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Anglican Young People's Association	British Legion
Catholic Women's League	Hagley Coffee Club
Hagley Conservative Association	Conservatives, Ladies' Section
Hagley Hockey Club	Hagley Infant Welfare Clinic
Hagley Let's Do a Play Club	Hagley and District Light Car Club
Hagley Liberal Association	Hagley Parish Council
Hagley Parochial Church Council	Hagley Roman Catholic School
Hagley Rambler Scouts	Hagley Women's Institute
Hagley Young Wives' Group	West Hagley Cricket Club
Worcestershire County Council	West Hagley Football Club
United Nations Association (Local Branch)	
Hagley Historical and Field Society	

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EDITORIAL

After twelve issues as a duplicated article the Village News celebrates its "birthday" by putting on a new garb. The Community Association, first of all, would like to express its thanks to Mr. B. J. Smith for all the work he has done in the past year in producing the first volume. Our thanks are also due to the persons who have purchased advertising space and have made this latest Village News possible. All readers are asked to give the advertisers their patronage.

The Village News is published during the first few days of each month and distributed free to most houses in the village. A total of 1,500 copies are issued. Our space is open to village organisations who wish to submit articles, report on functions or announce forthcoming events; however, anyone wishing to contribute articles of a local nature or of topical interest, will be welcome to do so. All material should reach the Editor before the 13th of the month prior to publication.

The Community Association Appeal was launched at the Lyttelton Hotel, on Monday, 11th May, 1964, by Mr. J. M. C. Higgs, chairman of the County Council, who gave the first donation. He said that "a centre will make Hagley a more satisfactory place to live in and would distinguish it at once from the dormitory areas." Within twenty-four hours of the launching of the appeal and the delivery of the appeal brochure, the sum of £89 10s. had been received by the treasurer, and also a covenant from Viscount Cobham, K.G., J.P., T.D., D.L., our patron, for a sum of money for the next seven years. This has the extra benefit of a tax allowance. By the time this Village News is published, the appeal house-to-house collection will have been completed. If you have not been approached or have not sent in a donation, please consider the importance of our aim to build a centre for the use of all organisations and residents of the village, young and old. No sum is too small — no sum is too large !!