WRENINGHAM

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From Your Chairman,

I hope that you have all had a good summer, and are ready to join in some of the events being held in the village hall, details of which are enclosed.

As many of you will have seen there is a "For Sale" notice in the field opposite the village hall. Members of the Management Committee have been asked if we would consider the purchase of this as a village amenity. We have discussed the matter, made enquiries about planning permission for change of use and asked the vendors if they would extend the date for offers in order that we can explore the feeling of the whole village. Their reply is not expected until early in October, but if they agree to an extension, a public meeting will be called immediately, to discuss the possible use, need, value and funding. Please look out for posters giving details of a public meeting from about the first week-end in October.

Christine Minns

Social Club News

The next big event is a "Quiz and Chips" night which we are organising jointly with the Friends of Wreningham School. We hope as many people as possible will come along and support the Social Club, School and village hall all in one go. It is on Friday 3rd October at 7.30 p.m. and entry is £1.50 (excluding fish and chips). The quiz is in the main hall and the bar will be open. We look forward to seeing you there.

We are now having regular guest real ales from both Greene King and Woodfordes. Over the past few weeks we have served brews such as Norfolk Wherry, Great Eastern and Mardlers Mild along with Greene King IPA and Mad Judge, with many others to come.

We are hoping to arrange a Halloween disco/fancy dress on October 31st - look out for posters - there will be a discount for those in fancy dress.

Line dancing is continuing with dates for the rest of the year:

17th October, 14th and 28th November 12th December

All at 7.30 p.m., £2.00 per person. Come and try it.

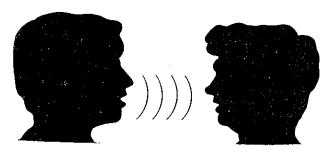
We are on the lookout for a site for this years bonfire on November 5th. - We will find one, we always do! Look out for posters or details from the Club nearer the time.

Thanks to Adge Browne and David Minns for organising this years treasure hunt. Steve from Tacolneston and his team won, so they get the honour of organising next year!

Please remember that the Social Club bar will be <u>CLOSED</u> on Saturday November 22nd in connection with a charity event in the main hall.

We look forward to seeing you at the above events as well as normal opening evenings, Thursday to Sunday. To anyone new to the village, a warm welcome and we hope you will pop into the club for a drink and to meet us all - we're a friendly lot!

Gary Mutten - Social Club Chairman.



Regular events in the Village Hall

SINGO - cash bingo will be played at 8 p.m. on the following Mondays 13th & 27th October, 10th & 24th November

WHIST - takes place in the Margaret Preston Room at 8 p.m. on Mondays 20th October and 17th November.

SALLROOM - dancing to C.D's at 8 p.m. on Fridays 10th and 24th October, 7th and 21st November.

LINE DANCING - on 7.30 p.m. on Fridays 17th October, 14th & 28th November.

OUNTRY - dancing to:

Saturday 11th October - Phil Shannon Saturday 8th November - Tequila Sunrise

FLOWER CLUB - Thursday 30th October & 27th November. Doors open at 1.30 p.m. for a 2 p.m. start. Visitors welcome.

OTHER EVENTS

60's DANCE - dancing to:
"East Coast" on 18th October
"The Centurions" on 29th November

PARISH COUNCIL - next meeting Tuesday 18th November.

Friday 3rd October - Don't forget the Quiz and Chips Evening as detailed in the Social Club Report.

Saturday 4th October - 1.30 p.m. Jumble Sale.

Every Tuesday 8 pm - 9 pm Keep Fit Classes

Friday 31st October - Halloween Party - watch out for posters

Wednesday 5th November - Bonfire and Fireworks - watch out for posters.

Saturday 15th November - A Christmas Fayre in aid of Church Funds - watch out for posters giving details.

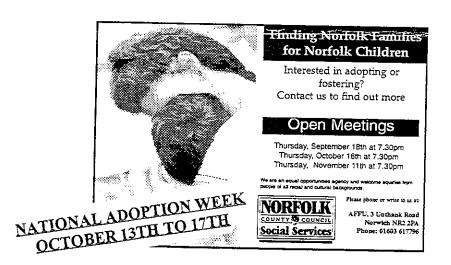
Saturday 22nd November - Jonathan Wyatt Big Band is coming to Wreningham - This is a charity event, tickets will be on sale in advance - watch out for posters!!

Short Mat Bowls - Every Thursday evening at 7.30 p.m. If you would like to give it a try do go along - new players are always welcome.

Churches Cycle Ride - Thank you to those who helped man the Church throughout the day. Just under thirty cyclists checked in which is not as many as in previous years but it was a very windy day, especially for the youngsters. Once again the "Bilham" family cycled for Wreningham - well done and thank you. The results of their efforts will be given at a later date.

HAVE YOU EVER WANTED THE CHANCE TO CALL FOR BINGO??? - Now is your opportunity! Mr. Pip Wilkinson would be pleased to hear from anybody who would like to give it a go, as he would like to retire at the end of the year and needs somebody to take over - Call Pip on 01508 488212

FOR SALE - A burco boiler in very good condition £10.00. Proceeds to the Big C Appeal. Tel: 01508 489284



FLOWER CLUB

The meeting on 30th October will be a demonstration by Mrs Jill Clarke and her theme is "Circles, Rings and Things"

The meeting on 27th November sees Mrs Ann Marie Kendrick from Ipswich demonstrating on the theme of "Twelve Days of Christmas". this is an open meeting, so do go along and get some ideas. Doors open 1.30 p.m. for 2 p.m. start.

WRENINGHAM FUEL TRUST NOTICE

The income from Wreningham Fuel Trust has to be given in providing fuel for the poor persons living in the parish of Wreningham. Traditionally, the Trust encourages persons over 70 years along with anybody who is in need, to apply. We would emphasis that the Charity Income is open to ANYBODY in the parish who is in need. We also ask that if you know of anybody in need you will nominate them for help.

We are now taking applications and distribution will be in the form of electricity stamps, which will be sent out early in the New Year. Please send names by Thursday 30th October to the clerk: Christine Minns, c/o Church Farm, Wreningham or tel: 01953 602754 (be prepared for an answerphone it is quite friendly!). We are able to help at other times of the year if the need is pressing, so please let us know.