

April 2019

Notes from the President

The worst Gota Fria for 70+ years apparently. Fortunately we at Casa Scandell were spared any serious flooding, just a few black outs and a failed septic tank pump causing a nasty smell in the bathroom. Still, luckier than some.

Although there was not a members meeting, your committee held their April meeting and discussed some interesting topics.

We firmed up the Event Calendar including bringing forward by a week the 2nd Tea Dance due to a wedding booking at the venue.

The speakers for the Members Meeting were finalised for the rest of the year.

Nest month we have the Consul from Alicante to explain any Brexit decisions and to take questions from the floor. In June we have Candida Wright from HELP. September a talk about educating children in Tanzania and October, a financial expert telling us about Spanish tax and inheritance law. The year will be completed in November with a carol concert accompanied by our very own Ukuholics.



The Ester Lunch was enjoyed by all. Food was good, our very own singer Andrew was terrific and the Easter Bonnets and painted eggs were a triumph, some serious thought and effort was made by all. Terrific. Sadly the chocolate easter Bunnies were to my mind too small. However, definitely on the agenda for next year.

The invitation for the second Tea Dance has been sent and the bookings flooding in. It looks as though we will have a fewer number of floor strutters to the first dance. Which moves me on to

the Dance Lesson Group that is now into its 3rd week. Steps have been taught and sort of learnt for the Social Foxtrot, a beginners version of the classic dance, Cha Cha Cha, and Waltz.

It is good fun and the teachers are friendly, helpful and not in the least bit judgemental! Keep an eye out for the beginning of the next block of lessons.

The re-launched Newsletter will be hitting your post-boxes any time soon. If you have anything to say or suggest, this is your forum. Email the editor with any titbits you think should be known by us all. Juicy gossip will be published without censorship and good pics of fellow members enjoying themselves always make for interesting comment and discussion.

Next month we have the Spring Picnic. Good food and wine will be shared and partaken, and for those of us who didn't make the 'Concert at the Greek Theatre in '72' we have the next best thing. A Neil Diamond revival act for your entertainment.

There has been a drop off of participants to the Wednesday am Pilates Group. Check out the details on our website under Group Pilates and come along to increase your strength, flexibility and posture.



Two new groups are about to be launched.

Board Games and
Singles Get-Together

The Board games gathering will be held on Wednesdays at the Cafe Soles at 3pm. Would those interested check out the web page and

contact Jerry the group leader. Also check the web page for the Singles Get-Together.

thank for reading this ken