



# PLAYERS' POST

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## Dates for your diary

6<sup>th</sup> March – post-panto meal  
9<sup>th</sup> or 16<sup>th</sup> March – auditions for 'Heaven's above' (see article)  
10<sup>th</sup> March – start of rehearsals for May Thing  
15<sup>th</sup> March – shed sorting  
14<sup>th</sup> & 15<sup>th</sup> May – May Thing

## SLEEPING BEAUTY

Well yet another one bites the dust! What a great time we all had. Thank you Joanna and Dean for giving us such a great panto; I think everyone will agree that it was extremely enjoyable to take part in. Well done on your very first panto production, here's to many more!

Many thanks also to Shirley who provided some great costumes for us, especially the Three Good Fairies – they were amazing and fitted the parts perfectly!

Thanks should also go to Matthew Kelsey who stood in for Andy on keyboard – well done Matthew – it was his first ever attempt at doing anything like this and he did very well, even if he did 'drop off' at one point – "When you're ready dear!"

We actually made a decent profit this year, partly due to the fact that we have at long last raised our adult ticket prices to be more in line with the other drama groups in the area. Treasurer's accounts for panto attached.

If anyone has any good copies of photos please could they let me have some – preferably on CD as my e-mail takes ages to download!!!! (Sharon)

## POST-PANTO MEAL

The date for the meal is Friday March 7pm for 7:30pm at The Half Moon Elloughton. Many suggestions were made for the venue but it was decided that The Half Moon gave us everything we needed, a decent meal at a decent price and also a private room away from the rest of the customers. This means that if anyone wants to get up and do a speech or a turn then they are most welcome. See choice of menu over the page. Orders to be with Bill Lennox [@yahoo.co](mailto:@yahoo.co) or [Lennox@baesystems](mailto:Lennox@baesystems) by end of February please. His mobile number for texts is: 07979900491. Please make a note of your order to avoid confusion.

## THE MAY THING

We don't have a title for it yet but the dates for this are & May 2009 – that is Thursday and Friday. The first half will take the form of a play – the one we were going to do last year but slightly adapted and the second half will be a mixture of songs and sketches probably depicting special anniversaries that occur in 2009, for example, Charles Darwin, Kew Gardens, Buddy Holly, Guinness to mention just a few. There are no auditions for this production; parts will be allocated at the producers' discretion. Anyone interested please make sure you attend the first rehearsal on March or if that is not possible contact me or Joanna to let us know that you are interested. We will not have the older juniors for this production as they will all be busy with their exams – we wish them all success!

## 'HEAVEN'S ABOVE!'

This is the title of a production that Dorothea is organising for the South Cave Literary Society annual event in July. From what I can gather it is a selection of sketches written by herself I think and she was hoping that some of us may be interested in taking part. I have said that I would try to give her a hand at producing it. She is hoping to hold open auditions at her house on and March – presumably around 7pm – 7:30pm. Apparently South Cave Council is funding the production so it has to be seen that local people are involved. Most of the rehearsals will take place at her house and will start in May, hopefully after our May Thing. If you are interested I will let you have her contact details.

## ACCOUNTS/DONATIONS

Thought members may like to know how our accounts stand after the panto so I asked Bill to let me have the accounts to put in the newsletter. Committee took the vote to donate to North Newbald Playing Fields Association for a new clubhouse and South Cave Rainbows to put towards their running expenses. If anyone has any other local charities/causes that they would like considered please let us know.

Income	2009	2008	2007
Tickets	£1,867.00	£1,281.80	£1,446.86
Pop&Crisps	£141.15	£105.70	£139.30
Teas	£127.82	£67.11	£30.85
Raffle	£167.10	£156.60	£169.50
Total Income	£2,303.07	£1,611.21	£1,786.51
Expenses			
Hall+WI	£498.00	£458.00	£517.50
Printing	£156.53	£121.90	£47.92
Pop&crisps	£77.17	£80.60	£112.55
Other	£630-£680	£700.31	£589.37
Total Expenses	£1360-£1400	£1,360.81	£1,267.34
Net Total	£900	£250.40	£519.17
Seats	538	402	488

## NORTH CAVE VILLAGE HALL SHED

We are getting together with North Cave Village Hall committee on March to tidy out the shed, well, lean-to actually, so that we can see what we have in there and what we need to keep or throw away. Volunteers of help would be welcome. Please see Bill regarding times etc. Old clothes will need to be worn as it will be a dirty job!!!!

## STARTERS

- Homemade Soup of the Day with a ½ Crusty Baguette** £3.15  
**Homemade Potted Chicken Liver Pate with Cider Apple Jelly and Ciabatta Toast** £4.25  
**Prawn Cocktail Marie Rose** £4.45  
**Garlic Baguette** £2.95  
**Garlic Baguette with Tomato and Mozzarella** £4.25

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## MAIN COURSES

*(Served with peas and a choice of potatoes unless stated)*

- Fried Haddock** £7.25  
Fresh local caught 6-7 oz (170-190 gms) haddock in crispy golden batter with a salad garnish and your choice of mushy or garden peas  
**Scampi** £7.95  
Fried wholetails of scampi in natural breadcrumbs with a salad garnish  
**Steak And Ale Pie** £7.95  
Prime pieces of steak cooked in a rich ale gravy with shortcrust pastry top  
**Lasagne** £7.95  
Oven baked layers of bolognaise, pasta and cheese sauce with a crispy cheese top  
**Large Yorkshire Pudding** £7.65  
Filled with prime Cumberland pork sausages and a rich onion gravy  
**Chilli Con Carne** £7.45  
Hot and Spicy, cooked with fresh chillies and served with boiled rice, chips or ½ & ½..  
**Thai Green Chicken Curry** £9.45  
Pieces of chicken breast cooked with Thai spices in coconut milk with coriander, served with boiled rice, chips or ½ & ½..  
**Cajun Chicken** £8.95  
An 8oz (227 gms) chicken breast cooked with Cajun spices, served with a salad garnish

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## FROM THE GRILL

*(Served with peas and a choice of potatoes unless stated)*

- Chicken Breast Garni** £8.95  
An 8oz (227gm) Plain grilled breast of chicken with grilled tomato, mushrooms and onion rings  
**Ribeye Steak Garni** £12.95  
A 10oz (280gms) Prime British steak cooked to your liking with grilled tomato, mushrooms and onion rings  
**Rump Steak Garni** £11.95  
A 12 oz (340 gms) Prime British steak cooked to your liking with grilled tomato, mushrooms and onion rings  
**Add** £1.75  
Dianne or Pepper Sauce  
**Gammon Steak** £9.45  
A 10oz (280 gms) gammon steak served with a fried egg and pineapple ring, grilled tomato, mushrooms and onion rings  
**Half Moon Mixed Grill** £11.95  
Sausage, gammon with pineapple, rump steak, lamb chop, liver, black pudding, and fried egg, with grilled tomato, mushrooms and onion rings  
**Surf and Turf** £10.45  
A 6oz (170 gms) Prime British rump steak cooked to your liking and wholetail scampi, with grilled tomato, mushrooms and onion rings

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## PASTA DISHES

- Penne Carbonara** £7.95  
Freshly cooked pasta in a creamy sauce of mushrooms, ham and cheese  
**Chicken Pasta Maryland** £9.25  
Strips of chicken breast in Cajun spices, tomatoes, sweetcorn, cream, garlic and herbs

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## VEGETARIAN DISHES

- Mushroom and Spinach Stroganoff** £7.95  
*Mushrooms and spinach cooked in cream and brandy, with onions, garlic and paprika, served with rice, chips or ½ & ½*  
**Mushroom and Stilton Pasta** £7.45  
*Freshly cooked pasta in a creamy sauce of mushrooms, stilton cheese and white wine*

***Vegetable Thai Green Curry* £8.45**

*Freshly prepared vegetables cooked with Thai spices in coconut milk and coriander,  
served with boiled rice, chips or ½ & ½*

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***SALADS***

*(Freshly prepared with coleslaw and Half a Crusty Baguette)*

***Roast Beef* £8.45**

***Honey and Mustard Roast Ham* £7.95**

***Prawns with Marie Rose* £8.95**

***Half Moon Ploughman's Platter* £9.25**

*Mature Cheddar & Stilton cheese, Honey and Mustard Roast Ham,  
pickle and pickled onions*

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***SIDE ORDERS***

***Bowl of Chips* £2.15**

***Cheesy Chips* £2.45**

***Side Salad* £2.10**

***Onion Rings* £2.15**

***Portion of Vegetables* £2.10**

***Fried Egg* £0.95**

***Bread & Butter* (2 slices) £0.85**

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***BEVERAGES***

***Coffee* £1.65**

***Espresso* £1.45**

***Pot of Tea for One* £1.65**

***Cappuccino* £1.80**

***Lattè* £1.95**

***Hot Chocolate* £2.15**

***Liqueur Coffee* £3.90**

**CHILDREN'S MENU**

**ALL £3.95**

**FRIED HADDOCK**

**BREADED SCAMPI**

**HOMEMADE LASAGNE**

**HOMEMADE BREAST OF CHICKEN**

**NUGGETS**

**CHEESE AND TOMATO PIZZA**

**CUMBERLAND SAUSAGES**

**HOMEMADE BEEFBURGER**

ALL ABOVE SERVED WITH CHIPS OR NEW POTATOES AND PEAS OR BEANS

**PASTA CARBONARA**

**HAM SALAD**