

Shimpling Village Hall December Report

During the past few months there has been considerable activity at the village hall, with bookings double those for the same period of last year, so it is very encouraging to see an increasing use of the hall.

During this period we were entertained by two excellent speakers, with Will Tyler expanding on the activities of past poachers and smugglers. This was followed by a most entertaining talk by Bryan Thurlow recalling the days of old time music halls and no doubt Bryan will be making a return visit to Shimpling sometime to enlighten us once again on the history of the entertainments industry.

As is always the case, the quiz evening turned out to be a great success, with our usual fish and chip supper, and with Vernon the quizmaster in great form, ably assisted by Jackie and Gerry. The competition was fiercely contested with a very close finish for the first few places, but whether it was first or last place it would seem that everybody had an enjoyable evening.