

Hi Folks,

As promised, here is the email with details of re-start dates, changes to prices and if you're free, 'Day Out' etc....

## Class End and Restart Dates

### Shirley Methodist Church

Thursday Night

Beginners 7.30pm - 8.30pm

Improvers 8.45pm - 9.45pm

Last classes for summer will be held on **Thursday 31 July 2008.**

Classes will re-open on **Thursday 4 September 2008.**

### Beckenham Dance Studios

Tuesday Night

Beginners 6.00pm - 7.00pm

Improvers 7.00pm - 8.00pm

Last classes for summer will be held on **Tuesday 29 July 2008.**

Classes will re-open on **Tuesday 2 September 2008.**

## Increase in Price - Shirley

I have managed to keep the cost of the class the same price since I launched in May 2006. However, having had a rent increase in April of this year and taking into account various other expenses, means, that I will have to implement a small increase. Therefore, the fee for one class will go up to £6 per person and for those that do both classes the price will raise

to £9 per person. I hope this doesn't cause too much of a problem for anyone.

**The increase will start from Thursday 4 September 2008.**

**That's the bad news out of the way, here's some good news.**

## **A trip on the Routemaster Bus**

As a small gesture of my appreciation and a chance for the team to meet you all socially, we are having a day out to Polhill Garden Centre on Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> August 2008.

For those of you that have not visited Polhill before it is a huge site on the A21 near Badgers Mount, Sevenoaks. In addition to the usual plants, garden furniture, aquariums etc they have a substantial restaurant (with patio area) that serves lunches, including Sunday roasts.

The Bus (Terry's own Routemaster) will be leaving Shirley Methodist Church at 11am. We will start the return journey on or around closing time at 4.30pm. The journey takes about 45 minutes which means we will be back at Shirley about 5.15-ish. If you want to bring anything back with you, and we can get it on the bus, we are more than happy for you to do so.

Last year we did this trip and it was a great success. However, I wasn't quite sure how the day was going to pan out but needn't have worried, as having had lunch and lazed around in the scorching sun all afternoon we really didn't want to leave, and could have easily stayed on for longer.

So, if you want to come for a ride on a big red bus and spend a relaxing afternoon in Sevenoaks, you are more than welcome. It's free; it's open to all of you who attend Beckenham and

Shirley; partners also welcome, and we will be opening a bottle of something nice on the way down. I do hope you can join us.

Best Regards

Paul.....