

THE GATEACRE SOCIETY

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Next meeting -

'DOWSING' OR 'DIVINING'

by

L. M. SHEPHERD

Mr. Shepherd will tell us about the art of dowsing for water or minerals which has been known from ancient times. He reckons simple dowsing for water can be done by most people, and he will show us how to make divining rods and pendulums for our own use.

TUESDAY, 21st MAY at 8 p.m.

At The Gateacre Institute, Grange Lane, Gateacre. Visitors are welcome.

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ENVIRONMENT WEEK - 11th May to 19th May

Apart from washing and waxing Queen Victoria during this week we have been invited by the Merseyside Environmental Trust to share a caravan, with other amenity societies, to show the flag for Gateacre, sell some of our tea towels and, hopefully, get a few new members. Our secretaries, Harold and Joan Gadd have offered to man the caravan on the 11th May and we are looking for volunteers to look after our stall on the 18th May. The displays will be in Church Street on the 11th and in Bold Street on the 18th - more details from Harold and Joan on 428 - 8884.

CHAPEL HALL, Sandfield Road -

The hall was built in 1897 as a Sunday School/Hall/meeting room. Its recent use, until last year, has been mainly to serve school dinners to the children of Gateacre C. of E. School in Halewood Road. Now that the school has closed the hall is available for a new role, and the Chapel Committee wish to assess the possible demand for a new use/uses. We are asked to give this some thought and come along with any ideas to an informal meeting in the Chapel on Friday 14th June at 7 p.m. or a coffee morning in the Chapel on Saturday 15th June from 10 a.m.

GRANGE MANOR -

We wrote to the Chairman of the Public Entertainments Committee, Councillor McManus asking for the conditions his Committee had imposed, relating to closing hours and 'live music', to be extended to the renewed licence. We also attended the meeting of the Committee on the 26th April with other local residents and are pleased to be able to report that the licence was granted on the terms we had asked for.

PLANNING APPLICATIONS -

- 5 Rockbourne Avenue to erect ground floor and 1st floor extensions
- 20 Willow Green to erect 2-storey extension at side
- 33 Cherry Vale to convert garage/utility room to shower room, erect garden shed & car port at side
- Elm House, Childwall to demolish coach house and outbuilding
(this coach house is Listed and we will write to the C.P.O. in support of our Childwall neighbours objecting to this destruction)

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