

Sedgeford Village News

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NEWS FROM YOUR VILLAGE HALL

Hopefully the weather will have improved, by the time this is published – I hope that you have all survived, ready to help with the exciting challenges faced by your Committee. Firstly we are losing two valuable and long serving Committee Members – Bernard Clark and Mike Sproules. Bernard with his enthusiasm for getting things done, as evidenced by the “New Play Equipment” and Mike for his expertise in dealing with minor items of maintenance. On your behalf a big thank you to them both. Are you prepared to offer some help, , if so, do please give me a call on 571802 – the jobs are not onerous, they just need people with some time? Bernard will continue to be involved in the future “Grand Design” and he is currently preparing a “Master Plan”, which will go on display in due course. If he can secure the necessary funding, it will provide further excellent facilities for the Community.

Over the winter the monthly talks have proved to be very popular, but they will benefit even more by increased support during the winter of 2010/2011. Do not forget your Booking for the St Georges Day Dinner on Friday April 23rd. Book now to avoid being disappointed. The Hall AGM is fixed for Thursday 25th March at 7pm – come along and let us know your opinions on matters affecting the Hall’s future.



George Eve Chairman

FOOTBALL CLUB

**Race Night At Sedgeford Village Hall
Saturday 20th March 2010 7:30pm**

To help raise funds Sedgeford FC have organised a race evening at the Village Hall. Racing starts at 7:30pm Saturday 20th March. Everyone is welcome to attend this exciting event. Bring your own drinks, glasses, nibbles and plenty of money! This promises to be a fun evening and who knows you might even go home with more money than you bring with you?

Stuart Moore.

BABYSITTING AVAILABLE

In order to raise funds for the Sedgeford Church Appeal I am offering to baby-sit. I have seven grandchildren so have extensive experience! £6.00 per hour. Please ring 571802 to discuss. *Belinda Eve.*
Victoria House, Heacham Road, Sedgeford

Come along to our last talk in the series
A very interesting talk on
'Mr Kipling- The one who wrote fine stories'
by Mr Geoffrey Hodson
Friday 19th March 2010 at the Village Hall
At 7.15 for 7.30 prompt start
Tickets £5 (to include tea/coffee and biscuits)
available from : Pat Dawson 01485-570889,
Maggie Burlton 01485-570991 or on the door.

VILLAGE HALL EVENTS - MARCH

Bowls Mon 7.30-9pm

Post Office: Tues 1.30-5.30pm

Thurs 8.30-12 noon

Fri 8.30-11am

Yoga Anyone interested in joining a Yoga class on Wednesday mornings please contact Sandra Kruger-Daunt on 570485

Table Tennis Tues 10.00-12.00 noon Thurs 7-9pm

Keep Fit Thurs 10-11am – new members

welcome – Contact Val on 01328 864358

NOW MOVED TO TUESDAY EVENINGS: Ballroom Dancing – Absolute beginners learn to Waltz, Tango, Quickstep, Slow Foxtrot, Viennese Waltz and Modern Sequence. £5 per person Call 01485 533414 or turn up on the night 7.15 – 9.15– All welcome. Due to the successful numbers attending these dance classes arrangements have been made to split the classes from 9 March 2010 as follows

Ballroom Beginners 7.00-8.15pm and Ballroom

Improvers 8.15-9.30pm

Lynda Moore

BUFFET CURRY EVENING

There will be a Buffet Curry Evening at the King William on Wednesday 17th March from 7pm. Please ring the pub direct on 571765 to book. Why not make up a table and support the Sedgeford Church Appeal. £12 per head to include Thai Curry, Fish Curry and Chicken or Lamb Curry. There will also be a raffle. Many thanks to the King William for supporting our appeal.

Pam Goddard

The deadline for the **April Newsletter** will be

Wednesday March 24th 2010 at 5pm.

The Newsletter Team are very grateful to the School for allowing the Newsletter to be printed on their copier, this means we are once again entirely a Village production.

The Eds

KING WILLIAM – News for March

Mothers Day – Sunday 14 March – Food served all day 12noon-9pm with a choice of Sunday Roast, a la carte and daily specials. Please book now to avoid disappointment.

Curry Night – Wednesday 17 March – An evening not to be missed, in aid of the **Sedgeford Church Appeal**, Curry Buffet £12 per person and raffle on the night. Please book your table direct on 01485-571765

Last Fish & Chips Take Away – Friday 26 March – Last Friday of our popular Fish & Chips take away service for this season, coming back for Winter time.

Monday night Quiz night 8.30pm – all welcome!

Lili Skerrett

WOMEN'S FRIENDSHIP GROUP

It was a cold and frosty night for our February meeting when Veronica Welham gave us a very informative talk on the charity 'Christmas Shoe Boxes'. It all came about in 1990 when pictures of the poor orphans in Romania hit the T.V. screens. Dave cook from

Wrexham was greatly moved by what he saw and started taking supplies to the country helped by a nationwide Christmas Appeal. It was his sister Jan who started the Shoe Boxes and in the first year 3,000 were dispatched. In 1995 'Christmas Shoe Boxes' charity went under the umbrella of 'Samaritan's Purse' charity and last year 7 million boxes were sent all over the world to underprivileged children of all ages. 1,201 were sent from our region. The idea is to fill the boxes with gifts such as toiletries, toys, sweets, educational supplies, jewellery and clothing such as woollen hats, scarves, mittens etc. We were shown a video of the children opening their boxes and the delight on their faces discovering the contents was very moving.

Our next meeting is on Wed. 10th March when Gaynor Curtis will demonstrate and talk about 'Beauty Tips' and 'How to make the most of yourself'. 7.30pm at the Village Hall. It sounds good fun so please come along and bring a friend or two.

Maggie Eurlton

OPEN GARDENS 30th May 2010

By the end of this month we shall be seeing our gardens coming to life and encourage us to really think of colours and fragrance and dare I say it, weeds! But as time goes on do consider opening your gardens on 30th May. Perfection is not what is wanted, rather country gardens of all types and sizes which you enjoy therefore visitors will too. Ring me on 570933 if you have one to offer. This year we are making a special effort for church funds to cover

essential repairs and all your help would be appreciated. If

**We are holding another St George's Day Supper
On Friday 23rd April**

**With entertainment by Sedgeford Amateur
Dramatic Society**

At Sedgeford Village Hall 7pm for 7.30pm

Tickets £12 (includes a two course meal)

Bring your own drinks

Tickets available from Pat Dawson 014850570889

**This is always a very popular even so book early to
avoid disappointment**

QUIZ BOOK

Just to say a big thank you to everyone who bought or sold books for our 6th Annual Quiz Book in aid of St Mary's Church. We raised over £900 - thank you. The winner of the £100 - A M Coates, St Albans. Winners of individual sections are: Neil Cornwall, Hunstanton, Glenda Wickersham Horsham and Jo Ranson, Hunstanton. Lucky Book Number was Trudi Fryett, Sedgeford *Pam Goddard*



Charity no: 1133561

Funding research, offering information, inspiration & hope to those affected by low-grade brain tumours

A bridge day will be held on Wednesday 28th April 2010 to raise funds for the Sedgeford based charity Astro Fund, who raise money for research into low-grade brain tumours and offer information, inspiration and hope for those affected by this awful type of cancer. Held at the Old Coach House in Thornham coffee will be served at 10.30, play starts 11.00, lunch 12.45, play continues at 2.00 with tea & biscuits at 4.00. There will be prizes & a raffle and people from all over Norfolk are expected, as last year.

£20.00 per ticket available from Audrey King - 01485 570380 or *Christine Forecast* – 01485 572767.

www.astrofund.org.uk

Sedgeford Church Appeal

**COFFEE
and
COOKIE MORNING**

Saturday 27th March 10 am to 12 noon

at

Sedgeford Village Hall

£2.50 per head



