

RED LION SOCIAL CLUB REPORT FOR VILLAGE MEETING 7TH. APRIL 2022

Activities were inevitably suspended by the pandemic so here is a brief description of what was organised between January 2020 & now.

In January 2020 the Over 60s dinner took place at The Hundred.

A Zoom Auction was arranged in September 2020 to raise funds for all the village organisations which had been unable to do any fundraising during the year. This was very successful resulting in £600 each being donated by the Red Lion Social Club to the Church, Playing Field Association, Village Hall & W.I..

In December it was arranged for Father Christmas to give presents to those children of 11 and under whose families had opted in to receive a visit, this was very popular, and was repeated in 2021 with great success. It is hoped that the usual Christmas Party can be held in 2022.

In October 2021 the Conker Championships took place in beautiful Autumn sunshine outside The Hundred with a good number of villagers having a go, and The Hundred provided delicious hot dogs at the end of the afternoon.

In November a quiz was organised in The Hundred which was packed with teams giving quizmaster Kelvin a lot of do, the community was so pleased to be back together. Scrumptious snacks at half time were produced by The Hundred paid for by the raffle proceeds.

In this vein of community involvement the Sloe Nouveau competition took place in early December which again had a lot of entries and a lot of tasters, and thanks to The Hundred once again for providing wonderful snacks at half time.

Just when we thought normality had resumed COVID cases suddenly climbed and it was decided not to hold the usual Carols & Auction just before Christmas.

Our events in 2022 recommenced with a quiz in March, again very well supported, and thanks to quizmaster Kevin Nash. The Hundred once again catered for hungry quizzers at half time, again funded by the raffle proceeds.

The next event which the RLSC will be supporting is the village celebration for the Queen's Platinum Jubilee which will be a Big Lunch on Sunday 5th. June from 12 noon on the playing field.

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