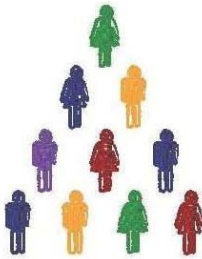


# TRIANGLE NEWS

Winter 2010



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



## Chapplins of Liss to Support Triangle Film Nights

Chapplins of Liss, the new village estate agents, are delighted to be sponsoring the Triangle Film Nights for 2011. William Newell, the owner commented, "We have received a really warm welcome to the village. One of the reasons we opted to open our office here was because of the great community atmosphere that exists and we are keen to be considered a part of that and to give our support where we can".

The monthly Triangle Film Nights are a popular night out for many Liss residents who find it difficult to travel to Guildford or Portsmouth to see a film and who enjoy meeting up with friends on a Saturday night. Vanessa Beech, Triangle Manager added, "We are becoming increasingly reliant on local businesses to help support the

Triangle and we are delighted that Chapplins has offered to get involved so quickly after opening in the village".

Chapplins is very much a family business and William is assisted by his daughter Anna, who is a bit of a film buff herself, so you could well meet her on the film nights.

## Liss Calendar Reaches Western Australia!

Sales of our Liss 2011 calendar are going well, and some have now travelled half-way round the world! Calendars have been sent to friends and relatives in Western Australia, South Africa, Greece and Armenia but we still have plenty left – so please call in and buy yours soon! They are available from the Triangle office, Vista Vision and will soon be on sale in the new village estate agents, Chapplins. The calendars cost just £5.00 and for every one sold the full £5.00 goes to Liss Community Association to support the running costs of the Triangle. So don't delay ....buy yours today!!

## Liss Has Talent

We are planning to repeat our popular Review Show: **Liss Has Talent** which took place earlier this year. If you want to be on the stage next February then we want to hear from you! A host of talent was discovered in our first show including poets, singers, dance groups and more! Next year we hope to uncover even more talent... **Can you...dance, sing, act, juggle, play a musical instrument, or are you in a band? Are you a stilt walker, or a budding magician? Can you write poetry, or are you an acrobat? Do you have another marvellous talent you'd like to show off?** Whatever your talent and whatever your age we want to hear from you! Liss Has Talent will be an opportunity to showcase the wealth of talent we have in Liss and the surrounding villages and all ages and abilities are welcome. Call our producer Ruth Hiller on **01730 893422** or email **lidavies@btinternet.com** to register your particular talent and start rehearsing now!

Sunday 9th January 2011  
at 3.00pm  
£7.50 Adults  
£5.00 Children

Written & Directed by Mary Swan  
Devised by The Company  
Designed by Sam Pine  
Music by Paul Wild

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## A Message from the Manager...

Over the half-term break we replaced the poor lighting in our upstairs meeting room with modern fluorescent tubes – a huge improvement that will be much appreciated by our embroiderers and language students who are regular users of that room. Next on our list is to replace the wooden gates that give access to the courtyard area and it is hoped this work will be completed by Christmas.



Thank you to everyone who has registered their interest in computer classes at the Triangle. If you haven't yet signed-up please call into the office, or use the sign-up sheet in the Triangle foyer. I hope to submit our grant application for new laptops by the end of November and if it is successful we could be running our first courses in Spring 2011.

Finally please note that the Triangle office will close at 12.30pm on Friday 24<sup>th</sup> December and will re-open on Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> January at 9am. The Coffee Bar will be open as usual **except** Christmas Day, Boxing Day, New Year's Day and the Bank Holiday, Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> January.

With best wishes for the festive season,

*Vanessa*

## 2011 Triangle Film Nights

### Jan 8th – From Time to Time (PG)

Written and Directed by Julian Fellowes, a period adventure set in the winter of 1944-5 starring Dame Maggie Smith, Pauline Collins and Hugh Bonneville.

### Feb 12th Made in Dagenham(15)

A British film from the team that thought up Calendar Girls, about the 1968 strike at Ford for equal pay for women workers. Starring Miranda Richardson, Bob Hoskins, Geraldine James and Sally Hawkins who is one to watch in the upcoming award season.

### March 12th The Kings Speech (12A)

Historical Drama telling the story of King George VI's struggle to master his stammer. Already being tipped strongly for Oscar success!! Starring Colin Firth, Helena Bonham Carter and Geoffrey Rush.

### April 9th Red (12A)

Helen Mirren, Bruce Willis, Morgan Freeman and John Malkovich star in this action thriller which follows four retired extremely dangerous CIA agents who get together for one last bout of explosions chases and assorted fun.



**Plans for the future** - we would like to thank everyone for their comments on our plans for the future which were on display at the last Indoor Market and also for the duration of the Arts Exhibition.

## LiBDA BIKE RIDE



Well done to our team of top cyclists who completed the LiBDA bike ride earlier this year. They managed to raise a fantastic £1,165.65 for the Triangle - our thanks to the cyclists and their many sponsors.

We hope to use the money raised to replace some of the IT equipment in the office.





## Goodbye and Good Luck Jan!

At the end of December we will be saying a fond farewell to Jan Angell, our Office Manager. Jan has been with us since July 2009 and has been a key member of the office team, managing all the room bookings, organising the cleaning and caretaking and supporting our many volunteers. Jan has also been in charge of the monthly Indoor Markets, building up the number of stall-holders and taking a regular spot herself to sell her excellent hand-made cards. Jan's replacement will be appointed soon and we hope that our new Office Manager will be able to work alongside Jan before she leaves, to ensure a smooth hand-over of responsibility.

So all that remains is to say thank you to Jan for all her hard work and best of luck in her new home in Swanmore - it's just a shame she couldn't find what she wanted in Liss!

## LISS ARTS EXHIBITION



As well as paintings the exhibition featured work by local photographers, sculptors, potters and textile workers

This annual exhibition was organised by a new team of volunteers. Under the chairmanship of Linda Li Davies, the new committee worked hard to make sure that this year the exhibition maintained its very high standards.

The winning picture, voted for by all the visitors, was number 201 - *Winter Feed, West Liss* by Gordon Rushmer and the winning voter was Mrs Valerie Payne.



Christmas Fair

Wednesday, 8th December

6.00pm-8.00pm



Including carols with the Liss Band and Choir, craft stalls at the Triangle with more stalls in Station Road for your refreshment needs and fundraising.

Father Christmas can be visited in his grotto at the Whistle Top, Funfair Roundabouts, Model Railway at the Village Hall, street entertainment and much, much more

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## Forthcoming Events at the Triangle

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

**Wednesday, 8th December: 6.00pm - 8.00pm**  
**Christmas Fair 2010**

**Saturday, 8th January; 7.30pm**  
**Cinema - From Time to Time (PG)**

**Sunday, 9th January - Doors open 3.00pm**  
**The Little Mermaid**

**Saturday, 12th February**  
**Craft Market: 9.00am**  
**Cinema - Made in Dagenham(15): 7.30pm**

**Friday, 25th February and Saturday, 26th February 2011**  
**7.30pm**  
**Liss Has Talent - our very popular review**

**Saturday, 12th March: 7.30pm**  
**Cinema - The Kings Speech (12A)**

**Saturday, 19th March**  
**Craft Market: 9.00 am**  
**Quiz evening -Tickets available early January**

**Saturday, 9th April: 7.30pm**  
**Cinema - Red (12A)**

**Saturday, 16th April**  
**Craft Market: 9.00am**



## 2011 Indoor Markets

The craft markets will be continuing next year with the first market taking place in February. We are now taking bookings, so contact the office for more details and a booking form. Dates for Spring 2011 are:

Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> February  
Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> March  
Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> April

## Bridge Tea

**A big thank you** to everyone for their help with the Bridge Tea which we are delighted to say raised just under £600 for the Triangle.

Very special thanks to Liss Bridge Club for the loan of all the equipment and to all the ladies who made those wonderful cakes and sandwiches.

Don't forget to book early for the next bridge tea as this time we actually had a waiting list.

## Clubs and Societies

Call into the Triangle Office for more information

### For Young Children & Mothers

Baby Clinic  
Triangles Pre-School  
Open Door  
National Childbirth Trust

### For Young People

Triangle After School Club  
Woodcraft Folk  
Power-Zone Youth Club  
Boppins Dance Group

### For Leisure & Learning

Archaeology Group  
Bridge  
Film Evenings  
Art & Painting Classes  
Language Classes  
Knitting Group  
Embroidery & Textiles  
Self Sufficiency  
Horticultural Society  
Investment Club  
Liss Ladies  
The Historical Society  
Genealogy  
Arts & Crafts

### For Health & Well Being

Walking to Health  
Liss Runners  
Yoga  
Aromatherapy Massage  
Weight Watchers  
Holistic Network

### For Spiritual Well-Being

Hope Church

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