

Red Lion Social Club 2016/2017

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1. Firstly we gave logistical help to the APFA in organising a sell-out **Fun Ride** in May. And we are helping this year too.
2. Last summer we skipped the **Rounders Event**, but Eloise is leading a rematch between local villages this summer. So far we have commitment from Long Crendon, Dorton, Nether Wichendon and, of course, Ashendon. We are just waiting for confirmation for Brill and Nether Winchendon. Six teams of adults and six teams of children will be competing.
3. Thank you to Imogen and Katy for organising the ever popular **Progressive Supper** last September. It was their last year organising this event and thanks again for all their efforts over the years they have organised it. We are very grateful to Fiona for taking over and we wish her luck in organising an intrinsically complicated, but luckily fun, evening.
4. As always, in October we hold a **Conkers** competition. I'm pleased to advise that we had another successful year with no injuries!
5. **Children's Party** in December. We want to thank Katy and Lisa organised it. It was attended by 30 children and yet again Father Christmas was happy to accept our invitation.
6. **Sloe Nouveau** in December – My personal favourite event, and is regularly very popular. Thanks to lots of people who were involved, but particularly to Matt for letting us take over the pub, and also to our stalwart and ever reliable scoring team of Kevin and Mary.
7. This was quickly followed by the **Christmas Auction** – We are so grateful to everyone who either donated, bid or helped organise, not only a fun evening, but an evening that raise a touch over £3,700. We have been able to distribute this to the Church, the broadband appeal, and contribute towards the various events for this year.
8. So far this year we have organised three events - the **Senior Citizens Dinner** – in January. Everyone over the age of 60 was invited, and we had a full house.
9. Thank you to Peter and Felicity for organising a **Vinyl Night** that raised £165 for Riding for the Disabled.
10. And finally, a few weeks ago, Eloise organised an **Easter Egg Hunt** that was incredibly well supported and lead to a very popular service at the Church. The Social Club would like to thank her initiative and efforts to make this happen.

Finally I would personally like to thank Rupert Cooper for **joining Red Lion Social Club this year** and remind everyone that we meet the first Tuesday of every month at the pub and everyone is invited.