



THE NEWS JOURNAL FOR CORBY CONSERVATIVE CLUB



OUR RESTAURANT
RATING BY CORBY
BOROUGH COUNCIL

FOOD HYGIENE RATING



DON'T MISS OUR NEXT BIG TRAILER EVENT



**RETURNING FOR
ANOTHER GREAT GIG**

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'OUT OF ORDER'

**ANOTHER FANTASTIC BAND
RETURNING BY POPULAR
REQUEST**

SUNDAY 27th MAY - BE THERE !

CLUB Life

We need your email address to keep in touch

In this electronic age the main form of communication now is electronically. We have been collecting email addresses for many years but there are still many members who aren't on our network. Please let us have your email address so we can let you know what is going on at the Club.

We now have many new Club members and so far 180 have let us know their email addresses. We are grateful to all those members who have provided their contact details but if you haven't let us know then you will be missing out on the latest news.

You can also sign up direct at our website.

If we haven't got your address we can't let you know what it is happening at the Club.

We promise that your email address will not be revealed to anyone else and it will only be used to keep you advised of Club news. You can cancel at any time with one click.

CORBY CONSERVATIVE CLUB



**THE HOME OF THE BIG
35ml OPTICS
40% LARGER
THAN EVERYWHERE ELSE!**
(Please drink responsibly)

Email your details to clublife@talktalk.net or go to our website and sign in on the Guest page to ensure that you get the latest news from the Club.

To contact the Club for any other information email to conclub2010@gmail.com

MEMBERSHIP



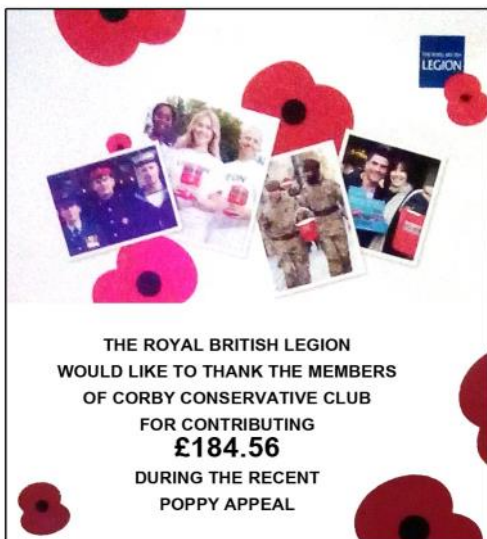
All members are reminded that Club subscriptions were due to be paid in January.

The Club gave an extra month's grace to pay but there are still just a few who didn't renew. Unfortunately these members will have to rejoin now if they wish to continue to use the Club.

'Why should you join?' you may ask. Apart from becoming a member of a great Club you can more than recoup the cost of membership just by bringing the family to our Restaurant and selecting a meal from our Main Menu.

Also when renewing you may like to purchase an Inter-Affiliation Card which gains you access to almost every other Conservative Club in the country. Using the card you can be treated like a member and even sign your own guests in to those Clubs you visit. Just make sure when you visit another Conservative Club that you sign in to the Red Book to comply with the law.

More excellent news - we have **52 new members** in the first 3 months of the year.



**THE ROYAL BRITISH LEGION
WOULD LIKE TO THANK THE MEMBERS
OF CORBY CONSERVATIVE CLUB
FOR CONTRIBUTING
£184.56
DURING THE RECENT
POPPY APPEAL**

YOUR COMMITTEE - WITH EFFECT MARCH 2018

The following are the Committee of the Club:

President: Michael Rodden, MBE
Vice-president: Alex Farr
Chairman: Mrs Sandra Farr
Treasurer: Mrs Bernadette Occleshaw
Membership secretary: Mrs Sue Mackenzie

- * **Steve Dempsie**—Dep Chairman with responsibility for Restaurant and Bar
- * **Graham Law** = Entertainments

Committee members:

Steve Dempsie (to Mar 2019) *
Mrs Yvonne Adams (to Mar 2019)
Jon Farrell (to Mar 2019)
John Walters (to Mar 2019)
Ray Boyd (to Mar 2019)
Graham Law (to Mar 2020) *
Derek McGovern (to Mar 2020)
Paul McGregor (to Mar 2020)
Glen Rodden (to Mar 2021)
Paul McAuley (to Mar 2021)
Mark Jeffrey (to Mar 2021)
There is one vacancy to be filled

The Club's Annual General Meeting was held on Thursday 29th March 2018 commencing at 7pm.

The new Committee was elected without opposition and no ballot was necessary.

The turnout from members was quite small but those present were given an excellent presentation on the accounts by our auditor who was re-appointed..

The President, Michael Rodden, MBE spoke of the Committee's future plans and explained that a business plan is being prepared to keep members updated



'OUT OF ORDER'

**Saturday 28th April
In the Games Room**

DANCE LESSONS AT THE CLUB. ALL HELD IN THE HALL

**Learn to Dance Ballroom
Sequence Dancing every Monday
from 6pm to 7pm
Ballroom from 7pm to 8pm**

**Children's Highland Dance Class
Every Wednesday evening at 5pm**

Sequence Dancing
Every Wednesday
afternoon from
2pm to 4pm. £2
per session incls
tea and biscuits.



Contact Barbara
Dowdell on 01536
266739

Latest information will be published
on the web at
www.corbyconservativeclub.net

FREE WIFI AT THE CLUB. ASK AT THE BAR FOR THE ACCESS CODE

SENIOR CITIZENS' CLUB

The Club meets on a Thursday at 2pm till 3.30pm. New members are welcome to join at a cost of £2, then £1 per week.



We have a game of Bingo plus Flyer and a raffle and a cup of tea.

On 22nd March we held our Annual Dinner at the Club. Plus the usual big raffle of course. Our Chef, Darren gave a lovely meal as always.

If you would like to join come along on a Thursday and ask for our Chairman, Margaret Smith or Ann Adam, Secretary.

You will be made most welcome.

The parent Club would like to thank the Senior Citizens' Section for their generous donation of £150 towards Club funds.

THE CLUB'S WEBSITE

The Club's Website is at

corbyconservativeclub.net

The web pages carry up to date news of what is happening at the Club.

You can download a copy of this magazine and can even print a copy of the Club's enrolment form which you can pass on to friends.

FOOTBALL FOCUS

Our Football Focus is a simple skill-based weekly competition. Prize money around £25.

It is very easy to enter and all the entrance money goes to the winners.



1. Pick up an entry form at the Club.
2. Using your skill/knowledge of football (or just make a guess) to enter your forecast of the results of the Premier League matches played over the next weekend.
3. Hand your form and £1 entrance fee over the bar.
4. You will receive 3 points for a correct score or 1 point for the correct result.
5. Forms must be handed in before 8pm every Friday.

MOTHER'S DAY REPORT

SUNDAY 11TH MARCH

THIS ANNUAL EVENT ONCE AGAIN HAD FANTASTIC SUPPORT WITH A FULL HOUSE OF WELL OVER 100 PEOPLE ATTENDING.

CLUB OPENING TIMES

The Club is open Monday to Thursday from 10.30am until 11pm.
Friday and Saturday 10.30am to 11.30pm and Sunday from 12 noon until 11pm

Note that when there is a live band in the Games Room the bar will remain open until Midnight

LADIES DARTS



The Ladies Darts Team play every Tuesday, alternately home and away.

New members always welcome.

Contact the Captain, Colleen Occleshaw for details.

Tom Pursglove, MP's Weekly Advice Surgeries

Your local MP, Tom Pursglove, believes it is extremely important to be as accessible as possible, in order to be able to best help with any problems or concerns that constituents have. He holds weekly advice surgeries, both in Corby and in East Northamptonshire. The venues for surgeries are:

- Corby:** Corby VCS, The TA Building, Elizabeth Street, Corby, NN17 1PN
- Irthlingborough:** Irthlingborough Children's Centre, Scarborough Street, Irthlingborough, NN9 5TT
- Raunds:** The Hall, Thorpe St, Raunds, NN9 6LT.
- Oundle:** Oundle Baptist Church, 1 St Osyth's Lane, Oundle, PE8 4BG
- Thrapston:** Thrapston Library, High Street, Thrapston, NN14 4JJ

To book an appointment, please telephone 020 7219 8043.

How to get in touch with Tom

London phone number:
020 7219 8043

Write to him at Tom Pursglove MP,
House of Commons, LONDON SW1A 0AA
Follow on Twitter
@VotePursglove
He is also on Facebook at
<https://www.facebook.com/VotePursglove>.
You can email Tom direct at:
pursglovet@parliament.uk

Phone or email to make an appointment to see Tom at one of his regular surgeries.

**FOLLOWING TOM PURSGLOVE'S
SUCCESSFUL CAMPAIGN TO KEEP THE
URGENT CARE UNIT OPEN IT WILL SOON BE
NECESSARY TO PHONE BEFORE
ATTENDING.**

**THE TELEPHONE NUMBER WHICH WAS
PUBLISHED IN THE CORBY TRADER IS
NOT YET ACTIVE AND YOU WILL STILL
NEED TO VISIT THE UNIT FIRST**

SATURDAY NIGHT ENTERTAINMENT



Members enjoyed a really good music session on Saturday 17th March when the very talented Addy and Carroll played jigs and ballads for us in the Game Room to celebrate St. Patrick's Day.

In spite of heavy snow we had an excellent attendance in both rooms.

Addy and Carroll have been booked again for next year's St. Patrick's Day.

HIRE OF THE CLUB'S HALL

All of the Hall Suite furniture has been updated and large round tables are also available for your function. There is an extra charge for the round tables



Food can be provided from snacks to full meals or you can provide your own catering. For Funeral Receptions or Charities there is no charge for the use of the Lounge provided you use our caterer.

Please call for our Detailed Brochure & Prices

01536 203711

Sample menus can be seen on our website at corbyconservativeclub.net

MEMBERS' and GUESTS' WEEKLY DRAW



The Committee were aware that there are some criticisms of the new draw introduced late last year. In view of this a small group was set up to look into alternate ideas and

they put their ideas to the Committee. It was agreed to start a new draw in the first week of January and this has been running since then.

At the moment the new draw seems to be generating some interest and as the weekly prize grows we may find more members taking part.

The full rules are on display in the Club but basically all members receive a free raffle ticket (on request) and they, and guests, can purchase more tickets at £1 each. A draw is held at 3.30pm and the lucky winner selects one envelope from ten. They can then gamble their prize by choosing one of five Golden Envelopes, only one of which will contain a cash prize which grows each week.

In line with the Committee's policy of involving members they will welcome any further ideas for this draw.

Any member who can offer thoughts on this draw is invited to contact Glen Rodden.

WINE SOCIETY YOUR FINAL CHANCE TO JOIN US AND MAKE NEW FRIENDS



The membership list for our Society is now open for a few months so contact Ray Boyd on clublife@talktalk.net if you would like to come along. We have room for 6 members.

Our Wine Society has been running for over 32 years now, meeting on the third Thursday of each month in the evening.

Our gatherings are friendly evenings consisting of a 3 course set meal followed by coffee/tea. We have a very good raffle plus a table quiz for a bit of fun.

The cost is only £12.50 for the evening. You can bring guests and make up a table of 3 or 4 or join one of existing tables.

Head your email 'Wine Society'. There is no obligation to attend any of our suppers and there are no other fees.

Note that we don't hold tastings - we just drink from the reasonably-priced Club wine selection at the bar. Note that you don't have to drink wine - just enjoy yourself.

VISA PAYMENT AVAILABLE AT THE CLUB



For your convenience - you can pay your bar and restaurant bills by VISA Debit Card and Mastercard at the Club,

There is now no charge for using your card.
Cash-back is available but only if you actually purchase a drink or meal.

Your Club has large TVs in the Games Room.

Our BT contract allows us to show many live sports games.

Check our website at

www.corbyconservativeclub.net

For latest fixture details

www.corbyconservativeclub.net

We are also on FACEBOOK and
ITSALLABOUTGOINGOUT



In the Hall

On Tuesdays

2 sessions

Members can advertise their business in this magazine and on our website at www.corbyconservativeclub.net

Let the Club Manager have your business card and make a small donation of £25 to Club funds and you can advertise for a whole year.

Our Restaurant is open to the public but if members wish to take guests into the Games Room Bar they are requested to please sign them in. The Visitors' Book is available at the Bar. Inter-affiliated guests must also register in the IA Guest Book.

EASY QUIZ EVERY 2nd SUNDAY

SUNDAY 8th APR
SUNDAY 22nd APR
SUNDAY 6th MAY
SUNDAY 20th MAY
SUNDAY 3rd JUN
SUNDAY 17th JUN

Between 3pm and 6pm
The Quiz starts at 4.15pm

Quiz Organiser: John Headley/
Disco/Karaoke
www.johnheadley.co.uk
07931 855053

PSYCHIC & CLAIRVOYANT FAIR



Sunday 15th April 2018

In the Churchill Suite,
Corby Conservative Club,

11am to 3pm

Some of the best Psychics and Clairvoyants from around the Northamptonshire, Lincolnshire and Yorkshire areas will be attending.

Various types of private readings available on the day at an additional cost payable to the reader.

Holistic Stands, Trade Stands, Therapies, etc
Everyone welcome

Admission £1.00 on the door

www.facebook.com/events/1416724758422290/

COMING SOON
in Your Club

Easter Sunday 1st April
'THE OTHERS'

Saturday 28th April
'OUT OF ORDER'

Sunday 6th May
'PURPLE LIGHT DISTRICT'

Sunday 27th May
'JOYRIDER'
and
'OUT OF ORDER'

Saturday 30th June
'THE CRUMBLES'

Saturday 28th July
To be confirmed

Sun 26th August
'MACHINES'
'THE OTHERS'
'OUT OF ORDER'

DARLEY JULY CUP

14th July 2018.

Tickets: £27 (Grandstand and Paddock)

Travel price: TBC

dependant on numbers

First Race: 13.45 hours Last Race: 17.15 hours
Please contact Paul McGregor or the Duty Steward for details.



YOUR 5 STAR RESTAURANT

If you would like to come along to our restaurant for Sunday lunch it is very important that you book your place.

The Restaurant gets very busy on Sundays and we don't want to turn anyone away.

Just phone on 01536 203711 to book.

And remember that members get 10% off the Main Menu on other days

BAR SNACKS FOR UNDER SEVEN POUNDS AVAILABLE FROM WEDNESDAY TO SUNDAY



WE ALSO HAVE SPECIALS MOST DAYS. WHY NOT POP IN?

SAMPLE SPECIAL LUNCH TIME OFFER

12—4pm

Starters

Chicken and sweetcorn soup topped with sliced spring onion and served with soft bread roll

Mango and brie parcels served with salsa and salad

Lincolnshire fish cake served with garlic mayonnaise and salad

Mains

Sausages, fried egg and skinny fries

Sweet and sour chicken served with long grain rice and prawn crackers

Battered cod served with mushy peas, chips, lemon and tartare sauce

Desserts

Strawberry jelly and ice cream

Chocolate fudge cake with whipped cream

Apple tart and custard

2 courses £6.50

3 courses £8.50

Served from Wednesday to Saturday

NOTE THAT OUR MENU CHANGES WEEKLY

SAMPLE SPECIALS

PLEASE ASK FOR LATEST SPECIALS MENU

Soup of the day

Cream of chicken and sweetcorn soup topped with sliced spring onion and served with soft bread roll
£3.95

Pie of the day

Handmade beef shin, roasted shallot and Ansell's bitter pie served with gravy
£9.95

Pasta of the day

Parma ham and asparagus cooked in a white wine and parmesan cheese sauce, pappardelle pasta, salad and garlic bread
£8.95

Fish of the day

Cod loin baked in parsley sauce topped with crispy chorizo pieces served with garlic mash and green beans
£7.95

Steak meal for 2

2 x 6oz rump steaks served with a choice of chips or skinny fries and peas or salad
£16

Hot and spicy chicken fillet burger

Chicken fillet in a crispy hot and spicy coating topped with bacon and cheddar in a bun with tomato, salad and garlic mayonnaise served with skinny fries, coleslaw and onion rings
£7.95

RESTAURANT OPENING TIMES

- Wednesday: 12.00-15:00 & 18:00-21:00
- Thursday: 12.00-15:00 & 18:00-21:00
- Friday: 12.00-21.00
- Saturday: 12.00-21:00
- Sunday: 12:00-17:00

Tel: 01536 203711

www.facebook.com/RestaurantCorby Tele: 01536 203711

<http://all-opening-hours.co.uk/03446014/>