

June 2014

What a Show!



At last the sun shone and we had a great two days – so did you and thanks for all your kind and supportive messages via emails, letters and the social media. Prince Harry's presence made it extra special, especially for Saxmundham Primary School, who when they set about constructing a combine harvester in our school's competition never thought their entry would be crowned by a Prince!

You explored the new Farm Discovery Zone, tasting new foods and appreciated the policy that 14s and under came in for free. The Grand Parade showed the marvellous standard and quality of our thousands of livestock and equine entries and reassured the county that we remain first and foremost an agricultural Show. Read more

Reserve the date May 27 & 28, 2015.

Sign up here to keep uptodate with breaking announcements of the 2015 Show.

Online Show Results



Apologies – due to technical glitches we were unable to bring you these as quickly as we should. They are now all posted on the website www.suffolkshow.co.uk

Thank you for your patience.

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Last Call for the Polo



Have you booked your gazebos or bought your tickets? Remember 14s and under come free, and you can bring your own picnic. Hopkins International Polo matches feature some top England and Wales players not to mention the impressive Argentines in the patrons Match. Camel racing, Pimms, music and partying make it a different, fun and social day out. Thanks to all our sponsors. http://www.internationalpolo.co.uk/ for tickets and more.

Suffolk Farm Business Competition



Judges from Hampshire Farmers Club (pictured) have toured the county and were impressed by the farms they saw in each of the three categories.

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Welcoming George



East Bergholt farmer George Harris is the deputy show director for 2015. Pictured (Right) at the Show during Prince Harry's visit, he was the steward who began the Art Show and has been senior steward for sheep for the past 12 years. Read more about him here.

Spud-tastic!



Congratulations to Birchwood Primary School for their prize-winning crop of Rocket potatoes that weighed in at 1050kg and Piccolo star that topped 860g to make them the winners of the Grow Your Own Potatoes initiative – they learned a lot too! Click here

Young go to the farm for a career discovery day

If you've entered, reserve Thursday
October 23, for the annual awards dinner
and discover if you are a winner!

Trinity Park Events



UCS girls on tour



Trinity Park Events Lts has welcomed four former University Campus Suffolk students onto its events team over recent months. Samantha James, Leanne Carhart, Sarah Jay and Emma Poll (from L – R) were all students on the Events Management course at UCS and are all now actively working for TPEL or individual events. Read more



Leanne Carhart is the new sales executive at Trinity Park. She is the former Events and Challenges Lead Fundraiser from St Elizabeth Hospice, a role which involved recruiting supporters to participate in challenges overseas and in the UK. 'I am delighted to have this new career opportunity and look forward to developing great working relationships to help support our client's businesses,' said Leanne.

It's Christmas Party Time...Oh yes it is...! STOP PRESS!

It's the panto theme for the 2015 Christmas parties and tables are selling fast so don't miss out on this year's show stopping extravaganza. Hot off the press: this year's entertainment will feature dodgem rides. Click here for dates and menus.

Congratulate our own Dame Jamie who came second in the Mascot race (pictured) at the Suffolk Show, raising awareness of the yuletide parties to come and a handy £250 plus for Suffolk Community Foundation, the President's charity of the year.



Encouraging young people to look at careers in farming and the allied industries is the thinking behind the annual food and farming Careers Day. Discover what they thought and experienced at Hollow Trees Farm. Thanks to generous sponsorship from the Chadacre Agricultural Trust. Click here for further details.



Show Ball raises £30,000



Glorious evening sunshine greeted the 700 plus guests to the Suffolk Show Ball, who enjoyed a champagne reception overlooking the Grand Ring, in excellent pre-show condition, at Trinity Park. Excited new Show director Bill Baker welcomed his guests, thanked the principal sponsor the BTS group and ball committee, chaired by Sarah Brown, before extolling them all to dig deep in the auction and have a fun evening. £30,000 was raised for Motor Neurone Disease Association, Teenage Cancer Trust and the Association's education projects.



Thanks to our generous sponsor: BTS Group is a leading provider of services to utility companies. Based in Needham Market, it offers principal contractor services for overhead line engineering, tree and vegetation management. <u>click here</u>

Diary Dates

Sunday June 29: Hopkins International Polo, Trinity Park. Play starts at 11.30am, teams from England and Wales go head to head. A great family day out, all children 14 and under enter free. For details and tickets visit www.internationalpolo.co.uk

October 22: Skills Show Experience, Trinity Park. The largest skills and careers event in the county sponsored by EDF. To find more visit www.westsuffolk.ac.uk

November 14-16: Flavours Christmas Food and Drink Festival, Trinity Park. Brand new event full of culinary and food inspiration and gift ideas. View the Events Diary

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