

From the Village Hall

As I write we are anticipating a fun evening with the Fakenham Ukelele Band tomorrow (25<sup>th</sup> September) and hope that it will go with a swing. A rather different evening will be taking place on Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> October when we hope you will enjoy the talk on Seahenges (doors open at 7.00pm for a 7.30 start – slightly later than previously advertised to allow our speaker to set up).

The Produce Show took place earlier in September and was well supported – thank you to all who contributed, and particularly to those who helped with the organization. There are some lovely photos on the Notice Board in the hall. The flower displays were beautiful, and the range of vegetables displayed was impressive given the growing conditions that prevailed early in the season.

We also held the long-overdue AGM earlier in September, which was a bit different in that we were covering the meetings that should have taken place in 2019 and 2020 as well as 2021. The 2019 meeting had been due to take place just as the first lockdown was announced, and for the 2020 meeting we were not allowed to meet indoors or in sufficient numbers.

Although late in the year, the AGM was attended by quite a few, but it was noted that membership of the Social Club is much lower than before Covid-19 made its impact on us all. It would be good to see the membership increase, and if you need any details about costs, benefits etc. please don't hesitate to ask me or any member of the committee. The committee has co-opted a few people to help with the bar, and other events to give us a little more support. Those co-opted are Martyn Proffitt, Lois and Martin Capsticks and Peter Bishop. On behalf of the committee, I would like to thank all of them for all the help they have already given, and not forgetting other occasional volunteers, all of whose help is very much appreciated.