

TRIANGLE NEWS

Autumn 2009

The newsletter of Liss Community Association serving the village and surrounding area of the Triangle Centre



The bench presented by the Triangle Coffee Bar and the Liss Lunch Club in memory of Gordon Noble who was Treasurer of

both. In the picture from left to right - Margaret Dunse Secretary of the Triangle Coffee Bar, Ann Noble and Pat Gaskell of the Liss Luncheon Club.

80°s Disco

Volunteer wanted

Would you like to be part of our friendly office team, helping the local community and users of the Triangle?

One morning a week (0900-1230) in the office.

Duties include photocopying, taking phone calls, assisting callers with enquiries, and miscellaneous office duties - training given

Please enquire in the office



Bryant Bros, greengrocers, who come to the Triangle every Thursday morning 8.30am - 1.30pm, either outside or inside the Annexe depending on the weather.

8.00 pm/ill midnight

80s dress optional

prizes for the most authentic/stylish/silliest!

Tickets £7.50 from the Triangle Centre, Mill Road, Liss. 01730 301000

info@liss-triangle-centre.org.uk

Triangle Cinema Nights



Sat 12 Sept The Young Victoria PG
Sat 17 Oct Last Chance Harvey 12A
Sat 14 Nov Angels and Demons 12A
Sat 12 Dec Cheri 15

£5 per ticket. All performances start at 7.30 pm.

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A Message from the Manager...

I'd like to start with a warm welcome to our new Office Manager, Jan Angell, who joined the Triangle in July. She has quickly settled into her role, taking over the administration of the bookings and invoicing and general day-to-day management of the office team. We are delighted to have her on board as we start the busy Autumn Term.

Secondly, a BIG Thank You to everyone who supported the Triangle in our first team entry for the LiDBA Sponsored Bike Ride in June. We had a fantastic team of 12 riders who all completed the 25 mile course and, with the support of their many sponsors, have raised a staggering £1,618.91. This money is being used to help fund the improvements to the back courtyard area which is regularly used by our pre-school and after school clubs.

This Autumn Term also promises to be an exciting one with a number of new projects and events planned...we are now running the Triangle Film Nights independently using our own projection equipment and screen. Our first feature is the fabulous "Young Victoria" on Saturday 12th September and tickets are available now from the office.

To find out more about what's going on every week in the Triangle come and collect a copy of our Autumn Programme. This lists all the regular classes, meetings and activities, plus useful contact numbers.

Vanessa



Left to right: Chayley Wraith, Dave Trevena, Gordon Dunse, Chris Coombes who were amongst the riders in the LiDBA Bike Ride on 7th June who raised money for the Triangle.

Family Celebrations And Wedding Receptions At the Triangle Centre

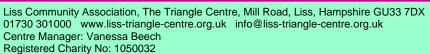
Are you looking for somewhere to hold a family celebration for a special Wedding Anniversary or perhaps a Christening Party?

Are you planning your Wedding and looking for somewhere to hold the Reception? Please contact the office for details.

Grandma's thrift presses the right buttons today!

Did you know that there is a **BUTTON BOX** at the Triangle? It lives in the cupboard in the wall in the coffee bar and contains a large number of buttons of all sizes sorted by colour and collected into sets. There are also a few zips, buckles and other fastenings. If you find something useful, donations of a few pence paid in at the office will be much appreciated and everyone benefits from this simple exercise in recycling. If you have any unwanted buttons to add to the box please leave them in a plastic bag tied securely so they don't end up loose in the box.







A Letter from the new Chairman

Hello! I am introducing myself as the new Chairman of the Triangle Trustees. Many of you will know me already, as I am often around the building, leading the Walking To Health walks, serving coffee or generally helping out at events.

For many years I have lived and worked in Liss and my 4 children went to school here. There has always been a great community spirit in this village and I am looking forward to a challenging year ahead doing my bit to help and enhance the facilities and activities in this fabulous centre.

There is a vast range of ways in which you too can become involved. If you can offer some time and talent or become a friend, you will find a team here who will welcome you with open arms.



Charmian receives a cheque for £3,000 for the Triangle from Ron Chisholm, Treasurer of the Triangle Coffee Bar at the AGM earlier this year.

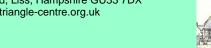
Charmian Porton



To encourage accessibility, only a small charge of £1.00 per family per session is made to cover the cost of refreshments for parents, biscuits and fruit for the children, as well as paint, glue and other craft materials. We are a non-profit organisation; we are financially supported by individual donors, local authority grants and monthly gifts from a local church. Anyone is welcome to drop in - come and play and enjoy a coffee or tea and a chat with others! New term begins: Friday 4th September 2009 Contact: Karen Lowe 01420 472 637

Open Door is a Parent/Carer and Toddler group which has been running on Friday mornings during term time at the Triangle Centre for nearly 12 years. The group is run by a team of Mum's from the local and surrounding area and is open to all families with children of a preschool age. We aim to provide friendship and support to parents and carers, as well as a stimulating and safe play environment for babies and young children. The group is run and managed each week by a team of three women and we have two volunteers who come in biweekly to run a storytelling and music session





Forthcoming Events

Over the next six months we have on offer a diverse programme of fundraising events designed to appeal to young and old alike

If you would like to participate /buy tickets for any of these events please contact the office on 01730 301000 or e-mail: info@liss-triangle-centre.org.uk

Saturday Morning Markets

19th September/ 17th October/ 21st November

Bookings are now being taken from interested stallholders

80s Disco Saturday 3rd October 8pm - midnight

An event requested by the attendees at our very successful Mamma Mia film showing. Dancing to Sea -Sounds/ Licensed Bar/ chips from 10pm!

Tickets £7.50 Book early to avoid disappointment.

The annual <u>Art Exhibition</u> will take place from Tuesday 27th October to Sunday 1st November. If you would like to show your work but have not received an invitation please contact Clive Seymour on 01730 892696.

e-mail seymourliss@tiscali.co.uk

Viewing times: Wed - Sat: 9.30am - 5.00pm, Sun :9.30am - 12.30 pm

Bridge Tea

Back by popular demand – our next Bridge Tea is scheduled for **Thursday 17th November** at 2pm Tickets £7.50 - £30 per table – early booking is advisable.

An exciting new event for 2009 – <u>Sing for your Supper</u> will be held on **Saturday 5th December** at The Barn House, Greatham by kind permission of David and Wendy Self.

This is the perfect pre-Christmas party with an opportunity to exercise your lungs!

Ticket price - tba - to include a welcome drink and a 3 course Supper.

Christmas Village Fair

Organised by the Liss Parish Council in partnership with the Community Association, the Village Fair will take place this year on **Wednesday 9th December** between 6.00 – 8.00pm.

As usual the road through the village will be closed, there will be stalls and music in the streets, the Community Centre will offer excellent opportunities to buy your Christmas presents, music, mulled wine and other refreshments and the majority of shops in the village will remain open for the event. See details above re booking a stall in the Triangle for this event.

Do YOU have talent?



We invite you to take part in our Community 'Spring Review' to be held at the Triangle in February 2010.

Can youDance, Sing, Act, Juggle, Play a musical instrument Or are you in a band??



If so we would love to hear from you....all ages and talents welcome

Contact our Producer, Ruth Hiller on 01730 83422



