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### PARISH CHURCH

Holy Communion with hymns every Sunday, including Easter Day 3rd April at 9.30 am. Good Friday, 1st April, Devotional Service at 10 am.

We are most sorry that our Rector, William Burdon, will be retiring this October, but we are happy for him that he will be living with friends in Pembrokeshire. Following tradition in Scaldwell the Easter cash offering will be given to the Rector towards the expenses of his office. If you are unable to attend the Easter Service & wish to contribute please put your Contribution in an envelope marked "Rector" & place it in the church collection box or the letter box at "Cobblers Cottage", East End (cheques payable to Scaldwell P.C.C.) Thanks to Valerie Dove for her Colour & Beauty session. As well as the benefit to those attending £36 was raised for the Roof Restoration Fund.

### PARISH COUNCIL & PARISH COUNCIL ELECTIONS.

The time has come for Scaldwell to choose a new Parish Council.

Election Day will be THURSDAY 5th MAY. Everyone on the ELECTORAL REGISTER who is 18 yrs old or more by the 5th May 1988 may vote for up to 7 people to serve on the Parish Council for the next 4 years. You dont need to use all your 7 votes if you dont want to, but PLEASE VOTE. If you dont, its no good grumbling afterwards if you dont like what the Parish Council does on your behalf, or how it spends your money. If you will be away during voting hours on the 5th May- 8am to 9pm you can ask the Electoral Registration Officer at Daventry, Mr D. Rosier (Daventry 71100) for a form on which to apply for a postal vote.

Nomination papers are available now from Mrs. Liz Bragen at The Old School House in School Lane. You may stand ~~for~~ as a Parish Councillor if you are at least 21 years old, have lived in Scaldwell or within <sup>3 miles</sup> of it &/or have owned or rented land or premises here for 12 months or more before the nomination date. There are a few exceptions, such as people who are employed by the local authority — if you are in doubt, Liz can give you the details.

Anyone nominated must agree to stand, & needs two people on the Electoral Register as proposer & seconder. Nobody may act as proposer or seconder for more than 7 candidates. Present Parish Councillors may stand for re-election if they wish. Liz will take any completed nomination forms to Daventry after noon on 5th April, but some people may prefer to take their own. The latest time for receipt of nomination forms at Daventry is noon on 7th April. A list of those standing will be put up in the village by noon on 11th April, so there will be plenty of time to decide who to vote for!

DISTRICT COUNCIL. Mrs. Iris Bates comes to the end of her term of office this year, too, so electors will also have one vote for a District Councillor to represent our interests at Daventry. This election will be at the same time & in the same place as the Parish Council Elections.

ANNUAL PARISH MEETING will be held in the Village Hall on Monday 25th April at 8 pm. This is opportunity for all villagers to hear reports from all village organisations, to ask questions & to make suggestions.

PARISH RATE for 1988/89 has been fixed at 5.9 pence in the £ (4.7 pence in 1987/88) We had We had to increase our budget to £1850 mainly to cover increased charges for street lighting

& a substantial rise in the rent of the playing field. The District Council, by careful management, has managed to keep the District rate the same this year, but there will be a big increase in the County rate.

PLANNING Applications for planning permission to extend or build are coming in thick & fast recently. Two will be discussed on Thursday evening - details in the Village notice board.

HEAVY LORRIES Our M.P. Roger Freeman, has invited us to send representatives to a meeting in May to discuss this problem with him & representatives from Old, Lamport, & Walgrave.

SPRINKLER LICENCES The Water Authority are threatening to prosecute people who use sprinklers or free standing hoses without a licence - obtainable from Anglian Water. P.O. Box 46.

Spalding. LINC.S. PE11 1DB. Cost £20 per annum.

#### SCALDWELL SOCIETY.

Due to a heavy work load Mrs Angie Farmer has formally resigned as Secretary of the society, Angie has worked very hard while she held office & it is much appreciated. Mrs Sue Deery is now the elected secretary. The Talent Night was a huge success, thank you to all who took part, & in particular to Sue Egerton & Hillary Schrier for organising an enjoyable evening. On Friday 22nd April St George's Day<sup>even</sup>, the Society are holding a Medieval Banquet in the Village Hall. Tickets will be on sale from 1st April to the 15th April, obtainable from Sue Deery 4 School Lane & Dianne Underwood 8 East End, costing £10 each. On Sunday May 8th at 8pm a "Wine Tasting Evening" will be "tutored" by Felicity Sidders a well known wine merchant, in the Village Hall. Wines & cheese will be served after the Tasting of eight wines for Summer drinking. Maggie Angeloglou has the tickets, at a cost of £5 per person.

#### SCALDWELL CLUB.

Annual Subscriptions. 118 members have paid already, thanks to Mark Underwood, our Membership Secretary, who called at every house. Would anyone who was out & hasn't paid yet give the money to the bar staff during Club opening hours.

Indoor Bowling. The Club has bought a complete set of equipment for indoor short mat bowling a Sub Committee has been formed, Mrs Edie Deacon Ladies Captain, Charles Deacon Mens Captain

Rachel Wagg is Secretary & they tell me that "Bowling is in full swing". 30 people came to the first meeting on 24th March & everyone enjoyed it. Do come along & join us, however young or old you are. Membership costs £2 for a year, plus 50 pence per session. The next game is on 7th April at 8pm in the Village Hall.

Spring Golf Tournament. By popular demand, a golf day for villagers only has been arranged on Saturday 16th April. Tee-off at 2pm at Cold Ashby Golf Club, prize presentation afterwards, & an Evening meal in the Village Hall. Do come!! If you haven't played before, join us for the fresh air & friendship, & the good food. Further details through your letter box.

Scaldwell Club, A.G.M. is on Thursday 12th May in the Village Hall.

Thank you to all the young people in the village who have delivered details of Club activities to every house, & especially to Lee Carpenter & Sam Patchesa for their recent help at short notice.

#### SCALDWELL YOUTH CLUB.

The JUMBLE SALE on 27th February raised £115, a magnificent effort.

N.A.Y.C. Badminton Competition 6 members & 4 leaders represented our Club, & Kevin & Judy  
WON THROUGH!

as far as the finals held a week later, when alas they suffered from biased umpires, faulty shuttlecocks, holes in raquets, Kevin's wooden leg & Judy's glass eye otherwise they would have won. But everyone enjoyed themselves.

Make-up Demonstration, on 15th March. Sandi King organised this interesting event, which raised £23.74. Beauticians from Northampton College of Further Education made-up Chris Kimbell & Sue Archer who went home ready to sign a contract for "DALLAS". Sophie King was manicured & hasn't worn gloves since.

Ice Skating, 26th March. 16 youngsters enjoyed another <sup>TRIP</sup> to Paterborough Ice Rink.

Future Events, Steve Miller will visit the Village Hall on April 12th for UNIHOC.

An outing to Alton Towers on May 14th &/or June 1st. Please return your slip now if you haven't done so already. Kevin Forsyth hopes to arrange some outdoor activities when the Youth Club closes for the Summer on May 24th.

Please can anyone sell us cheaply a Black & White television set for computer use??.

And can someone offer the use of a van to take waste paper to Moulton, only every 3 - 4 months ?? Please ring Judy Patchesa if you can help Tel 880099.

#### GOOD CAUSE COLLECTIONS

From Hilary Schrier who thanks everyone who contributed in the house - to - house collection for Dr Barnado's. The money raised amounted to ~~£49.38~~ £49.38.

#### SAFE DRIVING

A sad letter has come from a villager living on the High Street whose pet cat has been killed by a speeding driver, & who knows of 3 others which have died in the same way during the past 4 months. We can't do much about the through traffic, but please would all motorists in the village travel carefully. One day, it could be your friend's child who runs out in front of you.

CHRISTMAS 1987. Seems a long way behind us, but I am sure you would like to know that the afternoon Service in the Parish Church was well attended, the collection taken amounted to £55.06, & the carol singing round the village raised £74.28. A total of £129.34 which is a record amount has been sent to the N.S.P.C.C. The carol singers were most grateful for the hospitality they enjoyed on the way round.

Copy for Newsletter No34 to The Old School House not later than 29 May.

#### Late Extra.

Parish Church Meeting to be held in The Parish Church on 14th April at 8.0pm.