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# ***Park Life News***

The Ladybridge Park Residents Newsletter

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## **September 2010**

### **Hello Again**

Another month has gone taking summer with it. Nights are drawing in and there is a coolness in the wind. Children return, or indeed start school and shops will remove their stocks of uniforms from the displays and the Christmas shopping frenzy will start all over again. Well lets start this packed issue:-

**Vacancy for Director on Board of Trustees.** Our last newsletter carried an article from Manco informing us about a vacancy on the board of trustees running the club. Lawrence Spencer one of the Trustees has informed me that two residents have come forward and have applied for that vacancy and the board has decided not to co-opt either of them due to the forthcoming AGM (see next item). It is hoped that both of these candidates will stand for election plus anyone else that is interested in fulfilling this vital role in representing the residents for the clubs future. It also expected that one of the current board will also face reselection. Anyone interested should contact the office at the club for information on the procedures and time scales for nominations to be a Trustee.

**A.G.M.** The Annual General Meeting will take place at the club on the evening of Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> October 2010. Full details will be included in correspondence to each address on the estate from the Board of Trustees. Also more information will be in next months newsletter. This is an advance warning for residents who are interested in joining the board or have any resolutions to put to the meeting. Please remember that there are time limits for each so contact the club ASAP to find out when the deadlines are.

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**COMPUTER TUITION** "If you would like to join the computer tuition starting on Friday 10 September in the club at 2.00pm until 4.00pm, please ring Faye on 611 9429 or Clare on 485 1001 for further details".

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**CHADS THEATRE** on Mellor Road Cheadle Hulme have a production of Alan Ayckbourn's **Relatively Speaking** on from the 11<sup>th</sup> September until the 18<sup>th</sup> September. To witness this feast of mistaken identity and laughter contact their box office on 0161 428 8712. Also see the IN IT TO WIN IT competition later in this issue.

**Neighbourhood Watch News** –.Eric Plimmer reports:- The latest police incident report (on the club notice board) has again highlighted numerous thefts from houses and cars in the local area and in many cases these were avoidable since entry was gained via unsecured doors and windows, and in the case of cars property left on open display or the vehicle not being locked.

Please remain vigilant and particularly review access to the rear of your property, which for obvious reasons is the most vulnerable. Side gates should ideally be locked.

For more comprehensive details please see the newsletter on the club notice board in reception or visit the clubs website ([ladybridgepark.co.uk](http://ladybridgepark.co.uk)) where there is now a link to the Neighbourhood Watch Scheme page.

**Sportsman's Dinner** Rodney Warrender has given me a timely reminder of the Ladybridge Park Annual Sportsman's Dinner coming up on Friday 29<sup>th</sup> October. This years line up has Comic Mike Dennett and Chic, Guest Speaker Alan Kennedy (formally of Liverpool FC) and the MC for the evening is Jimmy Wagg the popular BBC Manchester presenter. Tickets are £30 each and available from the club on 0161 485 1188 or from Rodney on 0161 485 3333. This is a great night so get your tickets early. This year the evening is aiming to raise money for the Jakob Scott-Thomas Trust Fund. Jakob is a 5yr old boy from Hazel Grove who suffers from Cerebral Palsy and money is being raised to send him to America for an operation. More info at [www.helpjakob.co.uk](http://www.helpjakob.co.uk)

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**PARKING** There have been occasions lately when delivery vans and bin lorries have been unable to reach their destination on the estate because of the cars parked on the roads. Please do not leave your car on the road obstructing the highway for larger vehicles, fire engines and ambulances. This is particularly important if leaving a vehicle on a bend restricting the visibility for other road users.

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## **The Vine**

53 Twining Brook Road. BREAKFAST is served at The Vine Community Coffee Morning. Reopening on Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> September we will be open from 9am to 11am each Thursday Morning with Tea Coffee, Fruit Juice, Croissants, Toast Cake etc **All Welcome**

**FRIDAY** 24<sup>th</sup> September 2010 **MacMillan Cancer Care Biggest Coffee Morning in The World** event from 9am to 1.30pm including lunch at 12.00. This replaces the Coffee Morning due to be held the previous day.

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**STITCHING GROUP** People often ask me why don't they do something different at the club, well here is something different. There is a new weekly stitching group about to form at the club for those people interested in stitching of any type, e.g. knitting, crotchet, X stitching or quilting etc. They will be meeting for the first time on Monday 13<sup>th</sup> September in the Residents Lounge so pop in at any time between 4.00pm and 8.00pm then or any Monday evening. All are welcome including children who are accompanied by a responsible adult. Further information from Renee Plimmer on 486 1970. Good luck on this venture and please try and support it.

**Remember if you want something different to happen at the club contact the office or one of the Trustees directly with your suggestions.**

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**Damage to Badminton Courts.** I have been approached by the Trustees to mention recent damage that has been caused to the badminton courts at the club. It is believed that this damage has been caused by one or more players using inappropriate footwear, possibly footwear designed for astro turf. The soles of footwear for the courts should be flat plimsolls or trainers with a flat sole. This damage has necessitated in repairs being made which costs money. Notice have been put up at the courts advising on the correct footwear. If you see anyone using inappropriate footwear please advise that person and/or report the matter to the staff.

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**JOKE** George visits his solicitor to make a will. 'What do I do?' he asks. The solicitor replies 'All you have to do is answer a few questions then leave it all to me.' George says 'You seem to be a decent chap, but actually I wanted to leave it to the kids instead.'

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## **Ladybridge Park Entertainment**

In the Residents Lounge from **9.15pm** unless stated.

### **SEPTEMBER Saturday Nights Entertainment**

**Bar Food Available during evenings with Saturday Night Entertainment**

**Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> September** **January** 21 year old local singing sensation is becoming something of a regular at Ladybridge Park and last year she did very well in the X Factor auditions. She always gives a great show.

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**Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> September** **Tanante.** Something very different from the normal acts. This is a group of drummers playing traditional West African Music who have been recommended by one of our residents and a lot of interest has been shown. Due to the groups busy schedule they will performing **one spot only from 9.15pm to 10.30pm. So be early.** More info on this group at [www.tanante.co.uk](http://www.tanante.co.uk)

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**Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> September** **Outer Limits.** Another act returning by popular demand. This is a five piece group so it will not be a quiet evening. The groups lead singer is the excellent Karen Souter.

### **In It To Win It! Theatre tickets Prize competition**

Answer the 3 questions below for a chance of winning this months prize,

#### **2 Tickets for Relatively Speaking at Chads theatre**

1. On what date does Relatively Speaking start at Chads theatre?
2. Who Is the Guest Speaker at the Sportsmans Dinner on the 29<sup>th</sup> Oct?
3. Which new group starts to meet from 4pm to 8pm in the Resident lounge from the 13<sup>th</sup> September?

Information for the answers are IN this newsletter and IN the Club. Put your answers on a piece of paper together with your name and address. Put it into an envelope and address it to Stuart, c/o Parklife News, IN IT TO WIN IT and leave it with the Reception or Bar Staff at the club. Closing date noon Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> September 2010. Remember you have to be IN IT TO WIN IT. (Open to Residents Only)

This Months '**IN IT TO WIN IT**' Competition is sponsored by Chads Theatre Cheadle Hulme. Thanks to them for the prize

**This Months Park Life News edited by Stuart Hardman. Need a Large Print edition or e.mailed copy? Leave a note for Stuart at the club**