WRENINGHAM & DISTRICT MARDLE

October/November issue

A bi-monthly newsletter produced by the Village Hall Committee

VILLAGE HALL NEWS

We don't seem to have had a very good summer here in East Anglia compared with many other parts of the country. Nevertheless we do have the satisfaction of seeing all the straw baled up in the fields and knowing our own freezers and larders are full of locally grown summer produce. Now we have to start thinking about winter with its dark evenings and looking forward to some of them spent at our village activities. Read on for more news of coming events and details of clubs and classes available to you. Please also support the Annual General Meeting on 1st November at 8.00 p.m.

We would love to announce the start on building the bar, entrance lobby and store but regret that to date we have not been able to raise the necessary cash - some £2000 - maybe one day!!

DISCO NEWS

Next, and probably last, teenage disco with soft drinks bar

FRIDAY 5TH OCTOBER

unless attendance is much higher than on the previous two occasions when we barely covered the cost of the disco hire.

COFFEE SHOP TALKING POINT (Every Wednesday morning in Village Hall)

Re-opening Wednesday 3rd October - 10.30 - 11.30 a.m. Everyone welcome. made scones, filter coffee, tea, as normal.

Thank you to Beryl, Eva and Pat who kept the coffee shop spirit going with their home-based coffee mornings during the holiday months. Around £130 was raised at these events and the money is already spent! We thought we could do with a large hot water boiler and some plates so we bought them! Thank you to all who came, gave, bought and enjoyed.

LATEST BOND PRIZE WINNERS

Ian Dobson Mrs. J. Jenner Number 221 93

Congratulations!

Bill Wells 101

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The Jumble Sale in August raised £88.50. Thanks to the W.I. for generously returning £25 from fete proceeds to the Village Hall as a further donation.

We will be holding a further JUMBLE SALE on SATURDAY 24TH NOVEMBER and collections will be made nearer that date so please don't discard anything too hastily.

TAKE THE FLOOR

COUNTRY DANCING

has begun again, a very friendly group, do join us on the last Thursday every month at 8 o'clock until 9.30 p.m. Next meeting 25th October. We do break for coffee in the middle so it isn't all hard work.

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PATCHWORK

- Another happy evening group. Alternate Mondays at 8.00 p.m. Expert advice given. Next meetings 1st and 15th October in village hall.

WHIST DRIVES

Monday 15th October and Monday 19th November (the third Monday in each month) Starting at 8.00 p.m.

FOCUSON

INDOOR BOWLING

It is intended to meet on Thursday evenings, and other evenings when the village hall is available. First meeting will be on THURSDAY 4TH OCTOBER at 8.00 p.m.

This week's special HARVEST SUPPER & CEILIDH

The Band and bar are booked and the apple pies ordered. Come and enjoy an evening of fun for all ages. Tickets from Village Hall Committee members at £2. The date - SATURDAY 6TH OCTOBER at 8.00 P.M.

LOCAL HISTORY

FILM SHOW BY MALCOLM FREEGARD



This very well known T.V. presenter will be a great "catch" for Wreningham. Please support this event and come and enjoy an evening of films of "Old Norfolk" on FRIDAY 19TH OCTOBER at 8.00 P.M.

Admission £1 (children 50p) at the door, including refreshments.

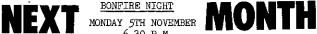


FRENCH EVENT

Whilst visiting a Reedham pub during the summer we suddenly became surrounded by people in stripey sweaters and black berets. The local people were enjoying a "French Day". Let's enjoy our "French Evening" here in Wreningham on SATURDAY 27TH OCTOBER at 8.00 P.M. All ages welcome.

BONFIRE NIGHT

6.30 P.M.



As usual we will have a big bonfire on the village hall car park. All children (and adults!) welcome to come along. Bring your own fireworks and have them set off by responsible adults. Hot soup, hot dogs, crisps, coffee and squash will be on sale. You may not realise it but the village hall always donates a substantial number of fireworks to add to those brought along by you.

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BRIGHTIDEAS ?

BOWLS CLUB NEWS

Once again the bowls season has drawn to a close, no great honours for the Club this season, but many enjoyable games. Congratulations are due to the block of Keith and Alfred Howlett and Stanley Rogers for winning the Brewery Block. As the Bird in Hand has been sold, and no chance of playing on the green next season, a meeting has been arranged for 7 o'clock on 1st October in the Village Hall to discuss any ideas you may have for playing next season, and also what we should do with the cash we have in hand. There is also a meeting at 8 o'clock to form an indoor Bowls Club for the Village Hall, so please come along if you are interested. -0-0-0-

On FRIDAY 16TH NOVEMBER we are fortunate to have booked the Rackheath Players for their new Music Hall performance. Tickets £2 (from committee members and available shortly) including full Buffet. There will be a bar (to wet your whistles') and a raffle.



FOOTBALL

FOOTBALL TRAINING

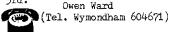
If there is enough support I am planning to hold training sessions in the Village Hall on Wednesday evenings from 6.15 - 7.45 p.m. during the winter season. It will be compulsory to change into soft shoes for this session both to protect the floor and to keep it dirt free as there is a keep-fit session later on the same evening. The ball used will be a soft one.

As the Hall has to be paid for it will be necessary to charge 40p a session - this will pay the hire fee and hopefully provide a bit extra towards new balls and nets for next summer.

The sessions will be open to any boy between the age of 8 and 14 and will commence on the first Wednesday in October - the 3rd.

WORKOUT:

KEEP FIT



Just a reminder, and to help any newcomer to the village, keep fit sessions are held in the Hall on Monday mornings between 10.30 and 11.30 a.m. and Wednesday evenings between 8 and 9 p.m. Please just come along if you would like to join us - attendance every week isn't compulsory!! Yvonne Bloom

HEALTH

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DID YOU KNOW that the internationally known reflexologist Robert Dallamore comes to the Village Hall every Tuesday morning to hold a clinic? (You may have seen him on T.V. only two weeks ago). He is prepared to start as early as 8.00 a.m. so appointments before work can be arranged. For more information or appointments please ring Pat Butcher on Fundenhall 347.

EARLY WARNING

A Great Night-Out

Book the date now - SATURDAY 8TH DECEMBER - Christmas Dance and Grand Draw

More details in the next Mardle together with the regular recipe - space doesn't allow for one this month!

CUT OUT AND KEEP



Coffee Shop re-opens 10.30 a.m.

4th Indoor Bowling 8.00 p.m. 5th Disco 7.30 - 11.00 p.m.

6th Ceilidh and Harvest Supper 8.00 p.m.

15th Whist Drive 8.00 p.m.

3rd

19th Film Show 8.00 p.m. 25th Country Dancing 8.00 p.m.

27th French Evening 8.00 p.m.

1st A.G.M. 8.00 p.m.

5th Bonfire Night 6.30 p.m.

16th Music Hall and Buffet 7.30 p.m.

19th Whist Drive 8.00 p.m.

24th Jumble Sale 2.00 p.m. 29th Country Dancing 8.00 p.m.

December 8th Christmas Dance and Grand Draw 8.00 p.m.

