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CORBY CONSERVATIVE CLUB
1959 - 2019

DIAMOND ANNIVERSARY WEEKEND

FULL DETAILS INSIDE THIS ISSUE



Regulars John-Boy Young and Alan Occleshaw enjoying a Saturday night in the Club

THERE IS A LOT MORE GOING ON AT THE CLUB THAN YOU MIGHT THINK.

JUST LOOK INSIDE THIS ISSUE OF THE MAGAZINE

WE HAVE LOTS PLANNED FOR THIS CELEBRATION WEEKEND. AND OUR FAMILY FUNDAY WILL BE REALLY GREAT. FUNDAY ACTIVITIES ARE PLANNED TO TAKE PLACE ON THE GREEN BUT IF WET IT WILL ALL MOVE INTO THE HALL.

GREAT FUN WHATEVER THE WEATHER.

Do come along and bring family and friends

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Steve Dempsie has been working with a team of committee and staff and will be putting his ideas about the website and the Club's image to the Committee for final approval. The new website will have the facility for members (and others) to book a table at the restaurant and hire the Club rooms directly. Payments will be accepted over the web as well.

Dear Members,

As we reported in the last issue of the Magazine, the Club is, this year, celebrating 60 years in business - our Diamond Anniversary.

The Anniversary sub-committee (led by Joh Farrell) have been working for some time on ways of celebrating this milestone and have now arranged a suitable programme of events.

Elsewhere in this issue you will find details of the various events and I do hope as many members as possible will come along and help us celebrate.

The main events are during June but we will have a Celebration Dinner later in the year when we will be cutting the special cake Marilyn Farrell is making for us.

And now for some very exciting news about our Club. You will know that we have had a website running for over three years (and I am grateful to Ray Boyd for looking after this during this time) but the time has come to upgrade.

It is also planned for membership renewals to be paid on the web.

Many organisations are finding that the internet is the way to go to promote their business and I am sure that the Club can only benefit from going down this route as well.

Our restaurant is keeping very busy and the new Theme nights are proving very popular. Our Chef, Darren, works hard to vary the menus and updates the specials regularly.

Please do keep supporting your Club and all the functions.

Finally, please keep an eye on our Facebook page and our website for the latest Club news. Watch out also for our regular Mailchimp emails giving updates of what is on at the Club.

Sincerely

Sandra Farr Club Chairman

CLUB OPENING TIMES

The Club is open Monday to Thursday from 12 noon until 11pm.

Friday and Saturday 12 noon 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.

Restaurant opening times are shown on the back page of this issue.

SOME MEMBERS WHO HAVE PROVIDED THEIR EMAIL ADDRESSES HAVE MENTIONED THAT THEY ARE NOT RECEIVING OUR EMAILS VIA MAILCHIMP.

THESE ARE SENT OUT REGULARLY TO ALL 290 REGISTERED EMAIL MEMBERS SO IF YOU DON'T SEE IT IN YOUR INBOX PLEASE CHECK YOUR SPAM BOX AND IF IT IS THERE ADD THE SENDER TO YOUR PREFERRED CONTACTS.

**AND IF YOU HAVEN'T PROVIDED YOUR EMAIL ADDRESS WHY NOT DO IT NOW?
YOU CAN SIGN UP ON OUR WEBSITE**

YOUR COMMITTEE - WITH EFFECT MARCH 2019

The following form the Committee of the Club:

(Officers to Mar 2020)

President: Michael Rodden, MBE

Vice-president: Steve Dempsie *

Chairman: Mrs Sandra Farr

Treasurer: Mrs Bernadette Occleshaw

Membership secretary: Glen Rodden

* **Steve Dempsie**— with responsibility for Restaurant and Bar

* **Graham Law**—Entertainments

* **Deborah McCardie**—Vice Chairman

Committee members:

Graham Law (to Mar 2020) *

Paul McGregor (to Mar 2020)

Deborah McCardie (to Mar 2020) *

Paul McAuley (to Mar 2021)

Marion Smith (to Mar 2021)

Ray Boyd (to Mar 2022)

Paul Edwards (to Mar 2022)

Paul Braybrooke jr (to Mar 2022)

Jon Farrell (to Mar 2022)

Mrs Sue Mackenzie (to Mar 2022)

Members who are interested in being co-opted on the Committee should contact the Manager on 01536 203711

GET YOUR FRIENDS TO JOIN !

We have 980 members - but want more. Now is the time to encourage your friends to join the Club. All those joining in June/ July will get free membership for 2020.

(This is a once only offer made for our Diamond Anniversary)

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. Visitors using the Club Lounge but not using the Restaurant must also be signed in.

The Visitors' Book is available at the Bar. Inter-affiliated guests must also register in the IA Guest Book.

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.



DANCE LESSONS AT THE CLUB. ALL HELD IN THE HALL

Learn to Dance Ballroom
Beginners Ballroom & Latin every Monday from 7pm to 8pm
Intermediate Ballroom & Latin from 8pm to 9pm
All lessons £5 per hour.

Easy Sequence Dancing every Tuesday from 7pm to 8pm and 8pm to 9pm
All lessons £5 per hour.

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



Please note that notices are now displayed on the Notice Boards in the Members' Bar.

Corby Conservative Club

Friday 28th June

Italian Night

Live entertainment

3 course meal

Complimentary drink on arrival

£15 per ticket

Saturday 29th June

*Live music in Hall
and Bar*

Sunday 30th June

From 1pm till 7pm

Family Funday and BBQ

Inc Kids Disco

Mini Fun Fair

John Headley's Quiz

IN THE BAR
From 8:00
THE
VALENTINES

IN THE
HALL
From 7:00
Disco
PRISONER

Diamond Jubilee

COME AND JOIN IN WITH THE
CELEBRATIONS

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.

MEMBERS' and GUESTS' WEEKLY SUNDAY DRAW

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 from around 2pm. A draw is held at 3.30pm and the lucky winner selects one envelope from five. They can then gamble their prize by choosing one of ten Golden Envelopes, only one of which will contain a cash prize which grows each week.



Our new Defibrillator is now fitted behind the Lounge Servery.

We hope it will never have to be used but it is nice to know that we have this life-saving facility

FATHER'S DAY

Sunday 16th June will be Father's Day and our Chef, Darren, is working on the menu for this day. Sundays are always busy so make sure you book in advance if you are bringing Dad (or grandad).



Photo: Pixabay

LADIES DARTS



The Ladies Darts Team play every Tuesday, alternately home and away.
New members always welcome.
Contact the Captain, Colleen Occleshaw or ask at the bar for details

CORBY CONSERVATIVE CLUB EASY QUIZ EVERY 2nd SUNDAY



SUNDAY 9th JUNE
SUNDAY 23rd JUNE
SUNDAY 7th JULY
SUNDAY 21st JULY
Quizzes are held every 2nd
Sunday £1 pp entrance fee

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

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

**PLEASE SIGN IN GUESTS FOR
THESE OPEN EVENINGS**



'THE UNRULY'

PLAYING AT
Corby Conservative Club
IN THE GAMES ROOM
SATURDAY 27th JULY 2019

GERRY'S QUIZ



**Quiz
night**

FRIDAY 14th JUNE

CON CLUB BAR

7:30 PM

JOHN HEADLEY DISCO

**The
IMPOSSIBLE
QUIZ**



Playing at
Corby Conservative Club
SAT. 1st JUNE 2019
IN THE GAMES ROOM



SATURDAY 22nd JUNE 2019
playing at
Corby Conservative Club
DIRTY MONEY
In the Games Room

Amendments and updates to the above entertainments are published on our website and supporters who have provided their email addresses will be notified personally of latest news. If you don't see our emails in your inbox please make sure you check the spam folder.

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 £2 per week.



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

Members enjoyed a lovely Cream Tea on 30th May and will be going on a Shopping Trip very soon.

We try to put something on for our members almost every month and members really look forward to these. Events

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 GREAT BRITISH PIE NIGHT

SATURDAY 8TH JUNE

£9.95 per head



All pies are handmade with puff pastry casing and cooked to order.

Beef and ale

Chicken Balti

Peppercorn steak

Chicken and chorizo

Smoked seafood

Choose your pie then your choice of sides from

Skinny fries vegetables

Mashed potato peas

Thick cut chips mushy peas

Cajun wedges BBQ beans

PLEASE BOOK EARLY FOR THESE THEME NIGHTS

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**

**CORBY CONSERVATIVE
CLUB**

**THE HOME OF
THE BIG
35ml OPTICS**

**—
40% LARGER**

THAN EVERYWHERE ELSE!

(Please drink responsibly)

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

**MEMBERS ARE ABLE TO USE
FREE INTERNET AT THE CLUB.
ASK AT THE BAR FOR THE CODE**

YOUR 5 STAR RESTAURANT *****

OUR MONTHLY
THEME NIGHTS
ARE GETTING
GOOD SUPPORT.

THE GREAT
BRITISH PIE
NIGHT LOOKS
LIKE BEING A
SELL-OUT

MAKE SURE YOU
BOOK TO BE
CERTAIN OF A
TABLE AT THEME
NIGHTS (AND
SUNDAYS)

BAR SNACKS FOR
UNDER SEVEN
POUNDS AVAILABLE
FROM WEDNESDAY
TO SUNDAY
WE ALSO HAVE
SPECIALS MOST
DAYS.
WHY NOT POP IN?



SAMPLE DAILY MENU

Starters

Cream of watercress and new potato Soup served with baked bread

Cod and parsley fishcake served with curry sauce

Mac and cheese bites served with salad and sweet chilli

Mains

Hot dog topped with fried onion, tomato and mustard served with skinny fries

Chicken strips cooked in sweet Thai chilli sauce served with long grain rice and prawn crackers

Breaded plaice fillet, thick cut chips and mushy peas

Desserts

Strawberry, rhubarb and apple crumble and custard

Diam bar chocolate slice served with whipped cream

Sticky toffee pudding and ice cream

2 courses £6.50
3 courses £8.50

Served from Wednesday and Thursday 12-3
Friday and Saturday 12-4

THE DAILY MENU IS CHANGED REGULARLY

RESTAURANT OPENING TIMES

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

www.facebook.com/RestaurantCorby Tele: 01536 203711

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