

Sutton Veny

Village Hall Re-Opens

Sutton Veny Village Hall re-opened on Friday after a mammoth fund raising effort dating back to the 1920s.

Sutton Veny Women's Institute started the fundraising back then with a £60 donation from their fete.

Nearly 80 years later in 2005, the trustees were able to begin the refurbishment by extending the front of the building to create a new entrance and hall.

There are new storage areas, a modern large kitchen, a disabled toilet and a baby changing facility, central heating, refurbished toilets with child's height wash hand basins, new flooring and complete redecoration.

The project was funded by donations from local people, fund raising, selling bricks at £2 each and prudent housekeeping by the Trustees.

Grants came from Wiltshire County Council, West Wiltshire District Council, Sutton Veny Parish Council and Viridor Credits, which contributed £10,000.

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The Village Hall, Sutton Veny *(Photo by Yvonne Trudgett)*