

WRENINGHAM & DISTRICT MARDLE

October/November issue

A bi-monthly newsletter produced by the
Village Hall Committee**Village life**

As we now move into autumn my thoughts are for the final events and activities of my committee's year of office and the Annual General Meeting of the Village Hall Committee, which this year is on 26th November at 8.00 p.m. Please make a diary note of the date and come along to make sure we have a good attendance.

During the past year we have held a number of events, some very successful and others which could have had more support. Overall however your committee has been encouraged by attendances and we can certainly assure you that every effort will continue to be made to provide interest and entertainment in the future, in fact a number of new ideas are being considered already for next year.

At this point I would like to thank the committee, on your behalf, for their considerable efforts over the past year and also thank them personally for their support during my year of office. New faces and new ideas are always needed on the committee so please become involved in your village activities by attending the A.G.M. and possibly volunteering to serve on the committee for a time.

Finally, I would like to advise you of the formation of the Wreningham Youth Club and ask any parents who feel able to to contact me if they would like to help on an occasional basis in the weekly running of this new venture. Children from Ashwellthorpe and surrounding villages are also welcome and we are planning to launch this venture on 7th October - further details elsewhere in the Mardle.

BRIAN NIXON
Chairman

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THANK YOU

Bill and Marsha Smith for the very successful and enjoyable barbecue and dance held at the Old Rectory recently. The grand sum of £413 was raised and this is to be shared between the Playing Field and Village Hall funds.

AND AGAIN -

The Coffee Evening held at Mrs. Pruce's raised the splendid sum of £100. Many thanks to those who came and to those who gave a donation of money or in kind. The money is for the W.I. 1986 charity and this year we want to benefit the Wymondham Health Centre. They have a great need for nebulisers there and enough money has been raised for one, with something towards a second. With this in view there will be a Coffee Morning on Saturday 8th November at

Mrs. Beryl Whiting's, Roberne, Ashwellthorpe Road, Wreningham. Most of us have a need of the Health Centre at some time so please do come along - 10.30 a.m. to 12.00 noon. There will be the usual bring-and-buy stall and raffle.

AND AGAIN -

The cake and produce stall opposite the Church on Saturday 6th September raised £52.25. Thank you to all who contributed or supported this event.



coffee

DON'T FORGET

The Coffee Shop opens again on Wednesday 8th October 10.30 - 11.30 a.m. in the Village Hall. Come for a chat, a cup of "real" coffee and home-made scones.

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SATURDAY 18TH OCTOBER
FAMILY 60'S EVENING

Entrance £1.50
Children 50p

8 till late
Bar

An event for the whole family

REGULARS

WHIST DRIVES

Monday 20th October and Monday 17th November
Entrance 50p including raffle tickets

8.00 p.m.
Bar open

ALSO

Bumper Christmas Whist Drive
Monday 15th December

CONFIRE NIGHT
(Wednesday 5th November)
6.30 p.m.
Village Hall Car Park

Bring your own fireworks

Hot dogs, soup, coffee, etc. available

SATURDAY 15TH NOVEMBER
CASINO EVENING

This is in the process of being planned - more details later.



SATURDAY 13TH DECEMBER



Mike Butcher and friends cordially invite you to an evening of Music for Christmas. Commencing 8.00 p.m.

Entrance £1.50
(including refreshments)

Light refreshments and coffee will be served in the interval and the bar will be open.

Music

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EARLY WARNING

There will be a New Year's Eve party dance for the village in the Village Hall on 31st December again this year. More details in the next Mardle but tickets at a reasonable price and inclusive of food and drink will be available soon from committee members, Stephanie Stretton or Pat Butcher.



POPULAR

dance

Beginning in February, and on the first Saturday in the month thereafter, Alan Ford will be organising dancing to records in the Village Hall. The dances will range from ballroom to country and will definitely not be pop! More details later.

Also, it is planned to hold regular Country and Western evenings next year with popular Groups being invited to play. Watch out for further details later.

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C L U B N E W S

Commencing Tuesday 7th October
6.30 - 8.30 p.m.

Wrenningham Youth Club

All children between 8 and 14 welcome. A wide range of activities is being planned. Further details will be circulated.

KEEP FIT

After a well-earned summer break keep fit sessions have resumed on Wednesday evenings only starting at 8.00 p.m. Come and join us for an enjoyable hour of exercise to music - £1 per session.

Yvonne Bloom

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BABYSITTING CIRCLE

The babysitting circle would welcome some new members. At present there are eight of us and we sit for each other in exchange for tokens. If you would like to find out more come and meet members for a glass of wine and a chat at 8.00 p.m. on Thursday 16th October at Oaklands, Wymondham Road, Wrenningham or 'phone Ros Hobbs on Fundenhall 551.

IN THE COMMUNITY

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PARISH COUNCIL NEWS

An item on the Agenda for the next P.C. meeting is the question of whether to fell the walnut tree on the playing field as it hinders the sporting activities of cricket and football. If you have any views please come to the next meeting which is on **TUESDAY 18TH NOVEMBER** at 7.30 p.m., or give your comments to any P.C. member before that date.

Is anyone interested in training as an Emergency Planning Officer for our village? It is a challenging occupation covering all types of emergency including nuclear war and would suit an active retired person. Travelling expenses are paid. If you would like to know more please contact the Chairman of the Parish Council, Bill Wells, who will be pleased to hear from you.

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WRENINGHAM FIRST SCHOOL

VOLUNTEERS

Everyone is invited to a performance of the CHRISTMAS PLAY in the Village Hall on **WEDNESDAY 10TH DECEMBER** 10.00 a.m.

The Children invite all Senior Citizens to an afternoon of CAROL SINGING with tea and mince pies at the school on

MONDAY 15TH DECEMBER at 2.00 p.m.

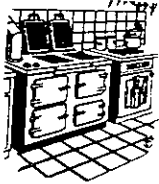
HOUSEHOLD HINTS

The following hints are taken from a 1920's book "Labour-Saving Hints and Ideas for the Home", some useful, some amusing.

"When boiling milk - you can save time and trouble by putting a large marble into the pan. The marble automatically stirs the milk and prevents it from burning.

Washing up - Much trouble can be saved when washing up by taking a piece of paper and wiping all greasy plates first. This is very useful in the country, where one has no hot water tap.

To stop boots squeaking - make a small hole in the middle of the sole, and then drive in a piece of a match-stick."



Dates for your Diary
(Cut out and keep)

Be sure

Tuesday 7th October	Youth Club begins 6.30 - 8.30 p.m.
Wednesday 8th "	Coffee shop starts 10.30 - 11.30 a.m.
Thursday 16th "	Babysitting circle social evening 8.00 p.m.
Saturday 18th "	Family 60's evening 8.00 p.m.
Monday 20th "	Whist Drive 8.00 p.m.

Wednesday 5th November	Bonfire - car park - 6.30 p.m.
Saturday 8th "	Coffee Morning 10.30 a.m.
Saturday 15th "	? Casino Evening
Monday 17th "	Whist Drive 8.00 p.m.
Tuesday 18th "	Parish Council Meeting 7.30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY 26TH NOVEMBER

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING - VILLAGE HALL
COMMITTEE 8.00 P.M.

Saturday 13th December	Christmas Music 8.00 p.m.
Monday 15th "	Christmas Whist Drive 8.00 p.m.



Notes or comments for the next edition of the Mardle to the editor,
Pat Butcher by mid-November please.