

THE NARTH VILLAGE HALL

March 2015 NEWSLETTER

FORTHCOMING EVENTS

THE DEVIL'S VIOLIN – thanks for the superb support for this event which virtually sold out and raised £230 for the Hall Heating Replacement plans.

THE NARTH SUPPER PLAY NIGHTS of recent times were as usual an outstanding success and thanks are due to Gordon Casson and friends, Sue Flower and catering friends and helpers for their stalwart efforts. The Hall Account benefitted by around £1000!-

EASTER ENTERTAINMENT - Saturday 4 April with a children's **Easter Egg Hunt** at 10am followed by fun in the Hall, with adults invited for refreshments from 11am. £2 per child/£1.50 per adult at the door. Grown-ups: bring your creation for the **Decorated Egg Competition** to be judged by the children.

QUIZ NIGHT - Friday 10 April 7.30 pm
Quizmistress – Helen King.
A General Knowledge Quiz in a fun atmosphere for the perpetual trophy. Entries on the night (teams a maximum of 6). £8 per person entry to include a Curry. Licensed bar available.

MAY BANK HOLIDAY 'BIG BREAKFAST'
Monday, 4th May 9.00 am – 11.00 am in the Hall
Thanks to the Arnell family, why not come along and enjoy a cooked breakfast on this May Bank Holiday. Proceeds in aid of ???? & the Village Hall Heating Replacement Fund. Large parties only need book via Alison on 860752.

Roll up for a Summer Night Skittles Roll up kindly organised by Phil Bowen. Entry £1 for a Highest Score cash prize. Raffle and Licensed Bar. Date (late July /early August to be announced).

VILLAGE SUMMER FETE

Bank Holiday Monday, 31st August
Fun and Games from 12 noon. Please contact any Committee member if you can help out, donate prizes, or you would like your Group to run a stall.

THE NARTH RUN Sunday, 21 June
Featuring a 5K and 10K race in the Maryland woods, plus a shorter fun run suitable for all ages and abilities (provided you like hills!). Refreshments available for participants and spectators alike.

Please put this date in your diary, - then get out there and start training!
Help will be needed, including marshalling, so if you fancy a pleasant morning in the woods watching others suffer, please **contact Steve Coppell on 01600 860617**.

FILMS ON THE NARTH

forthcoming shows in the Village Hall

THIS FRIDAY - The Lunchbox [PG]

Friday, 27 March 7.30pm
Irrfan Khan (*Slumdog Millionaire*), Nimrat Kaur (*Homeland*). This delightful film has become an international success, proving that Indian films are not just Bollywood. It is essentially a love story between an unhappy young wife, who sends lunch to her husband at work, and a lonely older man who receives the lunchbox in error. In English and Hindi.
104 minutes. Drama, romance

The Imitation Game [12A]

Friday, 24 April 7.30 pm
Benedict Cumberbatch, Keira Knightley
The film that everyone wants to see this year (and see again): the story of Alan Turing, mathematical genius of Bletchley Park who contributed more than anyone to cracking the German's Enigma code in World War II. Thrilling, heart-breaking, sensational.
114 minutes. Biography, drama, thriller

Tea, coffee and biscuits included in your entrance price of £5 with Brooke's ice cream and licensed bar also available. Booking not essential.

For further details please contact Marilyn Dunkelman on 860031 or via email marilyn@thenarthfilm.org.uk

LATEST - The Glade play equipment is being upgraded by Natural Resources Wales and a 'thank you' event is being planned.

OTHER NEWS

THE NARTH AND DISTRICT OIL BUYING SYNDICATE

If you're already a member you know it makes sense, and that membership saves you money, time and effort. For 2015 the next order will be on 30 March and then on the last Monday in April, July, September and November. Why not join now? For further details please take a peek at the Village Hall website or email Steve Coppell - stephen.coppell@btopenworld.com (or phone him on 860617 - evenings/weekends).

A draft of the **Community Led Plan** which flowed from the questionnaire so many of you completed at the turn of the year can be found on the web-site. Your comments on the proposed objectives that have resulted will be considered again by your Hall Committee at their early April meeting before they finalise the agreed plan which will be published by May.

THE NARTH VILLAGE HALL WEBSITE

Take a look at the up-dated website - www.thenarthhall.org.uk for the latest information. If you would like your event publicised or business advertised, please e-mail Marilyn Dunkelman on marilyn@thebeechesthenarth.org.uk

COMMUNICATING BY EMAIL

No-one contacted us to add or remove their email addresses following our offer in the last Newsletter. To obtain timely news on village community matters securely, why not ask for your details to be included in the Hall Committee's group messaging system by emailing pete@theplain.plus.com.

NARTH PHONE BOX BOOK EXCHANGE

Spare books (especially Children's) can be left in the phone box for others to read and return. Any queries to Jane Brackstone on 860422.

REGULAR EVENTS

ART GROUP

Meets every Wednesday afternoon
Contact **Sue Seymour on 860033**

FILMS ON THE NARTH

Usually every 4th Friday at 7.30 pm
Contact **Marilyn Dunkelman on 860031**

GARDENING CLUB

Usually last Tuesday of month, plus visits away.
Contact **Wendy Hill on 860121**

KEEP FIT FOR THE MATURE PERSON

Thursday 11 am
Contact **Tina Chetwynd on 860661**

LINE DANCING

Mondays at 6.30 pm
Contact **Rosemary Thomas on 860141**

THE NARTH SINGERS

Wednesdays at 7.30 pm
Contact Daphne Smith on **01600 714403**

WHIST DRIVE

Every month on the 3rd Friday at 7.30 pm
Contact **Sue Stocker on 860530**

WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

Meets 3rd Tuesday of month at 7.30 pm
Contact **Jan Stephens on 860576**

VILLAGE HALL PRIVATE BOOKINGS

The rate for residents' private bookings is £10 per hour or £75 for a 24 hour period; for local groups £7.50 per hour and for organisations £25 per hour.

Marquee Hire - £30.00 a day or £50.00 a weekend

To book the Hall or marquee, please contact

Mary Pardington on 860227

A damage bond cheque of £25 must accompany bookings

VILLAGE HALL COMMITTEE MEMBERS

Jane Brackstone		860422
Steve Coppell	(TUCC)	860617
Stephen Dix		860664
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Sue Flower		860754
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