

been asked by Pauline to run the event next year. Traditionally there has been more people wishing to attend than the maximum 36 places available therefore the first come basis and prepayment is essential to maintain impartiality to the bookings.

TO CONCLUDE:

The Social Group is very proud to have participated in raising the sum of money for Cancer Research and running the raffle for Macmillan Cancer Support; our thanks go to the generosity of the people in this village.

We would also like to say thank you to Pauline at the Bull Butcher for all her help in supplying the beer for the Pig Roast, for making the Social Group so welcome at the Pensioners' Lunch and a great night on Christmas Eve.

We would also like to say thank you to Sally Hughes the Head Teacher of the school. Sally and her staff are so supportive to the village and the Pensioners' lunch by bringing the children into the Bull & Butcher to perform the songs from their Christmas production.

The pub and the school are a big part of our village and we are extremely grateful to both Pauline and Sally Hughes for working so closely with the Social Group to strengthen the links within the community.

Brian Coxall

Chairman for and on behalf of the Akeley Social Group