

OF

BURNTWOOD and DISTRICT 1210

Free Carols by candle light Concert

incorporating the switching on of the "Tree of Light"

Burntwood Memorial Hall

Sun 28th November 2010 4.00pm

Special Thanks to: - Rotary Club of Burntwood & District Burntwood Town Council Crown Cutting Services Alexander James Jaymans

Clive Cain President 2010/11 invites new members to join Rotary International. The club meets on Wednesday at 7.30pm for 8.00pm at the Park Gate Inn, Cannock Wood, Burntwood, Staffs. WS15 4RN. New members and guests are welcome.





* Lyrics for the carols are included in the programme for your participation. Enjoy (

4.00pm Once in Royal David's City *

- 4.05pm Welcome By Rotarian Paul Smith (Paul is a past President of Burntwood Rotary Club)
- 4.10pm Rugeley Power Station Band (Musical Director Russell Perry invites local talent to join the established band on a Tuesday Evening, 7.30pm at Rugeley Power Station Social Club)
- 4.30pm Good King Wenceslas *
- 4.35pm Chase Terrace Technology College Choir and Drama Group (Rachel Baggot Head of Performing Arts &Drama with students from our very own High School on Bridge Cross Road)
- 4.45pm We Three Kings *
- 5.00pm Refreshments served by the Imps and Elves of Burntwood. (Rotary Ladies)
- 5.30pm President Clive Cain invites Mr Douglas Constable, the Chairman of Burntwood Town Council to switch on the lights on the 'Rotary Tree Of Light 2010'
- 5.35pm Rugeley Power Station Band

Special Guest

- 5.40pm Burntwood Guides perform Little Donkey & Away in a manger (This year Guiding is celebrating their centenary, we are delight to share in their celebrations and wish our future Queen who was once a Brownie our very best wishes)
- 5.50pm 1st Chase Terrace Scouts, The Little Drummer Boy (We are proud and honoured to welcome Mrs Barbara Proctor Director of Music with the Chase Terrace Scout Band, who honour the local community year in year out with music at Remembrance and St Georges day parades.)
- 5.55pm Sharron and Darrell Burns, Mary's Boy Child (Leading members of Cannock Wood and Gentleshaw Music Society (CWAGMS) and leading talent from Cannock Wood.)
- 6.05pm O Little Town of Bethlehem *
- 6.15pm Blessing by the Vicar of Burntwood Parish Church Rev. Marg Mattocks

6.20pm We wish you a Merry Christmas *

6.25pm Farewell and thank you by Paul Smith



SING ALONG CAROLS

'Once in Royal David's City'

Once in Royal David's City Stood a lowly cattle – shed Where a mother laid her Baby In a manger for His bed. Mary was that Mother Mild, Jesus Christ her little child.

He came down to earth from heaven Who is God and Lord of all And His shelter was a stable, And His cradle was a stall With the poor and mean and lowly Lived on earth our Saviour holy

And through all his wondrous childhood He would honour and obey Love and watch the lowly maiden: In whose gentle arms he lay Christian children all must be Mild obedient, good as He

For he is our childhood's pattern Day by day like us He grew He was little weak and helpless Tears and smiles, like us He new And He feeleth for our sadness. And He shareth in our gladness.

And our eyes at last shall she him, Through His own redeeming love; For that Child, so dear and gentle, Is our Lord in heaven above; And He leads his children on To the place where He is gone.

Not in that poor lowly stable, With the oxen standing by, We shall see Him; but in heaven Set at God's right hand on high When like stars his children crowned All in white shall wait around.



'Good King Wenceslas'

Good King Wenceslas looked out On the Feast of Stephen, When the snow lay round about Deep, and crisp an even; Brightly shone the moon that night, Though the frost was cruel, When a poor man came in sight, Gathering winter fuel.

Hither page, and stand by me, If thou know'st it telling, Yonder peasant who is he? Where and what is dwelling? Sire, he lives a good league hence Underneath the mountain Right against the forest fence, By St.Agnes" fountain.

Bring me Flesh and bring me wine, Bring me pine-logs hither; Thou and I will see him dine, When we bear them thither. Page and monarch, forth they went, Forth they went together, Through the rude wind's wild lament And the bitter weather.

Sire the night is darker now, And the storm blows stronger; Fails my heart, I know not how; I can go no longer. Mark my footsteps, good my page, Tread thou in them boldly; Thou shalt find the winters rage. Freeze thy blood less coldly.

In his masters steps he trod, Where the snow lay dinted; Heat was in the very sod Which the Saint had printed. Therefore, Christian men, be sure, Wealth or rank possessing, Ye who now will bless the poor Shall yourselves find blessing.



'We Three Kings of Orient are'

We Three Kings of Orient are Bearing gifts we traverse so afar Field and fountain moor and mountain Following yonder star,

O star of wonder, star of night Star with royal beauty bright Westward leading, still proceeding Guide us to Thy perfect light

Born a King on Bethlehem plain Gold I bring, to crown Him again King forever, ceasing never Over us all to reign [Chorus] Frankincense to offer have I; Incense owns a Deity nigh: Prayer and Praising, all men raising, Worship Him, God most high: [Chorus] Myrrh is mine; its bitter perfume Breaths a life of gathering gloom; Sorrowing, sighing, bleeding, dying, Sealed in the stone-cold tomb [Chorus] Glorious now, behold Him arise, King and God, and sacrifice Heaven sings alleluya, Alleluya the earth replies: [Chorus]

'We wish you a Merry Christmas'

We wish you a Merry Christmas; We wish you a Merry Christmas; We wish you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Glad tidings we bring to you and your kin; Glad tidings for Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Oh, bring us a figgy pudding; Oh, bring us a figgy pudding; Oh, bring us a figgy pudding and a cup of good cheer. [Chorus]

O Little Town of Bethlehem'

O Little town of Bethlehem How still we see thee lie ! Above thy deep and dreamless sleep The silent stars go by; Yet in thy dark streets shineth The everlasting Light; The hopes and fears of all the years Are met in thee to-night.

O morning stars, together Proclaim the holy birth, And praises sing to God the King, And peace to men on earth For Christ is born of Mary; And, gathered all above, While mortals sleep, the Angels keep Their watch of wondering love.

How silently, how silently, The wondrous gift is given! So God imparts to human hearts The blessings of His Heaven, No ear may hear his coming; But in this world of sin, Where meek souls will receive Him still The dear Christ enters in.

O Holy Child in Bethlehem, Descend to us we pray; Cast out our sin, and enter in Be born in us today, We hear the Christmas Angels The great glad tidings tell; O come to us, abide with us, Our Lord Emmanuel.

> We won't go until we get some; We won't go until we get some; We won't go until we get some, so bring some out here. [Chorus]

We wish you a Merry Christmas; We wish you a Merry Christmas; We wish you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. [Chorus]



Rotary Club of Burntwood & District International Membership Number 1643 District 1210 Registered Charity No 1032527

TREE OF LIGHT 2010

On Sunday 28th November 2010 The Tree of Light will be switched on at Swan Island Burntwood. During the Community Carol Service. Burntwood Memorial 4.0pm – 6.30pm

The Rotary Club would like to invite you to give a donation in commemoration of a loved one, or as a dedication to some one or cause that is dear to you.

All donations will go to the **Macmillan Nurses** a list of all contributors making a donation will be acknowledged in all local papers.

Our grateful thanks to **Burntwood Town Council** for their generous sponsorship and **Crown Cutting Services** for providing and installing the Christmas Tree Lights.

To make a donation, tear off the bottom portion of this form and return it with your donation to:-

ROTARY CLUB OF BURNTWOOD "TREE OF LIGHT"

Commemoration of / Dedication to (name of person or cause)

Donation: (minimum gift £5.00) £.....

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Your Name and Address

Place your slip in an envelope addressed to: - Rotary Club of Burntwood & District

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