



# CAPITAL WINGS



Partying continued in December with a TV party - Thames Valley & White Horse that is. There were five Moles at the TV&WH Christmas Party: Wayne, Ingrid, Dani, Yetti and Ginny. Quite a few Wingers were staying at a hotel near to the party venue and they all met up in the bar during the afternoon for some refreshments and a general chat/catch up. After all that, it was time to get ready for the party. Grubs had organised taxis from the hotel to the venue at Pitt Hall Barn, Basingstoke and thoughtfully and sensibly also for the return trip back to the hotel at the end of the evening. So just a short ride and everyone was transported for the evening.

Upon arrival, the first drink was on TV&WH - Cheers! It was an amazing venue and best of all was meeting up with some of their Region's new members as well as old ones not staying at the hotel. Then it was time to find our seats and sit down. The Christmas meal was very good and there was even seconds if anyone had the space. Plus, we all got a TV&WH cookie and very tasty it was too.





The Moles got two prizes in the pass-the-parcel game. Yetti won a bag of jelly snow-babies and Ginny won a lottery ticket. Unfortunately, we forgot to tell Grubs it was a dud prize as we only had one matching number on it. However, the prize did come with a chocolate attached so Ginny was a happy bunny or was that a happy elf? There were also lots of prizes up for grabs in the raffle that followed and it seemed like everyone won something at least, if not more.





Sadly, the evening was all over too soon and it was time to return to our hotel.

We would like to thank Bill Plenty and Spud for their balcony singing and all at TV&WH for letting us join their party. We had a great time!

Roll on the next party at Kent Wings.....

It's a short report this month but I mustn't finish without wishing Carol a speedy recovery from her ailments. She has been very unlucky. Firstly, just before Christmas, she slipped on her sparkling clean but wet kitchen floor and broke her wrist, then stomach pains came along and she was diagnosed with gall stones. At the time of writing, she may have had to have had an operation. With all the rain, storms, snow and sleet we've had recently, I bet Carol and Richard wish they were out of old Blighty and back in Spain. Hopefully it won't be too long before they can return to sunnier climes.



Don't forget to celebrate Pancake Tuesday and Valentine's Day - one follows the other this month.

Miss (Helen) Whiplash

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