

Community Association

On FRIDAY 25th JUNE THE GRASS ROOTS THEATRE CO PANY are performing "ORANGE BLOSSOM WITH VALIUM" at the new Village Centre. We hope that many of you will enjoy this opportunity of meeting and talking to the players over tea and cakes! Admission is 25p (15p O.A.Ps and children) inclusive of refreshments. The play begins at 7.30p.m. and lasts about an hour.

It is hoped to arrange transport to the Gymkhana for elderly people. Would anyone WANTING a lift or WILLING to give one please get in touch with any committee member. There is to be a "Good as New" stall at the show. Any contributions for this will be gratefully received by Mrs. M. Christian at 21, Coedre'r Nydydd from July 14th - 16th -  
Thankyou.

Gwernymynydd Show Society

The Grand Sale at the Village Centre on 10th June was a great success and raised over £50 towards the Show funds. The committee would like to thank everyone for their support - especially the people who donated the goods for the stalls.

The Show - 17th July

URGENT - WANTED ON THURSDAY 15th JULY : AS MANY MEN AS POSSIBLE TO HELP PUT UP 2 MARQUEES FOR SHOW ON 17TH. PLEASE RING EITHER MOLD 3951 (SYD NORTHALL) OR MOLD 3681 (KEN SWEETMAN).

The Show on 17th July looks like ~~bin~~ being the biggest yet. Two new attractions are the Grass Roots Theatre Co. with an outdoor performance in the afternoon and an BEELIPTION DOG SHOW - OPEN TO ALL DOGS. Information about the Dog Show is available from David and Doris Gorsc, 2 Godrer Nydydd (MOLD 3114) and Mr. & Mrs. Currie 33 Blaen y Wern. A children's Fancy Dress contest (in addition to the Riders' Fancy Dress) is open to age groups 5 years and under; 6 to 11 years and pairs or groups of all ages. (Laurel & Hardy, The Crazy Gang, etc.) An additional stall this year is a Nearly New stand with many bargains for all. Refreshments include a Licenced Bar, Tea, sandwiches etc. sweets, pop and crisps and ice-cream. The Horse-Show & Gymkhana is from 10.30a.m. until about 4.30p.m. and two more Challenge Cups are offered this year, one "highest points Leading Rein" and the other "Best Cob". The Glyndwr Tigers will once again be pulling in the Tug-of-War contest. For the children, sideshows and Donkeycart Rides are available (with real Donkey).

Adults Art Craft & Handicraft Exhibition

It would be lovely if we could have a really good variety of exhibits on display at the show on 17th July. If you have any art craft or handicraft hobby e.g. knitting, crocheting, embroidery, tatting, model making, string pictures, woodwork, needlework, painting, sketching, picture making etc. ... do please enter some of your work so that other people may be inspired to follow your example, and so gain a lot of satisfaction!

Children's Section

Please don't forget the POSTER COMPETITION - design a poster for the Show before 1st July and hand it in to Mrs. Munn, 6 Ger y Llan, Mrs. Bradley & Hool y Wern or Mrs. Eaton, Coed yr Allt, Ruthin Road.

### Gwernymynydd Village Centre

Although there is much work still to be done, the Village Centre is progressing and is now in use. The W.I. have held a social, the Show Committee have held a meeting and a Grand Sale and the Playgroup is now in full swing. Anyone with any ideas or plans for use of the Centre, please get in touch with Mrs. Corlett, Quinta, Ruthin Road, Gwernymynydd. Phone Llanferres (85)319.

Members of the W.I., Ladies Circle and Playgroup Association have all devoted time and energy towards painting, cleaning and curtain making for the Centre; the concrete path and step were duly completed by willing volunteers, and Mr. Ken Sweetman is still struggling with the difficulties caused by metrification of the plumbing industry!

A WORKING PARTY is called for on Sunday 27th June, to tidy the site; Mr. G. Roberts, our Wyllyn Councillor is to bring a tractor and trailer to be loaded with spare hard core and other rubbish for disposal. Volunteers are called for in several categories - manual labour, General Tidying and Tea-Making - do please come if you can spare an hour - the Village Centre on Sunday 27th June.

The Committee acknowledge with gratitude the donation of £11.08p. from the Playgroup Association (which was used to cover several small bills, one of which was for having the piano tuned). Mrs. Ivy Griffiths of Cadole has given a most useful mop, Mrs. Aisla Smith has promised a mop bucket, and Mrs. Corlett a lavatory brush - all most gratefully received.

Gwernymynydd Village Chess Club - Mr. T. Corlett is going to start a village Chess Club to be held at the Village Centre for all ages, starting in September. If you are interested please contact Mr. Corlett, Quinta, Ruthin Road. Phone Llanferres (85)319.

Mr. Ifor Peters, Community Councillor, has entered Gwernaffield for the "Best Kept Village" Competition to be judged in mid-July. The village could win a prize of £100 to be spent on the current project of the Village Centre if the village appears well kept, tidy, and cared for. "KALP GWERNAFFIELD TIDY".

### Youth Club

The Club has been active on many fronts during the past weeks. A camping site at the Loggerheads has been cleared of the rubbish which has built up over the years and the River Alyn too is now almost cleared. Damaged trees have yet to be trimmed but the job will be finished very shortly.

A very hard-working team of volunteers pulled the Youth Club Donkey-cart for children's rides at the Donkey Derby on the 12th June, working solidly from 2 until 5p.m. - congratulations on a marathon performance!!

At Gwernaffield Church Fete on Whit Monday, two teams (girls and boys) pulled against Gwernaffield Youth Club in a Tug-of-War. The highlight of the contests came when the rope snapped. Congratulations to our 16 good sports.

In addition, the members have been selling draw tickets for both Hold Carnival and the Youth Council's German Exchange visit fund. Leader Olive Sweetman thanks all long-suffering parents, friends, neighbours and relatives for buying so many of them.

### Playgroup

The Playgroup started sessions under the care of Mrs. Pat Argent on 8th June and they have been held very successfully in the Village Centre which is proving a perfect building for playgroup use.

A fancy dress competition for children will be held at the Gymkhana & Show on July 17th. The classes are:- 5 and under, 6 years - 11 years, and groups consisting of one or more persons of all ages. Entries to be taken on the day - an entrance fee of 10p. per child.

### P.T.A.

The Committee met on Tuesday 15th June to discuss a programme of future events and it was agreed to arrange talks: one on Comprehensive Schools, and another on the Open Plan School.

The total raised on the recent Bring and Buy and Sponsored Walk was in excess of £160 - a marvellous effort - and some of this is to be used for the early purchase of educational equipment and reading material.

### Dates to Remember

June 25th	"Orange Blossom & Valium"
26th	Hold Carnival
27th	Working Party at the Village Centre
July 1st	Provisional date for Royal Visit film Show Posters to be handed in by this date
6th	Playgroup coffee evening - Mrs. Anne Roden
17th	Gymkhana Day and Dance
22nd	Playgroup coffee evening - Mrs. L. Williams
mid-July	"Best Kept Village" Judging