

## Fund raising at Blaenavon

Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> Sept.

D-Day for Blaenavon as they held a fete in the grounds of Blaenavon hospital to start their fund raising towards their Leg Club

Beautiful blue skies were overhead as the stalls were set up by all the local organisations that attended to give their support for the day, a good variety of stalls cake and refreshments, jewellery. Toys, coconut shy, bouncy castle and various others not forgetting the beer stand which did good business because it was quite a hot day as did the ice cream stand.



Dignitaries were welcomed by:-

Jane Kirby – Senior nurse manager community hospitals

Lorraine Metcalfe – Ward manager

Kay Watkins – N/A

Sheree Williams – N/A

Brian and Pauline Whitcombe – Fundraisers and Brian is a local councillor as well

Dignitaries were:-

Rt Hon Paul Murphy MP

Tom Hewish Mayor of Blaenavon

The Lord Mayor and Lady Mayoress of the Borough of Torfaen  
Mr & Mrs T James

They were treated to a buffet lunch whilst having a short meeting with the nurses involved with the Leg Club

Blaenavon is a valley town with a strong community feeling and as such the day was well attended by the residents of the area who showed great interest in what the Leg Club is all about, and everyone involved was showing a great deal of enthusiasm for the future. Carole and I attended to give moral support from Blaenau Gwent as they will be our close neighbours only being about 5 miles from us but in a different Borough of Gwent. We wish them every success for the future and will help in any way possible; this is how I am writing this newsletter for them.





