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NEWSLETTER



TENTH GALA CELEBRATION OF CHRISTMAS PEACE

A further reminder that this year, the Peace Concert will be held in the Waterfront Hall, Belfast, on **WEDNESDAY 13th December 2006** at 7.30, and will feature Kim Phuc survivor of the Vietnam War. Kim tours the world raising funds for her charity in aid of children injured through war and civil strife.

In addition, Gospel Pianist Huntely Brown of the USA and Donna Malone (Guest Soprano with the Celtic Tenors) will perform. Sadly, this is the last year the Gala Celebration of Christmas Peace will take place

As previously advised a shopping trip will be organised if members wish. A meal will be supplied before the concert, at a venue to be announced, where we will meet up with the Bunrana families.

If you are interested in attending this concert, please contact **Mary/Fionna on 8225 9877 before 30th November 2006**, in order that we can book the tickets and finalise the remaining details.



LIBRARY ARCHIVE LAUNCH

We wish to advise that the Library Archive is now live and can be accessed on :

www.omagharchive.co.uk

The official launch will take place on **Thursday 16 November**, the guest speaker will be Terry Waite MBE CBE. We will report back on this in the next Newsletter.

FUTURE COURSES/ACTIVITIES

The Management Committee would welcome if anyone has any suggestions for future courses or social activities that they would like to see the group participate in, ie languages, crafts or something different. please contact **Mary/Fionna on 8225/9877**.

FORTHCOMING COURSES

The following courses are scheduled to take place in Omagh College in November, **but will not happen if the numbers of people wishing to participate do not increase. The College insist that we must have 14 people for each course.**

Adobe Photoshop - Commencing on **Tuesday 21st November 2006**. Starting time to be decided. There are a few places left on this one. This is an accredited course, and there will be an examination fee of £20. This course will last for 15 weeks.

Yoga Course for Beginners - Do you have an interest in learning Yoga? If so, the course commences **on Thursday 23rd November 2006, 7.30 - 9.00**, and lasting for 11 weeks.

Introduction to Computers– Learn how to use a computer This is an accredited course with OCR and there will be an examination fee of £8.40. This course will last for 15 weeks. A provisional start date of **Monday February 5th 2007** has been booked.

Book your place today!!! **Contact Mary/Fionna on 8225 9877.**

BUNCRANA MEMBERS

Would those who received membership forms and questionnaires, and who have not returned them, please do so to **Donna** at OSSHG

SOCIAL EVENING

In order to strengthen links with Buncrana members, it has been suggested, and this was agreed at the last Management Committee Meeting to organise a social evening in Buncrana. This would take place in the New Year. Any suggestions as to venue or ideas please contact **Donna on 8225 9877**

FREE REIKI SESSIONS !!!

We are very fortunate to have a fully qualified reiki therapist offer her services to our group members. Ms Connie Morrow will be in the Omagh Support and Self Help Group Office every **Thursday**. If you wish to make an appointment or require any further information please telephone **Mary/Fionna on 8225 9877**. Please note this will operate on a first come first served basis so phone early to avoid disappointment.

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