Ceddesfeld Hall

Home of Sedgefield Community Association (SCA)

December Events and Looking Forward to 2027!

SCA are delighted to host a Christmas Craft Fayre, in support of STC Snow Party, **on Saturday 28th November**, from 1pm to 4pm. There will be several festive craft stalls in the main hall as well as a children's 'Christmas Present' lucky dip. Sedgefield and District Uniformed Services Group (SDUSG) will provide coffees, teas, with delicious cakes, scones and biscuits. The bar and lounge will open to visitors from 1 pm and will remain open until 7 pm, to welcome back families, following the switching on of the Christmas lights, which takes place on the green at 4 pm.

Following the Churches Together '**Carols on the Green'** – **Friday 17th December** (6.30 pm to 7 pm), the bar and lounge will be open, from 7 pm. **Mulled wine** will also be served, at £4.00 a glass. A donation from mulled wine sales will be made to Butterwick Hospice.

A **Christmas Kanika Pila** with **Sedgefield Smile Time Ukulele Band** will also take place on **Friday 17th December** beginning at 7.15 pm, in the main hall. This is a free event. There will be a range of well known, popular tunes and Christmas songs to enjoy, performed by this very popular group.

SCA are pleased to hold the traditional **Christmas Eve Quiz – 24th December** – 7.30 pm for 8 pm. Come along to enjoy a great social evening with quiz master Peter Hinde. This is also a free event and of course the bar will be open. Feel free to bring Christmas nibbles and treats.

SCA are very pleased once again to host a traditional **Burns Supper** on Saturday **23rd January**, starting at 7.15 pm. Tickets are £35, to include a drinks reception, followed by a 5-course meal (choice of haggis or roast beef + vegetarian option) with a cheese board and coffee. There will be 'pipes, toasts, talks and quotes' too! Tickets can be purchased by contacting Pat, on the number below.

SCA Membership 2027

In January, SCA will begin to collect the annual subscription fees. It's £9 for over 60s, £10 for adults (over 18s) and £5 for young people and students. SCA is a wholly volunteer-led organisation and member subscription is central to the legal governance and running of the association - without it, SCA could not run as it does. Membership fees also provide part of the essential income, with all proceeds going towards the running and maintenance of the hall. Members can benefit from reduced cost for room hire as well as insurance liability protection for any group activities and events. Because the SCA is a registered charity, any SCA sections may also use this charitable status, when applying for grant funding. Anyone can become a member, as an individual or as part of a group – please join by using the link: https://membermojo.co.uk/sedgefieldsca or pay cash (brown envelope) across the bar.

2027 – SCA Programme of Events and Regular Activities – Please see inserted into this edition of Sedgefield News. There really is something for everyone!

Please visit the recently updated SCA Website for further information and booking details.

For more information on Ceddesfeld Hall events, regular activities, room hire and bar opening times, contact Wendy on 01740 620206, Pat on 01740 620607, Sarah on 01740 622185 or visit our website on www.sedgefieldsca.org.uk. Follow us on Face Book.