

New Milton & District Community Association



NEWSLETTER

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FROM YOUR EDITOR

The AGM was attended by 66 people, which was quite good. Yours truly continues as President for a fourth term and Marie Morgan is our new Chairman. However, the position of Vice Chair remains vacant which is very disappointing, so anyone interested in being considered by the committee for this role should **please** contact Marie. All existing Executive Committee members were re-elected and we were very pleased to welcome two new members to the team, Glen Kennedy and Bob Stevens, as well as Geoff Tilston in the new role of Centre Coordinator.

There was some confusion when members were asked to approve the minutes of last year's AGM since, although copies were made available in Reception, few people seemed to have read them or knew they were there.

To avoid this happening in future, at the next Exec. Committee meeting I shall suggest that the AGM minutes be printed in the May or June

Newsletter so that you all have the opportunity to go through them and refresh your memories.

The prime query raised from the floor was the **need** to have a paid Centre Coordinator - was he, in fact, a Manager, what would he be doing, why weren't members consulted, etc. Firstly, it should be pointed out that you have elected an Executive Committee to manage the Centre and its activities as it deems necessary for the benefit of everyone, trusted to make decisions without having to consult the membership for approval. After much thought and discussion they decided that there was a need for someone to (a) provide practical support to the Chairman, (b) assist as necessary in the day-to-day operation of the Centre's facilities, and (c) promote our existence to a wider, younger, section of the community and attract membership.

He is **not a Manager**, in charge of everything and everybody. As the

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title should suggest, he will “coordinate” all the required activities, answer questions, deal with problems and liaise with the caretakers on maintenance needs. It is certainly hoped that his being around will also alleviate pressure on John Revill who, though probably regarded as the fount of all knowledge because of his long service and personal wish to be of help, is after all our **Treasurer** and should not be distracted from his mind-bending workload and called upon to spend time dealing with other matters.

Since nobody came forward in answer to Newsletter appeals for such assistance, we have had to take this first-for-us step of paying for help. Geoff’s appointment is on a “consultancy” basis for a trial period of four months, during which time he will submit monthly reports to the Executive Committee on his activities and progress. At the end of that time what he has done for us will be reviewed and assessed in committee. If the experiment has been successful and financially worth while a formal contract of employment will be prepared for Geoff to consider; if it has not worked out as hoped, his

consultancy will be terminated and we shall have to go back to the drawing board.

Meanwhile, Geoff has a challenging role to fulfil so should receive our goodwill and cooperation in what he’ll be trying to achieve.

Can you bear to think of it? Next month sees the last Public Holiday (27th August) before Christmas!!!!

A few weeks ago I asked those in charge of sections and activities to let me have their updated contact details for display in the foyer. Just eight of them replied so although I have provided an updated list it will not be complete or very meaningful!

I must record thanks to the Craft section ladies for making the cover for the Common Room piano. It did need some protection from items being dumped on it, so I’m most grateful to them.

Phyllis Inglis

FROM THE CHAIRMAN

I start my first report since being elected Chairman by thanking all who came to the AGM on 8th June. As I said at the meeting, I only

intended to be Acting Chair for six months, but weeks and months went by discussing in committee all the various things we plan to bring to the Centre. I decided that I would like to see them through especially, at the start of July, the commencement of our new Centre Coordinator’s role and all that he plans to offer. I do hope you will all give him full support while he is finding his way around on what needs to be done.

I have had some very supportive emails from members and trust that I will be able to sustain and maybe add to what others have done before me. I shall continue to have a regular weekly session at the Centre where members can come and chat with me about anything they feel can be improved or what they think isn’t quite right. I have been coming in on a Friday morning but, from 4th July, it will be on a Wednesday afternoon.

I did thank a number of people at the AGM but inadvertently forgot to mention Genevieve who looks after our garden so well. To remedy this I wish to record grateful thanks to her for her hard work - it

always looks delightful - not forgetting all the other things she manages to do in between!

In conclusion and with a great deal of regret, I have to advise that Technical Officer Richard Ferguson (who also ran a very successful maintenance team) has tendered his resignation with immediate effect. Our thanks go to him for all his hard work and commitment over the last few years, and wish him well for the future.

Marie Morgan

FROM THE EXECUTIVE

Much of the June meeting was taken up with discussion on the new role of Centre Coordinator and what his aims and objectives should be. It will be an interesting and challenging time ahead for Geoff, so he will welcome our cooperation and support.

Reports were received covering our financial status, lettings, current membership, website, publicity plans and maintenance needs.

Work will be undertaken on the car park as well as outside building paintwork. Quotes are currently being sought for repair or possible replacement of the Ambrose

Room ventilation system.

The committee was very sad to learn of Brian Barton's demise and recalled his long term of service to us as Reception Manager. We were most grateful to Gill Ferguson for agreeing to take up that important and responsible role.

Phyllis Inglis, Secretary

FROM THE MEMBERSHIP SECRETARY

It may be a good time to remind members and non-members who are reading this Newsletter that temporary membership is available; just ask at Reception for the necessary application form.

Temporary membership is for a maximum of three months, charged at £2 per month with an additional 50P for part-month. If there is a wish to extend beyond three months, then **full** membership needs to be applied for.

Nigel King

FROM THE WEBMASTER

The Art Group's page has been changed to include examples of what is on the Common Room walls at the present time. Previous

examples have moved to the bottom of the page.

Missed the Newsletter copy deadline? If there are any late changes to your group remember that there is NO deadline for the website. So please let me know what those changes are - either email or leave a message on my answer phone.

Nigel King

POLICE SURGERY

10.30 a.m. Wednesday, **25th July**, at the Costa Café.

FILM SHOW

Sunday, **22nd July**. "Mr. Church" - comedy/drama with Eddie Murphy. A unique friendship develops when mother and daughter employ a cook.

Doors open at 2 p.m. for 2.30 start. £2.50 to include tea/coffee. Please use side entrance next to the kitchen door.

John Fogerty

CHRISTMAS EXTRAVAGANZA

Dancing holiday at Mayfair Hotel, Bournemouth, **16th to 21st December**. Not too early to think about starting your Christmas festivities with a swing! Contact Dee on 627922.

CAKE DAY

10-11.30 a.m. Friday, **13th July**. Enjoy tea/coffee and cake over a friendly chat for the princely sum of 85P.

IMPROVEMENTS AND CHANGES AT THE CENTRE

Someone once said "If people want change they should choose it for themselves"; another said "Change or die!" - which was a bit dramatic.

Our Centre has evolved over the years, responding to situations and opportunities but also proactively choosing developments for ourselves. Trying out a Centre Coordinator role is the latest of these.

Over the last two years or so we have seen many other changes and improvements

- Our lovely garden
- A gazebo used at public events
- Publicity Team set up
- A colour brochure promoting our activities
- Special meetings for new members
- Foyer display of photos and events
- Website
- A larger twelve-page Newsletter

In addition, new activities have included computer support, more language sessions, and special events.

We are fortunate to have a well-maintained building with an excellent dance floor; we have a membership of over 1,000 and good use of the facilities by our affiliates and outside hirers which means costs of room hire and attending our sections and activities are at a reasonable level.

There is a lot going on but we should not rest on our laurels. If you have any ideas for improving the Centre, new activities, etc., do let the Chairman or Centre Coordinator know, or use our Suggestion Box.

Let's continue to choose our future for ourselves!

HANDY HOME HINTS

Honey - Putting honey in a fridge will, in fact, speed up the crystallization process. Kept in a tightly sealed container it will stay good almost indefinitely.

Tomatoes - Stored in the fridge they won't ripen and will lose their flavour.

Onions - They need air circulation to remain fresh. Store them in a hole-punched paper bag. Don't

keep them near potatoes as they emit gas and moisture which cause potatoes to spoil quickly.

Fabric conditioners - Whilst these make your laundry soft and fresh smelling, it is achieved by adding chemicals to the wash. A natural option giving the same result is to use white vinegar. Use the same amount of vinegar as you would conditioner and you will find your laundry won't smell of vinegar but will be just as soft.

Washing-up liquid - Put some in a spray bottle with water and use to get rid of ants indoors. Drip some onto squeaky hinges or a sticking handle. A mixture of salt, white vinegar and washing-up liquid in a spray bottle makes a good weed-killer.

News from the Sections & Activities

BALLROOM/LATIN WITH SOME SEQUENCE

Contact: Pam Badcock, 01202 980177

Last month saw us celebrating Alan and Leslie's 50th Wedding Anniversary and what a splendid fun evening it was. We were joined by their friends from

Tuesday night Come Dancing and hope everyone enjoyed themselves.

It seems quiet now that the Saturday Evening dancing has finished for the summer, so we look forward to its re-commencing in the Autumn. I do keep a look-out for news of Saturday dances and will pass on any information I collect via the notice board outside the Jubilee Room. Look forward to seeing you at a Community Centre dancing event.

BRIDGE

Contact: Christopher Fradd, 614605

At our AGM in May the usual reports were presented. These included nothing exceptional but it was noted that afternoons have proved much more popular than evenings. This applied to both the Social Bridge on the third Saturday of the month and Duplicate Bridge on Wednesdays.

I was re-elected as Chairman but expressed the wish to stand down in view of recent health problems so, at a subsequent committee meeting, Barbara Matthews kindly agreed to resume that office although she, too, wished to be replaced in due

course. Marion Short was elected Secretary and we are all very grateful to her for taking on this task. Genevieve Sagar was re-elected Treasurer and thanked for her work on the accounts over the years. Other members of the committee were re-elected apart from Brian Moyles who did not wish to stand again.

At the Social Bridge last month winners were Barbara Matthews and Lorraine Burns; runners-up were Grahame and Sue Lewis. Social Bridge this month will be on Saturday, **21st July**. As usual, we will start at 1.30 p.m. but try to arrive a little earlier so that we can begin promptly.

COME DANCING

Contact: June, 07791 336446

I am delighted to report that two members have come forward to take on the vacant positions on the committee. Andre Bidmead is our new Chairwoman and Linda Munroe our Membership Secretary. I am sure you will all join me in giving them a huge "thank you" for coming forward and enabling us to continue as a Section.

An early reminder that it is nearly time to shake out your grass skirts and flower garlands for the Hawaiian Dance on **14th August**. Tickets, costing £2.50 for section members and £3 for Community Centre members and visitors, will be on sale later this month. Dress code Hawaiian/colourful. Please bring your own refreshments for the evening.

If you are visiting the area why not come along on any Tuesday from 7.30 to 10 p.m. Join in the dancing or just sit and watch, and listen to the music. With a mixture of popular sequence, ball-room and a line dance or two, there is something for everyone. We are a very friendly group and you can be assured of a warm welcome. Entrance only £2.50, so just turn up!

DISCUSSION GROUP

Contacts: Bob Dowling, 838523; Colin Bower, 613254

At 2 p.m. on the second Tuesday of each month our small, friendly group of men and women meet in the Community Centre to discuss topics in the news. Last month we covered President Trump's busy schedule as well as the UK's

involvement in other countries' problems, the UK's "smacking" laws, our parole system and the question of routinely arming our Police.

Topics for our meeting on **10th July** are:

1. Assuming that all existing political parties were "stood down", then given a blank sheet of paper and starting from scratch, how would you create the ideal system of government?
2. Could a "stop and search" dissuade gun and knife carrying?
3. Is it time to bring in "zero tolerance" for minor crimes, to stop criminals graduating to more major crimes?

JUBILEE SINGERS

Contact: Liz Northcote, 621519

Our second summer concert on 23rd May was very successful despite having to postpone it from the original date of the 19th. Our loyal audience still turned out to support us and we had a full house. Making a slight

change to the programme we finished the first half with Rutter's "For The Beauty Of The Earth" and, after the interval, pianist Richard and choir member Doreen performed a well-received duet. We ended the afternoon in rousing style with two pieces from Rodgers and Hammerstein's "State Fair".

Councillor Goff Beck gave the vote of thanks and said how impressed he was to hear our conductor Janet Trow sing the duet "Annie's Song" with choir member Carol.

We were also pleased to report that Janet received a commendation for her charity work at the 2018 New Milton Citizen of the Year awards

We would like to renew thanks to the ladies who helped with refreshments and volunteers who manned the door. We couldn't manage without you!

We now take our summer break until mid-August.

LANGUAGES

Spanish - July

Contact: Ana Humphries
ana_humphries@hotmail.com

Conversation: 10 a.m. 1 hour

Beginners: 11.15 a.m. 1 hour

Mondays 2nd, 9th, 16th

Improvers: 10 a.m. 1 hour

Beginners: 11.15 a.m. 1 hour

Fridays 6th, 13th, 20th

German - July

Contact: Susanne Platt, 612680

Improvers: 10-11 a.m.

Beginners: 11.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m.

(Both on Tuesdays)

Please note that the final classes before the summer break will be on Tuesday, 31st July. Classes will resume on Tuesday, **11th September.**

French - July

Contact: Susanne Platt, 612680

susanneplatt@talktalk.net

Improvers: 12-1 p.m. Mondays

Please note the final class before the summer break will be on Monday, **30th July.** Classes will resume on Monday, **10th September.**

POETRY

Contact: Shirley Burke, 628992

The Section meets at 10.30 a.m. in Room 1 on the third Thursday of each month, lasting for about an hour and

a half when we read poems on a chosen topic for the month. Some of us read poems written by ourselves, others are just happy to sit and listen.

The topic for **19th July** is adventure and escape, which should give members plenty of choice.

We are a small group, always happy to welcome new members or visitors.

SOCIAL SEQUENCE

DANCING

Contact: Dee, 627922

You may have already seen our updated poster on the notice board, hopefully eye-catching to encourage visitors and new people to come and join us on a Thursday afternoon. We are a mixed group of dancers who all have one thing in common - to take pleasure in a social afternoon of gentle exercise, good music in strict tempo in the company of like-minded people. Melodies and dances vary from week to week, but our aim is to enjoy and appreciate the wonderful Jubilee Room enabling us all to practice and improve both our

fitness levels and refresh many of our sequence routines.

Why not pop along for an initial free afternoon and “give it a try”?

TABLE TENNIS

Contact: Secretary Gloria Lovelock, 613705

Thank you all for your support this year; halfway through it and the attendance has been outstanding, so well done team. Section AGM minutes are on our notice board.

Update on the Expel air fans. Contractors are tendering for the work and I will update you a.s.a.p. In the meantime, cold drinks are available, so just ask.

The Association AGM last month showed how important our volunteers are in keeping things running smoothly. A big “thank you” from us to them all, as well as to the Exec. Committee.

As you may know by now, Glen has been “volunteered” to join the Exec. team. If you feel you could contribute some of **your** time I’m sure you would be made more than welcome. Contact Glen or myself for details.

H&S: Please ensure when putting up or down the tables there are two people, one of whom has done it before, then ask for assistance. Thank you.

Motto of the month:

Families are like fudge - mostly sweet with a few nuts.

To all of you who follow my funnies, thank you for your kind comments.

Glo

News from the Affiliates

CAMEO - LADIES GROUP

Contact: Secretary Margaret Sheldrake, 628675

At our last meeting Sandra Simmons gave us a second talk on her life as a housewife in Iran.

It was extremely interesting, hearing how a different country to ours live and treat their citizens; having a certain amount of freedom in this country, how we would react to not being able to do simple things like shopping and having to walk so many paces behind our husbands - do what they say and have no control of how we, as women, live.

It was certainly an eye-opener to many of us. Sandra did say that things were getting a little less male-orientated but not as much as in other Middle East countries.

For our meeting on **4th July** Terri Robinson will give a talk on Canal History. Please note that we have no meeting in August but on **5th September** we return to hear Andrew Negus tell us about Vietnam. On **3rd October** the speaker will be Mike Andrews on The Lost Buildings of Christchurch.

Why not come and join us at 10 a.m. on the first Wednesday of each month (except August) at the Community Centre. We are always pleased to welcome new members (visitors at £3 each).

NEIGHBOUR CARE

Contact: Chairman Phyllis Inglis, 615069

At our committee meeting last month reports were received that all is going well with the service we provide, despite the ever-present lack of drivers. This does mean that we are unable to help as many clients as we would wish and so if any reader can help in this regard we would be most grateful to hear from you.

At this time we are also in need of one or two people in the office, helping to take transport bookings. For details of what's involved please do contact Office Manager David Whittington by calling 611662 or 620430.

NEW MILTON MACULAR SUPPORT GROUP

Contact: Malcolm Swan, 618925

2 p.m. Monday, **9th July**, Music and Laughter with Nick Sellers.

NEW MILTON

TOWNSWOMEN'S GUILD

Contact: Janet, 617052

Our next meeting will be at 2 p.m. on Monday, **16th July**, at the Community Centre, when a talk will be given by Sandra Simmons entitled "Life Under The Veil". Visitors welcome. For further information do please contact me.

NEW MILTON

RESIDENTS' ASSOCIATION

Contact: Secretary Phyllis Inglis, 615069

7 p.m. Tuesday, **10th July**, General Meeting at the Community Centre. Our speaker will be Penny Smith from First Responders. Non-members very welcome.

PHOENIX HOLIDAY GROUP

Contact: Pat McKean, 178669
phoenixholshighcliffe@aol.com

Holidays

7th/10th September: Stourport, visiting Bletchley Park, Coventry, Worcester, Severn Valley Steam Railway, Black Country Museum, etc. Half board £349 (ss £45)

18th/22nd November: Sidmouth, Belmont Hotel. Outings each day. Half board. £425 (sea view £445).

24th/28th December: Bideford, Devon, at a Brend Hotel. Outings most days, festive food and entertainment. £610.

Outings

8th August: Guide Dog National Breeding Centre. £29.75 inc.

16th October: Sussex Tour (autumn colours). £19.50.

Non-Phoenix members £1 extra. All outings provide a lunch location (not included).

Our next meetings will be 2.30 p.m. at Greystones Hall, Waterford Road, Highcliffe, on Friday, **6th July**, and 10 a.m. till noon Friday, **20th July** at New Milton Community Centre.

MEMORIES OF AN EVACUEE

Thanks to a Stranger - Part 2

The reality of war was brought home to me only twice during my stay in Cornwall. The first was while we were out blackberrying in open country. Uncle heard an aeroplane in the distance, flying low, so he gave Auntie and me firm instructions to get under a nearby hedge as far as possible. We could hear the enemy plane's engine spluttering, probably waiting to ditch its load before crashing. We learned next day that it had gone down nearer the coast.

The second time was around 2 o'clock one morning, again an enemy plane coming in low. Auntie was under the kitchen table and Uncle halfway up the stairs to fetch me when the bomb dropped in the local playing

field. On hearing the awful noise I leapt out of bed and dashed to the top of the stairs, screaming and launching myself at Uncle. He said it took all of his strength to stop us both falling down. This plane, too, crashed but the pilot baled out and was captured.

During my stay in the village I learned a lot about the country way of life, feeding chickens and collecting the eggs, stacking wood cut for the winter, picking out caterpillars from the cabbages in the garden (receiving a penny for every 20 collected). A really yucky job!

I also saw milk delivered by pony and trap when the driver would measure out the allowed amount into a jug. Sometimes I had to collect milk straight from the farm and Uncle often told the tale of how, on seeing the farmer milking the cows, I said "Ooh, don't you have funny milk - we get ours from bottles".

All really happy days.

Of course I had regular letters from my mother

(Dad was by now in the Army), telling me how they were. One said that my brother had been sent away to a farm in Northampton but he didn't stay very long. Being three years younger than myself he took the separation very hard and asked to come home. Another letter said a parcel of clothing was on its way to me and I waited to receive it with great excitement.

Making friends in the village was very easy. I was often sent to the older folk to do little jobs for them - shopping, fetching in coal and wood, anything they found difficult to do for themselves. Many times I and other children would be invited for tea when we would, of course, be on our very best behaviour. I became good friends with a London family of brothers and sisters, but it wasn't until we exchanged addresses when they returned home that we realised we lived just around the corner from each other.

The time eventually came for my return home. Lots of tears and hugs between Auntie, Uncle and myself, with promises to keep in touch. So this was not

"goodbye" to my lovely Auntie Flo and Uncle Sam. We did keep in touch for 40 years and after I was married and had a family of my own they both took them to their hearts, just as they had me all those years before. Every year we spent at least part of our holidays with them.

Now, sadly, they are both gone and I can only say a great big "thank you" to the two strangers who were responsible for making "my war" a very happy one. I had, of course, told them many, many times how I felt but the memories related here, and quite a few more besides, will keep them alive for me.

Joan Coup

Stories

School Days!

Teacher: Hold old is your father?

Pupil: Six years

Teacher: How is that possible?

Pupil: He only became my father when I was born.

Teacher: Maria, go to the map and find North America. Excellent! Now, who discovered America?

Pupil: Maria!

Teacher: Glenn, how do you spell crocodile?"

Glenn: Krokodile.

Teacher: No, that's wrong

Glenn: Maybe, but you asked how I spelt it!

Teacher: Donald, what is the chemical formula for water?

Donald: HIJKLMNO

Teacher: What are you talking about?

Donald: Yesterday you said it was H to O!

Teacher: What do you call a person who keeps talking when people are no longer listening?

Harold: A teacher!

Glo

Malcolm Swan sends this to us, hoping that it won't upset anyone in this PC world!

A Scotsman, Hamish, walks into the Bank of England in Threadneedle Street, Central London, and asks for the Manager. He explains that he is going to Australia on business for two weeks and needs to borrow £5,000. The Manager says that, for such an amount of money, some security would be required, so Hamish hands over the keys and log book for his new Ferrari parked outside in the street, and it is driven away to the bank's underground car park.

The Manager enjoys a good

laugh at the rough-looking Scotsman using a £120,000 Ferrari as collateral against a £5,000 loan.

Two weeks later Hamish returns and repays the loan plus £15.41 interest. The Manager says "Thank you for your business but while you were away we checked and discovered you are, in fact, a millionaire, so why would you have needed a loan?" Hamish replies "Where else in London could I park my car for two weeks for only £15.41 and expect it be there, safe, on my return?"

Ah, the mind of a Scotsman!

Famous Quotes:

- Never confuse education with intelligence!
- When the power of love overcomes the love of power, the world will know peace
- Never make fun of someone speaking in broken English - it means they know another language.

Your Editor Remembers!

In my teens, my no-nonsense Mother made it clear that, of her

two daughters, I was by far the least attractive with little to commend me, so I'd be very lucky to find a partner in life. And so when my Other Half came on the scene and showed interest I felt bound to point out that there were plenty and more attractive fish in the sea! He replied (rather awkwardly and red-faced) "What are you talking about? You look just great to me" Aah!!!!

I was reminded of this when a reader sent me this poem.....

I am no great beauty
Ships will never launch for me
In a crowd of others
I'm the face that you won't see
I am nothing special
I am dull and rather plain
The original, ordinary Plain Jane
I don't leave good impressions
On the people who I meet
They don't gaze on my visage
Or fall down at my feet
I'm under no illusions
And there's nothing I can do
But I don't really care
Because I'm beautiful to you!

What more can anyone ask for?

"TASTER" VOUCHER

This voucher entitles you to attend one of our in-house sessions or activities for the first time - free of charge - to see if it will interest you

Please note that it CANNOT be used for affiliate and "outside hirer" activities

TRY SOMETHING NEW!

This Newsletter and our website give details of the days and times when the sessions and activities take place

What's On in July

Regular Hirers

Contact the Hirer if you wish to join

Hirer	Session	Day	July
Bashley W.I.	A	Fri	13.
Brockenhurst Yoga	E	Tues	3,10.
C & NF Nat.Trust	E	Wed	11.
CAMEO Ladies	M	Wed	4.
Doohan Yoga	E	Thurs	5,12,26.
EXTEND	M	Thurs	5,12.
Hort. Society	E	Wed	18.
Mandela Book Grp	E	Mon	16.
Martial Arts	M	Sat	7,14,21,28.
Michelle's Slim. World	E	Wed	4,11,18,25.
NF Quilts Group	E	Mon	2,9.
Purely Pilates	M	Mon	----
Purely Pilates	E	Thurs	----
RAF Association	M	Tues	3,17,31.
Seq. Dance	A	Tues	3,10,17,24.
Tangent Yoga	E	Thurs	5,12,19,26.
Townswomen's Guild	A	Mon	16.
U3A Family History	M	Mon	----
U3A Local History	M	Wed	4.
U3A Singing	A	Mon	16.
U3A World History	M	Thurs	----
Weight Watches	M	Sat	7,14,21,28.
Wool Etc	A	Thurs	19.

Affiliated Organisations

Bashley Forest W.I.	Mrs. M. Wallace	629042
Brockenhurst College	Mrs. R. Clark	01590 625222
CAMEO - Ladies' Group	Mrs. M. Sheldrake	628675
C'church & NF National Trust Ass.	Mrs. S. Moreton	610590
Extend	Mrs. D. Steer	610756
Hamilton Townsend	Mr. D. Jenkins	01202 765404
HOPE	Mrs. J. Kane	629009
Milton Heritage Society	Mr. N. Saunders	618549
Modern & Social Sequence Dancing	Mr. R.J. Gillies	07582 969111
Neighbourcare New Milton	Mr. D. Whittington	611662
New Forest Mencap	Mrs. A. Page	621893
New Forest Organ Society	Mrs. P. Heath	611438
New Forest Players	Mr. C. Rigden	629451
New Forest Quilt Group	Mrs. J.A. Davies	620680
New Milton Healing Group	Mrs. A. Townend	619933
NM Health Centre (Spencer Road)	Mrs. C. Olsen	621188
New Milton Horticultural Society	Mrs. M. Sheldrake	628675
NM Macular Support Group	Mr. M. Swan	618925
New Milton Memorial Centre	Mr. Clive Rigden	629451
New Milton Quakers	Mrs. R. Wells	614279
New Milton Residents' Association	Mrs. P.C. Inglis	615069
New Milton Talking Newspaper	Mr. A. Singfield	616361
New Milton Town Partnership	Mr. J. Evans	610943
New Milton Townswomen's Guild	Mrs. J. Litten	617052
Open Sight	Mrs. P. Batchelor	627460
Phoenix Holiday Group (Highcliffe)	Mrs. P. McKean	278669
Purely Pilates	Mrs. C. Lillington	07738 484255
R.A.F. Association	Eileen	
Royal British Legion NM Branch	Mrs. P. Inglis	615069
R.N.L.I.	Mrs. A. Goulding	616106
Slimming World (Wednesday)	Michelle Walker	07795 275633
Sullivan Lawford	Aaron Lawford	200668
Tai Chi Qigong	Mr. M. Common	07973 639348
The Art Society New Milton	Mr. P. Ronan	638200
U3A New Milton	Mrs. R. Agar	610192
Wool Etc	Mrs. J. Daniel	01590 670625

INDEPENDENT TRUSTEES:

Miss W. Maund

Mr. G.F. Denson

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What's On in July Regular Events

Section /Activities	Time	Day	July	Section /Activities	Time	Day	July
Art	2:00 PM	Wed	4,11,18,25.	French Improvers	12:00 PM	Mon	2,9,16.
Ballroom Dancing	2:00 PM	Mon	2,9,16,23,30.	French Intermediate	9:55 AM	Mon	2,9,16.
Ballroom Dancing	7:30 PM	Thurs	5,12,19,26.	German Beginners	11:30 AM	Tues	3,10,24,31.
Beading	7:00 PM	Wed	4,11,18,25.	German Improvers	10:00 AM	Tues	3,10,24,31.
Beading	9:45 AM	Thurs	5,12,19,26.	Italian - Beginners	2:00 PM	Fri	6,13,20,27.
Bowling	6:30 PM	Mon	2,9,16,23,30.	Italian - Improvers +	10:00 AM	Fri	6,13,20,27.
Bowling	9:45 AM	Tues	3,10,17,24,31.	Italian - Improvers +	11:15 AM	Fri	6,13,20,27.
Bowling	9:45 AM	Wed	4,11,18,25.	Italian - Manuela	11:30 AM	Thurs	5,12,19,26.
Bowling	9:45 AM	Thurs	5,12,19,26.	Line Dancing	12:15 PM	Fri	6,13,20,27.
Bowling	9:45 AM	Fri	6,13,20,27.	Literature Group	2:00 PM	Wed	-----
Bowling	6:30 PM	Fri	6,13,20,27.	Luncheon Club	12:00 PM	Thurs	19.
Bridge Chicago	1:30 PM	Mon	2,9,16,23,30.	Mah-Jong	1:30 PM	Fri	6,13,20,27.
Bridge Cut in	1:30 PM	Tues	3,10,17,24,31.	Mens Get Together	10:00 AM	Thurs	5.
Bridge Partner	1:30 PM	Wed	4,11,18,25.	Piano	10:45 AM	Mon	2,9,16,23,30.
Bridge Duplicate	1:30 PM	Wed	4,11,18,25.	Poetry	10:30 AM	Thurs	19.
Bridge Practice	1:30 PM	Thurs	12,19,26.	Rummikub	10:00 AM	Wed	11,25.
Bridge Cut in	1:30 PM	Fri	6,13,20,27.	Saturday Dancing	7:30 PM	Sat	-----
Bridge Chicago	1:30 PM	Sat	21.	Scrabble	1:30 PM	Mon	2,9,16.
Canasta	1:30 PM	Thurs	5,12,19,26.	Soc Seq Dancing	1:45 PM	Thurs	5,12,19,26.
Chess	1:30 PM	Thurs	5,12,19,26.	Spanish Conversation	10:00 AM	Mon	2,9,16,23,30.
Choir	2:00 PM	Wed	-----	Spanish Beginners	11:15 AM	Mon	2,9,16,23,30.
Come Dancing	7:30 PM	Tues	3,10,17,24.	Spanish Beginners	11:15 AM	Fri	6,13,20.
Craft	10:00 AM	Wed	11,25.	Spanish Improvers	10:00 AM	Fri	6,13,20.
Cribbage	2:00 PM	Tues	3,10,17,24,31.	Spanish Circle	7:30 PM	Tues	10.
Darts	2:00 PM	Mon	2,9,16,23,30.	Table Tennis	7:00 PM	Mon	2,9,16,23,30.
Darts	2:00 PM	Tues	3,10,17,24,31.	Table Tennis	10:00 AM	Tues	3,10,17,24,31.
Discussion Group	2:00 PM	Tues	10.	Table Tennis	7:00 PM	Wed	4,11,18,25.
Fabric Craft	2:00 PM	Thurs	12,26.	Table Tennis	2:00 PM	Thurs	5,12,19,26.
Film Show	2:30 PM	Sun	22.	Table Tennis	10:00 AM	Fri	6,13,20,27.

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