



BUBBENHALL VILLAGE NEWSLETTER

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PARISH COUNCIL.

Bad weather in January delayed work on the Traffic Calming Scheme, which is now expected to be completed in February. I would appreciate some feedback on the finished scheme after a reasonable period of operation.

An additional footway light will be installed shortly in Lower End and also in Spring Hill. We hope that funds will be available in the 1997/98 financial year for another light at the Spring Hill/A445 junction.

If a malfunction/problem occurs on the Smiths Concrete generating plants outside normal working hours, contact the Environmental Agency on 0121-711-2324 where the switchboard is manned on a 24-hour basis.

Peter Bird,
Clerk to the Parish Council.

Coventry 305448.

50+ CLUB.

At present it is not viable to continue with the 50+ Club due to diminished membership.

The financial burden to run the Club is now too large for the small number of remaining members.

BUBBENHALL NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH.

Crime figures for the year 1996 show a decrease in Burglary/Dwellings from the previous year, but an increase in Burglary to sheds and outhouses where garden and agricultural machinery etc., is stored. It is therefore advised that all buildings of this nature be securely locked at all times when not in use.

One only theft of a vehicle is reported, but there were six cases of theft from motor vehicles, which again demonstrates how important it is to lock up the car before leaving it, and also not to leave anything of value in it when left unattended.

BUBBENHALL NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH (Contd.)

Residents are asked to continue to be vigilant at all times and report any suspicious incident to the Police at once and not to a street co-ordinator, as this only causes an unnecessary delay. Thank you all for your continued support.

R.B.Gardner,
Chairman of Co-ordinators.

Coventry 303546.

MALT SHOVEL SPORTS AND SOCIAL CLUB.

First may we thank everyone who joined in the Boxing Day walk. It was a nice day and everyone seemed to enjoy it.

There was a good response to the raffle and auction held after the walk. £480 was raised, and we sent £240 to Myton Hospice and £240 to the Acorn Children's Hospice.

Because the weather was so wet and cold when we had the May Fair last year, we have decided to have it later this year. It will be on June 22nd - not a May Fair but a June Fun Day. It will be in the Malt Shovel garden as before, and if any village groups would like to run a stall to help with their funds, please contact David at the Malt Shovel.

A date for your diary. Saturday, September 6th. This will be Flower Show and Car Boot sale day. As usual there will be an auction at the Malt Shovel in the evening. More details later.

Mary Long.

Coventry 302840.

RAINBOWS.

We hope that you all had a good Christmas, and our Rainbows all wish you a Very Happy New Year.

This term is going to be a very busy one. We have a trip to London with other Guide, Brownie and Rainbow units from the district. We shall see the Changing of the Guard, and, hopefully, "The Queen". We shall be attending the district Thinking Day service as usual.

We have looked after the wild birds by making bird cakes and stringing peanuts.

Some of the Rainbows helped at the Brownies Blue Peter Bring-and-Buy sale. We also made notebooks which were sold on the day.

We shall be holding a Disco on March 15th, 5.30 p.m.-7.30 p.m. Tickets £1.50 available in advance and on the door.

Rainbows is a pre-Brownie group for 5-7 year old girls. For further information please contact:-

Margaret Robinson
Dawn Hands

Coventry 305931.
Coventry 306073.

BROWNIES.

The end of the Autumn term was taken up with preparations for the Brownie Stall at both the Bubbenhall and the Ryton Christmas Fairs. £40.00 was raised, the funds going towards our support of the Hawk and Owl Trust, and to the annual Brownie Census fees.

BUBBENHALL VILLAGE HALL
INCOME/EXPENDITURE STATEMENT
01/01/95 TO 31/12/96

31/01/97

INCOME L		EXPENDITURE L	
BALANCE B/F	1692-32		
Fees + Other		Recurrent Items:	
Current Income:		Electricity	719-10
Doctor	430-00	Water	287-97
P.C. Remit.	95-00	Gas	61-21
Football Club	215-00	Cleaning	971-92
Bookings (Hall Hire)	2071-83	Ref.Col.	43-53
Bav.Evening Dep.	50-00	Insurance	247-60
Elect. Meters	31-00	P.C.Rental	50-00
Business Call A/C Transfer	1-07	Sub.Total:	2381-33
Bank Interest	37-83	Maintenance	720-86
		Bav.Eve.Dep.	50-00
		Donations to Church/Rural Comm. Council	270-00
		Equipment	47-75
		Admin.	20-00
		Petty Cash	17-54
		Sub-Total:	1126-15
TOTAL INCOME:	2931-73	TOTAL EXPEND.:	3507-48
		BALANCE C/F:	1116-57
TOTAL INC.+OPENING BAL:	4624-05	TOTAL:	4624-05

SIGNED: Peter Bird - Treasurer

