Wychwood Veterans' Football Club

Many people think about retiring from sport when they reach 35 – we all get slower and less agile as we get older and surely, we can't keep on playing active games like football forever. The truth is that we could play for as long as we want to provided that we could find enough other slow and less agile players to join in with us – that's the idea behind the Wychwood Veterans F.C. Several years ago, Chris Barnes organized a friendly game of football for the dads of players in the Wychwood Boys Football Club. The interest grew and this year Kevin Cheeseman has taken the idea a step further and begun the organization of a team that has entered the Banbury and District League. The emphasis is very much on enjoyment and involvement and the social side of the club is intended to be as important as the football. There will be opportunities for everyone to play – apart from the League games, we will be playing in friendly fixtures as well and all against other veteran teams.

Anyone who has ever played or wanted to play football and is over 35 is more than welcome to join us. We would love to hear from anyone who thinks the idea sounds like fun – you don't have to be any good, just keen to join in and get involved. We would also like to hear from any local companies that might be interested in sponsoring the team. You can contact any of the people listed below and please keep an eye open for details of the first club meeting later in the summer.

Kevin Cheeseman, Manager 01993 831959 – Chris Barnes, Secretary 01993 830074 – Ian Marsden Chairman 01993 830497

Men Only

Men have sat together and talked about 'Men issues' for centuries. Why not now? Men Only is an exploration group for men to consider what it means to be a man today. Topics to include, Men and their Fathers; Men as Fathers; Men, Work & Fulfilment; Men, Discipline & Children; Feminism isn't for men. The course will take place on Monday evening at Chipping Norton as part of the Community Education programme. The course tutor will be Roger Bryant.

To book your place please telephone 01608 641644

Cats Protection League Jumble Sale Saturday, September 16th at 2.00 p.m. at Milton Village Hall