



WRENINGHAM MARDLE



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From The Chairman,

We missed you on Thurs. 6th November! Only 8 people attended the Annual General Meeting.

We welcome Ann Carpenter to the committee as Ashwren Players Rep but Alex and Cecilia Deans have both decided to stand down. We thank them both for their past help, especially Alex for his time as Booking Secretary. I am pleased to say that Andree Handford has agreed to take on the job from Alex and as she has been booking secretary before the change over should go smoothly.

Welcome back Andree. This will be my last year as chairman and other committee members have indicated that they may not be available to stand next year. There are places on the committee and if you would like to get involved, then the committee would be pleased to consider co-opting you. Please contact me if you are interested

Christine Minns (01508 488123)



Village Hall Booking Secretary:

For bookings over the next few weeks continue to collect the key from Mr. Deans until you are advised otherwise.

New booking secretary - taking over soon
Mrs Andree Handford, Hawthorn Cottage,
Wymondham Road, Tel: 01508 488182

1960's DANCES

The 2 Sixties dances held in October and November, although not terribly well supported did make about £160.00 for MacMillan Cancer Relief: Although these are billed as 60's dances, most of the bands play music from other decades as well, so they are not for just those who only like 60's music. The next dance will be on Saturday 31st January when the band will be "Midnight Hour". Dances start at 8 p.m. Admission is £5.00 on the door.

Flower Club

The next meeting will be on:

Thursday 29th January

Doors open 1.30 p.m. for 2 p.m. start.

Visitors £2.50. Everyone Welcome.

Yoga - New Term starts on Monday 5th January at 7.30 p.m. Any new people wishing to join the class contact Adult Education at Attleborough.



SOCIAL CLUB



The Cleaving Heevages concert was a great success and good fun. Thanks to everyone who attended, helped out on the night and sold tickets, with a special thank you to Nicky and Harvey Day for making such a good effort.

Due to recent financial restraints, we were unable to hold a firework display this year. We know you all enjoy this event and we will make a particular effort next year to make sure it goes ahead.

There are several events coming up over the next two months so look out for the leaflets coming through your doors. The first ones are:

5th December - Musical Quiz at 8 p.m.

Thurs 18th Dec. Christmas Draw 8 p.m.

Fri. 19th Dec. Christmas Party - theme "Hats"

Reminder Club nights are Thursday & Friday from 8 pm. Membership, Due 1st January - 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.

Kevin Feek - Chairman

Would you like to be in the village pantomime?

Rehearsals are going well and we are now looking for extras for the crowd scenes, male and female of all ages.

If you would like to join us contact Ann on 01508 488337

WRENINGHAM "ALL SAINTS" CHURCH



The Christmas Fayre on Saturday 22nd November was really well supported and we hope that everybody enjoyed themselves. Our thanks to all who helped, gave items for the stalls and games or came and supported. The afternoon made about £430.00 for church funds.

Everybody should be getting a card giving you details of the services over the Christmas period. Please keep that safe and join us to celebrate either at the Carol Service or on Christmas morning, or indeed, you will always be most welcome at any service.

MARGARET HELEN WILKINSON

On behalf of Margaret's family, may I express a very sincere "thank you" to all those people of Wreningham, and indeed the surrounding area, who wrote, telephoned, called personally, or attended in such great numbers at our Church on 27th October last. Your many memories recalling how she touched upon your lives and the lovely tributes to her have helped us all very much in bearing our very sad loss. God Bless you all.

"Pip"



Parish Council

Chairman - Mrs Julie Miles. The Old Butchery,
Church Road, Wreningham,
Clerk - Mrs Christine Baldwin, Woodlace Cottage,
Mill Lane, Wreningham, Norwich, NR16 1AN
Email: wreningham.pc@tiscali.co.uk



The next meeting of the Parish Council will be on Tuesday 20th January 2004 at 7.30 p.m. in the Margaret Preston room at the village hall.

Wreningham Golden Jubilee Memento

Don't forget that a copy of this booklet which is on sale at £1.50 can be obtained from Julie Miles, Dennis Long, Ian Dobson, Christine Minns or Spratt's office.

BLOOD DONATING - Wymondham Central Hall:

Tue 9th December 13.00- 15.30; 16.30- 19.00
Tue 23rd December 13.00- 15.30; 16.30- 19.00
Wed 28th January 13.00- 15.30; 16.30- 19.00

At this time of year, because of colds and flu there is always a shortage of donors so if you are a regular donor and it is time to give again or if you are a new recruit, please make every effort to give during this winter.

British Legion Poppy Appeal 2003

The total collected in Wreningham was £149.42



South Norfolk District Council - Refuse Collection
The re-arranged collection days over Christmas and the
New Year are:

Normal Day

Thurs 25th Dec

Fri 26th Dec

Thurs 1st Jan

Fri 2nd Jan

All other collections will be as normal

Revised Day

Sat. 20th Dec

Sat. 27th Dec

Fri 2nd Jan

Sat. 3rd Jan

Bramble Bears Playgroup

Christmas Fayre

Saturday 13th December 2 pm to 4 pm

at Ashwellthorpe Village Hall



This is the first year that the playgroup will be holding a Christmas Fayre at Ashwellthorpe Village Hall. There will be many stalls selling gifts for last minute Christmas shopping as well as lots of Christmas games for the children, including:

Body Shop, orchard Toys, Elm Hill Teddies, Framed Pictures, Crafts, Greetings Cards, Home and Garden Gifts, Cakes, Bric-a-brac, Mulled Wine, Mince Pies, Decorations, Lucky Dip, Father Christmas, Lucky Jars, Hook the Bag and many more games.

On behalf of the Village Hall Management Committee our best wished to you all for a happy Christmas and a peaceful and healthy New Year.

Local NHS helps patients to resolve concerns

The Patient Advice and Liaison Service (PALS) is there to help when you need advice, have concerns, or do not know where to turn

We provide confidential advice and support, helping you to sort out any concerns you may have about your health care, guiding you through the different services available from the NHS.

PALS will be able to:

- offer a confidential and impartial service
- advise and support patients, their families and carers
- provide information on NHS services
- listen to your concerns, suggestions or queries
- help sort out problems on your behalf

We act independently when handling patient and family concerns, liaising with staff, managers and, where appropriate, relevant organisations, to find solutions. If necessary, we can also refer patients and families to specific local or national support agencies.

Every NHS Trust has a PALS which deals with enquiries relating to the services they provide. To contact the PALS for community and GP health services in central Norfolk, telephone 01603 307340 and a PALS officer will help you with your enquiry or visit www.heron.nhs.uk for local PALS contact details.

“The Wonderful Story of Mother Goose”

(by Norman Robbins)

to be performed by Ashwren Players

at

Wreningham Village Hall

on Thursday 19th, Friday 20th

Saturday 21st February at 7.30 p.m.

Tickets go on sale from Monday 5th January

priced £4.00

(children £2.00 Thursday & Friday)

(senior citizens £3.00 Thursday & Friday)

available from:

Christine Minns, High Gables, Church Road,

Wreningham, Tel: 01508 488123

or

Shirley Moss, 2 Greenwood Close,

Ashwellthorpe, Tel: 01508 489460

NEW YEARS EVE PARTY

Wreningham Village Hall

entertainment by

“Tony Andrews”

9 p.m. to late

All Ticket - £4.00 each in advance

(bring a plate of food for shared buffet)

For Tickets Contact:

Kevin on 01508 481838,

Penny on 01508 389319,

Jayne on 01508 481798

Christine on 01508 488123

All proceeds (after expenses) to “East Anglian Air Ambulance”

