

Wymondham Young Farmers Newsletter

Spring 2012



Pantomime Time

Oh no it isn't...

Wednesday 18th January to Saturday 21 January saw Wymondham Young Farmers perform their production of Jack and the Beanstalk. This year the club was back under the production team of Solly and Fiona Mansfield. The show was filled with both true veterans and some new faces.

The crowd enjoyed the chanting of all of the classic lines including 'It's behind you', and even the classic Young Farmers chant of 'It's a Panda!!' was heard a couple of times.

Wednesday night was filled with supporters from many of the other Young Farmers clubs, however due to popular demand we had Harleston YFC coming along on Thursday night and Reepham YFC on Friday.

A massive well done and thank you to everyone who took part and helped out on

stage, backstage, with music, lighting and front of house. The list does go on further. We thank everyone who played their part, as the show would not have been as successful without the support you gave.

Big thank you to Moira and Lewis Harrison for hosting the pantomime party, but as we all know 'What happens at Pantomime Party, stays at Pantomime Party'.

All the hard work prior to the pantomime has paid off and we look forward to presenting a cheque to this year's charity at the Annual Dinner Dance on Saturday 3rd March at Barnham Broom.



Sports Report

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The club has been competing in the Hockey League. This year the competition has been slightly different with the fact that clubs have only played each other once.

The club has played everyone once so far and with some good goals and some good saves from both Lucy in goal and Craig, who will not let her forget that he did a goal-line save to ensure a win against Harleston.

In the next few weeks, we will be competing in a few sports competitions, including Bowling, Mixed Netball, Boys Rugby and Girls Badminton.

It will not be long before the club starts training yet again for Tug of War.

Club news

Our annual club Fireworks display took place on the 7th November. We had many members, some advisory members and even a couple of our Countrysiders came along. A big thank you to Brian Clark for again letting us have our bonfire on his field.

The club attended a very fun County 'Around the World' theme social on the 12th November. The club was given the country of India and with thanks to Nicky Pearce all the ladies had their saris on and really got into the spirit of things.



Our ever popular Winter Wonderland Social was again put on, this time at the brand new venue of Mudwalls Farm. The night was extremely successful with Young Farmers as far away as Stowmarket coming. A big thank you to everyone who

took the time to help out with the setting up, putting the carpets down to protect the floors or even helping with the clear up that did start at 1am and continued with some people going back to the venue at 10am to clear up.



The club held the annual Christmas meal at The Stag in Attleborough and with over 30 members attending a lovely time was had by all.

On the 23rd January, members headed down to The Feathers for a well-earned drink. It was nice for everyone to relax and enjoy each other's company.

On the 28th January, 11 members headed to Bawburgh Golf Club and attended North Elmham's Dinner Dance. This was a very entertaining night and the chocolate dessert option was especially enjoyed by Bungle who managed to consume five desserts as not everyone could manage theirs!

On the 30th January, the club enjoyed a really interesting meeting on lambing at Sycamore Farm in Hingham. Members were even lucky enough to have a talk from Chris the vet. We all learnt that 'lube and gloves are the most important things to have when lambing a ewe'. The club even got to see a ewe go into labour, unfortunately we did not see her actually give birth. With plans to go back to do some stock judging in the Summer months we may get to find out exactly how many lambs she had.

On the 6th February, members took a trip to see the film Warhorse at the cinema. Members had a lovely time and a few tears were shed, we all know you were crying Stephanie!!!

There are many exciting meetings coming up with an amazing spring programme produced by Harry Stowell with the help of Craig Kay.

If there is anything you would like to see in the next newsletter please email me at lstowell7@gmail.com