

The Wychwood

A Time for Optimism



It has been a long, cold winter but the bulbs are out now and the nights are getting longer, so time to look forward to spring.

We are especially grateful to local artist, Penny Fulljames, for permission to reproduce one of her dramatic paintings as our front cover. More about Penny and her work on page 36.

This year we seem to have a surfeit of celebrations! Wychwood Tennis Club are celebrating 60 years on page 13; we look back 60 years as part of the Guide Association Celebrations of their centenary on page 39 and Milton Village Hall committee are celebrating the Hall's 50th anniversary, page 63.

Our villages have fetes to entertain us throughout the summer; more details of the Milton fete are on page 27 and Fifield and Idbury fete on page 33. This year we have a real circus coming to Wychwood School PTA fete, details on page 61.

We are always asking our readers to send in articles and stories . We have received so many varied pieces that we are sure that this issue contains something for everyone . We are now asking for you to continue our Living Story, see details on page 7. Thank you all and keep them coming.

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