

# Tiddington Community Centre NEWS



**TCC No 6 Autumn Issue**

**September/October/November 2008**

## TCC News in Colour!

Welcome to the 6<sup>th</sup> edition of *TCC News* and the first in colour! As I write this I have no idea how it will look and so I really would like to hear your views and from any local graphic designers! Do let me know if *TCC News* is of value to you and your families? Speak to me at one of the TCC functions you attend, email or call or send me a letter. All my contact details are at the foot of this page. Do look at our web site there is a mass of information there and a great number of photographs of many of the various activities that have taken place at the TCC. [www.tiddingtoncommunitycentre.co.uk](http://www.tiddingtoncommunitycentre.co.uk)



**Dancers -Alveston Parish Barn Dance & BBQ**

Maybe you have never been to the TCC? If so we would still like to hear from you. Do let us know of any additional functions or extra facilities we could provide at the TCC for you. Why not pop along to one of our events – everyone is so friendly and you would be made very welcome! You could try, in no particular order. **BINGO every other Monday from 8<sup>th</sup> September.** There are about 30-50 Bingo regulars and space for many more so why not come with a few friends, relatives and neighbours. It is a low cost evening, great fun and with a break for tea/coffee etc.



**Food-Up! Alveston Parish Barn Dance & BBQ**



Arrive from 7.00 and you are on your way home by 9.30pm and maybe with our **Snowball** as winnings!

**Tuesday and Wednesday** we have all-age **Tai Chi**. Great for those who wish to keep supple but without great effort. Ages range from teens to 80+ so you will easily fit in! And you do not need to be fit!

Monthly 2pm on the **3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday** is our **Tea-Dance** in aid of **Shakespeare Hospice**. A lively event with 50-60 attendees! All welcome and only £2.50 including tea or coffee. Monthly on the **3<sup>rd</sup> Friday** we have our **Film Nights** and this year we have ranged from **Ratatouille & Shrek to Atonement & The Kite Runner**. Doors Open for the **Family Film** at 5.30 for 6pm and for the **Adult Film** 8pm for 8.30. Children are just £2 adults £3. We serve refreshments before each film - these range from tea/coffee, soft drinks to a glass of wine, chocolate, crisps and of course ice-cream – **all at bargain prices!**

Retired? Or can make any **Friday at 2pm?** Then why not join us for **Tea & Chat?** Tea and cake is provided **FREE** by our helpers. We meet every Friday for an hour or so so do come and join in our very lively chat.

See page 2 for a summary of the main activities at the TCC. With updates regularly in the **Parish Pump Alveston/Tiddington** section of the **Stratford Herald!**

## Tiddington Community Centre, Registered Charity 1093526, Main Street, Tiddington, SuA

**EVENTS:** With lots of **Events** taking place at the TCC the list is frequently updated. To keep up-to-date do look at the *Stratford Herald* and their "Parish Pump" section where there are regular updates on TCC activities. See also our web site [www.TiddingtonCommunityCentre.co.uk](http://www.TiddingtonCommunityCentre.co.uk).

You can also join our email circulation list by emailing [Rob.Cobley@TouchwoodOnline.com](mailto:Rob.Cobley@TouchwoodOnline.com)

### TCC Main Events in SEPTEMBER

<b>BINGO</b>	Monday 8 <sup>th</sup> 22 <sup>nd</sup> at 7pm
<b>TAI CHI</b>	Tuesday 2 <sup>nd</sup> 9 <sup>th</sup> 16 <sup>th</sup> 23 <sup>rd</sup> 30 <sup>th</sup> at 6.30 with Paul
<b>TAI CHI</b>	Wednesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> 10 <sup>th</sup> 17 <sup>th</sup> 24 <sup>th</sup> 5pm with Judith
<b>BROWNIES</b>	Wednesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> 10 <sup>th</sup> 17 <sup>th</sup> 24 <sup>th</sup> at 6.15pm
<b>TEA-DANCE</b>	Wednesday 17 <sup>th</sup> 2pm in aid of <i>Shakespeare Hospice</i>
<b>Tiddington WI</b>	Thursday 18 <sup>th</sup> at 7.30pm 'Busts I have Known'
<b>TEA &amp; CHAT</b>	Friday 5 <sup>th</sup> 12 <sup>th</sup> 19 <sup>th</sup> 26 <sup>th</sup> 2-3pm <b>FREE</b>
<b>PANTO Rehearsal</b>	Friday 12 <sup>th</sup> 26 <sup>th</sup> at TCC 19 <sup>th</sup> at St James'
<b>FILM NIGHT</b>	Friday: 19 <sup>th</sup> September £3Adults £2 Children
	Family Film 5.30 for 6.00pm To be Announced
	Adult Film 8 for 8.30pm To be Announced
<b>BLUE FISH</b>	Sunday Youth Group 14 <sup>th</sup> 28 <sup>th</sup> at 6pm

### TCC Main Events in OCTOBER

**Parish Harvest Supper** Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> October

7.00 for 7.30pm Bar & Refreshments

<b>BINGO</b>	Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> 20 <sup>th</sup> at 7pm
<b>TAI CHI</b>	Tuesday 7 <sup>th</sup> 14 <sup>th</sup> 21 <sup>st</sup> 28 <sup>th</sup> at 6.30pm
<b>TAI CHI</b>	Wednesday 1 <sup>st</sup> 8 <sup>th</sup> 15 <sup>th</sup> 22 <sup>nd</sup> 29 <sup>th</sup> at 5pm
<b>BROWNIES</b>	Wednesday 1 <sup>st</sup> 8 <sup>th</sup> 15 <sup>th</sup> 22 <sup>nd</sup> 29 <sup>th</sup> at 6.15pm
<b>TEA-DANCE</b>	Wednesday 15 <sup>th</sup> 2pm in aid of <i>Shakespeare Hospice</i>
<b>WI</b>	Thursday 16 <sup>th</sup> at 7.30pm 'Annual Meeting'
<b>TEA &amp; CHAT</b>	Friday 3 <sup>rd</sup> 10 <sup>th</sup> 17 <sup>th</sup> 24 <sup>th</sup> 31 <sup>st</sup> at 2pm <b>FREE</b>
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	Adult Film 8 for 8.30pm To be Announced
<b>BLUE FISH</b>	Sunday Youth Group 12 <sup>th</sup> 26 <sup>th</sup> at 6pm

### TCC Main Events in NOVEMBER

**Concert at St James** Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> November

*University Warwick Choral Society*

<b>BINGO</b>	Monday 3 <sup>rd</sup> 17 <sup>th</sup> at 7pm
<b>TAI CHI</b>	Tuesday 4 <sup>th</sup> 11 <sup>th</sup> 18 <sup>th</sup> 25 <sup>th</sup> at 6.30pm
<b>TAI CHI</b>	Wednesday 5 <sup>th</sup> 12 <sup>th</sup> 19 <sup>th</sup> & 26 <sup>th</sup> at 5pm
<b>BROWNIES</b>	Wednesday 12 <sup>th</sup> 19 <sup>th</sup> & 26 <sup>th</sup> at 6.15pm
<b>TEA-DANCE</b>	Wednesday 19 <sup>th</sup> 2pm in aid of <i>Shakespeare Hospice</i>
<b>WI</b>	Thursday 20 <sup>th</sup> 7.30 'Being a Santa in Lapland'
<b>TEA &amp; CHAT</b>	Friday 7 <sup>th</sup> 14 <sup>th</sup> 21 <sup>st</sup> & 28 <sup>th</sup> at 2pm <b>FREE</b>
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### FUTURE EVENTS at TCC

**The Zoo and Cox & Box by G&S**

WarwickStudentsOpera 7.30 Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> December

**Parish Christmas Fair**

11-3pm Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> December

**Cinderella**

6<sup>th</sup> 7<sup>th</sup> 8<sup>th</sup> February 2009 at 7.30pm each evening  
plus **Matinee** 2.30pm Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> February

### TCC Refurbishment Cost

SPENT on Phase 1, 2 & 3	£81,377
Estimated for rest of Phase 3	£24,671
Estimated for Phase 4	£23,000
<b>Total Refurbishment Costs</b>	<b>£129,048</b>

**Amount needed to complete £25,738**

### TCC Development for the Future

**Phase 3:** Finish the changes to the kitchen layout; additional "light-weight" tables.

**New stage Curtains & Drapes plus Lights; Hearing Loop; PA system & Speakers; Screen & Projector.** All now on order!  
**New Crockery, Alarm System & CCTV.**

**Phase 4:** New Stairway to access loft room for use by youth group, brownies & others; Covered outside play area; Re-polish Dance Floor & 'create' additional storage areas.





## **Tiddington Community Centre, Registered Charity 1093526, Main Street, Tiddington, SuA**

**TCC CHAT:** It seems it is all 'chat' in this edition! However I am keen to keep you up to date on the progress we are still making at the TCC. Since our last **TCC News** we have ordered new equipment that will provide us with our own PA system including a

roving microphone and a loop system in the hall for the hard of hearing. We will also have our own large 4m x 3m Screen and a ceiling mounted Projector.

Plus a 4-Speaker system and

DVD player. Then we will add new Stage Curtains and Drapes plus additional Stage Lighting and Lanterns. The contract has now been awarded after substantial research to **Central Theatre Supplies of Birmingham**. Installation is planned for October. I am delighted to confirm that we have now filled the one vacancy on the TCC Management Committee and so it is a very warm welcome to **Ann Howarth**. A full list of members can be found on our website together with a copy of our Annual Report.

### **CINDERELLA - Community Pantomime**

**6, 7 & 8 Feb - All Tickets £5 Adults & £4 Children**

Very successful auditions took place in July to cast next year's panto. The directors were so impressed with the calibre of people that this first production has attracted and so they have agreed to write a couple of extra parts to ensure no talent goes to waste!

The cast is as follows:- **Principals:**



<b>Lord Chamberlain</b> ..	Richard Hyde
<b>Buttons</b> .....	Philip Lucas
<b>Cinderella</b> .....	Keira Wilson
<b>Prince Charming</b> .....	Lucy Jones
<b>Dandini</b> .....	Stephanie Surrey
<b>Baron Hardup</b> .....	Mark Igoe
<b>Brandi</b> .....	David Neale
<b>Sherri</b> .....	Richard Williams
<b>Fairy Godmother</b> ...	Sandra Oram
<b>Roger Krantz</b> .....	LizGreen
<b>Gilbert Stern</b> .....	Amanda Igoe

**Chorus:** Vicky Fleet, Anna Harkin, Hannah Connolly, Marianne Botterill, Frances Mills-Baker, Jade Bridges, Emma Reynolds, Abi Povey & Vicky Povey

**Directors/Producers:** Angela Millard & Phil Bruce Moore


**Choreographer:** Sandra Oram

**Stage Management:** David Oram & Gareth Millard



**Cinderella Tickets** are available now - send a stamped address envelop with a cheque payable to **Tiddington Community Centre** to **Rob Copley c/o TCC, Touchwood, Beeches Walk, Tiddington, CV37 7AT**. Further details from **Angela & Gareth Millard** [gareth.millard@virgin.net](mailto:gareth.millard@virgin.net).

**Tiddington WI** has a full programme for 2008 meeting at 7.30pm on the 3rd Thursday each month. **Call President Jenny Copley 293863 for details.**

**OPERA** We are delighted to welcome back the **University of Warwick Opera** for a double bill of Sullivan's **'The Zoo'** & **'Cox and Box'**. The show is on **Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> December at 7.30 pm**. Tickets: Adults £8, Concessions £7 & Students £5 will be available soon! To book send a stamped addressed envelope with a cheque made payable to **Tiddington Community Centre** to Rob. 

**You should book your tickets NOW to ensure a seat!**

**PC & Internet** Following a number of requests for PC, Email and Internet tuition we have now ordered a **BT Broadband**. This should be available very soon! We are now **Urgently** looking for helpers as well as a couple of Laptops we could use for this education/fun programme! If you have skills, access to PC's and are able to help folk please do email Rob ASAP? You can see lots of pictures of our 'new' TCC on the internet at [www.TiddingtonCommunityCentre.co.uk](http://www.TiddingtonCommunityCentre.co.uk)

### **ADDITIONAL EVENTS...**

Did you attend the enormously successful **Parish Barn Dance & BBQ**? It does demonstrate how flexible our Car Park can be with lots of gazebos housing tables & chairs. We stopped selling Tickets at 130! See TCC web site for many more photographs.

**The next two Parish events at the TCC are**

**Harvest Supper:** 7pm Sat 4<sup>th</sup> October

**Christmas Fair:** 12-3pm Sat 6<sup>th</sup> December

**And at St James' Church**

**Concert:** **St James'** will host a Concert by

**Warwick University Choral Society**

Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> November 7.30pm

We are always looking for new bright ideas and for additional events so if you have any such thoughts then do let us know. **We are very happy to listen!** **One new idea we have is for a TCC Members Film Club. If you have been involved with a Film Club before and can offer help/assistance do contact Rob.**

The usage of the TCC continues to grow ensuring that our income is well above our regular running costs! **The Adverts** on page 4 by **Tiddington Pre-School, Stewart Band Photographer, The Crown, Wendy O'Hare and Connolly's**, together with the generous grants & donations we have received, allow us to further enhance the facilities & equipment at the TCC. The TCC is there for all of us to enjoy so do come along and join in the fun! **We look forward to seeing many more of you throughout 2008!**

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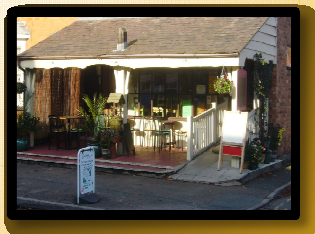


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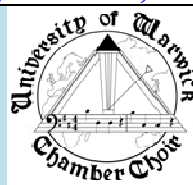
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