

NEXT NEWSLETTER.

Due for circulation in early December 1992. Items for publication, in writing, please, to Rene Beale, 10, Waggoners Close, Bubbenhall, Coventry, CV8 3JE. Telephone: 0203-301727.

Finally, many thanks for all the news and interesting items submitted for this current issue.

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BUBBENHALL PARISH COUNCIL MEMBERS - 1992/1993.

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| 1. Chairman                          | Councillor Mrs.J.Lloyd, "Hill Cottage", Stoneleigh Road, Bubbenhall, Coventry CV8 3BT.                                  | 0203-302836. |
| 2. Vice-Chairman.                    | Councillor A.R.Gibson, 31, Orchard Way, Bubbenhall, Coventry, CV8 3JQ.  | 0203-307933. |
| 3.                                   | Councillor N.M.Busby, 16, Coopers Walk, Bubbenhall, Coventry, CV8 3JB.  | 0203-306927. |
| 4.                                   | Councillor A.B.Glover, 33, Coopers Walk, Bubbenhall, Coventry, CV8 3JB.   | 0203-306844. |
| 5.                                   | Councillor D.W.Johnson, 6, Waggoners Close, Bubbenhall, Coventry, CV8 3JE.  | 0203-303386. |
| 6.                                   | Councillor Mrs.S.E.Roe, 15, Waggoners Close, Bubbenhall, Coventry, CV8 3JE.   | 0203-301916. |
| 7.                                   | Councillor Mrs.E.J.Shattock, "Church House" Church Road, Bubbenhall, Coventry, CV8 3BE.                                 | 0203-305086. |
| <u>Clerk:</u>                        | Mr,R.S.Friend, 5, Lythall Close, Radford Semele, Leamington Spa, CV31 1UG.  | 0926-422342. |
| <u>County Councillor</u>             | Councillor C.S.Cleaver, 59 Offchurch Road, Cubbington, Leamington Spa, CV32 7NG.  | 0926-335609. |
| <u>Warwick District Councillors.</u> | Councillor C.S.Cleaver - as above.<br>Councillor J.S.Hammon, "New House Farm". Rugby Road, Wappenbury, L/Spa, CV33 7NG. | 0926-632721. |

Representatives on Outside Bodies:-

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| Bubbenhall Village Hall Committee:                 | Councillor A.R.Gibson - as above.<br>One year to Annual Meeting in May, 1993.   |
| Bubbenhall C.E.First School Governing Body:        | Councillor Mrs.J.Lloyd - as above.<br>Four years from 1st Sept.1989 to 31st Aug.1993.   |
| Bubbenhall Parish Emergency Committee:             | One year to Annual Meeting, May 1993.<br>Councillor Mrs.J.Lloyd, Chairman, Parish Council.<br>Councillor A.R.Gibson, Vice-Chairman " "<br>Councillor D.W.Johnson. |
| Liaison Committee - Extraction of Sand and Gravel. | Councillor N.M.Busby, to Annual Meeting, May, 1993.   |

STOP PRESS!! Gala Day - Village Hall/Malt Shovel. - Profit - £180.

Tramp Supper with drinks and music proposed for November.



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PARISH COUNCIL.

It was with great regret that the Parish Council received the news of the death of Charles Haynes. He was, until recently, Chairman of the Parish Council for 8 years, and a Parish Council member over the last 16 years. During this period he gave his time and effort selflessly. He will be sadly missed by the Parish Council and villagers alike. The Parish Council extends its deepest sympathy to Mrs. Haynes.

Membership.

Councillor Mrs. J. Lloyd was elected as Chairman of the Parish Council, with Councillor A.R.Gibson as Vice-Chairman.

The resultant vacancy on the Parish Council was filled by the co-option of Mrs.E.J.Shattock of "Church House", Church Road, who returns to the Council after a short break.

Details of Parish Council members, together with other relevant information, is reported at the end of this Newsletter.

Best Kept Village Competition, 1992.

The Parish Council was delighted to be informed that Bubbenhall had won the Warwick District Section of the County Best Kept Village Competition, and, as a result, contested the County Final with Curdworth (N.Warwickshire), Wolvey (Rugby), Wootton Waven (Alcester), Ilmington (Shipston), Long Itchington (Southam) and Welford-on-Avon (Stratford). Unfortunately Bubbenhall was not placed in the final, the result being - 1st Curdworth, 2nd Welford-on-Avon and 3rd Wootton Waven. The Parish of Bubbenhall will, however, receive a certificate as winner of the Warwick District Section, and the Parish Council would like to thank all residents for their help and co-operation in this achievement.

Sand and Gravel Extraction.

- (1) "Glebe Farm" site between Weston Lane and Pagets Lane.

Councillor N.M.Busby has been appointed as the Parish Council's representative on the liaison committee set up by the County Council to operate in connection with this project, and the liaison committee has had its first meeting. B.R.A.G. has appointed Mr.D.O'Brien as its representative on the liaison committee.

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Sand and Gravel Extraction (Contd.)

(2) Proposed "Areas of Search"

The Parish Council has given serious consideration to the County Council's Draft Minerals Plan for Warwickshire, which includes a further "Area of Search" in the Parish of Bubbenhall, stretching from the top of Weston Lane Hill on the left hand side towards Weston-under-Wetherley for a considerable distance into that Parish and around the boundary of Bubbenhall Wood to Pagets Lane. Bubbenhall Wood itself, is not included. The Parish Council has registered the strongest possible objection to this further extension of sand and gravel workings in the Parish.

Footpath - Coopers Walk to A.445.

The Parish Council is continuing to press Warwick District Council regularly to clean and cut back the growth on this footpath.

Spring Hill.

(1) Development between "Spring Cottage" and "Reading Room".

The Parish Council has decided to support the developer's proposed "Spring Hill Close" as the name for this development.

(2) Grass Verge.

The Parish Council has asked the County Council to kerb certain grass verges in Spring Hill, to protect them against damage by vehicles.

Coventry Airport.

The Parish Council has taken up the question of overflying the village by aircraft from Baginton Airport, and will continue to monitor the situation, and will not hesitate to raise the matter again if necessary.

Next Meetings.

These will be held in the Village Hall at 7.45 p.m. as follows:-

Tuesday, 15th September.

Tuesday, 20th October.

BUBBENHALL RESIDENTS ACTION GROUP (B.R.A.G.)

A meeting to debate the future of B.R.A.G. was held in the Village Hall on 19th June, but this was poorly attended. It was decided to submit a report through the Village Newsletter so that all B.R.A.G. members are made aware of action taken and proposals for the future.

1. The monitoring committee proposed at the time of the development approval will include a representative from B.R.A.G. - Mr. Denis O'Brien.
2. All other activities of B.R.A.G. will be suspended, with reactivation a possibility if required as a result of findings by the monitoring committee.
3. Residual funds (£89.28) are to be passed onto the Village Hall fund, representing an amenity available for use by all villagers.

All enquiries re the above proposals to Maggi Ward, telephone Coventry 306006.

All enquiries re monitoring committee to Denis O'Brien, telephone Coventry 304768.

ST. GILES' CHURCH.

Events enjoyed recently include the Charity Performance at the Priory Theatre. Almost all seats were sold, and £220 was raised for Church funds.

Bubbenhall and Ryton Churches had an evening of music on August 2nd, at Ryton, followed by supper and wine. Over 100 attended and the proceeds amounted to £210 (in aid of the Church Urban Fund). Thank you to all who came and contributed with food, also to Miss Joyce Barnacle for her part in the programme.

Bike Ride The annual sponsored bike ride is to be held on Saturday, September 12th. This is organised by the Coventry and Warwickshire Historic Churches Trust - half of the proceeds going to the Trust and half to St. Giles. We need lots more riders this year (how about all those London to Brighton enthusiasts?!). Sponsor forms etc., from Jackie Lloyd, Coventry 302836).

Car Boot Sale Miss Grimes is planning a Bric-a-Brac stall at the Village Hall Car Boot Sale on September 12th, and would appreciate any gifts of suitable items for this.

Harvest Supper will be held later in the Autumn - date will be published in the monthly Church Newsletter.

Current news and times of Services to be found in the monthly Newsletter.

BAGINTON PLAYGROUP.

Playgroup re-opens for the Autumn term on Monday, September 7th, and the Mother and Toddlers on Tuesday, September 8th. We have some vacancies. Please ring Sheila Cluff (Coventry 301317) for further information.

We are holding a Jumble Sale on Thursday, September 10th, at 7p.m. in Baginton Village Hall. Bric-a-brac, clothing etc., can be given to Committee members or taken to the Hall.

Our usual well-known Chain Store seconds sale is on Tuesday, September 29th, starting at 8 p.m. All welcome.

Half-term holiday - October 26th - all week.

Sheila Cluff

Coventry 301317.

KEEP FIT

Keep Fit starts again on Monday September 14th, 7.30 p.m. to 9.00 p.m., at Lillington Middle School. Join our very friendly class and enjoy not too strenuous exercise to music. 12 weeks - £14.00. For further information, please contact:-

Rene Beale.

Coventry 301727.

GALA DAY FANCY DRESS.

Mrs. Brandrick would like to extend thanks to the driver of the float, the children who took part, and the parents who supported the Fancy Dress Parade.

EXERCISE CLASS

This is an exercise class to music, specially suited to beginners, taking place in the Village Hall on Wednesday evenings at 7.30 p.m. starting 23rd September. Class members are asked to take a mat or towel. Price £2.00. Further details can be obtained from:-

Ann Jacob

0926-499482.

BUBBENHALL GARTER GROUP.

Forthcoming events:-

Thursday, 10th September, Indian Cookery with Ann (Vicki's friend)  
8 p.m. Village Hall.

Friday, 16th October. Charity Race Night - 8 p.m. Village Hall.  
All welcome. Tickets available from  
Committee members. Local charity to be  
decided.

Thursday, 12th November, Relaxation and Stress by Nora Doherty.  
8 p.m. Village Hall.

Thursday, 10th December. Invitation from Miss Grimes to visit Top  
House. Sherry and Mince Pies.  
Members only.

January, 1993. Annual Dinner - Venue to be decided.

February, 1993. A.G.M.

Dawn Eady (Publicity)

Coventry 303957.

VILLAGE HALL 100 CLUB.

Recent winners:-

May	No.35	M.Lloyd	£25.00.
	No.71	M.Allatson	£12.50.
June	No.26	R.Gardner	£100.00.
	No.31	P.Sheen	£12.50.
July	No.44	P.Walker	£25.00.
	No.53	J.Stobart	£12.50

We still need more subscribers to fill the list and to obtain the maximum benefit for the Village Hall.

Two numbers are drawn each month. The second prize is always £12.50. The first prize is £25.00 for ten months and £100.00 in June and December.

The annual subscription is £12.00, but proportionately less for this year which started in June. Please consider taking part. I will be pleased to make arrangements in response to your phone call.

Joy Barnacle.

Coventry 303798.

BUBBENHALL ART GROUP.

The Art Group is at "Springhurst" -

Tuesday 5 p.m. to 6.30 p.m. for children 7-12 years.

Friday 12.30 p.m. to 3.30 p.m. for Adults

During term time.

Children - £1.00 per Class; Adults - £1.00 per hour.

Please wear old clothes and bring your own paints if you have them. For any other information, please telephone. New artists always welcome.

Sanna Alexander.

Coventry 302103.

50+ CLUB.

During the Summer months, our meetings on Wednesday afternoons in the Village Hall, have been well attended by most members, and games of cards, dominoes, darts etc., provide an entertaining interlude during an otherwise busy week.

A coach trip to Moreton Market took place in the Spring and another to the Cotswolds in the Summer made a welcome break for us all. We anticipate a further outing during the Autumn to which other villagers would be most welcome.

The beautiful weather on Gala Day contributed to making our Bottle Stall a huge success, and we hope to emulate this with a Boot Stall on September 12th.

Bingo games on Mondays are still very popular and several of our members participate in Yoga sessions. These are supervised by Mrs. Draper who has recently gained her Doctorate in Philosophy from the Open University, making us proud to have her with us.

Towards the end of July, we celebrated our 5th Anniversary Party, and a good time was had by all as we toasted the Club's continuance with wine and birthday cake.

Kath McBroome, Secretary.

Coventry 306915.

NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH.

The theft of and from motor vehicles continues to be the main source of crime in this area despite the many warnings given. We can only still advise residents to lock their cars in their garages when not in use.

Difficulty is still being experienced with the "999" system, both with the Police and apparently with the Ambulance service (according to information received by me from the Secretary to the Parish Council). As we are on the Coventry Exchange, the operator who answers must be told that we reside in the Warwickshire area.

For your further information if difficulty is being experienced, ring Leamington Police Station on 0926-451111, and Leamington Ambulance Station on 0926-881331. For further less urgent messages, ring Neighbourhood Watch Hot Line 0926-415613 identifying your Neighbourhood Watch Scheme.

R.B.Gardner, Chairman of Co-ordinators,  
Neighbourhood Watch, Bubbenhall.

Coventry 303546.

MALT SHOVEL SPORTS AND SOCIAL CLUB.

On Saturday, September 12th, we are holding our Flower Show and Car Boot Sale on the Playing Field. Let's have plenty of entries for the Show as all the produce will be sold at our grand auction in the evening at 7.30 p.m. in the Malt Shovel Garden. Entry forms are available from the Malt Shovel, Post Office, or 1, Avon Terrace.

The Car Boot Sale is from 1 p.m. till 5 p.m., and costs £4.00 per car.

Food will be available and there are children's rides. Please come and spend a few hours with us.

Bonfire Night.

This year the bonfire is on Saturday, October 31st and is a Halloween firework night. There will be a competition for the best mask, a barbeque and a raffle. It will cost £3.00 per family or £1.00 per person.

Senior Citizens.

Once again it will soon be Christmas, so if there are any new Senior Citizens who

MALT SHOVEL SPORTS AND SOCIAL CLUB. (Contd.)

Senior Citizens (Contd.)

would like to be included on our Christmas Present list, please let me have your name.

Mary Long. Coventry 302840.

THE MALT SHOVEL (BUBBENHALL) FOOTBALL CLUB,

The season ended with the Football Team embedded in the midst of Division Four, which for a First Year team is a creditable achievement.

The first year has seen the Club involved in refereeing and first aid courses, as well as the vital skills and physical training routines required by this demanding sport.

With the new season beginning during the first week in September, training has begun in earnest as final preparations are made to launch our challenge for the Division Four Trophy.

Our new Manager, Clive Salt, wishes to thank all our supporters for their efforts over the last twelve months, and to extend an invitation to everyone to come and cheer on the side in the new season.

Peter Sheen, Club Secretary. Coventry 306339.  
Clive Salt, Manager. Coventry 307844.

BUBBENHALL MOTHER AND TODDLER GROUP.

Term recommences on Thursday, 10th September, and we look forward to seeing everyone again.

The Group meets between 9.30 a.m. and 11.30 a.m. every term-time Thursday.

This year Judy Hartland Photography will be taking photographs a little earlier than usual - Tuesday, 29th September, at 2.45 p.m., and we hope this will prove as popular as last year.

The A.G.M. will be arranged for late September, and if anyone is interested in joining the Committee, please let me know.

Helen Johnson Coventry 306483.

RAINBOWS.

Rainbows is a pre-Brownie group which welcomes all girls aged 5-7 years. We meet each Thursday from 5.30 p.m. to 6.30 p.m. at the Village Hall.

Our first meeting after the summer holiday is on Thursday, 10th September. If you would like to know more about us, please contact:-

Margaret Robinson. Coventry 305931.

BROWNIES.

Much of the summer term was taken up with preparations for Pack Holiday. Twelve Brownies and four adults enjoyed a weekend at Great Alne Pack Holiday House; no-one got much sleep, but they had a lot of fun, and learned a lot about living together and working as a team.

The pack manned a games stall at Gala Day, and several of the Brownies took part in a sponsored swim, and were able to attend the presentation of a cheque to the

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Birmingham Children's Hospital (organised by David and Sally Hollway).

Three Brownies went up to Guides and we welcomed several new members from Rainbows. Any girl interested in joining should contact:-

Jackie Lloyd, Coventry 302836. Jackie Hennah Coventry 301978.

The Autumn term begins on September 8th. Meetings take place in the Village Hall on Tuesday evenings 5.30 p.m. to 7.00 p.m.

GUIDE COMPANY

Our first meeting of the new term will be on Tuesday, September 8th, at Ryton Church Youth Centre, from 7.00 p.m. to 9.00 p.m. We welcome all girls aged from 10-14 years - there are 30 girls in the unit at the present time.

Thankyou to all those who helped us with our fund raising for new tents, which we used for the first time at weekend Camp in June and Summer camp in August. We are planning a Jumble Sale for late Autumn and would be grateful for any suitable items. Please contact Sandra Barnsley or Lesley Goodhead, or leave items at the Post Office. Thankyou.

Sandra Barnsley, Guider. Coventry 303876.

72ND COVENTRY SCOUT GROUP.

Thank you for the support given to the Scavenger Hunt and supper in July. An enjoyable evening was had by parents, cubs and scouts who took part.

The next fund raising event is the Autumn Fair on Saturday, 10th October. The cubs and scouts will be grateful for your help when they collect in late September.

Cubs meet	6.15 p.m. Mondays.
Scouts meet	8.00 p.m. Fridays.
Ventures meet	8.00 p.m. Mondays.

Further details from Ryton Vicarage, Coventry 303570.

BUBBENHALL FIRST SCHOOL P.T.A. SUPPORT GROUP.

We have finally managed to pay for the new computer which is now being used in school. Thanks go to all parents for the organising and attending of all the events which have taken place during the last year.

During the Summer term we had our annual Fun Morning in May, on a rather wet day, although it still proved very successful.

We had a stall at the Village Gala Day combined with a sponsored bounce from the children.

Finally, we again held our annual barbeque at the end of June. The weather was excellent and all who attended had a good day.

Future Events:- Our A.G.M. has been altered to Monday, 21st September at 8.00 p.m. in school. All parents old and new are invited to attend.

Friday, 10th October - Frog Racing Night. More details to follow.

Jeanette Tipper, Secretary. Coventry 306153.