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Stephen Saunders, John Manning and Des Manning

CLUB'S UNIQUE MILESTONE -THE END OF AN ERA

Great Chishill Cricket Club sprung a surprise presentation on three of its retiring officers who between them have clocked-up 132 years of service to the club.

Des Manning had been in office for a staggering 64 years as Treasurer. John Manning was Chairman for 39 years and Stephen Saunders was secretary for 29 years. Between them, they have overseen the smooth running of the club and also raised funds to build a new cricket pavilion in the 70's and then refurbish it in 2001.

To celebrate this achievement and thank them for their valuable contributions and dedication to the Cricket Club, President Peter Wiseman presented each of them with an engraved clock as well as giving them life membership to the club (an honour that has never been bestowed on anyone in the past).

Chairman, Andrew Drury masterminded the occasion and said, "We felt that this was such a unique milestone in the club's history and it deserved recognition. Des, John and Steve had no idea that the presentation was to honour them and they were truly taken aback. We will greatly miss their support and enthusiasm".

The presentation took place at The Pheasant on Saturday 19th July and was attended by around 70 members of the club (including players and vice-presidents).

Great Chishill Cricket was formed in 1870 and their home ground is on the playing fields in Great Chishill. It currently regularly fields two teams and has 150 Members.

Sarah Scott

Mobile Library Bus Waller's Close 10.30 – 10.45 Church

> 10.50 – 11.05 Alternate Fridays:

> > Aug 1, 15, 29 Sept 12, 26

MATCHES REPORT

Great Chishill Cricket Club had mixed

fortunes during the first three months of the season. The first eleven started well with three straight wins, immediately followed by three defeats. However, at the time of writing, the side has just moved to the top of the table and sits proudly above the likes of Linton, Sawston and Chatteris, all places with much larger populations than this small village.

The second team has had a disappointing season with seven defeats and just a solitary victory over fierce local rivals, Elmdon. On a more positive note, some very talented young players are learning the game (albeit the hard way) under the watchful eyes of their seniors - in fact one very experienced member is rumoured to have qualified for a bus pass! There is still much to play for in August so watch out for the September issue to discover how the season finishes

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SAVE THE CHILDREN

is holding

" an English Country Garden Supper"

on Sunday 24 August

starting at 7.00 for 7.30pm

at Virginia and Rollo Barnes' in Heydon.

Tickets cost £15 to include a welcome drink on arrival, a cold buffet, bar and raffle.

The event is being held in the marquee following their eldest son's wedding.

<u>Tickets</u> are available from

Kate -

Tel: 838511

or Liz Livingstone, Tel: 838172

POST-ELECTION PARISH COUNCIL MEMBERS

Chairman: Cllr Andrew Gardiner Cllrs Jim Brearley, Christine Cartwright, Ruth Dibblee, Janet Erskine, John Murgatroyd and Tim Scott.

RUBBISH BIN COLLECTIONS

Sorry about last month's mistake.
(Now I know how many people read this!)

AUGUST

1 Green

8 Black

15 Green

22 Black

30 <u>Sat</u> Green

ecops

WHAT TO DO IF THERE IS A RAVE

With the lighter nights and the better weather, now is the time of year when certain members of our society may wish to set up a rave on land within South Cambridgeshire. If you witness anyone you suspect in the process of setting up a rave or a rave is already in progress, I would ask that you consider doing the following;

1. call police on 999, give the operator the location of the venue and if possible the name of the landowner 2. if you are able to do so, give the police operator an estimate of the numbers of vehicles/ persons attending the venue 3. if able to do so, record the registration numbers of any vehicles at the

location

4. call the environmental health department at South Cambs district council on 0845 0450500. Police officers will be despatched by the control room. Those officers will update the control room with further information and the police response will be based upon that information. Mark Kathro PS 1322

There have been 9 dwelling burglaries in a fairly small geographical area of South Cambs there have been 3 dwelling burglaries in Barrington, 2 dwelling burglaries in Harston and 4 in Hauxton. In all of these offences entry was gained by insecure doors or windows. The majority of the offences occurred overnight between 00.00 and 0700.

Please be mindful to secure both rear and front doors and, if you have them, to use the window locks before retiring for the evening.

If you would like any advice on home security, please do not hesitate to get in contact with the Neighbourhood Policing team.

PCSO Emma Garwood PCSO Lee Nutbeam