

## SOCIAL AND ENTERTAINMENT REPORT 2013

During 2013 twenty one functions were arranged or proposed following a format very similar to 2012. Two of the proposed events did not come to fruition however as there was insufficient interest shown to make them viable. These were a stay in a hotel over the Christmas period and a coach trip to the newly built commercial centre at La Zenia Boulevard for pre Christmas shopping.

As in previous years the Burns Night Supper in January proved to be very popular with the highest attendance figure of fifty eight. The Branch Anniversary Dinner in June at the Paraiso Restaurant in Parcent ran it a fairly close second with forty six people attending. The two quiz nights were very well supported and the steak nights at Maviro retained their popularity as did the bowling nights although the latter attracted less people due to the nature of the event.

Functions organised by other members were the Treasure Hunt in May, the Flying Day at Mutxamiel Airfield in June and the meal at Pepe y Estrells Restaurant prior to the Remembrance Day Service in Javea in November. My thanks go to John and Meri Snell, Shane Martin, Joy and Ray Harris and to Harry Raven, who will be sorely missed by the branch, for all their time and effort put into the organisation of these events.

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