

The CPCA "100" Club

New members are still required for the 100 Club. It is £1 per month, collected yearly or quarterly in advance. The draws take place at the general meetings. For more information please contact the Chairman or Secretary. The money raised goes to supporting local charities and the Association.

The 100 Club draw winners were:

November -

Mr Barden, Mr Vincent, Mrs Good

December -

Mr Hudson, Mr Dangerfield,
Mr Mitchell

Members Christmas Draw.

The following membership Nos. were successful in the Christmas Draw:

C3, C41, C130, C166, K10, K48, O7. and P139 Each received a food voucher.

Christmas Donations

**A donation of £30 each was made to:
Busy Bees and Rainbows,
as part of our support of
local youth groups.**

Useful Contact Numbers

Police (Non-Urgent): 01473-383351

Councillors Telephone Numbers:

Mike Ninnmey:

01394-277658 (Town & District Councillor)

Harry Dangerfield:

01394-282713 (Town & District Councillor)

Dot Paddick:

01394-286134 (Town & District Councillor)

Dave Cawdron:

01394-274736 (Town Councillor)

Graham Newman (County Councillor): 01394-670316

Ann Rodwell (County Councillor) 01394-275930 (This years Mayor)

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I would like to welcome Pat Boyer to the committee. New committee members are always very welcome.

CAVENDISH PARK COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION

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Strengthening the Community

Welcome to the 7th edition of the Cavendish Park Community Association Newsletter.

Firstly, at this time of year the Committee would like to wish all you a **Happy New Year**. If you are not a member yet, then why not join? For just £2.00 per household per year you can be kept informed about the issues affecting your area, and raise your own concerns to the committee who are here to champion your causes for our community. If you are interested in joining please contact one of the committee members named on the back of this newsletter. Help us to effectively represent you!

If you would like to have anything included in future editions of the newsletter please contact a member of the committee.

Due to the cost of producing this newsletter future circulation will be to members only; sorry but we have to keep costs under control.

As we move into our third year I think it is worthwhile taking stock of our achievements to date. From having no members in 2004 we have approximately 200 at present. This is quite good but as we have about 800 houses in our catchments area we still have a lot to do.

We do need your support, and your input/ideas, if we are to be successful; so why not make it your New Years resolution to help to provide a community everyone, young and old, can be proud of?

It's no good sitting by the fire complaining about the state of the area, join us and make a difference.



Jackie's Coffee Shop

Has recently been opened and is located next door to Morrisons. Simple home cooked meals plus home baked sponges are our speciality. At fair prices.

Everyone welcome.

Telephone 07973-468993

Projects

The following projects are in the pipeline.

More lights on the playing field: In co-operation with our County Councillor Graham Newman we have been able to get a commitment from the C.C to provide more lights on Cavendish Park playing field. Originally we asked for 4 but at the time the County Council only had enough money for 2. Now a further 2 will be provided, thus making it much safer.

Widening of Footpath: The footpath leading from the rear entrance of Grange C.P. School to Cavendish Park is somewhat narrower than the rest of the path. As a result there is inevitable congestion at school times between push chairs, cyclists and pedestrians. This sometimes means children walking in muddy pools. This is still ongoing, but we do have a commitment from the County Council to do it as soon as possible.

Speeding along Wesel Avenue.

The police report that they have done checks and there is no speeding on Wesel Avenue. Please let a committee member know if you have any evidence of speeding we can present to the police.

Firs Residential Home

6 Volunteers were provided for The Firs Christmas party. Entertainment and plenty of Xmas fayre. Everyone had a great time.

Children from Grange C.P. School sang for the residents as part of the schools efforts to become involved with the wider community.

Dates for your Diary in 2007

**General Meeting –
2nd April 2007
7-30pm at Cavendish Church**

**A.G.M -
17th September 2007
7-30pm at Cavendish Church**

School Sports Trophy – TBA

Community Prize –9th July

**Summer Fete'- 14th July
At The Firs, 186 Grange Road.
2pm to 4pm**

Grange C.P. School Prize

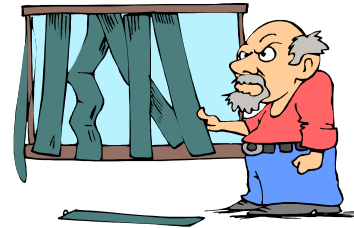
We will be running the Community Prize Competition for the children again in July. Once again there will be a gift token for the winner and a certificate for all who enter. We had 7 entries last year and would encourage everyone to nominate a pupil of the school.

For the second year the Association will be presenting a team trophy - **TEAM SPIRIT** - at the sports day. This also is an annual presentation. We hope that these awards will encourage the children to think of their community and work with others in a positive way.

The school has become part of the Felixstowe Youth Forum and its representatives – who are young pupils

of the school - will be attending regular meetings of the forum.

Abacus Blinds



Want a professional job done?

Are you considering buying new Blinds for your home? Why not discuss your requirements with Lyn or Rob Boreham of **Abacus Blinds.**
**41 Chelsworth Road - Telephone
Felixstowe 272447.**

Annual General Meeting

The A.G.M was held on 17 October 2006.

Once again the weather was not in our favour but we had a good turnout. Thanks to all of you who made the effort.

The speakers were, the local Police Community Support Officer - Steve Butcher, Ward Councillors for Town and District council – Dot Paddick, Harry Dangerfield and Mike Ninnmey, apologies were given by County Councillor - Graham Newman.

PCSO Steve Butcher updated us on the current state of policing in Felixstowe, we should have more PCSO by

February 2007 but funding has yet to be provided.

**Updates on council business were given by:
Dot Paddick, Harry Dangerfield
and Mike Ninnmey**

The Chairman – Barry Farr - then gave his yearly report; successes being another bus shelter at Melford Way end of Wesel Avenue and commitments to further improvements to the area by the County Councillor.

Other Business

The meeting decided upon an amendment to the constitution. In future there will be 2 general meetings per year, a General Meeting in April and the A.G.M in September. It is hope that at these times of the year the weather will be more conducive and with lighter nights more people will attend.

The FUN part of the evening.

After the Association's business had been concluded we moved on to the social part of the evening.

Everyone enjoyed the fun quiz; which was based on 5 questions from each of the last 4 decades starting at the 60s. Tea, coffee and squash were available plus two magnificent cakes.

Our thanks go to Dot Paddick for providing her wonderful mince pies.