



IBM Retiree Club Greenock



Newsletter – December 2020

Dear Members,

Hope this finds you all keeping safe and well and managing to cope with all the restrictions that COVID has placed upon us. We know that you are all missing getting together at the Club and hopefully it won't be too long until we will be able to resume our meetings.

Your Committee met this week and felt that it would be a good idea to put together a Newsletter to ensure that those of you who do not have access to email have an update on various items to do with your Club.

175 Club

The 175 Club remains closed under the current restrictions. The Committee have decided to delay starting up the Club again until the beginning of April 2021.

Christmas Lunch

Sadly there will be no Christmas lunch this year.

AGM

You will see from your syllabus that the AGM was scheduled for 13 January 2021 and this will now need to be rescheduled. A possible date is 24 March 2021, however, this will be confirmed to you nearer the time.

2021 Syllabus

The following is the proposed Syllabus:-

24 March	AGM – TBC
7 April	Ben Smith – Music
21 April	Guide Dogs
5 May	Douglas Jenkinson – Music
19 May	Day Trip to Glengoyne Distillery and Lunch at Winnock Hotel, Drymen
23-27 August	Llandudno Holiday
1 Sept	Elaine Dallas – Music
15 Sept	Disaster Aid
29 Sept	Largs Operatic
13 October	Dave McClure – Music
27 October	Clydeside Singers
10 Nov	Sunday Post
24 Nov	Clyde Coast Fiddlers

8 December Christmas Lunch
12 Jan 2022 AGM
26 March Fiddler on the Roof and high tea at Willowbank Hotel, Largs

Fiddler on the Roof – 27 March 2021

Largs Operatic Society have taken the difficult decision to postpone this show at Barrfields until **26 March 2022**. Anyone who had booked a place for this show will automatically have a place at the 2022 show with high tea at the Willowbank Hotel and bus travel both ways.

Day Trip – 19 May 2021

This trip includes a tour of the Glengoyne Distillery followed by lunch and musical entertainment at the Winnock Hotel in Drymen and if you had booked this year your name will down for 19 May.

Holiday to Llandudno 23 – 27 August 2021

Glenton have managed to move this year's holiday to 23-27 August 2021 and they have negotiated the same price, staying at the Merrion Hotel, Llandudno. Members £350, Guests £445, Single Supplement £25. The insurance has also been upgraded to include COVID-19 cover. Anyone booked this year will automatically have been booked for August 2021.

Free Links

If you are able to get access to the internet, there are links on the Club website (www.ibmgnkclub.org) to free cookery demos, lectures, courses, BBC shows and much more.

Please get in touch if you have any questions about any of the above.

On behalf of the Committee can I wish you all a Very Happy Christmas and Good Health and Happiness for the New Year.

Kind Regards

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