

TREASURER'S REPORT

The high calibre of this second edition of the Newsletter is due to the dedication of the Editor, Laurence Crummay. His interest in computing is obvious and his hard work and enthusiasm are appreciated.

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Jill Farrow

FINALLY

And finally..... Sounds like the news at ten! May the editor, his small team (1) and the committee wish you and your families a very **Happy Christmas** and a **Prosperous New Year**.

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From the Chairman....

IN MEMORIAM

MYRA SHEPPARD (1906-1998)

Founder member and former Chairman of A.P.P.R.A.. She ran the Association with stylish zest, organising dinners and outings and originating the Open Gardens, now such a feature of the Avenues year. She was one of the compilers of the first Avenues publication - "A Short History of the Avenues Conservation Area." We owe to her, and her contemporaries, the inspiring and still valid aims of the Association and its conservation area status. I was a junior member of her committee when 99 Park Avenue became a residential home; I thought at once of her when this month's change-of-use application came - an apt example of her vision for the Avenues.

Stephanie

Wilson

THURSDAY NIGHT LIVE!

Lots of action at the Central Library, Albion Street on the second Thursday of every month, 7.30-9.30pm. £2 including drink.

Bookings/more information (01482) 223344

Very popular - you need to book.

Jan 14 '99 - *In search of the self* - talk by Alec Gill BSc MSc(Psychol)

Feb 11 '99 - Gardeners' questions

March 11 '99 - *Better than rock & roll* - review of books

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The Association exists to help retain the unique character of the Avenues and Pearson Park Conservation area and to support the strong community spirit which exists in the district.



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WILDLIFE IN WINTER

Just a reminder that some of our native wildlife do not fly south or hibernate so please keep feeding the birds. Bread, apple, fat or nuts are

excellent sources of the vital foods needed to survive a cold winter. Remember if snow does fall, food is difficult to find, so clear off a small patch of ground or table.



TREE SCULPTORS

If you haven't yet had a stroll down Marlborough Avenue to see the Avenues Angel, we recommend you do so quite soon. Sculptor Kevin Storch has done a fantastic job and is willing to do another stump - what is it to be? Watch this space.....



The Angel of The Avenues

CAROL SINGING

Sadly we lost our singing leader Moira Smith in tragic circumstances this year, but with a little help from you, our carol singing evening will be another success. Assemble at Park Avenue fountain at 6.00pm on 20th December. Afterwards, all are invited to Ian Colquhoun at 73 Park Avenue for festive fayre. All proceeds to go to NSPCC. Please, please do support by singing or collecting - it really is a fun night so close to Christmas.



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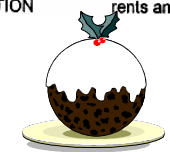
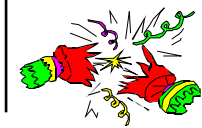
You may have noticed that the property developer APS have bought the Birkdale. As yet, no plans have been seen on their proposals for this building. No doubt, we will in the next few months. Keep an eye out in the local paper or keep in touch with events through your residents' association.

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RESIDENTS' ASSOCIATION

As with all committees, there are a small number of people who tend to do most of the work. Any help at all would be greatly appreciated. You don't have to have years commitment - even if you are a student here for one year, you can have as much a say as a resident of 10 years. Be interested. The committee meets 11 times a year, usually about 18th-20th of the month (August free for holidays) for 1-2 hours. So you can be in touch and meet new friends with the same outlook - the love of the Avenues. See you there - next meeting scheduled for 18th January at 48 Marlborough Avenue at 7.30pm.

AVENUES SINGERS

The Avenues Singers are looking for new singers to join their lineup, particularly a top soprano and tenor. They sing madrigals and part songs mainly for their own enjoyment but also for occasional concerts. They are a small friendly group who meet locally on a Sunday night from 8-10pm. If you are interested in joining them please give Pat or Chris Coulson a ring on 343865 or e-mail

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