Lord Business, from gluing the Lego universe into eternal stasis! This fantasy animation is fun for all the family at Christmas. Make yourself at home by bringing your own cushions or bean bags.

Tickets: £3 adults, £2 children, £10 family ticket (2 adults plus up to 3 children)

- Sunday 11 Jan **You choose!** ...tell us what film you'd like to see.

- Sunday 8 Feb **Young Filmmakers Competition**

An evening of short films and animations made by young people.

The competition is free to enter and there are great prizes on offer. For details contact Steve Wallis on hello@stevenjwallis.com

- Sunday 8 Mar **You choose!** ...tell us what film you'd like to see.

- Sunday 19 Apr **You choose!** ...tell us what film you'd like to see.

- Sunday 18 Jul **Impington 75 Cinema Celebration**

Premier screening of a film documenting activities across the anniversary year, plus a programme of shorts films and animations made by local people.

Cinema Special.

As part of International Week of Languages at IVC there will be a special film screening in September.

El laberinto del fauno (Pan's Labyrinth) - in Spanish with subtitles
Friday 26 Sept, 4.30pm 15 rated. 118 mins

In 1944 fascist Spain, a girl, fascinated with fairy-tales, is sent to live with her new stepfather, a ruthless captain of the Spanish army. During the night, she meets a fairy who takes her the middle of the labyrinth. She must prove herself by surviving three gruesome tasks in this eerie but captivating fantasy world.

Free entry – donations welcome. Over 15s only.



The Importance of Impington

Impington Village College has the distinction of being the only public building in the UK designed by Walter Gropius, founder of the Bauhaus.

When it opened 75 years ago the design of the Village College was very radical, bringing new ideas that had never been seen before. It paved the way for a whole new approach to public buildings, bringing the modernist movement in architecture to Britain. The Village College at Impington drew interest from all over the world, and in 1939 the British Council commissioned a series of photographs to document the building. You can see these images and read more about why Impington is unique in a new exhibition at the Village College. The exhibition which marks the 75th anniversary runs from Saturday 13 September – Saturday 6 February. For details visit www.75Pieces.org.uk

Buildings of the Future

What will our schools and communities look like in the future? The Royal Institute of British Architects in the East region has been running schools workshops to find out what young people think. In June a series of workshops led by RIBA Architects took place in partner primary schools in Histon and Impington, Girton, Oakington and Milton. The students created imaginative models of underground and tree top dwellings, zero-gravity football pitches, and buildings with a whole range of eco inventions. Whilst students at the primary schools made models, Histon Early Years Centre set to work building dens. The youngsters worked with IVC International Sixth Form students to explore different material and create imaginative spaces. More den making and architecture workshops for everyone to enjoy during the anniversary weekend.

Coming soon

In spring IVC Art Department will be working with artist, Harry Gray, to create a temporary installation at the Village College to mark the 75th Anniversary. The project will involve a series of designs cut onto grassed areas of the College. Students past and present, and members of the local community are invited to get involved. Please contact Alison Elmslie on aelmslie@impington.cambs.sch.uk

Talk Architecture

Are you interested in design, architecture or the built environment?

Join the architecture discussion at this series of interactive talks hosted by Impington Village College in partnership with the Royal Institute of British Architects.

- **Wednesday 8 October, 7 – 8pm: The Shock of the New**

New architecture - where is it going? What will our lives look like in 2050?

- **Wednesday 22 October, 7 – 8pm: Architecture - Beauty, craft and industry**

Must architecture be beautiful? Should the aesthetics of design be secondary to function?

- **Wednesday 12 November, 7 – 8pm: Reaching for the Skies**

Tall buildings and the low down on Cambridge in the future.

- **Wednesday 26 November 7- 8pm: Design Matters**

From interior design to urban design – what matters and why does it change?

The discussions will be introduced and chaired by Yasmin Shariff MA DipArch RIBA.

The talks will take place in the Gropius Hall at Impington Village College, CB24 9LX. The Grade 1 Listed building which opened in 1939 is the only public building in the UK designed by Walter Gropius, founder of the Bauhaus. It is a stunning example of modernist architecture which inspired a new approach to the design of public building across Britain and beyond.

Open to all ages.

Donations encouraged on the door to support the Gropius Restoration Project.

Book tickets online at: www.impington75.org.uk



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Impington Music Society Concerts

Brackenbury Room, Impington Village College. 7.30pm

Since 1939 the Music Society at Impington Village College has presented an annual programme of concerts in the Brackenbury Room. The 75th Anniversary year is no exception with a busy programme of 12 concerts featuring a wonderful range of music.

- Friday 26 September: James Eisner, tenor baritone and Yukie Smith piano
- Friday 3 October: Hayley Hind and Gordon Ogilvy play a selection of piano duets.
- Friday 17 October: Well-known teacher Frances Poole presents her talented violin students in solo and ensemble performances.
- Friday 7 November: Kokopellis Wind Quintet. Well known Cambridge flautist Brenda Dykes and friends.
- Friday 21 November: Anne Datson presents an illustrated talk on The Lives of Gilbert and Sullivan.
- Friday 12 December: Cellist Helen Godfrey and her Palm Court Tree-O present Christmas in the Palm Court – informal concert. Please bring your own wine and nibbles.
- Friday 16 January: Hi5 – a ladies' barbershop quintet present a varied and light hearted programme with some audience participation.
- Friday 30 January: Students from Impington Village College's outstanding Music Department present a varied selection of solo and group performances.
- Friday 13 February: Students from the Perse Sixth Form College
- Friday 27 February: Dr James Stygall introduces a variety of brass instruments.
- Friday 13 March 13: Wind Quintet led by Simon Bond on bassoon
- Friday 27 March 27: Matthew McCombie gives a solo piano recital. A former IVC student and now professional concert pianist concludes the year in fine style.

Season tickets can be purchased for £25 allowing entry to all 12 concerts. Tickets on the door are £5. Advance booking is advisable. For further details please contact Pat Labistour on 01954 201535.

Gitron Players Murder Mystery: This Deadly Sanctuary

Thursday 18 September – Friday 19 September, 7.30pm
Gropius Hall, Impington Village College

It is 1941, and a group of friends has gathered in the Hyde family mansion to commemorate the death of Jacob Hyde who drowned 10 years ago. But dinner is interrupted by an air raid siren, and the group descends to the shelter of the basement, one of them is soon dead. It is up to the hapless Constable Bowers - there in her position as Air Raid Warden - to try to solve the crime.

Can you see through the motivations, the means and the manipulations before she can? During this murder mystery evening there are prizes and glories waiting for the first person to come up with the solution. Come as you are, or in WW2 dress. Your local air raid crew will run a licensed bar (please don't bring your own), but do feel free to bring your own edibles.

Tickets £8/ £6 at www.gitronplayers.org or on 01223 277619



Impington Performance presents: Lord of the Flies

Tuesday 4 November, 7pm
Gropius Hall, Impington Village College

Based on the dystopian novel by Nobel Prize-winning author William Golding, the play is about a group of young people who are forced to govern themselves with disastrous results. Contains complex material that parents may find unsuitable for younger audiences.

Tickets available from IVC Finance Office in October.

Cabaret

Tuesday 16 – Thursday 18 December, 7.30pm
Gropius Hall, Impington Village College

An American singer in 1930s Berlin falls in love with a bi-sexual and is then seduced by a rich playboy. With a live band and stunning costumes this musical is packed with decadent allure! Contains material not suitable for a younger audience so recommended for age 12+.

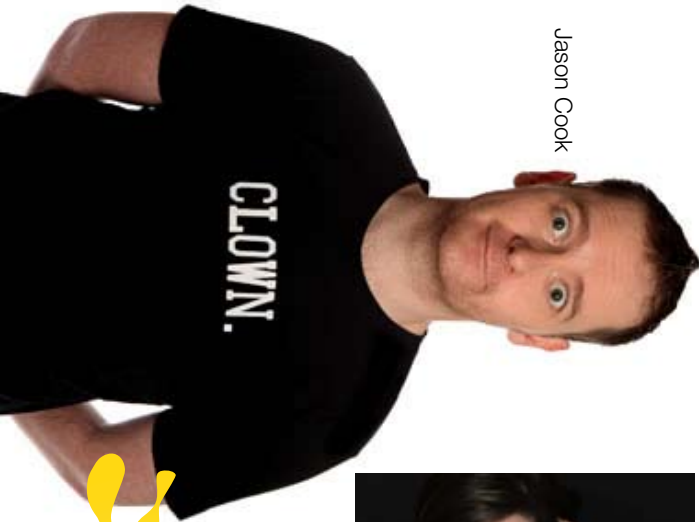
Tickets available from IVC Finance Office in December.

IVC presents: Celebrating 75 Years

Wednesday 25 – Thursday 26 February, 7.30pm
Gropius Hall, Impington Village College

A show which captures some of the key moments in the history of Impington Village College from 1939 to present day. Performers from Year 7 through to Year 13. There will also be a 5pm matinee performance for the junior school students and family audiences.

Tickets available from IVC Finance Office in February.



Jason Cook



Laura
Lexx



Ian Stone

Custard

Friday 31 October: **Ian Stone**

Ranked amongst the top ten stand-ups in Britain by The Independent, Ian Stone is one of the most talented topical acts and comperes in the country. Edgy and provocative, with an easy-going manner and self-deprecating style, Stone is at great ease bantering with an audience. Stone is a member of the Comedy Store's critically acclaimed 'Cutting Edge' team and has performed all over the world

Sports fans may recognise Ian Stone from TV as the presenter of the weekly sports panel show *Off The Ball*. Stone is also a regular on Five Live's *Fighting Talk*, and has made many TV appearances including *Mock The Week*, *Never Mind The Buzzcocks* and *The Stand-Up Show*.

Support acts:

Britain's only Goth, lesbian, transsexual comedian **Bethany Black** provides a sarcastic and dark view of the world's taboo subjects in a neat PVC clad package. Slender, stunning and a constant source of confusion for the menfolk in the audience, Bethany will always leave you wanting more.

Described as what would be the result if Victoria Wood and Billy Connolly had children, **Mel Moon** is fast becoming a firm favourite on the UK comedy circuit. Combining subtle humour and well-crafted songs, she covers topics from equine dentists to Richard and Judy with ease and intelligence.

The MC is **Laura Lexx**, one of the most effortless comedians making a splash in the comedy scene today. She indulges her audience with childish glee and attention, and her shows are never the same twice. A finalist at both the Paramount and Chortle student comedy finals, she's "a true pro" and guaranteed to bring a smile to your face.

At the Gropius Hall
Impington Village College
7.30pm

Comedy
www.custardcomedy.co.uk



Tickets £12.50
Book online at www.impington75.org.uk
Licensed bar
Doors open 7.30pm, first act starts at 8.15pm
All line-ups are subject to change.

Friday 30 January: Surprise Headliner – to be announced

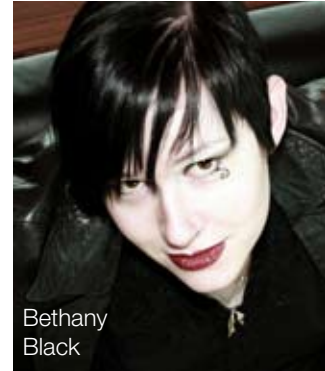
Custard Comedy have been at Edinburgh Fringe Festival looking for new acts, and older acts with cracking new sets, to bring to your doorstep in 2015. In January you can expect another great line-up with a top notch headliner, two support acts and a craftful compere. Please check the website for announcements about the special headline act. You can also follow on Twitter @ImpingtonEvents

Friday 29 May: Jason Cook

Be ready for pretty much anything when Jason Cook takes to the stage. Behind his cheerful and charming Geordie exterior lurks a dark, sharp comedic mind capable of taking an unsuspecting audience to places they didn't want to go.

Cook's first solo show took Edinburgh Fringe by storm in 2007 earning 5 star reviews. He then embarked on a sell-out world tour and scooped the coveted Best International Show at the New Zealand International Comedy Festival. Cook returned to the Fringe in 2008, 2009 and 2010 with yet more 5 star reviews, and another world tour. In 2012 Cook's award-winning sitcom Hebburn starring Vic Reeves and Gina Mckee, was commissioned by the BBC for a full series on BBC2.

Describe by Time Out London as "the Geordie genius", Jason Cook has a way of presenting true-to-life stories that drag you in and won't let you go! Support acts to be confirmed.



Bethany
Black



Mel

Moon

What's on

September

Monday 8
 Friday 12
 Sat 13 - Sun 14
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 Friday 26

The Acoustic Project. Music Block, 5-7pm
 i75 Ale tasting event. Carnegie Room, 7pm-10pm
 Impington 75th Anniversary celebration weekend
 Sunday Cinema: The Wizard of Oz. Gropius Hall, 5.30pm
 Adult Learning free taster classes
 Architecture Day in College
 Girton Players: This Deadly Sanctuary. Gropius Hall, 7.30pm
 Farmers Market. Gropius Hall, 9am-12pm
 The Acoustic Project. Music Block, 5-7pm
 International Week of Languages
 Cinema special: Pan's Labyrinth. Gropius Hall, 4.30pm
 Impington Music Society. Brackenburg Room, 7.30pm

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1939 Day in College – students and staff step back in time!
 Impington Music Society. Brackenburg Room, 7.30pm
 The Acoustic Project. Music Block, 5-7pm
 Talk Architecture: Shock of the New. Gropius Hall, 7-8pm
 Sunday Cinema: The Book Thief. Gropius Hall, 6pm
 Impington Music Society. Brackenburg Room, 7.30pm
 Farmers Market. Gropius Hall, 9am-12pm
 The Acoustic Project. Music Block, 5-7pm
 Talk Architecture: Beauty, craft & industry. Gropius Hall, 7-8pm
 IV See IV Hear. By music students. Music Block, 7pm
 Custard Comedy with Ian Stone. Gropius Hall, 7.30pm

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November

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Impington Music Society. Brackenburg Room, 7.30pm
 IVC Performance: Lord of the Flies. Gropius Hall, 7pm.
 PSFA Christmas Photography Day. Book your portraits.
 Sunday Cinema: Inside Lewyn Davis. Gropius Hall, 7pm
 Talk Architecture: Reaching for the Skies. Gropius Hall, 7-8pm
 Farmers Market. Gropius Hall, 9am – 12pm
 Open Library and Scrapstore. IVC Library, 10am-2pm
 IVC Model Aeroplane Club Indoor Fly Day. Gym, 9am-5pm
 Impington Music Society. Brackenburg Room, 7.30pm
 Talk Architecture: Urban Design. Gropius Hall, 7 – 8pm
 Adult Learning Saturday workshops

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December

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 Tue 16 - Thu 18
 Saturday 20

Impington Music Society. Brackenburg Room, 7.30pm
 An evening of plays by IVC Performing Arts
 Sunday Cinema: The Lego Movie. Gropius Hall, 4pm
 IVC Performance School: Cabaret. Gropius Hall, 7.30pm.
 Farmers Market. Gropius Hall, 9am – 12pm

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January

Sunday 11 Sunday Cinema: your film choice! Gropius Hall 8-9
 Friday 16 Impington Music Society. Brackenburg Room, 7.30pm 12
 Saturday 17 Farmers Market. Gropius Hall, 9am – 12pm 18-19
 Saturday 17 Open Library and Scrapstore. IVC Library, 10am – 12pm 23
 Friday 30 Custard Comedy Club. Gropius Hall, 7.30pm 14-15
 Friday 30 Impington Music Soc. with IVC Music. Brackenburg Rm, 7.30pm 12

February

Sunday 8 Sunday Cinema: Film Competition Screening. Gropius Hall 8-9
 Thursday 12 IV See IV Hear: music students. Music Block, 7pm -
 Friday 13 Impington Music Society. Brackenburg Room, 7.30pm 12
 Sat 14 – Wed 18 PSFA Art Exhibition -
 Saturday 21 Farmers Market. Gropius Hall, 9am – 12pm 18-19
 Wed 25 – Thu 26 IVC present: Celebrating 75 Years. Gropius Hall 13
 Friday 27 Impington Music Society. Brackenburg Room, 7.30pm 12

March

Saturday 7 Adult Learning Saturday workshops 28-29
 Sunday 8 Sunday Cinema: your film choice! Gropius Hall 8-9
 Friday 13 Impington Music Society. Brackenburg Room, 7.30pm 12
 Saturday 21 Farmers Market. Gropius Hall, 9am – 12pm 18-19
 Friday 27 Impington Music Society. Brackenburg Room, 7.30pm 12

April

Saturday 18 Farmers Market. Gropius Hall, 9am – 12pm 18-19
 Saturday 18 Open Library and Scrapstore. IVC Library, 10am – 12noon 23
 Sunday 19 Sunday Cinema: your film choice! Gropius Hall 8-9

May

Saturday 16 Farmers Market. Gropius Hall, 9am – 12pm 18-19
 Thursday 21 IV See IV Hear: Music students. Music Block, 7pm -
 Friday 29 Custard Comedy with Jason Cook. Gropius Hall, 7.30pm 14-15

June

15 Jun – 3 Jul Exhibition of 75 Pieces anthology. The Prom 20
 Saturday 20 Farmers Market. Gropius Hall, 9am – 12pm 18-19
 Saturday 27 Adult Learning Saturday workshops 28-29

July

Wednesday 1 Performing Arts Exit Show. Gropius Hall, 7.30pm 13
 Wednesday 8 A Summer's Evening of Music. Gropius Hall, 7pm -
 Saturday 18 Farmers Market. Gropius Hall, 9am – 12pm 18-19
 Sat 18 – Sun 19 Impington 75 Festival Finale weekend -



**Celebrating 75 years of
 Village College life**

1939 - 2014



Farmers Markets at Impington Village College

Every third Saturday of the month Impington Village College hosts a food and craft market by Farmers Fayres. If you believe in great tasting food, and you like to know where your food comes from then a visit to the farmers market is a must.

Gathered together under one roof is a fantastic range of local artisan produce and goods including organic bread, meat, fruit and vegetables, honey, plants, pies, handmade crafts including baby items, fair trade gifts, jewellery, and much more.

You can travel the globe by taking a wander round the hall. As the scent of freshly ground coffee beans fills the air you can feast your eyes on Greek olives and oils, Italian meats and cheeses, Indian samosas and curry sauces, Mediterranean tartlets and exquisite French patisseries. Returning to home shores there is the smell of freshly baked bread and scones, old fashioned cakes and a fine range of English cheese, marshmallows, chutneys, jams and fruit cordials. There is also a fantastic range of game, chicken, eggs, fresh and smoked fish, pork and beef products, award winning pies and pasties for your weekly menus.

The plant stalls have a range of vegetable and herb plants, hanging baskets, bedding, and perennials. There are also fresh cut flowers to bring the garden into your house. If you are looking for a special gift the craft stalls offer unique and beautiful hand knits, baby quilts, handcrafted pens, stained glass, skin care products, jewellery, cards for all occasions and fair trade gifts.

At the farmers markets you can sit for a while to enjoy a cup of coffee or tea, whilst tasting the delicious hot waffles that are available from one of the cake stalls. There is also a specialist baker who produces homemade sweet and savoury treats that are free from wheat, gluten, dairy and refined white sugar

Shopping at the farmers market offers you a chance to ask questions about the food you are eating, and how it's made, to the producers themselves. It is a relaxing way to spend a Saturday morning, and by supporting the farmers market you are supporting local producers.

Dates for your diary:

- Saturday 20 September, 9am – 12pm
- Saturday 18 October, 9am – 12pm
- Saturday 15 November, 9am – 12pm
- Saturday 20 December, 9am – 12pm
- Saturday 17 January, 9am – 12pm
- Saturday 21 February, 9am – 12pm
- Saturday 21 March, 9am – 12pm
- Saturday 18 April, 9am – 12pm
- Saturday 16 May, 9am – 12pm
- Saturday 20 June, 9am – 12pm
- Saturday 18 July, 9am – 12pm



For further details please contact farmersfayres@gmail.com or visit www.farmersfayres.co.uk





Your Words

As part of the celebrations the English Faculty is putting together an anthology of 75 pieces of writing. The aim is to include voices from IVC past and present, including students, staff, families and the community. The pieces of writing should be:

- between 350 and 400 words long
- about memories of IVC, or about something significant that has happened in the 75 years the college has been open
- any style (a descriptive piece, anecdote, memoir, poem, rap (printed words) or even a fictional extract)
- with a title and a name (although you can also submit work anonymously)

All of the writing submitted will be considered, and there will be an editing process if necessary. If you would like to find out more, or to submit a piece of writing please contact Tamsin Eddy on teddy@impington.cambs.sch.uk

Sensory Room Appeal

To mark the 75th Anniversary the Special Educational Needs Department at IVC has set themselves a challenge; to raise funds to support a new sensory room at Impington Village College. A sensory room provides a therapeutic nurturing environment for children and adults who experience difficulty processing the world around them. At IVC there are students with a wide range of additional needs, including Autistic Spectrum Condition (ASC). Many experience significant sensory sensitivity which means they find it difficult to understand and interact with the world around them.

To repair and convert the space including installation of new windows, insulation, decoration and power will cost £19,000. The space will then need to be kitted out with items such as fibre optic lights, music making kit and bubble tubes costing in the region of £11,000. The Department is at the start of their fundraising journey and looking for support. If you think you can help in any way please get in touch with Sharonne Horlock on shorlock@impington.cambs.sch.uk or 01223 200403.

Watch this space

In the spring the Science Faculty will be running a science week themed on 75 years of development. If anyone has ideas to support this new initiative please get in touch with the Science Faculty on knortonberry@impington.cambs.sch.uk or 01223 200400.

International Week of Languages 2014

The annual International Week of Languages at IVC will take place on Monday 22 – Friday 25 September. This is an important event in the College calendar as it presents an opportunity to celebrate all the languages and cultures that are part of IVC, as well as giving an opportunity for students to learn something new.

Throughout the week assemblies are held by the Languages Faculty, and all teachers greet their classes in a foreign language. On Monday selected Year 9 students will take a Portuguese class, whilst students from Year 8 will be introduced to Greek on Tuesday. Cambridge University Language Learning will be leading sessions with Year 11 and 12 students on Tuesday. Wednesday will be International Food Tasting day with an opportunity to try treats from different countries. Also on Wednesday Year 8 along with their exchange students from our partner school in Gernsheim, Germany, will be working together on a Bauhaus inspired project with the Art Department.

On Thursday Year 7 students will be treated to a French play by the Onatti Theatre Company. The activities will culminate in a special international film screening in the Gropius Hall on Thursday 24 September, 4.30pm. Students, staff and members of the community are welcome to this special cinema screening of *El laberinto del fauno* (Pan's Labyrinth). The film will be screened in Spanish with English subtitles, and is rated 15, so anyone age 14 or under will not be admitted. Popcorn and refreshments will be available.

To find out more about International Week of Languages please contact Anna Marcus on amarcus@impington.cambs.sch.uk



Did you know? A staggering 49 languages are spoken by students at IVC.

Arabic • Azeri • Bengali • Bulgarian • Catalan • Chinese/Cantonese • Chinese/Mandarin • Czech • Danish • Dutch/Flemish • Ebra • English • Estonian • Filipino • Finnish • French • German • Greek • Gujarati • Hindi • Hungarian • Italian • Japanese • Korean • Krio • Lithuanian • Luo • Malayalam • Pashto • Persian/Farsi • Polish • Portuguese • Romanian • Russian • Serbian/Croatian • Shona • Slovak • Slovenian • Spanish • Swedish • Tagalog • Tamil • Telugu • Temne • Thai • Turkish • Urdu • Vietnamese • Yoruba



Sustainable IVC

In 2014 Impington Village College embarks on an innovative £1 million programme with Skanska. The programme is the **first of its kind** in the country, and will involve a major retrofit to **reduce the carbon footprint** by a staggering **50%** as well as bringing educational benefits and learning opportunities for students.

1

Controls, metering and monitoring



2



Lighting rationalisation and controls

3



Behavioural programme

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Voltage Optimisation



Annual saving: **£39,331**
Annual revenue: **£83,388**
CO2 saving: **49KgCO2/m²/pa**



50kWp Photovoltaic panel array

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3 x 199 kW wood pellet biomass boilers



There will be opportunities to find out more later in the year. Keep up to date on Twitter @impington75 or online at www.impington75.org.uk

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IVC Library

The Library at IVC is a friendly hub with around 15,000 resources including DVDs, CDs, magazines, careers information, manga and graphic novels. The Library is open during school hours, and this year Librarian Judith Brown is busy planning special events and activities to encourage a vibrant reading community.

Craft in the Library

The Library will be open to the local community for a series of special craft and upcycling events that coincide with the Farmers Markets on Saturday 15 November, Saturday 17 January and Saturday 18 April.

This is an opportunity to come and be inspired by the fantastic craft books in the Library whilst also stocking up on supplies. Visitors will be able to buy materials for crafts and art projects from the Scrapstore which offers a wide variety of materials at very reasonable prices. It is an opportunity to share ideas, supplies and upcycling knowledge. For those looking for inspiration there will be a fantastic selection of arts and crafts books to browse. If you are a keen maker, sewer, knitter, artist or craftsperson who would like to share what you do please get in touch. Your work and ideas could inspire others.

The sessions are free to attend and all ages are welcome. No need to book in advance, just drop in between 10am – 12pm and get creative! Scrapstore in the Library is supported by the Parents, Staff and Friends Association. If you would like to find out more or get involved please contact psfa@impington.cambs.sch.uk

Stretch your Imagination!

On Sunday 14 September, children's author and former IVC student Pippa Goodhart will be visiting the Library. Pippa will be sharing her books and running interactive sessions playing with stories to stretch your imagination! If you could choose anything, what would YOU CHOOSE? If you were Winnie the Witch, what magical things would you do?

Pippa has had over ninety children's books published, ranging from picture books, through early readers to novels. Come along and find out more at the Open Day on Sunday 14 September, 12 – 4pm.

We Need To Talk About Reading

The Library runs a reading blog with news about project and opportunities, reviews and reading challenges. You can find out more and join the conversation online at weneedtotalkaboutreading.wordpress.com

Did you know?

The Library is home to the College archive which holds material dating back to the 1920s. You can see a selection of artefacts and read more at the special 75th Anniversary exhibition which will run at the College from September 2014 to February 2015.

Follow the Library on Twitter @LibraryIVC



Impington Alumni – join the former student network

Impington Village College is working with the charity Future First to help build a network of former students. If you attended IVC at any time between 1939 and 2014 the College would love for you to join the Impington Alumni Network. As a member of the Alumni you will be kept up to date with news, and also hear about opportunities to get involved if you want to.

The Impington Alumni has 350 members so far with people joining for many different reasons. For some it is the opportunity to get in touch with former classmates. For others it is the opportunity to help inspire the young people who now sit in their old seats. In July seven former students visited the College to speak to Year 10 about their career paths as a lawyer, festival director, teacher, designer, police officer, musician, businessman and international traveller. During the 75th Anniversary year former students will be getting involved in specific projects where their experiences are helping current students. If this could be you then please get in touch. There is no obligation to do anything after you've signed up, and there is no cost involved. Whether you are still in the area or have moved away, the College would love to keep in touch.

To become a member simply sign up online at www.networks.futurefirst.org.uk

There will be an opportunity to meet reconnect with former classmates and teachers at the 75th Anniversary Celebration event on Saturday 13 September. If you were a student, member of staff, parent and friend of the College in the following years please come along to the main Gropius Hall.

5.00pm	1939 – 1955
5.30pm	1956 – 1972
6.00pm	1973 – 1989
6.30pm	1990 – 2006
7.00pm	2007 - 2014

For further details about the Impington Alumni contact alumni@impington.cambs.sch.uk

Impington Alumni



Parents, Staff and Friends Association

The Association runs events and activities throughout the year including an annual art exhibition, fireworks, comedy nights, second-hand uniform sales, refreshments at College events and fundraising activities. New members and volunteers are always welcome. Read on to find out about just some of the projects that the PSFA are currently planning.



Portrait Photography Day - Saturday 8 November

Have professional photographs taken of your family and friends ready for Christmas. Back by popular demand Top Hat Photography bring their studio to IVC for the day offering you chance to book a photo shoot for families or friendships groups. The photos from your sitting can be purchased online at very reasonable prices, and delivered direct to your door in time for you to send as Christmas gifts. Each sitting can involve up to 10 people, sorry no animals. You can book a 10 or 15 minute slot during which you choose different groupings and individual portraits. Top Hat photography specialises in 'relaxed' sittings, and can take informal images as well as more formal portraits. To provisionally reserve a slot, email psfa@impington.cambs.sch.uk indicating whether the morning or afternoon would suit you better.

Join the 200 Club

It's a simple idea that costs just £3 a month – and all those who join are in with a chance of winning many times that amount each month in cash prizes. Half of all the takings are distributed as prize money, while the other half helps the school and students pay for resources and experiences that would be unaffordable from normal school budgets.

To find out how you could win cash whilst supporting a good cause please email psfa@impington.cambs.sch.uk

i75 Ale Launch Event –Friday 12 September

You may have heard that the PSFA has been working with Lord Conrad's Brewery in Dry Drayton to create a special celebration ale for Impington. The project, which is a fundraiser for the Impington75 restoration appeal, will see bottles of the new brew go on sale in September. If you would like to be the first to sample the new ale come along to the special launch and tasting event on Friday 12 September, 7 – 10pm. The first firkin of i75 ale will be opened and some tasty local food will be on offer. Tickets are £10 including drinks and nibbles.

Follow on Twitter @ImpingtonPSFA



Impington Sports Centre



On Sunday 14 September the Sports Centre will be taking part in the 75th Anniversary open day. There will be various gym or pool based challenges for all to enjoy.

Impington Sports Centre

In 1989 IVC announced ambitions to build a new sports and leisure facility to mark the 50th Anniversary of the College. The jubilee project resulted in the building of a swimming pool with changing rooms, followed by a new hall and further facilities. The commitment to sports and fitness has continued through the years with upgrades and new developments to ensure the best facilities are available to the community.

Today Impington Sports Centre offers a wide range of activities to help everybody lead a healthier lifestyle. The new 50 station Studio gym houses state-of-the-art equipment to help you maintain or improve your fitness levels. This is complemented by the Thermal Spa where you can relax from the stresses and strains of the day. The 25m deck level swimming pool has been refurbished and is available for hire and swimming parties. The sports hall and gym are available for a variety of activities including badminton, five-a-side football, cricket nets and basketball.

You can pick up a full programme from the Sports Centre, or find details about classes and timetables online at www.impington.cambs.sch.uk/impington-sports-centre or on 01223 200404.

Like Impington Sports Centre on Facebook or follow on Twitter @ImpingtonSC



Take part on Sunday 14 September

On Sunday 14 September the Sports Centre will be taking part in the 75th Anniversary open day. There will be various gym or pool based challenges for all to enjoy. Whatever your age, skill or ability, everyone is encouraged to take part. There will also be a variety of exercise classes for people to try out.

There will be prizes, goodie bags and t-shirts to give away to keen participants. There will also be a competition to win one year free membership!

The fun will take place from 12pm – 4pm, and a full programme will be available online or from the centre at the beginning of September.

The 75 give-away

Membership of Impington Sports Centre is free, but all users must sign up for a Leisure Card in order to use any of the facilities. To celebrate the 75th Anniversary of IVC the Sports Centre are running a give-away. **Everyone who signs up for a Leisure Card over the anniversary weekend on 13 – 14 September will receive a free Sport Centre goodie.** Simply come to the reception to find out more.

Did you know?

The Sports Centre run Junior gym sessions

At the sports centre we do run a junior gym program designed to help students lead an active and healthy lifestyle. This runs throughout term time and is a great way for Junior gym users to get used to exercising in a fitness facility.

The sessions run Monday to Friday, 3.30 – 5pm. They are fully supervised by gym staff and often involve completing gym based challenges or mini group workouts.

Having this option is great as it gives the junior members an indoor activity to keep them fit and well in a relaxed, and more importantly familiar, environment.





Classes and workshops for Adults

The role of a Village College is to provide opportunities for people of all ages, and at Impington the Adult Learning team works hard to ensure this ethos is maintained. There is a packed programme of opportunities for adults whether you want to learn new skills, improve fitness, get creative or simply have fun and meet new people.

Daytime and evening classes run during the week from Monday to Thursday, and there are also popular Saturday workshops running each term. The 2014-15 programme has been built on the familiar and successful courses as well as many new additions. As an International School languages are very important at Impington, and this is also reflected in the Adult Learning programme. There are many languages courses including Japanese and Polish, and lots of different levels depending on what you want to achieve. If you are interested in learning a language there is an opportunity to meet some of our tutors at the community open day on Sunday 14 September.

Classes on offer:

Acrylic painting	Kettlebells	Guitar
Creative crafts	Legs, bums and tums	Ukulele
Drawing	Mindfulness	English as a foreign language
Dressmaking	Pilates	French
Life drawing	Total body workout	German
Patchwork and quilting	Yoga	Italian
Pottery	Zumba	Japanese
Watercolour	Digital photography	Polish
Wood turning	Microsoft Excel	Spanish
Counselling	Microsoft PowerPoint	Website design
Fitsteps	Microsoft Word	

Free taster classes: (One per person)

Mon 15 Sept, 6 – 7pm: Fitsteps

Fitsteps is easy to learn, fun to do. It is a combination of the best known and most popular Latin and Ballroom dances, designed by two of the best Strictly Come Dancing dancers and dance teachers in the UK, Natalie Lowe and Ian Waite. Learners do not need to be able to dance and you do not need a partner.



Mon 15 Sept, 7 – 8pm: Total Body Workout

It's a great workout that works on all muscles. It consists of 10 minutes warm up, 20 minutes of interval training, 15 minutes of exercises focused on core muscles and 15 minutes of stretching. All exercises can be low/medium or high intensity depending on the fitness level of participants.

Wed 17 Sept, 6.30 – 7.30pm: Leg, Bums and Tums

This is a fantastic calorie burning aerobic workout which targets the problem areas of the lower body. It is ideal for learners wishing to lose weight and those who want to improve their level of fitness and stamina.

Thur 18 Sept, 6.15 – 7.15pm: Zumba

A Latin-inspired, dance fitness class that incorporates Latin and International music and dance movements. By joining in the Zumba fun, you will learn Merengue, Salsa, Cha Cha Cha, Cumbia, Belly Dance, Flamenco, Tango, Rock and Roll and many other popular dance moves.

One Day Workshops:

Saturday 29 November

Basic Sewing Skills	£30/ £24 concessions
Charcoal Workshop	£20/ £17 concessions
Christmas Cup Cakes	£30/ £24 concessions
Christmas Flowers	£40/ £36 concessions
Computer – Basic Skills	£30/ £24/ free for over 60s
Create a Website in a Day	£30/ £24 concessions
Life Drawing	£45/ £39 concessions
Sew a Christmas Stocking	£30/ £24 concessions

Saturday 7 March; Get in touch for details about courses

Saturday 27 June; Get in touch for details about courses



For further details about Adult Learning including course information and booking forms please visit www.impington.cambs.sch.uk or contact the Adult Learning Office on 01223 200411 or adultlearning@impington.cambs.sch.uk.



Clubs and Community

Impington Village College Model Aeroplane Club

The Club was founded in 1946 by a member of staff at IVC, Ray Malmström.

Today the Club has a membership of more than sixty, who fly a whole variety of models including stick and tissue models, control line models and radio controlled models. The Club will be showing a variety of models at the community open day on Sunday 14 September. There will also be a major Fly Day for indoor models in the Sports Centre on Sunday 16 November. For further details visit www.ivcmac.co.uk

Impington Music Society

Since 1939 the Music Society at Impington Village College has presented an annual programme of concerts in the Brackenbury Room. The concerts include music from baroque to jazz, and solos to full orchestras. The Society encourages youngsters and is proud to follow their careers in music. The Society meets every fortnight on a Friday at 7.30pm. If you are interested in joining the society please contact Pat on 01954 201535.

Please see page 12 for further details of the 2014-15 concert series.

Impington Table Tennis Club

Table Tennis has been played at Impington Village College since its opening in 1939.

The present Club has been competing in the local leagues for over fifty years and in the 2013-14 season fielded seven teams in the Cambridge & District League and three teams in the Ely & District League. During the playing season (September to April) the Club reserves Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings for matches. Thursday nights are for open practice so if you are interested in having a go please come to the Dining Hall at IVC, 7.30 – 9.30pm.

1st Histon Scouts

Based just next to the Village College, youngsters get involved in a whole range of activities from day trips and camps, to community events and fundraising. It is lots of fun, social and a great way to try new things and learn to be more independent. There will be a Scout Activity Base at the IVC community open day on Sunday 14 September. Come along between 1 – 2.30pm for fun team games including Kabaddi.

Impington Village College Craftsman's Guild

The Guild was founded in 1946 when potential new members had to be voted in based on their woodworking skills and craftsmanship.

The Guild is now a mixed group of hobbyists who meet on a Thursday night at IVC. There is a wide range of both hand and power tools for the group to use. You can see a demonstration of our work on a lathe at IVC community open day on Sunday 14 September. If you are interested in joining us contact David on 01223 232542 or Chris on 01954 260790.

Histon and Impington Village Society

Established in 1979 the Society aims to stimulate public interest in the history, care and preservation of Histon & Impington. The Society meets once a month at IVC during term time for lectures on themes of local and general interest and has also produced a range of publications sharing pictures, stories and information about the local area. As part of the IVC 75th Anniversary exhibition you can hear recordings made with former students who studied at Impington when the College opened in 1939. To find out more visit www.histonandimpingtonvillagesociety.wordpress.com

HICOP - Histon and Impington Community Orchard Project

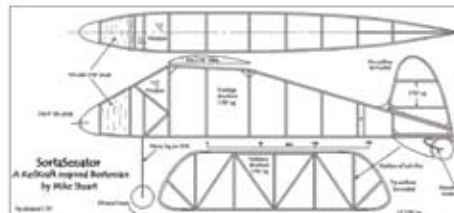
The community orchard was planted in February 2013 by a group of local people who wanted to revive the fruit growing traditions of the local area. Since then the orchard has grown, hedges have been planted and boundaries installed. Volunteers are always welcome to help with the project. As part of the IVC community open day on Sunday 14 September there will be a picking and juicing event. All welcome to join in from 12noon – 4pm. Contact info@hicop.info or 01223 504711 or visit www.hicop.info

Cambridge & Impington Tang Soo Do Club

Based at Impington Sports Centre, the Club offers traditional martial arts training in Tang Soo Do, a Korean form of karate that has roots extending back many hundreds of years. The Club has around 60 members from age 4 to age 50+, ranging in ability from beginner to black belts. Find out about class time or arrange to attend a taster please by contacting Mike Allen or visit www.impingtontsd.co.uk.

Cambridge Ten Sing

A performing arts group for secondary school students which is open to all with no auditions. The group meet every Thursdays in term time at Histon Baptist Church, 7-9pm. Fees to join are just £40 for the year. Ten Sing will be busking and teaching a song at the IVC community open day on Sunday 14 September. For more details contact irene@thebutlins.net.



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To find out more about the Impington 75 Festival or to book tickets please visit www.impington75.org.uk

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Support our work:

Impington Parents, Staff and Friends Association (PSFA) raise money to provide the College with resources not covered by government funding. The PSFA are currently working with the College to raise funds to complete important restoration work on the Gropius Building, as well as supporting a range of special for local benefit. Please pledge your support by volunteering time or by making a donation. For details contact psfa@impington.cambs.sch.uk

