

News from Cornbury

Recent events have shown that we have not been particularly good with communication locally and we are going to make a real effort to keep our local area informed of our plans in future. In the coming months we'll remind you about the walks, runs and other events we host at Cornbury and tell you a few things you perhaps didn't know about what we do.

A Working Estate

As many will know, Cornbury Park is a family-run working estate that has diversified with the times. Our business includes agriculture; rental of offices converted from traditional farm buildings; residential lettings; events; deer stalking; bush-craft courses and forestry. We have a diverse array of local businesses based here at Cornbury, 23 at present, all providing local employment, goods and services. On our residential side we have some fantastic tenants, many of whom have been here for years. Most of our events here at Cornbury are charitable and this year they include the **Ribbon Walk** in **May** and the **NSPCC Hack** in **September**. In May we welcome a car rally show www.therallyshow.org and we are planning to host a music festival again



this summer, **The Wilderness Festival**. Details of all our events can be found on our website www.cornburypark.co.uk.

Going Solar

In addition we have been exploring ways in which we can harness renewable energy. Solar energy is looking the most promising and we are hoping to put in a planning application, in conjunction with our partners Alectron, for a solar farm. *Sustainable Charlbury* has been involved from the outset and is very enthusiastic.

We are always happy to answer any questions that you might have about Cornbury - please get in touch by emailing us at: estate@cpark.co.uk.

The Cornbury Park Team

Big Brother *IS* Watching!

It was with great regret that the Committee of the New Beaconsfield Hall took the decision to install CCTV, but sadly it is a sign of the times. On the evening of January 11th a young man parked his moped in the rear car park of the Hall, walked up to the new play area and proceeded to loosen a post that was set in the newly laid cement and to write various expletives in that still-soft cement. What he did not realise was that his actions were being filmed on the

CCTV and that the Reg-Cam also identified the registration number plate on his vehicle. It was a simple step for the police to identify and confront him with his actions.

So, a warning to anyone causing damage to the Hall or the new play equipment - be sure you will be identified and you can expect a visit from the local Police.

Management Committee
The New Beaconsfield Hall