



PERSONNEL

We would like to welcome to the chair Dorothy Leng, who has been with WHPARA for the last year or so as treasurer. She replaces Gloria Chandra, who stood down at the AGM after three years of dedicated service. Gloria will continue to serve on the committee,

and Heather Eggins will be our new treasurer. Other posts remain the same - see contacts below. We're still looking for four new committee members, so if you're interested please get in touch.



NATURE WATCH

The swifts are back, and Heather Eggins, who has been keeping a diary of bird visitors to her garden, is getting together with Tony Wylam to coordinate a

nature watch group for WHPARA members. If you are interested, would like to participate or have any news or information, please contact Heather at nature@whpara.org.uk.



BOOK AND FILM CLUBS

One of the many suggestions made at the recent AGM was for book and film clubs. The idea is being taken forward by Dorothy Leng and Efreem Craig,

who would be glad to hear from anyone who is interested or has any suggestions. They can be contacted at clubs@whpara.org.uk.

BARN DANCE

WHPARA is celebrating the Jubilee bank holiday by hosting a barn dance at St. Andrew's Church. The date is Monday June 4th and it kicks off at 7pm. Folk band The Northern Celts will provide the music and there will be wine and other refreshments available. Admission is free, but donations are always welcome.



EXCHANGE FORUM

The exchange pages on our website are still there, but few people are using the service. There must be lots of you in the area with unwanted items you want to get rid of, or perhaps items you're looking for. So go through all that old junk and unwanted gifts and visit the website at:

www.whpara.org.uk/Exchange_Offered.html.



JUBILEE WEEKEND

Celebrate the Jubilee weekend at one or more local street parties:

Whitehall Park on 2nd June in the afternoon and Harberton Road and Gresley Road on the 4th, also in the afternoon. You could always bring an offering of food and/or drink if you're planning to join in.



Thanks to everyone who has supported us and helped out in our endeavours. If you have any ideas for events or activities or any news items you would like to share, please contact us at info@whpara.org.uk. The website contains lots of local information and news, so do have a look at it if you can. You will find us at:

www.whpara.org.uk.

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