



## GREENWICH & DISTRICT LOCAL COMMITTEE

### SUMMER NEWSLETTER

It was a beautiful day for the plant sale on Sunday the 10th, weren't we lucky with the weather! A huge thank you to everyone who came, brought and bought plants, and to those who during the week before left plants in our front garden, we had an amazing selection of lovely plants this year and raised an astonishing £1270.07. The surplus were sold in Passey Place, Eltham High Street on Friday, raising an additional £222. With the odd sales in between our grand total is £1540.

Those left will go to rejuvenate the garden at the Carlton Centre in Sidcup and also to help fill the new garden being created at the Greenwich & Bexley Hospice. Again thank you for your support.

### A Personal Invitation from Richard & Owen Wurlitzer Showcase & Concert, Tuesday 17th July, 2-4pm Addington Road, West Wickham

There are only a **few tickets left** so please contact me if you would like to come and I will send full details. The venue is on the 314 and 353 bus routes, there is also a car park close by.

This is a rare chance to view a wonderful private collection of Wurlitzers and Cinema Organs and listen to a recital - a truly uplifting sound.

**£10 a ticket, includes tea and biscuits. Ring Lesley: 020 8850 5901.**

Message from Richard and Owen:-

"We will be playing both the Aeolian Pipe Organ and the Wurlitzer Cinema Organ on the 17th. The Aeolian organ will feature overtures and light orchestral pieces and we will be playing popular, period pieces and novelty numbers on the Wurlitzer, including music by Ivor Novello and Leroy Anderson.

The Aeolian Pipe Organ came from Ardross Castle, Ross-shire where it was installed in 1910 for Mr Dyson Perrins of Lea & Perrins Worcester Sauce fame. The Wurlitzer was originally installed in the Ritz Cinema, Barnsley in 1937. It was removed from the cinema in 1968 and languished, in pieces, in a bungalow in Leigh-on-Sea until the death of its owner in 2002. We bought it from his widow and it took 10 years to rebuild it. Finding a suitable property with enough space to build a suitable music studio took over two years."

### And to look forward to .....

**I'll Remember, Sunday 24th June, 2.30 and 7.00pm, Bob Hope Theatre, Wythfield Road, Eltham SE9 5TG.** A concert in aid of Cancer Research UK on behalf of the Sidcup Ladies Luncheon Club. Tickets £10 from the Bob Hope Theatre.

**Quiz and Carvery, Wednesday 3rd October, 6-10.30pm, White Hart, Eltham.** £10 which includes a carvery meal.

**Quiz at St Thomas More, Friday 9th November, 7.30-10.30pm** Our regular quiz. £6 pp, teams 6-8.

**Magic Show with 2 course supper, Saturday 1st December, 6.30-10pm, Carlton Centre, Sidcup.** Bexley Magic Society will again delight and amaze us with close up magic before and during the meal, followed by an hour's show after supper. £22.50pp

Tickets for all events from Lesley 020 8850 5901 or [info@cancerresearchuk-greenwich.co.uk](mailto:info@cancerresearchuk-greenwich.co.uk)

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