

GWERNYMYNYDD COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION

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COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION - MANCHESTER TRIP - All seats on this trip have now been booked. If you are one of the lucky ones please note that they must be paid for by Friday 17th November at the latest. Failure to pay by this date may result in the seat being allocated to someone else. Your co-operation in this matter is much appreciated.

REMEMERANCE DAY SERVICE - A Remembrance Day Service will be held at the Village War Memorial at 11.00 a.m. on Sunday, 12th November where a wreath will be laid on behalf of the Village Community by an ex-serviceman. All denominations are invited to attend.

GWERNYMYNYDD SHOW COMMITTEE - Very many thanks indeed to the people who supported the "Bonfire" sale on 7th October - either by coming along in person or giving us goods to sell - or both. Thank you to those who gave us donations - and special thanks to the Play-group and Mothers and Toddlers who raised £37 with a cake stall, a substantial amount of the total proceeds of £90.

GUY FAWKES TOURS - The tours (Bring a Guy in a wheelbarrow or pram) leave Gwernymynydd school at 2.00 p.m. for tours of Tros-y-Wern estate - Blaen Wern and Ruthin Road - and from the Rainbow Inn also at 2.00 p.m. for tours of the Llys Enfys and Bryn Eithen estates. Please wear fancy dress if possible - and all proceeds go to the Fireworks fund - Saturday 21st October. The Bonfire and Firework Display is on Friday 3rd November at the Village field with refreshments etc in the old school. The Bonfire will be lit at 7.00 p.m. and don't forget the Best Guy contest which will be judged at 7.30. There is no charge for admission to the field - but as usual there will be a collection. Please give generously.

BONFIRE - Please don't forget to put all your burnable rubbish on the bonfire site - At the time of writing, thanks to the dry summer, the entrance to the field is quite firm - not the usual quagmire.

BINGO - The next Bingo session will be held on Tuesday, 31st October at 7.30 p.m. in the Village Centre.

Gwernymynydd W.I. - The Gwernymynydd W.I. held their monthly meeting on Monday 2nd October 1989. The President, Mrs. E. Davies, informed members that £32. was raised at the car boot sale, in aid of Cancer Appeal, held in the Rainbow car park. This sum was a combined effort with our local P.T.A. Many thanks to all who supported them. Congratulations to three of our W.I. members who have gained entries in the Rufford Art Exhibition 1990. Mrs. R. Eden - a pastel drawing; Mrs. A. Lamont - two water colours; and Mrs. S. Perkins - 'Pirate' Nightdress case. Our Guest Speaker for the evening was Mrs. Lancelyn-Green who gave a most amusing talk on the pitfalls of ones first home. Mrs. G. Kime gave the vote of thanks. Winners of the glass competition were 1st. Mrs. McCormick; 2nd Mrs. M. Roberts and 3rd Mrs. D. Jones. The raffle winner was Mrs. R. Eden.

N.S.P.C.C. - The recent house to house collection realized the splendid total of £100.41. Many thanks to all who contributed so generously.

GWERNYMYNYDD "VILLAGE"

I hope the person who originally composed the following will not object to me having it inserted in our local Newsletter, as I feel it is very applicable to this area as elsewhere. - S. Parry.

The Country Lover.

Go buy yourself a building plot  
in any pretty village,  
and, if a tree stands by, then fell it,  
and, if the gardens big, then sell it.

Get sodium lights along the lane,  
kerbs and white lines to make it plain,  
pull down the ancient dry stone wall,  
put bricks and barbed wire round it all.

Keep several cars outside the gate,  
and leave them when its getting late,  
Your caravan should be in view,  
so well equipped, so large, so new.

Cut down more trees, the leaves will blow,  
and get on the patio.  
Upon the skyline have a dish  
to get the programmes you may wish.

By two big German Killer Dogs,  
and let them loose around the grounds,  
extend a bit to left and right,  
keep piles and sand and stones about,

Dont' show you face, or where you live,  
in case your asked to help, or give.  
Make some complaints, there's always need for those,  
to keep the Council on their toes.

Now someone else starts to build next door,  
upon the spot you sold before,  
put up 'Sale Boards' and start a chase  
to find another UNSPOILT PLACE!