

James Terry Court News

Friends of James Terry Court

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A VERY HAPPY NEW YEAR TO ALL STAFF RESIDENTS AND FRIENDS

LUCKY 1998 Winners!

The list of lucky winners in the November draw for the 100 Plus Club is as follows:-

£24	No 67	H. Waudby	Lodge No., 3037
£12	No.92	Mrs J. B. Cato	Lodge No. 720
£ 6	No.41	Mrs Norah Hunter	Lodge No. 1802
£ 6	No.98	M. Bishop	Lodge No. 5796

Why not make yourself (and your partner) a winner in 1999.

To join is so simple; It costs £1 per month, which is paid annually in advance. The monthly "Draw" takes place at J. T. C. during the regular Sunday coffee mornings. 50% of all subscriptions is paid out in prizes, consisting of 1 @ £24, 1 @ £12 and 2 @ £6 for every 100 members, with any balance as extra prizes in the December draw. Numbers are allocated each year in rotation.

An application form to apply for membership is printed at the bottom of the last page of this Newsletter, and John Youldon will look forward to hearing from you - GOOD LUCK IN 1999.

Residents' Entertainment

The past few months have seen quite a lot of activity for the residents, and Betty Gazeley has provided the following summary: going back to September, there was a concert from a trio of the London Mozart Players, playing light classical music as well as lesser known works. In October; The Melodians sang for the residents, and later in the month Betty Dodge and Win Jones sang popular songs and rendered humorous monologues, and towards the end of the month, entertainment was provided by The Jacqueline Roberts School who performed dances. During November, Mrs Betty Richards, brought her collection of dressed miniature dolls, explaining their history, Sandra Winter presented a merry evening, playing hand bells and chatted to the residents. Folk Singers, Phil and Jeanne Reynell gave a concert that included some humorous music hall songs. During December, The Phoenix Ladies Choir gave an afternoon session of songs, and also the Brownies paid their annual visit, and a newly formed choir "Singing for Pleasure" gave a carol concert. Bingo sessions continue to be held every Tuesday evening at 7 p.m. and John Banks "Singalong" at 3 p.m. on the first Wednesday in every month.

Christmas Lunch

Ron Everard reports that on Monday 21st December, Friends entertained the residents to a day of Festivities, using two coaches and their own mini-bus to ferry the residents to and from the Croydon Masonic Hall. Welcomed by several Committee members, a choice of drink was offered with the compliments of the Hall management, which was greatly appreciated. A traditional Christmas meal was enjoyed, which included a wine specially selected by the Hall Manager, Richard Liddell. During the meal, carols were sung by members of the Jacqueline Roberts dancing team, accompanied by some Committee members, who wish to remain anonymous! The team afterwards gave an interesting show, including demonstrations of the Charleston and Can-Can together with some new Christmas Party Numbers: the whole entertainment was warmly welcomed by all. The residents all expressed their thanks for a most enjoyable time.

John Banks organised an outing for some of the residents to see the Christmas Lights in London.

The Staff of JTC presented a pantomime to the Residents and a few of the friends on 21st December, which was greatly appreciated.

We wish all the following Residents a Very Happy Birthday

Mrs L. I. Marks	1 st January
Mrs M. Asplin	20 th January
Mr R. J. Feakins	1 st February
Mrs D. Milborrow	4 th February
Mrs A. I. Willicombe	4 th February
Mr. R. R. Janaway	8 th February
Mrs R. Clark	16 th February
Mrs I. N. Pym	16 th February
Mrs A. R. I. Wardlaw	27 th February
Mrs J. E. Mogridge	28 th February
Mrs L. I. Proctor	13 th March

Thought for the New Year: if your birthday falls on the same day as a resident, why not send them a card?

Such a gesture would be most welcome by the recipient.

URGENTLY NEEDED

Volunteers needed to help with Bingo.
Can you spare an occasional Tuesday evening?
If so,
please call Betty Gazeley on 0181.660 6067

The Committee would like to express their thanks to John Gregory and Paul Crockett of Shirley Park Lodge No. 3938 for their organisation of the most successful Charity Greyhound meeting at the Catford track last October, which has added considerably to our Charity Fund.

The December Christmas Fayre raised in excess of £700 from ticket sales and also in excess of £700 from sales at the stalls. The efforts of all concerned are very much appreciated by the committee.

1999 DIARY

A Barn Dance and Barbecue will be held at J. T. C. on Saturday 15th May at 7.30 p.m. Tickets available from Betty Gazeley at £4.50 (Telephone: 0181.660 6067).

The annual SUMMER FETE will be held on Saturday, 19th June. - Please make a note in your diary now !

All friends are very welcome to a coffee morning with the House Manager at 10.30 a.m. on the 2nd Sunday in every month.

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Friends of James Terry Court 100 PLUS CLUB

NAME:

ADDRESS:

LODGE:.....No.....

No. OF TICKETS @ £12 EACH PER YEAR (12 x £1)

Please make cheques payable to 'J. T. C. 100 CLUB' and post to:
JOHN YOULDON, 70 BLENHEIM PARK ROAD, SOUTH CROYDON, CR2 6BE