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Annual General Meeting - Thursday 25 March 2010



Here we are, March already and time to prepare for, what we hope will be the biggest and no doubt the most important meeting of 2010.

This meeting gives all Club members a chance to meet the members of their committee, to hear about activities the Club has undertaken, to see the Club's financial report and most important of all to air their views about what they would like to see the Club doing and which direction they would like to see the Club heading.

The past year saw the Club make a small profit, thanks to the fact that no major repairs or undertakings were encountered, such as the major repairs to the roof which occurred last year. However, a lack of member participation has meant the Club has not been able to reach it's full potential. With more member participation more events can be planned and greater enjoyment of these wonderful facilities will ensue. The committee always welcomes suggestions and ideas from Club members.

Subs, subs, subs!!!

As you all know subscriptions were due during the month of January. Unfortunately, many members have yet to pay their subscription. As has been the Club's practice in the past no action will be taken until the evening of the AGM, at which time members who haven't paid their subscription will be asked to do so, failure to pay will result in the member not being allowed to attend the meeting, they will be considered to have decided not to renew their membership and if they still wish to be members, will have to re-apply.

Re-applying for membership means that you will have broken your service as a member and in accordance with the dissolution Rule 63 you will not be eligible for any shareout until you have attained 5 consecutive years of membership from the date of re-joining."



Nobody Told Me There Was a Party Goin' On!



Saturday 27 February turned out to be a night to remember. Happy Daze were on hand to provide the music and to liven up the evening a group of club members from Sheerness arrived and certainly added to the enjoyment of the evening. And, more good news, the members from Sheerness have invited us to join them at their club on either Saturday 24 April or Sunday 25 April.

Depending on the number of our club members expressing a wish to acknowledge this invitation, Graham, our steward, is looking into hiring a mini bus to transport interested parties to and from Sheerness. There are sign-up sheets at the bar, please indicate your interest as soon as possible in order that the necessary arrangements can be made. This promises to be a great day out! Please consult Graham re timing and food arrangements.



Six Nations



The final three games of the Six Nations rugby match will be taking place on 20 March and your Club will have wide screen coverage of all the matches throughout the day. Not only that but Carrie, our stewardess will be providing a bodacious curry, for the miserly fee of just £3.00 a bowl. Guinness and real ale will be available at £2.00 a pint!!!

Please turn over....

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St. George's - Day 23 April 2010



It has been an established tradition that this Club celebrates St. George's Day on the 23 April each year. We have the good fortune this year of having St. Georges Day fall on a Friday, boding well for a good attendance at the St. George's Day dinner that will be held in the evening of the 23rd - 7:30 for 8:00pm.

Dress, as usual, will be black tie or lounge suit for gentlemen and posh dresses for the the ladies. The cost will remain at £30.00 per head and this will include a half a bottle of wine. While the menu has yet to be finalised there will be three courses and you can rest assured, you won't leave feeling hungry.

Music for the evening will be provided, so be sure to wear your dancing shoes.

Skulduggery in the Kitchen?

Not on your Nelly but Carrie is working on some additions to the menu, such as: Beluga Caviar, Lobster Thermidor, Beef Wellington, Coquille St Jacques and so on. However, realising that there wouldn't be much call for such peasant fare, Carrie has decided to go with the more popular: cottage and shepherds' pie, chicken & chips and many other daily specials. Did you know the steakwich is back? Slices of tender steak in a bun with lettuce, onion and tomato, delicious.

Don't forget your favourites are still there: ham, egg & chips, fish & chips, scampi & chips, beef burgers with all the trimmin's, ham sandwiches, cheese sandwiches etc, etc, etc.



Coming Events

Every Tuesday and Thursday Bridge Afternoon

Every Monday Poker Night 8pm

Saturday 13 March - Happy Daze - 8 - 11pm

Saturday 20 March - Six Nations Rugby - All day

Saturday 03 April - Happy Daze - 8 - 11pm

Saturday 10 April - Quiz Night - 7:30 - 11pm

Saturday 24 or Sunday 25 April - Trip to Sheerness (Date/Time to be Decided)

Friday 23 April - St. George's Day Dinner 7:30 - 11pm

To be continued.....