

Bi-monthly newsletter produced by the Village Hall Committee

NEWS VILLAGE HALL NEWS VIEWS

The Village Hall Committee is pleased to have John Hanton serving as its new Chairman. We thank John for taking on this demanding job until September when, in keeping with current fashion, we have our own elections for next year's Village Hall representatives.

If you have visited the Hall recently you will have seen that the stage curtains have now been fitted. There are also new tablecloths. Each month the Hall is improved by the generosity of a number of kind people. Many thanks to all who support village events and a welcome is extended to you if you haven't yet ventured forth! Please help to keep our valuable amenity going.

DISCO NEWS

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The May disco raised £259 and provided a lot of enjoyment for local youngsters. Hamburgers are now on sale to help give dancing stamina! From September onwards there will be a disco every other Friday evening. The regular "Roots Roadshow" will alternate with other discos to be booked.

Next disco is on Friday 3rd June and the July date is the 1st.

The last Tots-to-Teens Sunday afternoon disco was very popular with those attending and more children would be welcome to the next one on

Sunday 17th July

3 - 5 p.m.

Make a note

JUMBLE SALE

By popular demand a Jumble Sale will be held on Saturday 25th June at 2.00 p.m. in the Village Hall. (See note on back page). Now is the time to get rid of your Spring Cleaning throw-outs! Do come along for a cuppa and chat even if you hate Jumble Sales!

SERVICES AUCTION

The Services Auction held on 7th May raised £126. Thanks to Mike McGregor and Kenneth Hanton who so ably and amusingly parted us from our money. Thanks also to all those who gave their various "services".

WHIST DRIVES

The next whist drives are on Monday 20th June and Monday 18th July at 8.00 p.m. in the village hall, entrance 35p.

Our whist drives are slowly becoming more popular (7 whole tables at the last one), thanks largely to the good services of Radio Norfolk who always give us a mention and cause folk as far away as Wicklewood to come over and join us!

COMMUNITY COFFEE SHOP

Coffee

Come and join us for elevenses during June and July. The Coffee Shop will close during the school holiday period so make the most of us now!!

Every Wednesday 10.30 - 11.30 a.m.

Village Hall Committee Room

EVENTS

VILLAGE FETE 2ND JULY

It is hoped that as many families and individuals will take part as is possible and will come forward to offer their support and generate ideas making it a unique event. Already there has been a good response and everyone can feel there is something they can do to help. If you missed the first meeting on 27th May perhaps you would like to attend the next on Friday 10th June which will also be held in the Village Hall committee room. In the meantime contact K. Hanton - Fundenhall 284 or at Top Row - opposite the Post Office. Let's make this a "Real" village event - the event of the year.

The home-made cake, produce and plant stalls will be organised by the Women's Institute. Please bring along any contributions to the Rectory Meadow during the morning of the fete or if you would like them collected ring 391 on the previous day. Thank you!

K.H.

MUSIC

MUSIC FOR A SUMMER EVENING

Wine

Friday 8th July at 8.00 p.m.

Raffle

Featuring the Norwich Barber Shop Singers, Sally Stock, Edward Murray-Harvey and other friends. Tickets, price £1.50 (including buffet), obtainable from Committee members.

Do come along for what will surely be as enjoyable an occasion as our "Music for Christmas" concert last winter.

THEATRE

ASHWREN DRAMA GROUP

The Ashwren Drama Group are holding their A.G.M. in Wreningham Village Hall on Monday 13th June at 8.00 p.m. Old and new members welcome. Interested? Then do join us. We need help with set building, sound effects, costumes, etc.

V.I.

BADMINTON CLUB

The A.G.M. is at Wreningham Village Hall on Tuesday 21st June at 8.00 p.m. All members and future members please make a special effort to attend.

V.I.

REMEMBER.

Broken, cracked and chipped crockery still needed for Fete on 2nd July. Can collect. Ring Fundenhall 485.

ROYAL NATIONAL MISSION TO DEEP SEA FISHERMEN

The recent house to house collection in Wreningham amounted to £73.23. Thank you to all who gave and made this a success.

H.M.R.

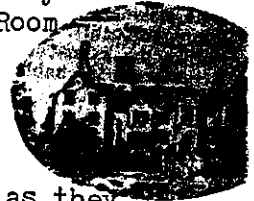
THE CHURCHYARD

Considerable effort has been made to get the Churchyard into a state worthy of the village and those laid to rest there. However, the compound situation of 1983 weather and the unavoidable withdrawal of help has created something of an emergency. It will be unfortunate if the work that has been done in recent years goes to waste for want of a few folk prepared to give a little of their time to pushing a grasscutter from time to time. A cutter is available and out of pocket expenses, i.e. petrol, etc. can be funded. It would be ideal if a number of folk came forward and undertook to keep under control a certain piece - or alternatively offered to join a roster of cutters as is done in some parishes with great success and satisfaction. The Churchwardens would welcome any who would take part in this work.



"GREAT NORFOLK' HOUSES AND FAMILIES"

If there is enough support it is proposed to hold a series of ten weekly lectures during January to March 1984 in the Village Hall Committee Room. The current fee for W.E.A. lectures is 90p per class. Please ring May Collins (Fundenhall 391) without delay if you are interested.



LOOKING BACK

BYGONES

Nowadays during elections we hear loudspeakers from canvassers' cars as they pass through the village, sometimes giving us little time to get their message. Years ago I remember the famous politician and founder of the Agricultural Workers Union, George Edwards, canvassing from a farm wagon to a crowd on Mulbarton Common. Plenty of time then to digest his words.

Further afield, in Calcutta, India, I think of a very different pre-election scene when I, with literally thousands of others, stood to hear one M. Gandhi electrify us with his message of peace, though violence did follow. I wonder who, out of our present candidates, will go down in future history like the two I saw and heard years ago?

K.H.

THANK YOU

to the hardworking needlewoman who has so painstakingly made the new tablecloths for the Village Hall.

KITCHEN CAPERS

This is a very simple to make summer sweet which nevertheless is quite special enough to give to guests, particularly if topped with fruit and served with whipped cream.

Orange Mousse

- 1/2 pt. concentrated orange squash
- 1 orange jelly
- 1 lge. tin evaporated milk

Dissolve the jelly in the squash and leave till on the point of setting. Whisk the evaporated milk till thick and creamy and then whisk in the dissolved jelly. Pour into quite a large dish and leave till set. Decorate to taste.

N.B. This can also be made with lime cordial and a lime jelly or strawberry milk shake syrup (slightly diluted with water) and a strawberry jelly. P.B.

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JUMBLE COLLECTION

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Jumble, bric-a-brac and white elephant sale
2 p.m. Village Hall

Saturday 25th June

I will call back for your jumble etc. on
or please deliver to Village Hall on the day if more convenient (doors open at 10 a.m.) Phone with any queries.