GWERNYMYNYDD COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION

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Manchester Trip - This year's annual shopping trip to Manchester is on Saturday, 25th November. The coach will leave the village at 9.30 a.m. dropping off in the heart of Manchester's Piccadilly and return from Manchester at 6.00 p.m. The price is £3 for adults and £2 for children 10 years and under. If you are interested please give your name to either Dilys Davies (Mold 57225) or Lilian Roberts (Mold 59926). To avoid disappointment we advise you to please book early as this is always a very popular trip.

Bonfire Fair - We will be holding a Bonfire Fair on Saturday, 7th October at 2.00 p.m. in the Village Centre (Wooden Hut). There will be various stalls, raffles, and refreshments. Any unwanted articles in good saleable condition, especially toys, books, plants, bric-a-brac and cakes would be gratefully received. Please bring them along to the Centre on the morning of the Fair after 11.00 a.m. The proceeds of this event, of course, will be used to finance the Village bonfire night in November. Please remember that this is a free evening to benefit all - from tots to teens to adults to senior citizens. It is so much safer to have a properly organised communal bonfire and firework display. In the light of this, therefore, it would be appreciated if as many village organisations (or individuals) as possible would be willing to come forward with help by organising a stall or sideshow. If you can help in any way please contact Olive Sweetman on Mold 3681.

Guy Fawkes Fancy Dress Tour - All youngsters are invited to join in the Guy Fawkes Tour on Saturday, 21st October. The tour leaves the school in Godre'r Coed at 2.p.m. Please bring a Guy in a wheelbarrow or old pram. Everyone welcome - wear fancy dress if possible.

Bingo - The next Bingo session will be held on Tuesday, 26th September at 7.30 p.m. in the Village Centre. All are welcome.

Tros-y-Wern Planning Application - Following Delyn Borough Council's rejection of this application, an appeal was lodged by the applicant with the Welsh Office. A public inquiry is to be held in the Town Hall, Mold; date not yet known due to a delay in procedure. A number of us feel strongly enough about this to consider it worthwhile to employ the services of a solicitor to represent our case. We have made enquiries of a lawyer experienced in this type of work and he is prepared to represent us for the day at a cost not expected to exceed £200. We already have 22 firm pledges of contribution so no-one will be called upon to contribute a large amount. The possible enfringement of the green belt affects the whole village so please come and give your support by attending a meeting to discuss the above at the village hall on Thursday, September 28th at 7.30 p.m.

Senior Citizens Summer 1989 - On May 11th the Committee held an afternoon of Bingo with tea and biscuits raffles and many prizes, We would like to thank the fifteen faithfuls that turned up, we even managed to raise £37.50 towards the annual trip. On Friday 2nd June we held a coffee morning at the Daniel Owen Centre. It was well supported by Mold residents but only six from Gwernymynydd called in to see us. We made £39.50. The trip was on the 22nd June, 54 people went by coach around Cheshire, having a lovely lunch at the Rising Sun, outside Crewe, then on the the Knowsley Safari Park, Thank you to those who gave a donation and prizes for a raffle on the coach. After many years on the Senior Citizens Social Committee, Miss Martindale for Cadole has decided to retire from the Committee. All the remaining members would like to thank her for all her hard work and wish her well. If there is anyone in the Cadole area who feels they might like to join us to represent that end of the Village we would love to hear from them. These trips cost a lot of money

with coach and food prices rising and entry fees to places so support and suggestions would be much appreciated.

Gwernymynydd W.I. - Members were welcomed to the September meeting by the president Mrs. Beryl Davies. Sympathy was extended to Mrs. Maud Roberts and family in their recent bereavement. Mrs. Rene Eden was congratulated on her success in gaining three awards in the art section at the Flint & Denbigh Show, also, on winning the Staffordshire Building Society Perpetual Rose Bowl awarded to the individual member from the county gaining the most points in the show and on receiving a special rosette presented for the most outstanding exhibit in the art section. Guest speaker was environmental health officer for Delyn, Dr. Chris. Harris, who gave a very interesting and informative talk on "Aspects of Health". Miss Dilys Martindale proposed a vote of thanks. Competition winners were 1st. Mrs. Sheelagh Perkins, 2nd. Mrs. Sheila Parry, 3rd. Mrs. R. Eden Mrs. Frances Clegg won the raffle prize. Tea hostesses were Mrs. H. Hemming, Mrs. Maud Roberts and Mrs. Anne Jones. Mrs. R. Eden and Mrs. S. Perkins manned the sales table. The next monthly meeting will be held at the school on Monday 2nd October, 1989 at 7.15. p.m. This will be an open meeting and the guest speaker is Mrs. June Lancelyn Green who will give a talk on "The Seven Ages of Woman". Everyone welcome.

Cheese & Wine/Dutch Auction Evening - A very successful evening was held recently at the home of Tim and Gwerfyl Devine. This was to raise money for the local National Eisteddfod fund, the Eisteddfod being held in Mold in August 1991. Over 100 people attended and £334.66. was made towards the fund. Many thanks to the numerous gifts received from local people which were auctioned off in the Dutch Auction and to Tim and Gwerfyl for organising such an enjoyable evening.

Wanted - By Playgroup a child's pram (in reasonable condition) contact Mrs. Elsley between 9. a.m. and 11.30 a.m. Monday to Friday or Mrs. S. Hughes (Tel. Mold 57749).