

NEWSLETTER 84: OCTOBER 2017 –
Part Two **MARCH 2018**



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Letter from the Chairman.

Dear Members,

I am writing to you as our Tuesday Meetings are in urgent need of more support.

We meet the 2nd Tuesday of every month between 2pm and 4pm. There is always a good speaker arranged but sadly sometimes there is only a very few members to talk to. The Tuesday meeting is the only regular way we have to communicate with our members apart from our Newsletter but this is issued only three times per year.

Tuesday gives members a chance to meet and talk to each other and feel they belong to the group. We are always happy to have members who are willing to put forward new ideas in order to make the afternoon more interesting and different.

If the Tuesday afternoon meetings cease to exist then this would also mean that the organization would probably also have to cease to exist.

This would be a great pity as we have had a lot of fun over the many years we have been established.

Due to lack of support we have had to cut our outings from three each year to just one as unfortunately the costs continue to rise.

I am therefore asking all of you to think about returning to the meetings and of course new members would also be welcome.

Sincerely,

Janet.

Although the following information appears elsewhere in this Newsletter, there is no harm in repeating it:-

**Spring Buffet 20th April
Civic Centre 7.00pm for 7.30pm
Just £3.00p per person.**

Please come and join us at this year's Spring Buffet. There will be, as usual, as much food as you can eat, as much as you would wish to drink and not too many speeches. Friends and family are all welcome at the bargain price of £3.00p per head.

Music is provided free of charge throughout the evening by our keyboard wizard Stan the Man and before the evening ends there will be our stupendous raffle drawn, we hope, by this year's Mayor of Enfield Borough Council.

This has always been a most enjoyable social evening and for the past few years has also been regarded as one of the best social events of the year.

My Committee and I look forward to meeting old friends and making new. So make this a date!

Obituary

Joyce Crawley.

Joyce sadly passed away after a short, sudden illness in the middle of 2017.

She worked for the Adoption section at the Civic Centre for a number of years and really enjoyed her time there. Both Joyce and her husband Fred were staunch supporters of the Retired members Association and Fred was out Treasurer until he retired some years ago.

Joyce is sadly missed by all who knew her.

NEW OUTING.

A COACH OUTING TO SOUTHEND IS PLANNED.

**MONDAY 6THAUGUST
COST £13.50P PER PERSON**

**Coach leaves Civic Centre 10.00am
Coach leaves Southend 4.00pm**

**THE FOLLOWING COPY
BOOKING FORMS ARE FOR
YOU TO KEEP AS A RECORD**

BOOKING FORM COPY

**SPRING BUFFET
Friday 20th April
7.00p for 7.30pm**

**The Restaurant
Civic Centre, Enfield**

Tickets £3.00p per person

**Reserve your place now with our
Treasurer Olive Parsons
Telephone 8366 5840**

Places required.....

Name.....

Telephone No.....

**Cheque for £.....
Payable to Enfield Unison RMA
To be paid by 13th April**

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THIS BOOKING FORM FOR THE OUTINGS SHOWN BELOW IS TO BE SENT TO THE TREASURER WITH CHEQUE PAYABLE TO ENFIELD UNISON RMA. THANK YOU.

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