

WRENINGHAM



MARDLE

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From Your Chairman,

It seems no time at all since I was writing for the last Mardle and here we are almost half way through the Millennium year.

I hope that you all have the "Open Gardens" firmly marked in your diary as 25th June. We would love to hear from anybody who would like to help - details of contacts are given elsewhere. The other date for your diary is the Art Exhibition on 9th and 10th September, plans for this are in hand and again details are given in this edition.

We are pleased to welcome Christine Moss as village hall cleaner, we hope she will find this a worthwhile contribution to the community for a long time to come.

Throughout this newsletter I will try to publicise as many known events as possible and I am sure your support will be welcome at which ever you choose to attend.

Christine Minns

"OPEN GARDENS"

Sunday 25th June 2000

There are 5 gardens in Wymondham Road, 3 in Ashwellthorpe Road and 2 off Top Row planning to open. In the village hall there will be a Bonsai display, and an exhibition of old photographs of Wreningham as well as a display by Wreningham School. Whilst visiting the gardens you are invited to take part in the "Gnome Hunt". There will also be a stall from Walnut Tree Nurseries, Gt. Ellingham selling plants as well as a plant tombola and raffle. Refreshments including lunches will be available.

If you have any old photos which might be suitable for reproducing and display please contact Jan Nudd on 01508 489860 (the original will not be displayed and will be returned after copying). If you could help with putting up posters in surrounding villages and towns, setting up, stewarding, selling raffle tickets, serving refreshments or clearing up or would like to donate a raffle prize please contact either Ian on 01508 488429 or Geoff on 01508 488468. We are looking forward to another enjoyable event and invite you all to take part in its success.

SOCIAL CLUB REPORT

On 16th June we are planning a crazy games evening so if you are up for a bit of "fun" just come along - we may even get the BBQ out!

On 16th July we are having the usual Sunday afternoon free for all rounders on the playing field, followed by an evening BBQ (bring your own food to this one!!) This is usually a good fun afternoon out, the more the better.

Why not come down to the club for a pleasant evening drink. The bar is open Thurs - Sun. with beers from Woodfordes and Greene King. If the weather is fine you can sit out on the patio. We look forward to seeing you.

Gary Mutton, Social Club Chairman 01508 489323

Saturday 10th June - Leonard Cheshire home at East Carleton - 1 p.m. a "Funday" - check posters for more details.

Saturday 17th June - Wreningham School 2 - 4 p.m.
At the school - A Summer Fayre

Saturday 15th July - Ashwellthorpe Hall Hotel - 8 p.m.
a 70's Revival dance. Dress of the decade optional.
Tickets £3.00 in advance/£4.00 at the door.
Advance booking and further details 01508 489324

FLOWER CLUB - There is no meeting in June as they will be having a visit out.

Thursday 27th July - the demonstration will be by Mrs Anita Bristow from Barnham Broom who will demonstrate on the theme "On my Travels". Doors open 1.30 p.m. for 2 p.m. - Visitors welcome Adm. £2.50.

WRENINGHAM CRICKET CLUB

The season is well under way. If the weather is good why not take a stroll up to the Playing Field and support our team at some of the home fixtures listed below.

June 4th	v	Sprowston
July 23rd	v	Gt. Melton
July 30th	v	Hethersett
Aug. 6th	v	Belton
Aug. 27th	v	Costessey
Sept. 3rd	v	Etceteras
Sept 17th	v	Pilling Park

Wanted: Cleaner for a few hours each week by Mrs Fisher, Hethel Road - contact number 01508 489454

THE RED CROSS - House to House collection.

Thanks to all those who helped and all who contributed to the final total of £133.50p

Sue Rudd.

REMEMBER - The village hall's regular fund raising events and invite anybody who might be interested to come along. The next 2 sixties dances to live music are:

Sat. 17th June- dancing to Deluxe

Sat. 22nd July - dancing to Rollercoaster

(8 p.m. to mid-night. Adm: £4.00)

WHIST DRIVES - in the Margaret Preston Room on Mondays 19th June and 17th July - 8 p.m. start

WRENINGHAM "ALL SAINTS" CHURCH

The new burial ground was consecrated by The Bishop of Thetford on 5th April.

On the Wednesday before Easter the Student X walkers called at the church on their way to Walsingham.

COFFEE MORNING

at "Keramet", Top Row

Saturday 10th June - 10 a.m to 12 noon

Admission 50p (to include coffee and biscuits)

Also Bring and Buy stall, Cakes and Grocery stall, Raffle

All proceeds towards church funds

Millennium Mementoes - Lent Project

CALLING ALL PARENTS of children who will not have reached their 17th birthday by 31.12.2000

There are still several families for whom I do not have a completed form. If you still have your form please could you let me have it. If you do not remember receiving a form and would like a further copy, please let me know. Money for these has come in very well but if your envelope has not been collected or you would like to make a further donation, how ever small, I would be pleased to hear from you. (donate by cash or cheques payable to Wreningham P.C.C.)

Christine Minns, High Gables, Church Road.
(High Gables is the second white house from the Bird-in-Hand)

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Wreningham Fuel Trust

By now everybody should have received their electricity account. If you were told that the Trust has contributed to your account this spring, please check your bill. If the payment by the Trust does not appear on your account then we need to know so that we can find out why your account has not been credited as the supply companies have had the money. If you have a problem please contact me (Christine Minns) Tel: 01508 488123

PARISH COUNCIL NOTICE

WRENINGHAM PARISH COUNCIL requires a "Parish Clerk". Approx.. 2 hours per week. Anyone interested who would like to know more, please contact Julie Miles on 01508 489558.

Wymondham Lions would like to advise that on the week-end 3rd and 4th June there will be a "Festival of Transport" at Lotus Cars, Hethel. This could cause a large increase in traffic in and around the village. If you are interested in attending - watch out for adverts.

Millennium Clock Project

The final stage of preparing and signwriting the names of donors onto a board to be displayed in the church is in hand. The committee have been extremely pleased and surprised at the donations received. They feel that the donation from the Parish Council of £1,000 at a very early stage was an incentive for others to feel that the project would be a success and were therefore prepared to support it. As the committee is likely to have considerable funds in hand it has been agreed to return the donations from the Parish Council as no doubt they can put it to use elsewhere in the village. Once the final bills have been paid, a statement of account will be available and the balance of funds will be lodged with the Parish Council for them to earmark for future maintenance of the clock.

Wreningham Village Hall



Art Exhibition

Sat. 9th & Sun. 10th September

Opening Times: Sat. 10 a.m. - 6 p.m.
Sun. 10 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Work displayed by many talented Norfolk artists

Adm: 50p (Proceeds in aid of village hall)

A Wine preview on Friday 8th September 8 p.m. - 10 p.m. Adm: £3.00
For Entry Forms and preview Tickets contact Jan. on Tel: 01508 489680