



News From Wilby Coronation Village Hall

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“Striving for something for everyone”

A BIG THANK YOU to everyone who entered into the spirit and participated in the first Wilby Village Scarecrow Festival. There have been so many positive comments made by both local residents and visitors to the village. Our sincere thanks go to Brian and Jo Jaquest for their kindness and enthusiasm in promoting this event, donating all the prizes and photographs for the entries. This years winners were as follows:

1st Place - Val Hambling for ‘Dancing Queen’ - **2nd Place** - Janice Knights for ‘Alf & Safety’
and in **3rd Place** - Mrs. Wright for ‘The Wedding’

Highly commended were Sheila & Kenny Mutimer for ‘Keeping it in the family’, and Maggie & Carl Berry for ‘Little Bo-Peep’.

The judging of the entries proved to be extremely difficult due to the magnificent standard of the entries, and the judges deliberations were indeed lengthy! Our thanks and admiration also go to the children of Wilby Primary School who created a multitude of stunning scarecrows which adorned the hall on the day of our Fete. Once again the judges had a really difficult decision to make on choosing a winner and runners up. All the children (and parents/grandparents) deserve congratulations for their efforts - a big WELL DONE and THANK YOU. The winner was ‘CD Man’ from the young master Collins, who created a masterpiece! We had glorious weather for the Fete and it was well supported by the school, W.I., Church and many local residents and stall holders. After expenditure we raised over £562. Again the success of this event is down to all involved in whatever capacity, whether it be helping to organise, assisting on the day, donating prizes or most importantly turning up.

The CEILIDH DANCE was also well attended and it was a very entertaining evening for all those who came along. Our thanks go to Doreen O’Connor for organising this event and due to it’s success another is booked for November.

Don’t forget our third Whist Drive - details below:

WHIST CONTINUES AT WILBY VILLAGE HALL

Friday **28th** JULY & Friday **25th** AUGUST

6.30PM **FOR 7PM START**

£2.50 PER PERSON/ INCLUDES LIGHT REFRESHMENTS/ RAFFLE AVAILABLE

CONTACT MARIAN WARD ON 01379 384358, ALISON & IAN TAYLOR ON 01379 388112

Anyone willing to help with the evening (making refreshments, raffle prize donations) would be welcomed

WI-FI / WEBSITE

We now offer free wi-fi to anyone visiting or using the hall for an event, and we also have our own website at : <https://wilbyvillagehall.000webhostapp.com/index.php> .As well as the website you can go to the Hallshire website: <https://www.hallshire.com/halls/view/2038/wilby-village-coronation-hall> and the village website, <http://wilby.suffolk.cloud> to see what’s going on at your village hall.

For further information or suggestions for how you would like to see your village hall used or even become a member of the committee: Contact : Alison and Ian Taylor at alisonandian5@btinternet.com/or phone us on 01379 388112. **Bookings for the hall can be made through Alison or Ian**

What's on at Wilby Coronation Village Hall -JULY 2017

Dance with David Last 1st - 8pm

Pub Night 7th - 8pm

Village Lunch 11th 12:30 pm - 2pm

Wilby primary School End of Term Evening 19th

Women's Institute - 20th 7.30pm

Private Birthday Party 23rd - 1pm

Whist Drive 28th **6.30 pm for 7pm start**

Ladybird village lunches : Please contact Marian Ward on 01379 384358