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The Village Hall Management Committee

MESSAGE FROM THE CHAIRMAN,

Looking at my notes on the last issue, I see I expressed the hope that following the opening of the new lounge, villagers would be attracted to become members of the Social Club, use the new facilities and join in the various activities and events being organised.

The Club is being used on 4 nights during the week by quite a number of people, but it must be hoped that more villagers who haven't yet been to see the superb bar and lounge will give it a try. The beer is good! We need your support.

The Annual General Meeting of the Hall Management Committee will take place in the hall on Tuesday 7th December 1993 at 7.30p.m. This meeting provides the opportunity to elect representatives of the village on the new committee for 1994, and an opportunity to express views and suggestions for future activities and events. Perhaps some might like to serve on the Committee - "New Faces" are, I think, now needed to replace retiring members and would be most welcome as they usually bring new ideas.

P.J.Wilkinson
(Chairman)

LOAN BONDS

The first ever issue of 200 bonds, has been re-issued on a number of occasions. We are grateful to all who have left their bonds in the draw over the 14 years that they have been running. This issue comes up for repayment on 30th September 1993 and it has been decided to once again re-issue. Many of the holders have again decided to leave their bonds in the draw but some now moved away or getting older have asked to have their loan refunded. This means that there are now bonds available. If you are a supporter of the village hall and do not have any bonds how about becoming part of this quarterly draw. Each bond costs £20.00 and is only on loan to the fund and will be returned at the end of the issue period. You may hold as many bonds as you like, giving you better odds. To buy a bond or for more information contact me. Christine Minns at Church Farm, or by telephone on Wy 602754.

"The Village Hall's Next Project"

Life never stands still and nor does the work of the Village Hall Management Committee. The next job is to update the kitchen to meet the now very high hygiene standards. So the fund raising goes on. The committee tries to organise events which not only bring in the money but which villagers like to support and feel they are gaining as well as giving. The next event is a Jumble Sale and during the Christmas period there will be Pip's Bingo. any suggestions for other events are always welcome.

DIARY DATES FOR OCTOBER

- Fri. 1st - Ballroom, Sequence and Latin, dancing to records 8 - 11 p.m.
Everybody Welcome (£1.50 each)
- Sat. 2nd - 4.30 p.m. on the Playing Field Rounders followed by a Bar-B-Que at the Social club. Social Club members and villagers welcome.
- Sat. 9th - Country Music - 8 p.m. -dancing to "Shaun Michael" - run by the Village Hall Management Committee in aid of funds.
- Mon.11th - Bert's Bingo - 8 p.m. all welcome.
- Fri. 15th - Ballroom, Sequence and Latin (as above)
- Sat. 16th - JUMBLE SALE IN AID OF HALL FUND - 2 p.m.
(Jumble needed and can be left at hall on Friday evening or at 10 a.m. Saturday. Please No Toys). Help needed on the day both morning and/or afternoon - Just turn up and offer.
We also need people to buy ofcourse.
- Mon.18th - Whist Drive - 7.45 p.m.
- Sat.23rd - Ceilidh - 7.30 p.m.
Tickets £3.50 - available from Social Club members or the Bar.
Dancing to "Pendragon"
- Mon.25th - Bert's Bingo - join the fun.
- Fri.29th - Ballroom (as above).

DIARY DATES FOR NOVEMBER

- Fri. 5th - Bonfire and firework display
Details to be confirmed - watch for posters.
- Mon.8th - Bert's Bingo - 8 p.m.

NOVEMBER DATES CONTINUED

- Sat. 13th - Christmas Fayre 2 p.m.
In Aid of Church Funds
"Christmas Gifts & Decorations,
Wrapping Paper, Cakes & Groceries,
Games and Raffles" Posters out soon.
- Sat. 13th - 8 p.m. Country Music - dancing to
"Eddie Lee & Country Friends"
- Mon. 15th - Whist Drive - as always this is
in aid of hall funds.
- Fri. 19th & Sat. 20th Ashwren Drama presents
"Bonaventure"
by Charlotte Hastings.
Watch out for posters.
Tickets available soon from drama
group or contact Christine Minns.
- Mon. 22nd - "Bingo" - with Bert & Friends - 8pm
- Fri. 26th - Ballroom, Latin & Sequence. 8 pm.
- Sat. 27th - 60' night - dacing to "Smart Alex"
Tickets will be available soon
from Social club members or at
the bar.

ADVANCE NOTICE OF DECEMBER EVENTS

- Fri. 3rd - Ballroom, latin & Sequence 8 p.m.
- Sun. 5th - Songs of Praise with a seasonal
theme in the village hall. 6.30pm
- Tues. 7th - VILLAGE HALL ANNUAL MEETING 7.30pm
(Don't forget this is your chance
to put your view across)
- Sat. 18th - BALLROOM CHRISTMAS DANCE - this will be a
ticket only dance - tickets
available soon again from me. £1.50
- Mon. 20th - PIP'S CHRISTMAS BINGO
- Wed. 22nd - MIKE BUTCHERS MUSICAL EVENING
Details in next edition.
- Fri. 31st - NEW YEARS EVE PARTY - WATCH OUT FOR
POSTERS

PAST EVENTS

Wren Ash Happy Circle - We had a lovely sunny morning for our sale and coffee morning. Weren't we lucky?

Many thanks to all who gave, helped and came to buy. £103.46p was raised for our funds, a very good effort.

G.S.

Garden Sale in Aid of Big "C"

The final total was £300.00. We would like to thank ALL the people who helped in any way, those who gave gifts and those who supported by coming to buy.

F & T Hanton

SOCIAL CLUB Friday night events - the Board Game, Beetle Drive and Record Quiz have all been successfully run. It was lovely to see so many people taking part, and to think that the club was catering for a very mixed age group from junior members to the senior villagers. So good to see you all. Do keep coming and let us have your suggestions for events.

THANK YOU

To: Barney Howes who donated a tape player and speakers for the Social Club. These are very useful for background music when there are no activities taking place.

To: Bert & Peggy New who provided a clock for the extension.

WANTED - Old photographs or postcards of Wreningham and of local people. Leave them with Mr. K. Hanton or he will collect. Tel: Fun 284.

FOUND - in Hethel Road, one small heating pad, contact Tel: Fun 680.

FUEL TRUST NOTICE

The income from the Wreningham Fuel Trust has to be given in providing fuel for poor persons in the Parish of Wreningham.

Traditionally the Trust encourages persons over 70 years to apply but we would like to emphasis that the Charity Income is open to anyone in need.

We would appreciate any assistance in nominating appropriate people to receive Trust income. If you or anybody you know have a need please inform us, as we are now taking applications. This year we shall be making the allocation in the form of electricity stamps, which will be sent out early in the New Year.

We are able to help at other times of the year if the need is pressing, so please let us know. In the meantime, the annual applications should be in by 31st October 1993 to the clerk: Christine Minns, c/o Church Farm, Wreningham or Tel: Wy 602754
