



Community

"Pimhole Pride"

NEWSLETTER

Chairman: Jimmy Hill

Edition 13 – Christmas 2014



A New Year Dawns.... Funding Yawns... & we go online...

A Message from the Chairman...

By Jimmy Hill

2014 is nearly at an end, and taking a look back over the last 12 Months, we have had some successes and some losses.

The funding the association could have really done with to help keep us above water took a slap in the teeth this month. The ideal opportunity to fund the association and this newsletter for at least 12 months came about recently with the money the Police had for local community projects.

For the last 2-3 residents meetings, I have mentioned this and the support we would need from the residents to get this money. Your vote counted! We put in the perfect application that was accepted by the Police. On Wednesday 10.12.2014, I pitched the perfect presentation in front of the local community at a packed-out Jinnah Centre.

Out of this packed-out centre, we only had a handful of interested residents (the residents that attend all our Meetings/Get Togethers) in attendance to support our community, I would like to personally thank those for their support, but unfortunately, we just weren't strong enough.

It saddens me to say that once the money runs dry, I don't know how the association will continue? Since 1992, I have gone out of my way to support Residents with their problems (big & small), from the ever increasing Dumping Issues to Rat infestation, general community issues to representing Pimhole. I just hope we soon don't have to make the decision were we have no choice but to close the curtains on Pimhole Residents Association once those funds have run dry.

On a brighter note, we will be going online with our own website in early January 2015. Not only will this be a great opportunity for Pimhole, but we hope to increase the support we get with the help this tool will bring.

I would like to take this opportunity to wish you all a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. I look forward to building a bigger, better Community in 2015!

Jimmy



Knock, Knock... Your next consultation is here!

A Message from the Editor...

By Sean Hill

It is tradition to make New Years Resolutions at the beginning of every year. I don't normally partake in such activities, but in 2015, it is time to make one, it's called "Knock, Knock... see you at the next meeting"!

At least 3 times per week (every week), the chairman gets a knock on the door or a phone call from a resident that either doesn't support the Residents Association or you only see them when they want something. The chairman is very different to a lot of people and he will always go out of his way to help someone, and this is taken advantage off far too often. This WILL STOP from January!

The Residents Association was set-up over 20 years ago to help people with their community issues and problems.

There are quite a number of Residents that think the Chairman is a Councillor, I have even heard people call him an MP and the Mayor in the past? To which, he has never been any! If you have a problem, help us to help you. Support the Association, before it is lost.

The chairman will help you and assist you in anyway but he is not your P.A

If you have a problem, see you at the next meeting on Monday 02 February 2015



East Ward Councillors

Mike Connolly, Trevor Holt & Stella Smith

Would like to take this opportunity to wish all the Residents in Pimhole

A Happy Christmas and a good year throughout 2015



COMING IN JANUARY 2015

PIMHOLE goes Online!

It was decided at our meeting in December that we would get a website for the Residents Association. This is an excellent opportunity for our community, an online portal of Information for all Residents.

Some of the Website Features will include:

- Community News – including minutes/updates from meetings
- Pimhole Pride – All the past, present and future Newsletters and info sheets can be downloaded from here
- On the Beat – Updates and News from the Police and PCSO's
- My Pimhole – News and Info from the different council sectors that impact Pimhole
- Pimhole Forum – A place for a discussion
- Places of Interest – Park and Pimhole Farm etc
- Pimhole Businesses – shops and businesses in Pimhole
- Other Features include, Submit Questions Form, Games & Fun, Special Offers & more



The website is being built by the editor of this Newsletter and the creator of the below websites

- Bury Advertiser – www.buryadvertiser.org
- Bury Business Directory – www.burybusinessdirectory.co.uk and the latest edition to the family....
- Buy and Sell England – www.buyandsellengland.co.uk

It Happened in December...

1. The world's first full-length colour cartoon film was premiered by Walt Disney on 21st December 1937 – what was it?
2. The Brandenburg Gate was reopened on 22nd December 1989 – in which German city?
3. On 23rd December 1956, the Suez Crisis ended as British and French forces withdrew from which country?
4. Complete this verse from Clement Moore's The Night Before Christmas – "Twas the night before Christmas, when all through the house, not a creature was stirring..."
5. In which year did Queen Elizabeth II make the first Christmas broadcast of her reign?
6. On Boxing Day 1941, who was the first British prime minister to address U.S. Congress when he spoke on the subject of World War II?
7. On 27th December 1977, thousands flocked to the cinema to watch which long-awaited blockbuster sci-fi film?
8. Which Scottish outlaw died on 28th December 1734?
9. Which politician followed in the footsteps of his mother when he became prime minister of India on 29th December 1984?
10. 100 were made redundant from the UK's coalmines on 30th December 1986 and replaced with electronic detectors – who, or what lost their jobs?

Christmas TV Specials



1. Only Fools and Horses 2. The Vicar of Dibley 3. The Two Ronnies 4. Doctor Who 5. Morecambe and Wise 6. Merry Christmas Mr Bean

1. Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs 2. Berlin
 3. Egypt 4. "Not even a mouse" 5. 1952
 6. Winston Churchill 7. Star Wars 8. Rob Roy
 9. Rajiv Gandhi 10. Canaries

ANSWERS

Next Residents Meeting

Monday 02 February 2015

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| <i>Police Meeting</i> | 19:00hrs |
| <i>Residents Meeting</i> | 20:00hrs |

All Meetings Held at the: Ukrainian Social Club, Openshaw Street, Pimhole