



South Heighton Village Hall Management Committee

SOUTH HEIGHTON BONFIRE SOCIETY NEWS JANUARY/FEBRUARY/MARCH 2017

SEASON'S GREETINGS!

We hope all our members have a merry Christmas, we wish you a happy new year and look forward to seeing you again in 2017.

2016 SEASON

We won a couple of prizes during the 2016 season, namely:

Uckfield

Best Dressed Banner Carrier (Kai Fletcher)

Hailsham

Best Male Costume (Jeff Southgate)

Congratulations you two!

FUND RAISING

Jumble sale

Saturday 28 January, 10am at the village hall (helpers from 9am). All good jumble gratefully received so if you are having a post-Christmas clear out, please send it in our direction. For collection call 07776 341751 or drop off at the village hall on Friday 5 February when we will be sorting the jumble from 6.30pm – help also needed for that task please!

Also if anyone could bring along cakes or cookies they sell well.

Next quiz

Wednesday 16 March at the Hampden Arms. The next one after that is Wednesday 20 June, then Wednesday 20 September. **If anyone would like to volunteer to set the questions for the March or September dates please let us know.**

Fetes

We already have two **fete dates** in the diary: Southover May Fayre 20 May, Denton Community Challenge 10 June.

We need volunteers for all our fund raising events so PLEASE help if you can.

SHBS MEETINGS

Our next few meetings are 9 January, 13 February and 13 March, all 8pm at the Hampden Arms. Not that much to discuss at this time of year but it's nice to catch up out of season.

2016 FACTS AND FIGURES

We currently have 155 adult members and 58 junior members on our books.

Fetes made around £600 this year, jumble sales made around £850, and membership currently stands just short of around £1,600.

Overall the whole years fund raising (this includes the above, all other fund raising and our night) and expenses gave us a profit of around £1400 – much down on previous years but mainly due to the weather on our night.

The Tinseltastic Christmas quiz raised over £275 – a great start for the 2017 season fund raising!

OUT OF SEASON GET TOGETHER

We are thinking about holding another get-together-out-of-season meal at the Hampden Arms on Saturday 22 April – please let us know if you are interested in that.

Really not much more to report at this time of year so here is one of our periodical random tests to see who actually reads the newsletter ☺

SHBS NEWSLETTER RIDDLE #3

**I travel all over the world, but
always stay in my corner.**

What am I?

Prizes* awarded to anyone who emails bonfire@southheighton.org with the answer ☺

* Only joking about the prizes!

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