

Nedging with Naughton Village Hall Report

September 2023

Since July we have held one event a 'quirky Quiz' which went down very well with everyone. It did not follow the usual format as our other quizzes. Rather than lots of questions it was more interactive. Everyone enjoyed their fish and chips which this time came from Cracknels in Stowmarket.

Our next event will be the Autumn Supper and Dance at the end of October. Before that there will be a Bingo evening at the hall hosted by Chris and Janice Kearley in aid of EACH.

We now only have two regular weekly bookings at the hall. The dog training class no longer runs and the keep fit class will not be returning for the autumn. Tai Chi and Pilates are still running and are well supported.

The hall continues to be hired for family events.

The rural coffee caravan will be coming to the hall once a month during the winter starting in November.

With the reduction in regular classes our income will be greatly reduced in the coming months. We are trying to source cheaper insurance but to no avail.

It was nice to see the playing field and equipment well used this summer.

We still have not got to the problem of the damp curtains but are hoping that by moving the curtain rails away from the walls might help. We have a leak in the flat roof above the gents toilet which will need repairing.

We have some work to do outside as the hedges and trees around the playground still need cutting back and the weeds at the front grow back quicker than we can remove them.

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