

## **Northern Area 18 Plus e-chat January 2004**

Hello there - how are you doing? Here's the second Northern Area 18 Plus e-chat.

The main aim of e-chat is as a way for me to let you know of Group, Area and National happenings as quickly as possible. It is not a replacement for the Bulk Posting which Groups will receive shortly.

Hopefully it can work both ways. Please let me know of anything you want to find out or pass on to other Groups.

## **November Area Conference**

The minutes are now available on-line at the link below and will be sent out in the next Bulk Posting.

<http://www.anvil.uk.net/NORTHERN/areaconNov2003.htm#report>

## **Area scale events**

Rothwell Group have asked that their Easter Bunk Barn Holiday be included in the Area Activities diary. I understand that the Derbyshire Peak District is this year's choice. More details will be released as they become available.

## **Valentines Disco**

Thanks to Bradford Group for volunteering to organize this event..

## **Christmas Disco**

Hope everyone who attended had a good time at the Christmas Disco at The Gateway, Parris Wood near Didsbury.

Thanks to D.J. for the event Rick Brown and his assistant Simon Frith. I'd also like to thank Elaine Anderson and Karen Chaplin who donated some great raffle prizes for the occasion.

Some photos and a bit of a story can be found on the Web Site.

<http://www.anvil.uk.net/NORTHERN/christmas2003.htm>

## **NORTHERN AREA 18 PLUS LEEDS NIGHT OUT 2004**

**Where:** Wetherspoons, Leeds Railway Station - start

**When:** Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> JANUARY 2004 7:30 p.m. start

**Cost:** Meal - £10 approx

This is something new for Northern Area 18 Plus, it was suggested at the Area Conference in November that we organize special nights out in Leeds and Manchester, these locations are relatively easy to get to and from by public transport and are “happening” places entertainment wise.

First up is Leeds on January 17<sup>th</sup> 2004. The meeting place will be Wetherspoons at Leeds railway station at 7:30, then on to Maxi's Express in The Light for a Chinese buffet (8:00) after the meal a bit of a pub crawl starting at Edwards in the Merrion Centre (9:00) then off clubbin' at the Bondi Beech night club.

I'd be grateful if Groups could let me know roughly how many people wish to go for the Chinese Buffet (by phone, e-mail or text) as the restaurant will need to know this.

Hope to see you all there.

A letter, poster and map will be included in the January Bulk Posting.

## **NEC**

There's an NEC Weekend this month - if there's anything you'd like me to bring up, please let me know.

## **And Finally.....**

Here's all my contact details, post, telephone, e-mail and even a fax number for those who might want to send me a note by phone (you never know!).

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