

Useful Contact Numbers

- ALL EMERGENCIES - 999
- Police (non-emergency) – 101
- Stephen Saunders (Overall Plan Coordinator) - 01728 689138
- Environment Agency (Floodline)– 0800 807060 or 0845 9881188
- Judi Hallett (Parish Council Clerk) – 01394 411405
- Suffolk Coastal District Council – 01394 383789
- Suffolk Coastal District Council (out of hours) – 01502 527133
- Anglian Water – 08457 145145
- Fire Service (non-emergency) – 01473 260588

Advice in the case of Flooding

If there is a chance your house will be flooded, consider the following:

- Gather essential items together either upstairs or in a high place.
- Fill jugs and saucepans with clean water.
- Move your family and pets upstairs, or to a high place with a means of escape.
- Turn off gas, electricity and water supplies when flood water is about to enter your home if safe to do so. DO NOT touch sources of electricity when standing in flood water.
- Keep listening to local radio for updates (BBC Radio Suffolk 95.9 or 103.9 FM) or call Floodline 0845 988 1188.
- Check in with vulnerable neighbours and relatives.
- If you need help and are unable to contact anyone, hang a brightly coloured tea towel out of an upstairs window that can be seen by passers-by.

After the flooding has subsided:

- Seek qualified assistance that it is safe to reenter flooded areas
- Do not turn electrical goods on until they have been tested by a qualified electrician

Tunstall Community Emergency Plan

WHAT TO DO IN A LOCAL EMERGENCY



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Dear Parishioner

Tunstall Parish Council has been considering what problems we could face for various emergency situations in our area. The enclosed information is important and should be kept readily available.

To make coordination of any emergency response easy, the parish has been divided in to 3 wards and a Warden appointed for each (see list over). The overall Emergency Community Plan Coordinator is Stephen Saunders and he will manage our response each time the plan is invoked.

Every resident is advised to develop a Personal Emergency Plan and to have an emergency box prepared (see below).

Go in – stay in – tune in

Emergency Box

You are advised to put together an emergency box in case of power failure, heavy snow or other such emergency. You might like to keep in it:

- Battery-powered or hand crank radio and extra batteries
- Analog landline phone (one that doesn't require electricity)
- Torch (either wind up or battery powered)
- First Aid Kit (possibly containing any spare critical medicines)
- Emergency toiletries
- 3 day's supply of bottled water and ready to eat nonperishable food
- Small tool kit
- List of emergency contact numbers

Radio Suffolk Frequencies

95.5FM, 95.9FM, 103.9FM and 104.6FM

Tune in for the latest information

Advice for specific situations...

Flooding and Snow

Call the Floodline on 0845 988 1188 at any time to hear the latest information. If your house is in danger of being flooded move items upstairs where possible, especially items that cannot be replaced. In the event of heavy snow Suffolk County Council and local farmers will clear the roads.

Electricity Failure

In the case of long term electricity failure the Community Centre in Ashe Road will be used. This will be powered by generators and will provide hot drinks and food and warmth.

Sizewell

Leakage from Sizewell will be immediately announced by Radio Suffolk. Stay indoors with all windows and doors shut. Follow advice given nationally.

Medical Emergency

Please be aware that defibrillators are located at Snape Maltings (contact 01728 687100) and The Green Man (located on the outside wall, Ashe Road side)

Wardens

Stephen Saunders is the overall Emergency Community Plan Coordinator and he is supported by the following Wardens and Sub Wardens for each area:

Tunstall Village – Warden is Stephen Saunders (01728 689138)

Sub Wardens: Richard Wilson (01728 688 546) and Steven Friend (01728 688644)

Tunstall Common - Warden is David Lowne (01728 689086)

Sub Warden: Kevin Ross (01728 688676)

Snape Bridge - Warden is TBC (???)