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From: Your Chairman

My goodness , how the year flies by! This is the mid-year edition and we have only just started to feel the warmth of the sun and yet the next edition will be planning for the autumn/winter activities.

The Management Committee has 2 main items on their agenda at the moment.

The most interesting is the planning for the village fete on 23rd June. This will be held on the Playing Field opposite the hall at 2 p.m. If we are unfortunate enough to have a wet day then as many activities as possible will be moved into the hall itself. We are still looking for ideas and helpers and if you would like to get involved please come forward. There will be an open meeting for those able to help on Thursday evening, 6th June at 7.30 p.m. in the Council Room at the village hall. If you cann't make that meeting but would like to contribute in any way, please make your offer known to a committee member.

DO SUPPORT THE FETE - WATCH OUT FOR POSTERS.



The other main agenda item is updating the requirements to comply with the Public Entertainment Licence following a visit from the fire officer and South Norfolk Council. Legislation, as with everything else has been tightened up. This means that work will have to be done to the exit lighting and an alarm system fitted, along with other small jobs and the curtains need to be re-fireproofed, which in itself could be quite expensive. The total of all this is likely to be in the region of £5,000 but it is hoped that South Norfolk Council will be able to grant aid some of the work.

It sometimes seems that no sooner do we get one thing completed than we are off on a fund raising exercise for the next. However, we do have one of the best halls in the area, much to the envy of other local parishes, and it is used regularly, especially at week-ends.

The committee would like to thank those who supported one of the best Jumble Sales we have ever had - making over £200.00, and the 60's dance last week made over £220.00.

Christine Minns



Loan Bond Winners - 1st April 1996 Congratulations to:

4 Dennis Nudd 178 Daphne Goodrum 249 Dennis Nudd

~ ~ Keeping you posted!

SOCIAL CLUB

This is proving very popular at the moment and the Irish Evening last week was certainly a run-away success. Weather permitting it is likely that the Bar-b-Que this Saturday (1st June) will also get plenty of support.

On 14th June - they are planning a Pub Olympics (Details available later)

On 28th June the club is arranging a Casino night - watch out for posters giving details.

On 20th July they have a family disco and Bar-B-Que (again posters will be displayed giving more information)

VHAT'S ON



DIARY DATES FOR JUNE

Fri. 7th Ballroom, Latin & Sequence Dancing to C.D's. 8. - 11 pm

Numbers vary between 36 and 70 people of all standards-everybody tries to be friendly and welcoming.

Sat. 8th Country Dancing to The Country Boys. Andree and Brian Handford and their helpers put a lot of effort into these Country dances every 2nd Saturday and numbers

have again picked up.

Mon. 10th Bingo - 8 p.m. with Pip Wilkinson and his helpers.

Thurs.20th Flower Club - details elsewhere

Fri. 21st Ballroom, Latin & Sequence 8 p.m. as on 7th.

Sun. 23rd VILLAGE FETE - DON'T MISS THIS
FUN DAY FOR ALL THE VILLAGE

Mon. 24th Bingo - 8 p.m.

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COMING NEXT MONTH

DIARY DATES FOR JULY

Fri. 5th Ballroom, Latin & Sequence 8 pm

Mon. 8th Bingo 8 p.m.

Sat. 13th Country dance to Boots and Roots

Tues. 16th Parish Council Meeting

Fri. 19th Ballroom, Latin & Sequence 8 pm

Sat. 20th Social Club disco and B-B-Q

Mon. 22nd Bingo 8 p.m.

Sat. 27th 60's Dance

SIXTIES DANCE

SATURDAY 27TH JULY

50's & 60's dance

To Rod Clarke and Rollercoaster

This group has not been to Wreningham for some time - but we are pleased to welcome them back and would love your support - admission £3.50 in aid of hall funds.



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CRICKET

The home fixtures, played on the playing field opposite the village hall are given below, do support the village team.

June Sun. 16th v Horsford

Sat. 29th v Sprowston

Sun. 30th v Swardeston

July Sun. 7th v Saxlingham

Thurs.11th v Cockenhatch

Sat. 20th v Old Buckenham

Advance Notice

SATURDAY 17TH AUGUST

50's & 60's Dance

to "The Centurians"

This dance is in aid of The Priscilla Bacon Lodge Support Group - see posters for details



WRENINGHAM FIRST SCHOOL

Are holding the annual SUMMER FAYRE on Saturday 29th June at 2 p.m. (note this is a revised date) at the school



Including a Children's fancy dress competition for the best outfit for something beginning with the letter"S".

Everyone is welcome, so come along and join in all the fun with swing boats, pony rides and much much more.

Of possible interest to parents of young children are portraits from photographs - for details of these contact Zoe Norman on 01508 488294

WRENINGHAM LONG'S WOOD

Recently some of the trees in the new woodland have been damaged where canes supporting them have been broken off and destroyed. If this vandalism continues the wood may have to be closed until the trees are more mature and can support themselves. We would like anybody visiting the wood to be observant and report those causing this damage. There is also a litter problem, so please do take your litter home.

Dennis Long

Very may thanks to everyone who came to "Norfolk Cottage" on 15th May. I was delighted that the amount raised was £152.00 towards the cost of flowers for the Church Flower Festival on 14th & 15th September.

Margaret Wilkinson

FLOWER CLUB

The next meeting in Wreningham Village Hall will be on Thursday 20th June 1.30 p.m. for 2 p.m. All are welcome. Visitors £1.50 with tea and biscuits, plus a raffle. We look forward to seeing you.

Margaret Wilkinson

ALL SAINTS CHURCH, WRENINGHAM

After the latest inspection by the church Architects the Parochial Church Council is faced with an extensive repair programme mainly to the tower roof. The total cost is estimated to be £25,000. We have an offer of a provisional grant from English Heritage towards part of the cost, but we are required to raise a considerable amount by our own The Church Council has decided to efforts. launch a "Tower Fund" Appeal, and it is hoped that the people of Wreningham will give as generously as possible to enable the very necessary work to be carried out to preserve an historical part of our village. Our main fund raising event will be the Flower Festival on 14th & 15th September by which time we hope that some of the work will be in progress.

> Dennis Long & Margaret Wilkinson Churchwardens