



**Recent events**

I was thinking as I looked at the group photo of the Summer Fantasy which I published in the last Newsletter that there are more than double the number who are members of the Evergreens (36 in the photo, and 84 members). In spite of August usually being the month when people are away we had a busy and most enjoyable programme and it was good to see how many think it worth making the effort to come along. So many ask each time about those who are absent, and long to see them again. So please remember – your presence is much valued. And given a bit of notice we seem to be able to arrange transport for all.

**The River trip**



I regret that propriety forbids my saying what the man at the back is signalling. The second picture is entitled '*Eat your heart out Di Caprio and Winslett*'.

**Let me Call You Sweetheart**

Betty's forecast of numbers proved exactly right. I have passed on the request that they use microphones in future, but otherwise everyone thoroughly enjoyed it and felt it was admirably organised. It was good to give the feedback direct to Dave Symcox of Cherwell Leisure Services who does so much for us – not least getting the £500 travel grant.



**The Ploughman's Lunch**

Despite poor Betty being confined to bed with gastro-enteritis we managed to get the thing organised, thanks largely to the Clench team. We probably overdid the quantity – but that was a fault in the right direction – and the feedback from the 40 who came was as excellent as the consumption of wine was modest (that includes you, Frank).

As I write Betty is pretty drained by her illness, but says Stanley is wonderful. Why is it that they only say this when they really need us ..... ? Anyway she is very grateful for all the messages and thinks she is well on the road to recovery.

**Forthcoming events**

Don't forget Muriel's art class exhibition at her home, Kildrummy, half way up Church Lane on the left in Wendlebury – 22,23,24,25 September from 1.30 to 6.00 each day.

See over for the rest of the Programme.

## PROGRAMME

Month	Day	Time, Event, Organiser	Other info – cost, deadline etc. Monthly meetings 30p and raffle
September	14	<u>Garden tour</u> , Weston on the Green. Assemble at Wendelbury 2.30 to check weather conditions and then travel on in as few cars as possible. We will park at the Cavan's house, round behind the church forking right after the shop. Moving to Godwins at 4.0 for tea with Ice Cream.	Cost for cream tea £3, plus ice cream extra as required. <b>Names to Stephen or Betty by the 7<sup>th</sup> please.</b>
October	2	2.30 Monthly meeting - <i>'Mo and Maddy'</i>	50p for tea and biscuits, cakes etc.
	18	Trip to Hatton Craft Centre, Nr Warwick (Terry with Stephen)	Names to Terry or Stephen <b>by the 2<sup>nd</sup></b> please to order the right size of coach.
November	6	12.30 for 1.0 Monthly meeting– Fish & Chips	Subject to demand. Details to follow when Christmas lights switch-on date is known
	?	Christmas shopping in Milton Keynes (Grace and Stephen)	
December	4	2.30 Monthly meeting – Christmas party. (Stephen)	Details to follow. Following the success of the Summer Fantasy it is suggested we do the same for this party
	14	Blooms lunch (Betty with Yvonne)	
January 07	8	2.30 Monthly meeting – Mobile Cinema	
February	5	2.30 AGM	
	?	Panto	



Who?

When?

Where?

### Committee

Hazel and Bob Annenberg (252994), Yvonne Clench (252963), Grace Jelfs (324091), **Harry Jenkins (Treasurer)** (241790), Terry Keane(246988), Christine Muddiman (242213), Muriel Pocock (252790), **Stephen Pryor (leader)** (360003), **Betty Tinkler (Secretary)** ((241957)