



Event - 50th Jubilee Dinner Dance

A happy group of some 35 people turned up to Sutton Green Golf Club on Saturday evening to celebrate the last of the three specially organised 50th Golden Jubilee Events. There was an excellent mix of current and past members, and guests.

It started as a very misty evening for some as they travelled, but once at the club, it was all lights and sparkles, with the men in full dinner jackets and the ladies in beautiful outfits. Goodness, how smart we looked! The noise of excited chatter at the bar as people greeted each other overpowered the gentle background music. Even the Commodore had to shout to be heard announcing to everyone to proceed to supper, and we were all hungry!



After a personal welcome by the Commodore going into the main dining area, we could see that the scene was set, the tables were attractively laid, with golden balloons in the centre; a large Christmas tree was installed in the corner, and a tv screen was looping pictures of club members past and current from the last 25 years.



The food was well presented and delicious, and served by attentive staff. Wine and drinks continued to flow, and Christmas cracker jokes were heard around the room. At midway stage Andrew gave a brief and heartfelt speech to thank people for attending, to marvel at how the club has thrived for 50 years, and to raise a toast to the next 50 years!





Once we had eaten, the DJ cranked up the music a little, playing favourite dance music, and lo and behold, club members started boogying on the dance floor! It was often crowded, and I believe most everybody used it as a great excuse to lose a few calories! Officially the music stopped at 11:30, but many stayed longer, continuing to talk and share stories.

Those who were there will tell you what a great night it was. We also partied for those members who for one reason or another were not able to make it! Who knows, perhaps the Dinner Dance might get repeated in years to come??