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| **West End Social Club Newsletter**  **2 High Street, West End, Woking, Surrey GU24 9PL**  **Tel: 01276 858501 website:** [**www.westendsocialclub.co.uk**](http://www.westendsocialclub.co.uk). **Also on Facebook.com**  **General Manager/Secretary: Emma Brooks (management@westendsocialclub.co.uk).**  **Asst Manager/Steward: Lynn Hookey. President: Dot Noble. March/May 2024** | | |  |
| **Regular Events**  *Evening or at time shown* | | **Club opening times** The bar closes 30 mins earlier | |
| **M0ndays – (10.00am) Line Dancing,**  **Short mat bowls**  **Tuesdays – (2.30pm) Bingo,**  **Line Dancing, Darts**  **Wednesdays – Jive lessons and dancing**  **Thursdays – (2.15pm) Line Dancing,**  **Sports Quiz (Sept – March)**  **Fridays (monthly) –Jive Bands**  **Saturdays-- live music (monthly, Pub Quiz, Bingo)**  **Sundays (monthly)– (2.30pm) Open Mic’/Jam, . Americana Sessions (Evenings) CMC** | | **Mon and Weds: 4.00 – 11.00pm**  **Tues and Thurs: 2.00 – 10.30pm**  **Friday: 2.00 – Midnight**  **Saturday: Noon – Midnight**  **Sunday: Noon – 6.00pm (events 11.00pm)**  **(See website for Christmas Opening times)**  ***(All non-members/guests must be signed in by a member and remain the responsibility of that member during their visit. No guest admission after 10.30pm )*** | |
| **Entertainment**  *Saturday Evening Music: 8.30 to 11.30pm* *(30 min' raffle break)* | | | |
| **March 2024**   |  |  | | --- | --- | | **2**  **9**  **16**  **23**  **30** | **Freddy Mercury (Tribute) Mike Baker\***  **Quiz**  **Full Flavour (60 - 90s pop)**  **Bullseye (60-70s pop)**  **Bingo (+Skittles on Friday 29)** | | **Sun**  **10** | *[8.00. t0 10.30 pm. 2x 60 min sets]*  **Tony Crooks (Country Music)** |   **April 2024**   |  |  | | --- | --- | | **6**  **13**  **20**  **27** | **Silver Searchers ( 60s/Mersey Tribute)\***  **Quiz (+ Skittles on Friday 19)**  **Bootlegs Band (60s-80s pop)**  **Bingo** | | **Sun**  **14** | *[8.00. t0 10.30 pm. 2x 60 min sets]*  **Steve Lovett (Country Music)** | | **Sun**  **21** | *[2.30. t0 4.30 pm. 2x 45 min sets]*  **Linden Lea+ Alan G (Americana Session)** |   **May 2024**   |  |  | | --- | --- | | **4**  **11**  **18**  **25** | **Scott Elvis (Tribute)\***  **Quiz**  **Hog Wild (60-70s pop/Country)**  **Bingo (+ Skittles on Friday 24)** | | **Sun**  **12** | *[8.00. t0 10.30 pm. 2x 60 min sets]*  **Jeff Gallant (Country Music)** | | **Sun**  **19** | *[2.30 t0 4.30 pm. 2x 45 min sets]*  **The Outlaws (Americana sessions)** |   **All music events on:**[**www.lemonrock.com**](http://www.lemonrock.com/westendsocialclub?page=gigs)   |  | | --- | | **Entry for Saturday Live Music events is £3 club members and £6 non-members (who must be signed in by a member). Higher ticket entry prices for Tribute events. Also higher for some events on other nights. Young children are not permitted on the dance floor at music events.** |  |  | | --- | | **Room/Group Bookings: contact - GM/ Secretary** | | **Booking Forms are at the bar and on the club website. We can accommodate parties, funerals, meetings, special events, etc, daytimes and some evenings. Disco equipment available to hire; also information on bands and catering available.** |   Entertainments Secretary and Newsletter Editor:  Nigel Karney entswesc@gmail.com 07783 518771 | ***.......Featured Monthly Music Events.........***   |  |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | | **funatics3.jpg**  **Full Flavour - 16 March**  Five seasoned performers who have experience playing in numerous bands, they have combined the best tunes from them all to create a song list to cater for all tastes, particularly drawn from the 70s and 80s. | | Hog Wild - 18 May  This popular four piece playa mix of rock'n'roll from the 50's, early 60s pop & R&B, along with a bit of classic country. **beer festival 1.jpg** |  | | | | **Tribute Artists (Saturdays. Ticket Entry only)\***   |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | | **funatics3.jpg**  **Scott Elvis**  **4th May 2024**  We welcome this popular solo Elvis tribute artist, highly recommended to us by club members who were blown away by his act elsewhere . Check out his videos on Youtube and on his website 'www.elvisbyrequest.co.uk' | The Silver Searchers  6 April 2024  Fine vocal harmonies, costumes, energy, humour & lots of witty banter! This 4 piece band will be performing their swinging 60's + Merseybeat Tribute show. They have played in The Cavern Club, Liverpool, all around the UK and beyond  **beer festival 1.jpg** |  | | | | | | **\*TRIBUTE TICKETS**  Available from the club bar and  on-line from the club website.  Club members (£**8**) six weeks in advance.  Non-members (£**12**) four weeks in advance. | | | |   **The Club's AGM will be held on 16 May**  **(details on the club website**) | | |

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| **Sport and Recreation** | |
| **Cribbage and Poker:** come along for a game most days. For details contact **John Davies** on 0782 8200056. | |
| **Snooker & Pool:** Two full size snooker are located in an air conditioned hall, with direct access to the saloon bar where there is a Pool table. If interested in playing or taking part in league events, come along to chat with the regular players. | |
| **Short Mat Bowls:** on **Monday evening.** New members welcome. Beginners will be given instruction.  Contact **Den Axe** at the club on Monday evenings or c/o **entswesc@gmail.com**. | |
| **Bingo:** 2.30pm on every **Tuesday** **afternoon**. Also monthly on **Saturday Evenings.** non-members welcome (**£1** entry) | |
| **Darts:** Boards available most evenings especially **Tuesdays**. New players and team events are welcome. | |
| **Skittles: Monthly on Fridays** . Also possible on other evenings when the dance-floor is free; ask at the bar. | |
| **West End Line Dance Club:** Every **Tuesday** **evenin**g. Contact **Alan** on 01483 473819 for more details . | |
| **War Games Group**: Every **Wednesday evening**. Contact **Steve Boothman** on 01483 830110 for more details | |
| **Jive Club** : every **Wednesday evening**. Beginners welcome (singles or couples). 12 month cycle of dance lessons from January. **Live bands monthly on 2nd Friday evening**s (ticket entry). Contact **Lynn & Pete** on 01252 872225. | |
| **Gin & Tonic's Beginners Line Dancing** on **Monday mornings** 10.00 to 11,00pm and **Thursday afternoons** 2.15 to 3.30pm**:** Contact **Ginny** on 07871154404.£2 members and £3 non-members. | |
| **Internet:** There is free wireless internet access available all day for members and guests; ask at the bar | |
| **TV Sport:** Sports coverage available in the saloon bar (and the lounge, except when there are live music events ) | |
| **Quiz Events** | |
| **Fun Pub Quiz** is now running **monthly** on **Saturday Evenings at 8,00pm**.  Format comprises relatively 'easy' questions and music rounds. **£2** per head to participate, max 6 per team, with a drinks voucher for the winning team.  **Sports Quiz league** meets **on Thursday evenings between September and March**. Format is 100 questions for a total of 150 points. Commences **at 8.00pm.** New teams can only join the league in September, but are welcome attend a session at any time as a ‘taster’. Contact **Martin Mansfield** on 07766 878386. | [https://encrypted-tbn2.gstatic.com/images?q=tbn:ANd9GcSI_WYtprRade0cG01q2EFtLgKPvSveJt9lRhoZfHVw51N6QXzhsw](http://www.google.co.uk/imgres?imgurl=http://www.swanageconservativeclub.co.uk/content/wp-content/uploads/2013/10/quiz-logo.jpg&imgrefurl=http://www.swanageconservativeclub.co.uk/sports-social/quiz-nights/&h=400&w=500&tbnid=xJXGd68tmeQ1KM:&zoom=1&docid=TWFMCXbayPG-QM&ei=jyLFU8fQAsaW0QXC0IGQCg&tbm=isch&ved=0CGQQMygoMCg&iact=rc&uact=3&dur=1394&page=3&start=39&ndsp=26) |
| **The Bar** | |
| We sell real ale, a range of other keg and bottled beers and lagers, cider, spirits and wine all at club prices; also coffee, soft drinks and bottled water, crisps and other bar snacks. It is not permitted to bring any drinks into the club for consumption on the premises. The lead committee member (bar) is **Dave Clutterbuck.** | |
| **Please be considerate to our neighbours; park carefully and leave the premises quietly in the evenings. All smoking (including e-cigarettes) has to take place outside the building in the smoking shelter.** | |

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| **Membership Information.** |
| Single Membership is currently **£20** per annum. New members also pay a £5 joining fee . Guests/non-members pay £1 on entry; they must be signed in by a member (2 per member) and remain the responsibility of that member during their visit. More guests may be admitted by a member for parties, party groups and other events, **but must be booked in advance**. *We welcome volunteers to help us to maintain the club and organise our larger events. Also Raffle prize donations.*  Please consider joining the **Surrey Heath Lottery**. 50% of ticket sales on our page goes to the club. Win up to £25,000! |
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| **Live Music on Sunday's** |
| **Open Mic’ (and Jam)** usuallyon the **last Sunday Afternoon** **monthly** **(2.30 – 4.45 pm).** |
| We have a full range of equipment including PA and a drum kit, but electric guitarists should bring their own amp. We welcome solo performers, duos or bands in the musical range of pop music, rock and roll, rhythm and blues, and country.  Just turn up to register for a slot (3 songs); possibly two, if time. Impromptu jams + individual performances.  Entry: Guests/visitors **£1,** club members/performers **free.** Contact **Nigel Karney**. |
| **Americana Sessions** (usually) on the **third Sunday Afternoon monthly (2.30 to 4.30pm )** |
| Live American Roots music for a listening audience. Mostly duos and small bands playing semi-acoustic. **£3 admission** |

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| **Sunday Country Music Club** usually on the **second Sunday** **Evening** **monthly** **(8.00 – 10.30 pm).** | |
| Professional Solo Country artists(and some duos)perform danceable country music (standards and modern country) with live guitar and professional backing tracks. Line dancing, partner dancing, freestyle and jiving are all accommodated. Listeners are also very welcome.  Admission: club members **£6** non-members £9. (includes a draw for a free event admission) | [http://t2.gstatic.com/images?q=tbn:ANd9GcQdBTwd2XmfA2XXVk4wAtNXiow-MFpxxrL-2ADyXjsBNrt85NcfQQ](http://www.google.co.uk/imgres?q=country+music&um=1&hl=en&qscrl=1&nord=1&rlz=1T4ADFA_enGB488GB489&biw=1264&bih=786&tbm=isch&tbnid=6uo-YlcKfs_8TM:&imgrefurl=http://www.dvd-ppt-slideshow.com/blog/country-songs-for-powerpoint-slideshow-best-tens/&docid=Hd-JFWaEbO-foM&imgurl=http://www.dvd-ppt-slideshow.com/blog/wp-content/uploads/2012/02/country-songs-for-slideshow.jpg&w=500&h=513&ei=cpcjULXfFbC00QWLxoGgAg&zoom=1&iact=hc&vpx=172&vpy=45&dur=115&hovh=227&hovw=222&tx=150&ty=108&sig=109141707840489102569&page=1&tbnh=126&tbnw=123&start=0&ndsp=25&ved=1t:429,r:0,s:0) |
| Monthly **Western** **Partner dancing sessions** are held at the club on **1st Sundays** 2.30 to 4.30 (**£3**)  Newcomers are welcome. Any queries about the CMC and these sessions contact **Nigel Karney.** |

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| **Other Events** |
| The Club is keen to host events supporting local and national charities. These can be accommodated on Friday evenings and some Sundays/Bank Holidays. Our premises are particularly suitable for music and dancing events (e.g. live performances and disco). We have our own PA + disco equipment. For details contact the GM/ Secretary (see page 1) |