



Saughtonhall Community Association

Happy New Year...

from the Saughtonhall Community Association

The Association's first organised event for 2006, the Burns Night on 28 January, was a great success.

There was real cock-a-leekie soup, the Chieftan o' the Puddin'-race, neeps and tatties, crannachan and shortbread, polished off with cheese, biscuits and port (rather a lot of port!). We even managed a bit of home-made Scottish tablet after all that.

How anybody managed to dance, I don't know, but we managed a jig or two. Each course was interspersed with poetry or some funny speech or story.

There was a great turn out, with the young, medium and 'elderly' all eager to join in.

We were especially pleased to welcome visitors from a bit further afield, some residents from the Leonard Cheshire Foundation, together with their carers.

Everyone seemed to enjoy the night, it was a real laugh and we're sure the Bard would have approved.

Special thanks to Gail and Mike Mullard for helping to organise the night, and to our local butcher, John Brash, and our local greengrocer, Alan Mitchell, for their continued support in supplying the fine fayre for our Burns Suppers. Lastly, but not leastly, thanks to the Association Members who pitched in to help - that was some dish wash!

Regular activities at the Rec

Regular activities are up and running again for senior citizens, parents and toddlers group, etc. Don't forget, the Association's hall, at 22a Saughtonhall Avenue, can be hired out for activities and events (discounts for members). It has a hall, kitchen and toilets and a pavillion looking out onto the recreation ground. Contact - Muriel Ross on 476 2390 or visit our website at:

www.saughtonhall.org.uk

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SCA Race Night

at the Riversdale Suite, Murrayfield Ice Rink

Friday 3 March

7pm for 7.30pm

Just £5 entry includes buffet and disco. There's also a bar.

A chance for a great night out with your friends and to win lots of money, perhaps! Buy a horse for £3. For tickets contact Pat Charlton on 337 7570 - be quick, only 100 available.

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(Please detach this cut-off slip and attach it to your bag for collection)

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Grand Spring Jumble Sale

Saturday 18th March 2006

10am to 12 noon (Entry 50p)

Please put any items for sale in the bag and leave it on your doorstep with this cut-off slip attached or take it round to the Rec Hall, at 22a Saughtonhall Avenue, on Friday 17th March, 6-8pm. Alternatively, phone Brian Carson on 337 4667 to collect. Thankyou.