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Majorettes at Hospice Gala Day

New Scheme Manager at Barnabas Court



The New Scheme Manager for the Sheltered Housing (Barnabas Court) has now moved in. Those who are expecting to move in will be taking up residence shortly. An official opening of the homes is to be organised.

Photo: Jackie McCracken standing at the doors of the new Building.

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Hospice Gala Day

Everybody agreed that the setting, at Milton Hall, was superb. The sunny weather and crowds of people all day helped to ensure the success of this year's Gala.

The total amount raised was just over £12,500, and without the dedication and hard work of so many volunteers and staff it could not have happened.

A big thank you to all those from the village who helped on the day manning stalls, and to all those who just visited, giving their support for an excellent day's entertainment.

Special thanks to the Cambridge Friends Group for their hard work on and before the day to guarantee its success.

Barry Jefferson



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Lollipop
Lady gets
carried away
by Lottery
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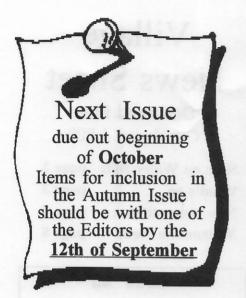
Jane Daniels was approached by Camelot to help launch the new National Lottery TV Advertising Campaign that features a Lollipop Lady whose dream it is to be swept off her feet by a hunky man.



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Eastern Group includes Eastern Electricity, Eastern Energy, Eastern Generation, and Eastern Power & Energy Trading



Milton's District Councillor Becomes Vice Chairman

District Councillor for Milton, Richard Summerfield, has been elected Vice Chairman of South Cambs. District Council, following in the footsteps of Alan Wyatt of Landbeach.

Congratulations Richard!

Milton Cycle Bridge Consultation Results

Thanks must go to all the people who Thanks must go to an the people sto the questionnaire.

An astonishing 440 replies were received in all and of those replies only eight were negative.

It was clear also that most people preferred the arched supports. Blue, red, grey and silver were very popular colours and green received a lot of votes even

though it was not a suggested colour.

A further meeting of the cycle bridge group will be held in August to further the plans and keep the bridge on target

for construction next year.

There will be a need to close the A14 overnight on one Saturday evening next year whilst the final span is put across the road. The Highways Agency would wish to try to avoid a night when there may be an event in the Cambridge area causing more traffic than usual on the road, so please, if you know of any such events let me know as soon as possible.

Jane Coston Tel: 861655

Neighbours 21 and 22 Bene't Close

We do not expect to go in the Guinness Book of Records, but we think it's a pretty good achievement. July 5th and July 8th the year 1950 the Daniels and Wenhams became neighbours and have remained friends for 50 years. We hope to hold open house on Wednesday July 5th, if anybody feels like calling in for coffee and biscuit they will be very

There are three other families who have lived in their houses since they were built; all the others have changed hands.

We will be "AT HOME" all day if you have an hour to spare we would love to see vou.

Scrabble

Just for a bit of fun I asked for words made out of the word SCRABBLE. I didn't really expect many entries so wasn't disappointed with what I got. However I am awarding a little prize to Pauline Blackmore who found 21 words.

There was a bumper number of players at the April meeting the top score was Mike English with a score of 842 for two games. Mike Spooner scored 806 and Helen Latchem scored 782.

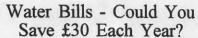
ARMY SNAILED.

Hiking to Raise Money for Scope

Charlotte Crilly and Daniel Farrand from the Sycamores are hiking 100km in Peru to raise money for SCOPE the former Spastics Society. The hike will be a hard trek at high altitude. They are hoping to raise £32,500 each for SCOPE which would fund equipment to allow two people suffering from cerebral palsy to live in their own homes. If anyone can help please contact Charlotte or Daniel on tel: 564844 or put money in the collection boxes at Shapers or Curry & Pizza who are kindly helping out.

Sadly Missed

We will miss the plants and veg. sold on the side of Cambridge Road by Tommy Housden, who sadly passed away in early May.



Following my application in April, I have just received a £30 rebate from Anglian Water.

As I wrote in the last Village View, if the rain water falling on your roof does not drain into the foul sewerage system, you too could save £30 a year. This probably means nearly everyone in the village.

All you have to do is to phone Anglian Water on 0207 8145 008, and give them

your name, address, etc.
They will then send you a form which you have to fill in, including a sketch of your house and the surface water drains. You do need to look out the plans of your house which should show where your surface water drains to.

If, like me in Hall End, it is to a soakaway. then you will get the reduction. If it drains into a private rainwater drain, as in most larger estates, then you are also very likely to qualify.

By the way, it makes no difference whether your water supply is metered or not, as this rebate is to do with sewage treatment.

I have checked through the plans in the Parish Council archives, and have found drainage plans for the Martin Grant development (left side of Humphries Way, David Bull Way etc up to the school), and Bryant Homes (right side of Humphries Way and Froment Way up to Garner Close including Townsend Close, Sutton Close, Burling Walk and Garner Close) - people in those houses can phone the Parish Clerk, Jim Daniels on 861447 and arrange to copy the details relevant to their house.

I know of people in Coles Road and Old School Lane who are giving it a try. Let me know how you get on and I'll keep everyone posted! If anyone would like help in getting or filling out the forms, just give me a ring. But I draw the line at scrambling in people's lofts looking for the deeds!

On a related matter: did you know that there are now no hosepipe licences, and using a hand-held hosepipe for garden watering or for washing the car is now free. However if you run a sprinkler or any other hosepipe which is not attended at all times, you are expected to get a water meter. Hazel Smith - 860752

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Friday 7th July 6 - 9pm Tickets £3 adults / £1.50 children including food (must be bought in advance)

CAR BOOT SANG

Saturday 16th September 9am - 1pm Pitches £5.00 in advance Wet weather plan

QUIZ NIGHT

Friday 29th September Tickets £5.00 each Teams of 6 (max)

> For further information please contact

Mandy Sievewright on 570971

Milton WI Programme

June 20th Comp

History of Food Old Food Advertisement

July 18th

Outing

MILTON PRESCHOOL Presents

> The Milton Village Fayre Family Disco

Saturday 8th July 7pm - 11pm

Adults - £2

Children - Free

Come along for a great evening of entertainment for all the family! Adult bar. Children's bar. BBQ and Snacks. Community Centre, Coles Road, Milton



THE ROYAL **BRITISH LEGION**

The Royal British Legion intends to establish a new branch in the Milton area. An open meeting to discuss this project will be held

AT THE **COMMUNITY CENTRE** THURS 6 JULY 2000 AT 8 pm

ALL EX-SERVICEMEN AND WOMEN ARE INVITED TO ATTEND THIS MEETING, WHEN APPLICATIONS FOR MEMBERSHIP WILL BE TAKEN, (NON EX-SERVICE INDIVIDUALS

ARE EQUALLY WELCOME)

The Legion exists to help all those who have served in the Armed Forces, and their families. A local branch is a focal point for such individuals, and while its main purpose is to help those in need, it also provides social activities for its members.

FOR MORE INFORMATION PLEASE CALL 01763 260526

Milton Village Fayre Weekend

Sunday 9th July starting at 12noon Lots of activities all day Coles Road Recreation Ground

PARENT AND TODDLER GROUP

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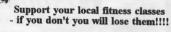
WEDNESDAY JULY 26th MILTON COUNTRY PARK 11.00 a.m.

What's Happening With the Local Buses?

Public Meeting Landbeach Village Hall Date to be arranged in June Watch for posters

A chance to raise your concerns and suggestions For more information Contact Jane Coston Tel: 861655

Lizzie's WorkOut **Toning & Fitness Classes**



Thighs, Bums & Tums 6.45 pm New Body / Low Impact WorkOut 7.30 pm

6.45 pm

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Milton Church of England Parochial School REUNION!



The class of '65 are having a reunion in June this year. This photo was taken in July 1971 and includes the following.

Mrs Whitton, Mr. Whitton (Head Teacher), David Crawford, Stuart Bell, Andrew Bennett, Nick Shipp, Mr Blackmore (Deputy Head), Mr Shaw (Class teacher)

Janette Cowell, Neil Bitchner, Stephen Morley, Paul Freeman, Mark Boutell, Dawn Bullock, Jane Nutting, Alison Stubbings, Caroline Parcell

Jane Stanley, Phillip Harris, Sue Royal, Lizzie Router, Karen Barratt, Lesley Hough, Richard Poulter, Chris Pollendine

Lawrence Cunningham, Simon Patten, Eldon Dawson, Julie Kirk, Sharyn Saunders, Lesley Butler, Debbie Ship Angela Rafferty

If you are in this photo and we haven't contacted you yet it is because we can't find you!! Please contact the Milton Village View or telephone one of the organisers on (01223) 860923, if you would like to join us for a get together. We would like to remember Julie Kirk at this time as a friend who was part of our

class and will be missed at our reunion. Our thoughts are always with her family.

Echoes Of The Past

Education in Milton

A school master was recorded in Milton as early as 1615 and in a will dated 1683 a Dr Benjamin Whichcote gave £20 a year to be invested in land for teaching poor children but there is no recorded organised schooling in the 17th century.

In 1807, the parish gave £1 a year for a Dame school, teaching writing, and in 1818 paid from the rates to support two schools with about 35 pupils in all. These schools taught writing and reading. In 1833 two day schools had about 55 pupils, 23 of them paid for by subscription and there was also then a Boarding school for 24 boys.

In 1835, Kings College acquired a site in Fen Lane, upon which a school house and teachers dwelling were built. The National school was opened in 1836.In 1845 the school had 114 pupils and in 1873 a night school was attempted, but this had failed by 1885

By 1881 the attendance had fallen below 50 and the Rector decided to let the building to a school board which he chaired. Although all the teachers except the master were dissenters, the Rector still gave daily religious instruction.

From the 1880s there was an infants class, formally organised and the attendance, at around 100, stayed that way until about 1935. From 1939 the older children were sent to Impington Village College and the old school in Fen Lane (now Road) was closed in 1958 and the site sold for a housing development (Hall End).

The new church primary school was built to the west, off Butt Lane, and intended to take, in 1958, 70 children.

M Spooner

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DOG FOULING AND THE LAW

A QUESTIONNAIRE FOR ALL DOG OWNERS

 Do you know that the health of children playing in the village recreation areas and play grounds is at risk, because dog owners allow their dogs to defecate on the ground where the children play?

Are you an irresponsible dog owner who allows your dog to mess on the play areas and then fails to clear the mess up?

 Do you know that there are dog bins available in all the green areas in the village for you to put the dog mess in?

Do you know that you can be fined up to £1,000 for not clearing up the mess that your dog has made?

Do you know that the Milton Parish Council has a policy that dog owners will be prosecuted if found offending against the Dog Fouling Bye-law?

Do you know that one successful prosecution has been taken and the dog owner was fined for allowing his dog to defecate on Sycamores Recreation Ground?



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Bishop Dinis Singulane from Mozambique visits Milton

"How could I come to London without visiting Milton? It would be like visiting Rome and not seeing the Pope" joked Bishop Dinis Singulane Mozambique as he stood inside All Saints' Church. Bishop Dinis Singulane was visiting

children free – enquiries to Pre-School or Community Centre. The Fete is on Sunday afternoon on Coles Road Recreation Ground. At 12 o'clock the Fete kicks off with a dance display followed by the sounds of "Jump Up Boogie". Lots of activities all day: Bouncy

Milton Village

Summer Fayre Weekend

year run by the local Pre-School.

8th and 9th July 2000. This starts on Saturday Night with a Disco at the Community Centre - this

Tickets are very reasonable with

to see in reality what he had previously only heard about. The people at All Saints have been building a link with Mozambique through Chris Lewcock, (son of Freda and Richard of Coles Road) who is Churchwarden at St. Stephen's church in Maputo, capital of Mozambique. As a way of practically demonstrating that the church is joined together around the world, the first £10,000 from All Saints' gift day for building castles, teas, ice-creams and various games; a Chinese Lion Dance, parachute games to name but a few! Alongside this a five a side football tournament will be run by the local Colts Club.

alterations went to Mozambique to restore a church there.

That was before the floods, but Bishop Dinis Singulane was able to report that the restoration would go ahead when the pressing problems had been addressed. To help with some of those problems, another gift was sent from All Saints' Milton after a Lent appeal, and it was clear from the Bishop that Mozambique

Don't miss this local annual weekend event, which is packed with family entertainment whatever your age!

will need assistance for some years to come. He is only too aware that Mozambique has slipped out of view in the media despite the job of clearing up being far from finished. For instance, he reported that one of the cities, Xai-Xai which is larger than Cambridge, was so badly damaged that it would be easier to rebuild from scratch somewhere else.

Put the date in your diary now!

The small group who were able to meet the Bishop were impressed by his warmth and love, and will remember the visit and his country for many years to come.

Local Weather - Spring 2000 March was dry with only 0.49 inches (12.4mm) of rain, in a period from the 3rd to 22nd - no rain was measurable. With only 3 air frosts and 13 ground frosts. The mean max temp was 11.8c. Windiest day was the 2nd with a gust of 42mph. April was a much wetter month with 3.94 inches (100mm). Frosts were 5 air and 7 ground. The mean max temp was up to 13.3c. Most wind was on the 4th with a gust

of 34mph.

You thought it was a wet April, well it could have been worse - Easter 1907 had temperatures of 70 degrees in the shade and many people headed off on railway excursions to the seaside at Hunstanton! but -

Easter 1908, when everyone was planning another excursion as the previous year to the seaside, there were blizzards followed by vivid lightning and thunder into the evening. Transport was disrupted and only 54 people actually boarded the train to Great Yarmouth.

Village Feast: In Milton, young people had to be carried over the snow drifts to get to the village feast!!

MILTON SUMMER FAYRE 9 JULY 2000 - 12 - 5 p.m.

Would you like to display your group or club or fundraise for your group or charity by having a stall at our Summer Fayre? Pitches are £5.00 per activity, a standard pitch is 4 metres wide. If you require more than a standard pitch please state by how much.

Please book the following number of pitches @ 4m wide...... Type of stall/activity.....

Tent/Caravan to be used (state which)

Do you require a trestle table? Yes/No..... (you are requested to provide your own chairs)

please attach a copy of your insurance policy. (i.e. is electrically or mechanically run, includes animals, inflatables (bouncy castles etc.)

On behalf of.... Address.... Tel No...... Amount enclosed £

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Tel: Julie 01954 252992 or 07711 569641 RSA/YMCA Qualified Instructor

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Theft In Country Park

There have been several incidents of theft in the Country Park and damage to parked cars.

Vehicles should be kept secure and

valuables put out of sight.

If you see anything suspicious, please report it. If the matter is urgent, dial 999, otherwise ring 01223 358966. Alternatively, ring this last number and ask for Voice Mail 1761. This Voice Mail is not for urgent matters, as it is not checked every day.

Do not leave anything in your car, not even coats and jackets, as thieves think there may be something of value in the

Pc. Philip Shulver

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The Citizens Advice Bureau offers help on a wide variety of subjects, including Benefits, Debt, Housing, Employment rights, Consumer problems and Family matters. CAB services are free, confidential, independent and impartial.

They can be contacted on 0871 264010. or at Newmarket Road Cambridge (Monday 9.30 am-6pm, Tuesday - Friday 9.30am-4.30pm, Saturday 10am-12 noon) or at Addenbrookes Hospital Advice Centre (Monday, Wednesday, Thursday 10am-3.30pm and Friday 10am-12.30pm)

Free legal advice is available at Newmarket Road Cambridge and the Meadows Community Centre. Call 01223 361418 to check times.

The CAB is also looking for good volunteers. Training is given.

If you are interested call 01223 361418

The Farmland Museum Denny Abbey

A new shop display has opened, which dates to the early 20th century and has items that range from the 1930s to the

A farm workers cottage has now been completed, giving visitors a chance to learn something about the home life of a farm worker in days gone by.

There is also a programme of special activities taking place up to the end of October. Highlights include a Roman farm on the 27th and 28th August.

For more information, contact: May Redfern on 01 223 860988

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Sunday 8.00 a.m. This is a traditional said Holy Communion using the Book of Common Prayer

10.30 a.m.

This caters for the whole church family Our normal service pattern is: Family Service: 1st, 3rd, 4th, 5th Sunday

The children worship in church for the first 20 minutes then leave for their own classes: Crèche (0-2s), Junior Church (3-11), Pathfinders (Years 7-9)

Family Communion: 2nd Sunday The children stay for the whole Service There are crèche facilities

6.30 p.m. Our service pattern is: Holy Communion ASB: lst, 3rd Sunday Evening Prayer 1662: 2nd 4th and 5th Sunday

Summertime Smog

Summertime smog is a complex mixture of pollutants which can form in hot sunny weather. People suffering from heart or lung disease, including asthma, should be aware that their symptoms may worsen.

We can all play a part in improving the quality of air by reducing pollutants, such

Avoid using the car when pollution levels are high. Do not use your car for short journeys

Do not warm the car engine or use the choke more than you really have to.

Avoid filling your car during periods of high pollution.

 If you are decorating, use water based paints, glues, varnishes and wood preservatives.

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PUZZLE CORNER

The calendar puzzle from last month was not too difficult and the two prize winners were Beth Wickens of High Street and Mrs Sheila Wall of Old School Lane. The answers were:

1 The 3rd Tuesday was the 15th

The last Friday in the month was 25th

3 The 1st Monday was the 7th

4 There were 4 Saturdays in the month

5 The 2nd Friday was the 11th

Congratulations to our two winners and prizes are on the way to them.

For the puzzle in this month's issue I have to thank my grand daughter Ellies' school. All the clues represent a town in the UK. For example, FAST CEREAL is RUNCORN. Now see how many of the following 10 you can decipher.

1 RELIGIOUS TOP

2 PURSUING TEACHER

3 OUT OF DATE MEAT

4 INVENTORY HARBOUR

5 BRAINY JOINT

6 IN ADDITION ON TOP OF

7 SPIELBERG ERA

8 CARRY ON TEASING

9 PROHIBIT COVER UP 10 PEOPLES WEIGHT

As usual there will be prizes for the two entries drawn out of the hat (or with the most correct towns). Send your entry to Michael Spooner 43a Old School Lane Milton Cambridge CB4 6BS by July 5th.

My Kind of Humour

Letters from a son serving in the Royal Navy during the War.

"Dear Mum, I can't tell you where I am, but I'm fit and well. Yesterday I shot a polar bear...

"Dear Mum, I can't tell you where I am, but I'm fit and well. Yesterday I danced

with a Hula Hula girl...

"Dear Mum, I'm in hospital and the doctor teld me I should have danced with the polar bear and shot the Hula Hula

Can I hastily add they are not my

letters.

Here is the poem we saw in the Milton Netball Club Balsham magazine.

POET TREE WITHOUT MIST ACHES

Eye have a spelling chequer It came with my pea sea It plainly marques four my revue miss steaks eye can knot sea.

When I strike a quay or write a word I weight for it to say Weather I am wrong or write It shews me strait a weigh.

As soon as mist aches are maid It nose bee four two late And I can put the error write Its rarely rarely grate.

Ive run this poem threw it I'm shore your pleased to no Its letter perfect in every weigh My chequer tolled me sow.

Bright Miltonian to Represent Britain in Beijing

Bright young sixth form student. Richard Smith, is one of four students who won a place in the the British Team at the International Olympiad Informatics by writing computer programs to solve as many puzzles as possible in a set time.

After taking part in the first round held in sixth form colleges nation-wide earlier in the year, Richard was chosen to participate in the finals of the British Informatics Olympiad, held at Corpus Christi College over a weekend at the end of March. Fifteen sixth formers were there, and they were set a number of challenges and problems. The top 4 are to represent Britain in Beijing in September at the International Olympiad Informatics (with 64 participating countries), and Richard was one of the team chosen. The other 3 team members are upper sixth students. Two of the team are from Richards school, Hills Road.

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Milton finished off the season with the first team still staying in the first division after a very hard season in this top division of the South Cambs. League.

The second team were unfortunate during the winter season, losing several players with injuries which together with a couple of pregnancies, made it difficult to field seven players at all their games. They worked very hard even if they only had six players and still managed to stay enthusiastic. Unfortunately it looks as though they might be relegated next season.

Milton are always looking for new players in the village, and are a very friendly local club. We meet on Tuesday evenings during the winter and spring season at 7.30 p.m. at the floodlit court. During the summer months we join in the Summer League which this year is being played at Netherhall School. Anyone interested in coming along to either watch or play during this very low key summer league is very welcome.

If you are keen to get involved, or would like more information please ring Charlotte Collen on Cambridge 503741.

Archaeological Warden for Milton

The Parish Council have approved Dr. Derek Booth's voluntary position as archaeological warden for the parish. This wardenship means Derek will act as a liaison officer between the Cambridgeshire Sites and Monuments Record Office (SMR) at Shire Hall and the village on local archaeological matters. The wardenship will operate as follows: excavations and finds related to Milton and known to the SMR will be communicated to the village through Derek reporting in the Village View, and conversely anyone making incidental finds in the parish of potential archaeological interest will be encouraged to make these known to the SMR through Derek. If you think you have found an item of possible archaeological interest in your garden or on other land, please contact in the first instance,

Jim Daniels, Clerk to the Parish Council. Tel/Fax 861447

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Village Millennium Events News

New Apostolic Church holds Millennium Concert for the Village



The New Apostolic Church, as part of the village Millennium celebrations.

organised a Millennium Concert on April 9th.

Their Christian choirs and musicians came from all over the county to join together to put on a wonderful Millennium event for all the residents of Milton. Afterwards there were some light refreshments available. The retiring collection was for the Milton School Association and Edmund House who both received over £100. Well done to all concerned for providing this special event.

Photographs Taken Every Day This Year

The Millennium Photographers (mostly amateurs) are between them managing to take a photograph every day this year. The photographs are meant to give a flavour of the day. On less busy days in the village, we are taking photographs of streets. Generally though we are trying to photograph all events in the village which includes; as many businesses as we can, all clubs and groups, any local events and celebrations

as many dusticesses as we can, an clius and groups, any local events and celebrations as well as general and unusual views of every day life and the local scenery. So why not give us a call and invite us to take a photograph of your street or event? The collection has already been on display at the Hospice Gala Day, showing the months of January to April. The next time the collection will be on display is at the Village Fayre in July. Come along and give us your suggestions for photographs or

contact Jane on Tel. 861655

Milton W.I. Millennium Community Challenge

The Milton Doctors Surgery now has a Defibrillator purchased with the money raised by the W.I. with tremendous help from so many local people.

The total amount raised was £3,000, which shows how generous you all were.

Alex and Pauline Blackmore gave a very generous donation to make the amount up to the £3,000. Very many thanks Alex and Pauline. I would like to extend a big thank you to all the W.I. Committee and members for the tremendous effort you all put in to run various stalls, raffles etc., which enabled us to raise this money. Thanks go to Bob Waters who kindly worked out the route of the sponsored walk, prepared the posters, forms and arrows. On the morning of the walk he rode round the route, putting out the arrows then at the end walked round and gathered them in. Very many thanks Bob.

I also thank Keith Overall, Michael Ball and Rex Clarke for all the various ways in which they helped.

If I have forgotten to thank anyone, then

a big thank you to you.

This achievement highlights how well this community can pull together and make dreams come true.

Very many thanks

Janet Chessum.

Lunch Club

The Lunch Club will be celebrating with a special lunch on Thursday July 20th to commemorate the Millennium and twenty years of weekly lunches. Invitations will be going out to friends who have helped in any way over the years, by providing desserts. It should be a very pleasant occasion.

The Prime Team.

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