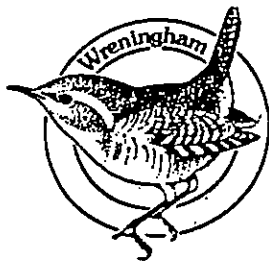


# WRENINGHAM



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From The Chairman,

I would like to thank everybody who helped in any way with the Art Exhibition on 8th/9th September. This was again very successful.

With the daylight hours becoming fewer it is time to start the autumn & winter programme of events. The Management Committee will be having the autumn Jumble Sale on Saturday 20th Oct at 10.30 a.m., please take any jumble to the hall at 9 a.m. and offers of help will be most welcome. On 26th October there will be a Ballroom, Latin & Sequence dance with the return of Frank & Jean providing the music. We would welcome anybody who would like to dance regardless of standard. The Annual General Meeting is your chance to hear what the committee has been up too over the past year and to give your views on the village hall. This meeting will be on Monday 19th November in the Margaret Preston Room at 7.30 p.m. and we would welcome your attendance. Check out what else is planned for the next 2 months on the following pages.

Christine Minns (01508 488123)

## SOCIAL CLUB REPORT

We have another popular quiz night organised for Friday 28th September. Why not get a team together (four or six people) and join the very informal atmosphere. There's no cost for taking part and there is always a prize for the winning team.

The committee are currently putting something together for Halloween (possibly on Friday 26th October). Keep an eye out for the "spooky" fliers and posters for details, and ofcourse "Remember, Remember the 5th of November..." - Watch out for fliers and posters with details of the village bonfire and firework evening.

We now have a good bar rota system made up of committee members which makes for a varied banter behind the bar! If you feel you would like to try your hand at some bar tendering, please feel free to give me a call. Your help would be appreciated. The Social Club is open on Thursday, Friday and Sunday evenings which still proves to be popular. New members always welcome. Membership is £1.00, Junior members 50p.

Chris Peachment

(Club Chairman) 01508 488275

## WRENINGHAM "ALL SAINTS" CHURCH

The original burial ground is now closed except for double graves and reserved plots. Future burials will be in the new consecrated ground. This is where Mr J. (Jimmy) Ireland has been laid to rest. Our sympathies go to the families of both Jimmy Ireland and Colin Spratt. These 2 people had lived full and active lives in our village.

A shared meal was organised for August 31st as a surprise for Jenny Cooper to wish her every success in her forthcoming training for the Ministry. Donations had been given to help with the purchase of books which she will need during training. Thanks are due to Margaret Styles who arranged the evening.

The recent appeal for The Kubatana Project in Africa to provide help for children and babies with HIV/AIDS raised £55.00. Many thanks to all who donated.

Churches Cycle Ride Saturday 8th September. The day was fine if rather windy. Twenty five adults plus several youngsters checked in at All Saints, thanks to those who manned the church during the day. Thank you to Penny Mutton and her daughter Dominique who cycled for the church.

Tickets are now available for the Make-up Demonstration on Friday 12th October. The Christmas Fayre is on Saturday 24th November. Details of both these are elsewhere in this publication and we hope you will join us.

## FUTURE EVENTS IN THE VILLAGE HALL

Make - Up Demonstration - Friday 12th October.

The evening will include a talk and demonstration by "The Body Shop" - explaining about the natural products used by the company, these will be available to order.

7.30 p.m. - Adm: by ticket £2.00 incl. refreshments.

In aid of Wreningham Church - tickets available from 01508 488248, 01508 488212 or any P.C.C. member.

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Christmas Fayre - Saturday 24th November at 2 p.m.

We hope to have many more items than usual suitable for Christmas gifts and table decorations. Father Christmas will be joining us and the children will have a chance to design their own Christmas card. The event is in aid of Wreningham Church and contributions of raffle prizes, cakes and other gifts would be most welcome and can be handed to any P.C.C. member.

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Christmas Shopping Evening - Wreningham Village Hall.

Monday 12th Nov. 7.30 p.m. - Admission £1.75 which includes a glass of mulled wine and a mince-pie. There will be 25 stalls including: Christmas cards, decorations, cakes, jewellery, fleecewear and The Body Shop. Come along to shop at leisure and then pamper yourself by trying a footmassage. The proceeds will go to the National Childbirth Trust.

For details of the local group meetings on a Monday afternoon, aimed at those who are pregnant, just had a baby or have young children contact Ros on 01508 489672

Jumble Sale - Saturday 20th October - 10.30 a.m.  
items for sale at 9 a.m. - help welcomed. Adm 20p.

Modern Jive - classes for all levels, singles and couples welcome, alternate Friday's i.e. 5th & 19th October, 2nd, 16th & 30th November. 8 p.m., Adm. £2.50. Details Tel: 01508 489680.

The regular 60's dances :

Sat. 13th October - dancing to Rollercoaster

Sat. 3rd November - dancing to Re-run

Adm: £4.00 - in aid of hall funds.

Flower Club - Thursday October 25th.

Thursday November 29th

1.30 p.m. for 2 p.m.. Visitors welcome £2.50.

Short Mat Bowls - Thurs evenings, 7.30 p.m. - new players are always welcome and no previous experience necessary.

"School Harvest" - Tues 2nd October - in the village hall. 9.30 a.m. On open invitation to this thanksgiving after which the tins and non-perishable food will go to the Salvation Army.

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Advance Notice - Open Gardens Event 2002 - This will be one of the major events to celebrate the "Queen's Golden Jubilee" on Sunday 16th June. Start planning - we would like you to open your garden. Details to come.

## Wreningham Fuel Trust

The income from the Wreningham Fuel Trust has to be given in providing fuel for the poor persons of the parish of Wreningham. Traditionally, the Trust encourages persons over 70 years along with anybody who is in need to apply. We would emphasize that the Charity income is available to ANYBODY in the parish, who is in need. If you know of anybody in need and would like to nominate them we would be happy to take their name.

We are now taking applications for a distribution to take place soon after Christmas.

If this is the first time that you are applying we will need to know:

- a) Who is your electricity supplier
- b) If you pay my monthly or quarterly account - a copy of the top part of a bill giving your name, address and supply account number.
- c) if you pay by electricity card or their budget scheme we will need to know which of these you use.

If you applied last year but have since changed your supplier we will need the same information as (b) or (c) above.

Applications are welcomed by 30th October to the Clerk - Christine Minns, High Gables, Church Road, Wreningham, Norwich, NR16 1BH. Tel: 01508 488123. (If you need me to explain in further detail do contact me by telephone)

### Late news from Village Hall Management Committee

It has been decided to trial a restricted smoking policy in the main hall. Notices will go up soon.

We need to fill all the vacancies on the Management committee at the AGM in November including the post of Booking Secretary. If you are interested in serving on the committee and would like more details please speak to one of the existing committee members.

If you wish to register interest in opening your garden on 16th June 2002 or find out more details contact Ian or Geoff on 488429 or 488468 respectively.

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The Parish Council will shortly be writing to all parents of Youth Club age children about the formation of a club. If you think you have been missed off their mailing list contact Ros.

The next Parish Council meeting will be on Tuesday 20th November at 7.30 p.m. in the Margaret Preston Room at the village hall - these meetings are public.

Parish Council Clerk - Ros Cutts, Old Orchard, Church Road, Wreningham, NR16 1BA (01508 489672)

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### Donate your old mobile phone:

By recycling your old broken, redundant or discarded mobile you could be helping with recycling and also helping to feed a child in Eastern Europe. Margaret Smith at Fundenhall has a collection box and can be contacted on 01508 489266.

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Wreningham Village Hall



# Christmas **Fayre**

Saturday 24th November 2pm

Proceeds in aid of Church Funds

“Visit Father Christmas in his Grotto”

Stalls will include: Christmas Gifts and Decorations, Cakes and Groceries Bric-a-Brac, Tombola, Raffle and Other Games.

All contributions of items for sale are most welcome  
(Preferably by Friday 23rd and cakes on Saturday 24th)  
to Thelma Hanton, Margaret Wilkinson or  
Margaret Polley. (If you need them collected Tel: 488212)

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## Ballroom, Latin & Sequence Dance

WRENINGHAM VILLAGE HALL

Welcomes the return of Frank & Jean

### Friday 26th October

Dancing to C.D's

8 p.m. to 11 p.m.

Admission £1.75

Licensed Bar