

**SAFFRON WALDEN ORGANISATIONS,
CLUBS & SOCIETIES**

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Other sources of information on local clubs and societies are:

The Saffron Walden Directory: www.saffron-directory.co.uk

CHARITIES, SOCIAL WELFARE, SUPPORT GROUPS ETC:

Action for Family Carers	Kathryn Brennan, Adult Carer Support Worker, 3 Wych Elm, Hemstel Road, Harlow, Essex, CM20 1QP. Tel: 01279 380314 Email: kathryn.brennan@affc.org.uk Webiste: www.carersinessex.org.uk
Alcohol & Drugs Service – West Essex	Website: www.adasuk.org
Age UK Essex	Website: www.ageuk.org.uk/essex
Alzheimer's Society - Uttlesford Branch	Marion Berry, Manager West Essex, 4B Twyford Court, High Street Great Dunmow, Essex, CM6 1AE, Tel: 01371 872519 Email: uttlesford@alzheimers.org.uk Website: www.alzheimers.org.uk
Book-a-Ride (Uttlesford Community Travel)	01371 875787 Email: info@uttlesfordcommunitytravel.org Website: www.uttlesfordcommunitytravel.org
British Heart Foundation	Website: www.bhf.org.uk
Cancer Research Campaign	Website: www.cancerresearchuk.org
Casualties Union	Website: www.casualtiesunion.org.uk
Citizens Advice Bureau - Uttlesford	Kate Robson, Manager, Barnards Yard, Saffron Walden, Essex, CB11 4EB, Tel: 01799 618840 Email: bureau@uttlesfordcab.cabnet.org.uk Website: www.uttlesfordcab.org.uk
Citizens Advice Bureau - Great Dunmow	Unit 8, The Chestnuts, 4 Stortford Road, Gt Dunmow, Essex, CM6 1DA. Tel: 01799 618840 www.uttlesfordcab.org.uk
Contact a Family (for families with disabled children)	Website: www.cafamily.org.uk

Council for Voluntary Service Uttlesford (CVSU)	45 Stortford Road, Great Dunmow, Essex, CM6 1DQ Tel: 01371 878400 Email: enquiries@cvsu.org.uk Website: www.cvsu.org.uk
Carers Support (Essex)	Imperial House, Rosemary Road, Clacton-on-Sea, Essex, CO15 1NZ. Tel:01255 474410 Email: admin@essexcarerssupport.org.uk Website: www.essexcarerssupport.org.uk
CRUSE Bereavement Care	Helpline: 01223 633536 (Open Monday to Friday 9.30am - 1.30pm) Administration: 01223 302662 Email: cambridge@cruse.org.uk
Day Centre, Saffron Walden	The Garden Room, 3 Hill Street, Saffron Walden, Essex, CB10 1EH, Tel: 01799 522772
Dementia Action Alliance (Saffron Walden)	Jean Burnham, Member of Steering Group. Tel: 01799 550661 Email: info@saffronwaldendaa.org.uk
Domestic Violence Helpline (National)	0808 2000 247
Epilepsy Action, Saffron Walden	Christine, Secretary, Tel: 01799 527546
Essex Air Ambulance	Sabi Stafford, Essex Fundraising Manager, Flight House, The Business Centre, Earls Colne Business Park, Earls Colne, Colchester, Essex, CO6 2NS, Tel: 0345 2417 690 Email: sabi.stafford@ehaat.uk.com Website: www.essexairambulance.uk.com
Food Bank – Uttlesford	Malcolm Domb, Co-ordinator, The Well, Abbey Lane, Saffron Walden, Essex, CB10 1AG. Tel: 07531 436335. Email: info@uttlesford.foodbank.org.uk Website: www.uttlesford.foodbank.org.uk
Home Start - Uttlesford	Tel: 01799 520728 Email: admin@homestartuttlesford.org.uk Website: www.homestartuttlesford.org.uk
Hospital, Saffron Walden Community	Mrs Dawn Thake, Non-Clinical Services Manager, Radwinter Road, Saffron Walden, Essex, CB11 3HY, Tel: 01799 562900 Email: dawn.thake@sept.nhs.uk Website: www.sept.nhs.uk
Hospital, Saffron Walden Community League of Friends	Mrs Dawn Thake, Secretary. Tel: 01799 562920
Job Centre Plus	Call Centre: 0345 604 3719
Leading Lives (Support agency for carers)	Tel: 01449 700661 Website: www.leadinglives.org.uk
BEARS MEDICS (Essex Accident Rescue Scheme)	Website: www.bearsmedics.org.uk
Meals on Wheels	By referral from Social Services
Mencap Society - Saffron Walden	Patrick Draper, Chair. 22 Landscape View, Saffron Walden, Essex, CB11 4AU. Tel: 01799 521598 Email: patrickdraper@btinternet.com
MIND – West Essex	Email: talking@mindinwestessex.org.uk Website: www.mindinwestessex.org.uk
Multiple Sclerosis Soc (E Herts & W Essex)	Liz Hibbs, Lead Support Volunteer. Tel: 07880 828 858 (Helpline) Website: www.msssociety.org.uk

National Childbirth Trust	Tel: 0300 330 0700 Website: www.nct.org.uk
Opendoor Counselling Service,	The Multi-Purpose Centre, Fairycroft Road, Saffron Walden, Essex, CB10 1ND. Tel: 07803 178794 (Monday to Friday between 9am and 5pm).
Opportunity Playgroup (children 0-5 years with special needs/ respite care)	Sally James. Tel: 01371 855927 or 07748 918 289 Email: sallyjames@btinternet.com www.swoplaygroup.org.uk
Oxfam Shop Oxfam Books	16 King St, Saffron Walden, CB10 1ES. Tel: 01799 513583 14 George St, Saffron Walden, CB10 1EQ. Tel: 01799 526017
Parentline Plus	0808 800 2222 Website: www.familylives.org.uk
Parkinson's UK Uttlesford Support Group	Judy Millward, Secretary, Tel: 01763 838742 Email: candj.millward@btinternet.com Website: www.parkinsonsuttllesford.org.uk
Red Cross (Beds, Herts & Essex)	Baker Street, Hertford, SG13 7HT Tel: 01992 586609 Email: AdminBHE@redcross.org.uk
Relate	Cambridge 01223 357424. Chelmsford: 01245 258680
Saffron Walden Library - services to blind, partially sighted & housebound	01799 523178
Saffron Walden United Charities	Jim Ketteridge, Clerk to the Trustees, Community Hospital, Radwinter Road, Saffron Walden, Essex, CB11 3HY Tel: 01799 526122
Samaritans (24 Hr service)	Tel: 116 123 Website: www.samaritans.org
St Clare Hospice	St Clare Hospice, Hastingwood Road, Hastingwood, Essex, CM17 9JX, Tel: Tel. 01279 773 700 Email: info@stclarehospice.org.uk Website: www.stclarehospice.org.uk
Save the Children Fund	Website: www.savethechildren.org.uk
Social Services:	Adult Social Care: 0345 603 7630 Children & Young People Social Care: 0345 603 7627 Protection of Children & Vulnerable Adults Line: 0345 606 1212
Stroke Association	www.stroke.org.uk
Stroke Helpline (National)	Tel: 0303 3033100
Support 4 Sight	Paul Atkins, Centre Manager, 2 - 4 George Street, Saffron Walden, Essex, CB10 1EQ. Tel: 01799 523700 Email: info@support4sight.org.uk Website: www.support4sight.org.uk
Talking Newspaper, Saffron Walden	Paul Atkins, Chairperson. Email: desmond.atkins@ntlworld.com
Teenage Cancer Trust	Malcolm White, Email: malcolmdwhite@icloud.com
Thaxted Centre for the Disabled	Dunmow Road, Thaxted, Essex, CM6 2LU, Tel: 01371 830752 Website: http://www.the-trumpet.co.uk/community/thaxted-disabled-centre
The War Research Society	Website: www.battlefieldtours.co.uk

Volunteer Centre Uttlesford
Lizzie Petrie, Manager, c/o Uttlesford District Council Offices,
London Road, Saffron Walden, Essex, CB11 4ER.
Tel: 01799 510525
Email: volunteer@volunteeruttlesford.org.uk
Website: www.volunteeruttlesford.org.uk

Voluntary Sector Training
Linda Riley, Director, 45 Stortford Road, Great Dunmow,
Essex, CM6 1DQ. Tel: 01371 876747.
Email: admin@voluntarysectortraining.org.uk
Website: www.voluntarysectortraining.org.uk

CHURCHES - CONTACTS AND SERVICES

Baptist Church, High Street
Emma Turner, Administrator, or John Goddard, Minister.
Saffron Walden Baptist Church, High Street, Saffron Walden,
Essex, CB11 3HD. Tel: 01799 523031
Email: administrator@sw-bc.org or minister@sw-bc.org
Website: www.sw-bc.org

Community Church (Saffron Walden)
(Formally Gold Street Chapel)
Saffron Walden Community Church,
Castle Street, Saffron Walden, Essex, CB10 1BD.
Tel: 01799 506073. Email: pastor@waldencommunity.org.uk
Website: www.waldencommunity.org.uk

Friends, Religious Society of (Quakers),
High Street
Helen & Karl Gibbs, Wardens, Tel: 01799 521832
Email: saffronquakers@googlemail.com
Website: www.saffronquakers.org.uk

Gold Street Chapel
Rev Jonathan Burton, Minister, Gold Street Chapel,
Gold Street, Saffron Walden, Essex, CB10 1EJ, Tel: 01799 506073
Email: pastor@goldstreetchapel.org.uk
Website: www.goldstreetchapel.org.uk

Parish Church of St Mary the Virgin,
Church Street
Rosie Shaw, Administrator. Tel: 01799 506024
St Mary's Parish Office, Church Path, Saffron Walden,
Essex, CB10 1JP
Email: office@stmaryssaffronwalden.org
Website: www.stmaryssaffronwalden.org

New Life Church (Pentecostal),
Mrs Dawn Dorrington, Administrator, The Christian Centre,
9 Shirehill, Saffron Walden, Essex, CB11 3AQ.
Tel: 01799 506045
Email: mail@nlpc.co.uk
Website: www.nlpc.co.uk

Roman Catholic Church, Castle St.
Father David Clemens, Parish Priest, The Presbytery, Castle Street,
Saffron Walden, Essex, CB10 1BP. Tel: 01799 527011
Email: saffronwalden@dioceseofbrentwood.org
Website: www.rc.net/brentwood/olc

Salvation Army
Captain Carol Baker, Minister, Abbey Lane,
Saffron Walden, Essex, CB10 1AG.
Tel: 01799 510798
Email: co@waldenarmy.org.uk
Website: www.waldenarmy.org.uk

United Reformed Church
Abbey Lane, Saffron Walden, Essex, CB10 1AG
Tel 01799 528325

CHURCH GROUPS

Churches Together in
Saffron Walden

Website: www.ctsw.org.uk

Street Pastors, Saffron Walden

www.saffronwalden.streetpastors.org.uk

DANCE

Dances 4 Dancers

Email: info@dances4dancers.co.uk
Website: www.dances4dancers.co.uk

Saffron School of Dance

38a High Street, Saffron Walden, Essex, CB10 1EP.
Tel: 01799 516982
Email: saffronschoolofdance@yahoo.co.uk

Thaxted Morris Men

Email: info@thaxtedmorris.org
Website: www.thaxtedmorris.org

DRAMA

Clavering Players

Jennifer Scott-Reid, Secretary, 21 Seymour Street, Cambridge,
CB1 3DH. Tel: 01223 241306
Email: jennifer@scott-reidsolutions.co.uk
Website: www.claveringplayers.co.uk

Saffron Players

Vanessa Cowell, Secretary. Tel: 01763 838764
Email: saffronplayers@hotmail.co.uk

A.M.B.E.R. Theatre Circle
(Theatre Trips)

Mrs M Williams, Manager, 9 Stephen Neville Court, Debden Road,
Saffron Walden, Essex, CB11 4DX. Tel: 01799 502379
Email: myrtle.w@ntlworld.com

FUND RAISING GROUPS

The Diamonds

Sharon Willis Tel: 07866 148703 or
Claire Croft Tel: 07929 720432

Inner Wheel Club of Saffron Walden

Judith Chesworth, Secretary, 14 Gold Street, Saffron Walden
Essex, CB10 1EJ. Tel: 01799 502855
Email: judyc14@hotmail.co.uk
Website: www.saffronwaldeninnerwheel.co.uk

Ladies Circle

Sandrine Henry, Chair. Tel: 07729 605487
Email: saffronwaldenladiescircle@google.com
Website: www.ladiescircle.co.uk/saffronwalden

Lions Club of Saffron Walden

Richard Legg, President, 0845 833 9546
Email: Legg65@talktalk.net
Web: www.saffronwaldenlions.org.uk

Lioness Club, Saffron Walden

Mrs A. Howard, Secretary, Email: angela.howard@ntlworld.com

Saffron Walden Round Table

Website: www.swrt.org

HOBBIES

Amateur Radio Soc, Bishop's Stortford	Tony Judge, Secretary, Tel: 07770 475283 Email: g0pqr@hotmail.com Website: www.bsars.org
The Lines Bridge Club, Saffron Walden (formally non-smokers Bridge Club)	Mr JJS Gorman, Treasurer, 2 Lime Meadows, Cole End Lane, Sewards End, Saffron Walden, Essex, CB10 2LQ. Tel: 01799 526805 Email: sgorman@waitrose.com http://www.bridgewebs.com/linessaffronwalden
Camera Club, Saffron Walden	Tel: 07771 870174 Email: enquiries@saffronwaldencc.co.uk Website: www.saffronwaldencc.co.uk
Chess Club, Linton	Tel: 01223 893509 Email: membership@lintonchessclub.org.uk Website: www.lintonchessclub.org.uk
Fishing Club, The Audley Fly	John Brownbridge, Secretary, Tel: 01799 521011
Flower Club, Newport & District	Mrs Barbara Higgins, Chairman. Tel: 01799 550411
Flower Club, Saffron Walden & Dist	Anne Bell. Tel: 01279 879669 Email: annebell21@btinternet.com
Gliding Club – Essex	Website: www.essexgliding.com
Horticultural, Saffron Walden & Dist	Mrs Kate Chambers, Secretary. Tel: 01763 838754 Email: swhortsoc@outlook.com Website: www.swhortsoc.org.uk
Model Engineers S/W & Dist. Soc	Website: www.swdsme.org.uk
Model Flying Club, Stansted	Website: www.stanstedmfc.com
Model Railway Club, Saffron Walden	Phillip Bannister, Secretary. Tel: 07790 722942
Racing Pigeon Association	Tel: 01452 713529 to report lost racing pigeons. Website: www.rpra.org
Saffron Computer Club	Website: www.saffroncomputerclub.co.uk
Saffron Lace Makers	Janice Sharpe, Secretary, Tel: 01799 527718
Wildflower Group, Saffron Walden	Contact: 01799 520042

LEARNED SOCIETIES

Archive Society (Saffron Walden) Essex Society for Family History (North West Essex)	Janice Sharpe, Secretary, Tel: 01799 527718 Website: www.esfh.org.uk
Historical Society, Saffron Walden	Mrs Kathryn Fiddock, Secretary. Email: l.fiddock@ntlworld.com Website: www.saffronwaldenhistory.org.uk
Museum Society, Saffron Walden	Christine Sharpe, Director, Trustee & Membership Officer, Saffron Walden Museum, Museum Street, Saffron Walden, CB10 1JL. Tel: 01799 510333 Email: saffronwaldenms@gmail.com Website: www.swmuseumsoc.org.uk

Saffron Walden Library	2 King Street, Saffron Walden, Essex, CB10 1ES. Tel: 01799 523178 Opening times: Mon, Tue, Thurs, Fri: 09.00 – 18.00 Wed: 09.00 – 13.00 Sat, 09.00 – 17.00 Sun: CLOSED
Saffron Walden Museum	01799 510333 Opening Times: March - October: Tue-Sat 10.00am - 5.00pm, Sun & Bank Holidays 2.00 – 5.00pm November – February: Tue-Sat 10.00am – 4.30pm, Sun & Bank Holidays 2.00 – 4.30pm Closed: Mondays, Christmas Eve & Christmas Day
Town Library Society	Martyn Everett, Chairman, Town Library, 2 King Street, Saffron Walden, Essex, CB10 1ES Website: www.townlib.org.uk
Uttlesford Blue Badge Guides	Tours Organiser, Tel: 01799 526109

MISCELLANEOUS ART GROUPS

Art Society, Saffron Walden	Debs Manning, Chair. Tel: 01799 501303 Email: sayhi2debs@hotmail.co.uk Website: www.essexinfo.net/artsociety
Fry Art Gallery	Gordon Cummings, Hon Secretary, Fry Art Gallery, Castle Street, Saffron Walden, Essex, CB10 1BD. Tel: 01799 513779 Email: info@fryartgallery.org Website: www.fryartgallery.org
Newport Art Group	Mrs Jane Nash, Secretary, Tel: 01799 540716 Email: jane.nash@jammyweb.org.uk
NADFAS (S. Walden Decorative & Fine Arts Society)	Sonia Young, Secretary, Tel: 07590 442012 Website: www.saffronwaldendfas.org.uk
Saffron Walden Arts Trust	Isabella Warren c/o Fairycroft House, Audley Road, Saffron Walden, Essex, CB10 3HD. Tel: 01799 500542 Email: swartstrust@gmail.com Website: www.saffronwaldenartstrust.co.uk

MISCELLANEOUS GROUPS (INCLUDING COMMERCIAL, POLITICAL AND PRESSURE GROUPS)

Adult Community Learning, N&W Essex Bridleways Association – Essex	Website: www.essex.gov.uk/adultlearning www.essexbridleways.co.uk
Amnesty International, Saffron Walden	amnesty.saffronwalden@gmail.com
Conservatives, S/W Constituency Assoc.	Keith Eden, Chairman, The Old Armoury, 3 Museum Street, Saffron Walden, Essex, CB10 1JN, Tel: 01799 506349 Email: office@saffronwaldenconservatives.org.uk Website: www.saffronwaldenconservatives.com

Essex Record Office Access Point	Zofia Everett, Archive Assistant, 1 st Floor, Library, 2 King Street, Saffron Walden, Essex, CB10 1ES. Tel: 01799 523178 Staffed Tuesday and Friday 09.00 to 13.00 & 14.00 to 17.00. Also on Saturday 09.00 to 13.00 Email: zofia.everett@essex.gov.uk Website: www.essex.gov.uk/ero and www.essexrecordofficeblog.co.uk
Essex Field Club	Del Smith/Fiona Hutchings, The Green Centre, Wat Tyler Country Park, Basildon, Essex, SS16 4UH. Email: delsmith444@gmail.com or EFCTreasurer2017@gmail.com Website: www.essexfieldclub.org.uk
Footpaths Assoc. S. Walden & Dist	Mr Anthony Gold. Tel: 01799 540958. Email: acpgold@btinternet.com
French Circle, Saffron Walden	Mrs Joelle Doegar, Co-ordinator, Tel: 01799 501897
Friends of Audley End	Sarah Kirkpatrick & Bruce Tice, Chair and Membership Secretary, Tel: 01799 522711 Email: enquiries@friendsofAudleyend.org Website: www.friendsofAudleyend.org/joomla30
Friends of Bridge End Gardens	John Bagley, Hon. Secretary, Tel: 01799 502021
Intervarsity Club (IVC), Labour Party, S/W Constituency	www.ivc.org.uk www.labour4saffronwalden.org.uk
National Trust Herts & Essex Border Centre	Mrs M Draper, Membership Secretary, Tel: 01279 656255 Email: maureendraper@uwclub.net Website: www.nationaltrust.org.uk/hertscen
National Trust Assn, Royston & S. Walden	Website: www.roystonnt.org.uk
Neighbourhood Watch – Uttlesford	Alan Johnson, Chairman, Tel: 01799 543153 Email: nhw@acjohnson4.plus.com Website: www.uttlesfordnhw.org.uk
Organic Countryside CIC/Noakes Grove	David Corke, Director, Email: david@organic-countryside.co.uk Website: www.organic-countryside.co.uk
Police (Essex)	Essex non-emergency number: 101
Post Office (Saffron Walden)	41-45 High Street (within Costcutter), Saffron Walden CB10 1AR. Tel: 01799 510722
Probus Club of Audley End	Peter Croft, Hon Secretary. "Meadowcroft" Howlett End, Wimbish, Saffron Walden, Essex, CB10 2XW
Probus Club of Saffron Walden	Mr Barry Wiseman, Secretary, 7 Pleasant Valley, Saffron Walden, Essex, CB11 4AW. Tel: 01799 523480 Email: barry.wiz@talktalk.net
National Rail Enquiries	Contact Centre: 03457 48 49 50
Abellio Greater Anglia Customer Contact:	0345 600 7245 for all enquiries about Abellio Greater Anglia, including season tickets, information and bank holiday services.
Abellio Greater Anglia Disabled Persons Helpline:	0800 028 2878
Ramblers Association - N.W. Essex Group	Janet Bugler, Membership Secretary, Tel: 01787 373173 www.northwestessexramblers.co.uk
Ramblers Association – Uttlesford	Sue Gould, Secretary. Tel: 01371 872552 Website: www.uttlesfordramblers.org

Registry Office	Uttlesford District Council Offices, London Road, Saffron Walden, Essex, CB11 4ER Tel: 0345 603 7632 Email: registration@essex.gov.uk
Saffron Screen	Based at Saffron Walden County High School, Audley End Road, Saffron Walden, Essex, CB11 4UH. Office Administration Line: 01799 500238 Email: info@saffronscreen.com Website: www.saffronscreen.com
Saffron Walden Initiative	Peter Riding, Chairman, 30 Castle Street, Saffron Walden, Essex, CB10 1BJ. Tel: 01799 502355 Email: peter@riding.co.uk Website: www.swinitiative.org
Sustainable Uttlesford	Melvin Caton, Chair, 34 West Road, Stansted, Essex, CM24 8NQ. Tel: 01279 813914 Website: www.uttlesford.org.uk
Teddies Toy Library	Melanie Lopez-Welsch, New Life Church, Shire Hill, Saffron Walden, CB11 3AQ, Tel: 01799 506045 (Church) Email: contact@teddiestoylibrary.org Website: www.teddiestoylibrary.org
Town Council (Saffron Walden)	Tel: 01799 516501
United Nations Association SW & District Branch	Mr John Power, Secretary. Tel: 01799 524538
University of the Third Age (U3A)	Ann Banks, Membership Secretary Email: annjohn.banks@uwclub.net Website: www.saffronwaldenu3a.org.uk
Uttlesford District Council	Council Offices, London Road, Saffron Walden, CB11 4ER, Tel: 01799 510510 Email: uconnect@uttlesford.gov.uk Website: www.uttlesford.gov.uk
Essex Wildlife Trust	www.essexwt.org.uk
Workers Educational Association, S/W	Prue Swarbrick, Secretary. Tel: 01799 526295
<u>MUSIC</u>	
Choral Society – Saffron Walden	Email: secretary@swchoral.org.uk Website: www.swchoral.co.uk
Jazz at the Saffron	Susan May, Promoter, Tel: 01245 420475 Email: susan-may@btinternet.com Website: www.myspace.com/spikesplacejazzclub Club address: Saffron Hotel, 8-12 High Street, Saffron Walden, Essex, CB10 1AZ
Music Hall Society - Saffron Walden	Carol Impey, Chair. Tel: 07590 225176 Email: c.impey@prometic.com Website: www.swmhs.co.uk
Musical Theatre Company – S. Walden	Mary Balarkas, Secretary, Orchard House, Cambridge Road, Quendon, Saffron Walden, Essex, CB11 3XJ. Tel: 01799 542836 Email: secretary@swmusicaltheatre.co.uk Website: www.swmusicaltheatre.co.uk Youth Group: Fiona Wilson Waterworth, Chairperson, Tel: 07799 628977 Email: fiona@parkerdavies.com Website: www.swmusicaltheatre.co.uk

St Mary's Music Association	Bron Ferland, Chair, 42 Beeches Close, Saffron Walden, Essex, CB11 4BT. Tel: 01799 521497 Email: bronferland@yahoo.co.uk Website: www.stmaryssaffronwalden.org
Saffron Dance Band	www.saffrondanceband.co.uk
Saffron Walden Symphony Orchestra	Email: ecclestone_4@msn.com Website: www.saffronsymphony.org
Saffron Walden Town Band	Stephanie Thake, Treasurer, Tel: 07779 266853 Email: stephthake@gmail.com Website: www.saffronwaldentownband.weebly.com
Thaxted Festival	Thaxted Festival Foundation, Ticket & Administration Office, 10 Watling Street, Thaxted, Essex, CM6 2PJ, Tel: 01371 831421 Email: thaxtedfestival@btconnect.com Website: www.thaxtedfestival.org.uk
Blue Skies Big Band	Simon Wilson, Organiser/Secretary, Tel: 01279 813147 Email: simon.wilson10@virgin.net www.facebook.com/Blueskiesbb
Walden Buskers	Michael Snow, c/o Spriggs Farm, Ashdon, Saffron Walden, Essex, CB10 2NA. Tel: 01799 584156

PLAY GROUPS/NURSERIES/NURSERY SCHOOLS

The Child Act of 1989 states that all play groups should be registered with the County Council. Regular updated lists are kept at Essex County Council's Family Information Service, Tel: 0800 055 6874. Email: fis@essex.gov.uk

Before using any service, users should check the bona fide of the service provider, including qualifications and inspection reports where these apply.

Bell Day Nursery	Peaslands Road, Saffron Walden, Essex, CB11 3ED Tel: 01799 528051 Email: info@belldaynursery.co.uk Website: www.belldaynursery.co.uk
Buffy Play Bus (Uttlesford Buffy Bus Association)	Rosie Juhl, Project Manager. Tel: 01799 522130 Website: www.buffybus.co.uk
Crocus Saffron Walden Nursery & Preschool	Rear of SWCHS, Audley End Road, Saffron Walden, Essex, CB11 4UH Tel: 01799 610314 Email: parentenquiry@brighthorizons.com Website: www.brighthorizons.co.uk
Meadows Montessori Nursery	Ross Close, Saffron Walden, Essex, CB11 4DU, Tel: 01799 513858 Website: www.montessorimeadows.co.uk
St Mary's Church Pre-School	Faye Jeffs, Manager, c/o St Mary's Primary School, Castle Street, Saffron Walden, Essex, CB10 1BQ. Tel: 01799 520358 Email: smcpreschool@btconnect.com Website: www.stmaryschurchpreschool.co.uk

SPORT GROUPS

Badminton Club, Saffron Walden Lord Butler Leisure Centre (Tuesdays)	Oliver Dybal Tel: 01799 540442.
Badminton Club, Thaxted	Roy Page, Organiser, Bolford Street Hall, Thaxted, Essex, CM6 2PY. Tel: 01371 830178 Email: roy@roypage.co.uk
Bowling Club, Saffron Walden Town	Abbey Lane, Saffron Walden, Essex, CB10 1DG.
Turpin's Indoor Bowling Club	Peaslands Road, (behind Lord Butler Leisure Centre), Saffron Walden, Essex, CB11 3EG. Tel: 01799 525959 Website: www.turpinsibc.co.uk
Budo Taijutsu- Bujinkan Saffron Walden Dojo	Email: enquire@budojo.co.uk Website: www.budojo.co.uk
Cricket Club, Saffron Walden	David Barrs, Chairman. Tel: 07760 484390 Email: saffronwaldencricketclub@gmail.com Website: www.saffronwaldencricket.co.uk
Croquet Club, Newport	John Sibson, Chairman. Tel: 01799 520007 Email: ejohnsibson@btinternet.com Website: www.newportcroquet.org.uk
Diving Club, Saffron Walden	Website: www.waldendiver.net
Karate, Saffron Walden School of	Ian Warren, Chief Instructor, Tel: 07917 208916 Email: aakaiw@btconnect.com Website: www.aaka.co.uk
Netball Club, Saffron Walden & Newport	Website: www.swannetball.co.uk
Pilates – Centred Self	www.centredself.co.uk
Plantation Youth Football Club (Herberts Farm, Debden Rd, S.W.)	Website: www.mypartnerclub.co.uk/plantation-youth-fc
Rugby Football Club, Saffron Walden	Website: www.swrfc.co.uk
Snooker Club and Bar, Saffron Walden	Saffron Snooker Club and Bar, 2 Shirehill, Saffron Walden, Essex, CB11 3AQ, Tel: 01799 513094
Saffron Striders (Running Club)	Website: www.saffronstriders.org.uk
Saffron Walden Community FC	Martin Johnson, Co-Chairman, Tel: 07756 999227 Email: mpjohnson73@hotmail.co.uk Website: www.swcfc.org.uk
Saffron Walden Town FC	1 Catons Lane, Saffron Walden, Essex, CB10 2DU. Tel: 01799 520980 Email: info@swtfc.co.uk Website: www.saffronwaldentownfc.com
Spartak 78 (Youth Soccer Club)	Website: www.spartak78.co.uk
PSG FC (Girl's Football Team)	Website: www.psgfc.co.uk
Tai Chi	Stephanie Shambrook, Instructor, 2 School Cottages, Church Lane, Debden, Saffron Walden, Essex, CB11 3LD. Tel: 07881 592126 Email: stephanieshambrook@live.co.uk Part of Tai Ji Quan Yi (classes in Swards End, Saffron Walden & Newport)

Tai Ji Quan Yi Association	David Miller, Sifu (Senior Instructor), Tel: 07713 462556 Email: taijiquanyi1@gmail.com Website: www.artoftaijiquan.co.uk
Tennis Club, Castle Hill	Peter Smith, Chairman, 16 Oasthouse Court, Saffron Walden, Essex, CB10 1DX. Tel: 01799 520454 Email: petersmith1941@sky.com Website: www.castlehilltennisclub.co.uk Club Address: Museum Grounds, Museum Street, Saffron Walden, Essex.
Tennis, The Grove Lawn Club	John Dane Player Court, East Street, Saffron Walden, Essex, CB10 1NB. Tel: 01799 525573 (Clubhouse) Website: www.grovetennis.org.uk

UNIFORMED GROUPS

Army Cadets (Saffron Walden)	Website: www.armycadets.com/essexacf
Royal British Legion, (Saffron Walden)	Mr Michael Birnie, Branch Secretary, Tel: 01799 513186. Email: michaelbirnie@btinternet.com Website: www.britishlegion.org.uk/branches/saffron-walden
1824 Squadron Air Training Corp (Saffron Walden)	Tel: 01799 525057 (manned Monday and Thursday 19:15 – 21:15)

WOMEN'S GROUPS

NWR (National Women's Register)	Judy Brook, Tel: 01799 523002
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WI MEETINGS IN SAFFRON WALDEN AREA

Federation of Essex Women's Institutes	W.I. Centre, Whitelands, Terling Road, Hatfield Peverel, Essex, CM3 2AG. Tel: 01245 382233 Email: fedsec@essexwi.org.uk Website: www.essexwi.org.uk
Audley End WI	Isobel Grant. Tel: 01799 540806 Email: isobelgsabre@aol.com
Gibson WI	Mrs Margaret Dawson, Secretary, Tel: 01799 500462
Radwinter WI	Wendy Rowley, Secretary, Tel: 01799 599753 Website: www.radwinter.org
Saffron Walden Afternoon WI	Mrs P. Davey, Secretary, Tel: 01799 503013

For more information on local W.I. meetings, please contact the Federation of Essex Women's Institutes, telephone 01245 382233 or email fedsec@essexwi.org.uk

YOUTH GROUPS

1st Saffron Walden Boys Brigade Company	Mike Turner, Captain, 106 Goddard Way, Saffron Walden, Essex, CB10 2ED. Tel: 01799 523905 Email: mikeandlyn106@hotmail.co.uk Website: www.boys-brigade.org.uk
1st Saffron Walden Co Girls Brigade:	Mrs Julia Attwood, Captain, 53 Long Horse Croft, Saffron Walden, CB11 4BL, Tel: 01799 520870 Email: swgb@saffrongb.org.uk Website: www.saffrongb.org.uk
Girl Guiding (Rainbows, Brownies, Guides)	Margaret Jacobs, District Commissioner. Tel: 01799 522801 Email: margaret.jacobs@hotmail.co.uk Website: www.girlguiding.org.uk
Scouts, Saffron Walden & District	Mark Benfold, District Commissioner. Tel: 01799 524021 Email: saffronwalden@essexscouts.org.uk Website: www.essexscouts.org.uk/saffronwalden
National Federation of Young Farmers' Clubs	Tel: 02476 857 200 Email: post@nfyfc.org.uk Website: www.nfyfc.org.uk