

WRENINGHAM

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From The Chairman,

On behalf of the committee I would like to thank all those who helped in anyway with the "Open Gardens" event which turned out to be such a success. The weather was warm and sunny and the village was alive with visitors. Although not as successful as the exceptional year in 2000, we were very surprised to find that we made almost £1,900 to be shared with the "Wreningham Playing Field Project" fund.

The next major event will be the Art Exhibition on 6th & 7th September. Potential exhibitors can get an entry form from Jan Nudd on 01508 489680. Tickets will be available for the Wine Preview Evening on 5th Sept. 8 - 10pm at £3.00 from any committee member. Help on the days will be needed and I would be pleased to receive any offers on 01508 488123.

Christine Minns

Village Hall Booking Secretary:

Mr. Alex Deans, Lowther Cottage,
Wymondham Road, Wreningham,
Norwich, NR16 1AT - Tel: 01508 489757

SOCIAL CLUB

Club nights are Thursday and Friday. The club has run a number of special events recently and many more are planned. Keep up to date by calling in on a Thursday or Friday evening or watch out for posters giving details.

Membership Adults £1.00/Juniors 50p. New members always welcome. Call in for a drink on a club night and at the same time pick up a form and get a couple of members to sponsor you.

HATHA YOGA - Wreningham Village Hall - Monday evenings starting 15th September. 7.30 - 9 pm for 10 weeks - Beginners and those with some experience. Fees £38.00 (Benefit Fee £19.00, Over 60's Fee £30.50) plus an annual registration fee of £4.00. To register contact Norfolk Adult Education Service, Community Centre, Church Street, Attleborough, NR17 2AH. Tel: 01953 455634.

Parish Council

Chairman - Mrs Julie Miles.

Norfolk Home Watch has sent in one of their newsletters, it is far too long to reproduce but there is a warning about "Careless Talk" - How often have friends or colleagues spoken out in public that they hope you have a good holiday? Have you overheard excited talk by people who have just bought a new car, Hi Fi, antiques etc. - Be discrete about your private life in public places. If you need to contact the police and it is not urgent enough to call 999, then the number is 01953 424242. For those with Internet access, more details can be found by visiting the Norfolk Home Watch website:

www.norfolkhomewatch.info

The next meeting of the Parish Council will be on Tuesday 16th September 2003 at 7.30 p.m. in the Margaret Preston room at the village hall.

A WARNING -

From Norfolk Rural Community Council to anybody who owns a computer. Norfolk is being flooded with "official looking" information relating to the "Data Protection Enforcement Agency" - This is a SCAM Please do NOT complete the forms or make any payment.

WRENINGHAM "ALL SAINTS" CHURCH

Harvest Supper - will be on Friday 12th September at the village hall at 7.30 p.m. with entertainment by the Ashwren Players. Tickets £5.00 (£3.00 under 12 years) from Thelma Hanton, Margaret Wilkinson, Christine Minns, Irene Moore.

Cycle Ride - This takes place on Saturday 13th September from 10 a.m. - 6 p.m. Sponsorship forms are available from Margaret Wilkinson. Do ask for one and get your family and friends to sponsor you. Helpers to man the church throughout the day will be greatly appreciated.

Harvest Festival - Sunday 28th September, in the church at 10.30 a.m. - Everybody welcome. The church will be decorated for the occasion and children are invited to bring food items which are presented and blessed during the service.

Jumble Sale at the village hall on Saturday 18th October so start saving your 'unwants' - further details later.

The Red Cross house to house collection in Wreningham raised the sum of £163.00. Mrs Sue Rudd thanks everyone who gave so generously and to Mrs Peggy New, Mrs Greta Henton and Mrs Andree Handford for their help.

Ashwren Players

Our thanks to everybody who came to the "Old Tyme Music Hall" - we were very pleasantly surprised by the turnout.

We are now turning our thoughts to a pantomime for February half-term 2004. Anybody wishing to get involved are invited to a meeting on 2nd September at 7.30 p.m. in the Margaret Preston room at the village hall.

SHORT MAT BOWLS The new season will start on Thursday 11th September and anybody interested in playing are welcome to turn up at 7.30 p.m. including those with no previous experience.

BLOOD DONATING - Wymondham Central Hall:
Wed. 20th Aug. 13.00 to 15.30, 16.30 to 19.00
Wed. 24th Sept. 13.00 to 15.30, 16.30 to 19.00
- Mulbarton Village Hall:
Thurs 21st Aug. 13.00 to 15.30, 17.00 to 19.00

Fornsett St Peter Methodist Church will be holding a coffee morning on Tuesday 9th September at the church. All Welcome.

Flower Club

The next meeting will be on Thursday 28th August.
The demonstrator will be Mr D. Wright of Tunstead. His theme will be "Musical Inspirations"
Doors open 1.30 p.m. for 2 p.m. start.
Visitors £2.50. Everyone Welcome.

Bramble Bears Playgroup

Do you have a pre-school child aged between 2 years 9 months and 5 years?

If you do then your local playgroup has vacancies from September 2003.

The playgroup is small, friendly and fun, and operates on Monday, Tuesday and Thursday mornings from 9.45 to 12.15. Sessions are held at Ashwellthorpe village hall. For more details or to arrange a visit please contact the Admissions Officer - Monica Howard on 01508 489291.

Ellen's Garden Fete

A big "Thank You" to everyone who supported our garden fete on 12th July. The sun shone and we all had a wonderful afternoon. Even though we didn't have a huge turn-out we still managed to raise an incredible £750.00 (including a follow up car boot sale). With £400.00 going to Quidenham Children's Hospice, £250.00 to Wreningham School and £100.00 to Bramble Bears Playgroup. Ellen certainly had a day to remember.

Wreningham Golden Jubilee Memento

A copy of the booklet was sent to her Majesty the Queen and the following reply was received from one of her Ladies-in-Waiting.

“The Queen wishes me to write and thank you so much for the kind message which you sent to her on behalf of the people of Wreningham.

Her Majesty was very pleased to see the recently published Wreningham Golden Jubilee Memento that you enclosed together with your Silver Jubilee booklet, and I am to tell you that The Queen is most grateful for the loyalty and support she has received throughout her long reign.

I am to thank you also for the copy of the momento published in 1887 to commemorate Queen Victoria's Golden Jubilee, and to say that Her Majesty greatly appreciated your good wishes and your thought for her at this memorable time.”

Following the official launch of this booklet it is now on sale at £1.50 a copy from Julie Miles, Dennis Long, Ian Dobson, Christine Minns or Spratt's office.

Wreningham Village Hall

Art Exhibition

Meet the Artists

and

Wine Preview Evening

Friday September 5th

8 - 10 pm

(£3.00 admission to include glass of wine)

Work displayed by many talented local artists.

Exhibition opening times:

Saturday September 6th, 10 am to 6 pm

Sunday September 7th, 10 am to 5 pm

Admission £1.00

For entry forms and
preview tickets contact
Jan Nudd on 01508 489680



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