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to commemorate the opening of HAGLEY COMMUNITY CENTRE on Saturday, November 1st, 1969



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#### FOREWORD

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I am delighted and honoured to be writing this message in the programme to mark the opening of the Hagley Community Centre.

For the past eight years the building of this hall has been the top priority of the Hagley Community Association. A small band of enthusiastic and devoted workers must earn our thanks for raising the money needed. Some are known to you, and are committee members. Others are unknown and just helped because they believe in this idea, and still others, unable to help actively, have contributed to the funds with willingness.

I would like to thank the official bodies; The Ministry of Education, Worcestershire County Council and Bromsgrove Rural District Council for their contributions, and I would like to thank their representatives who have smoothed the path of negotiation.

None of this would have been possible without the help of our own Parish Council who have given many hours of precious time to the project.

The building was our top priority, but no less important was the fostering of the community spirit of Hagley. This attractive building must be used to allow this spirit to flourish and this centre will be a focus of village life. In this respect it is not the end, but the beginning of a new adventure for Hagley.

#### **OPENING**

## Official Opening by **THE VISCOUNT COBHAM** AT 2.30 p.m.

The Blessing by
His Grace The Bishop of Worcester

followed by Light Refreshments

A Celebration Cabaret and Dance IN THE EVENING

WHAT A
Community Association
CAN DO FOR US

Co-operation

Bring people and organisations together, democratically and on a non-party and non-sectarian basis, for the benefit of all.

#### Activities

Arrange social, recreational, educational, activities to suit the needs and tastes of everyone who cares to join.

#### **Amenities**

Consider the amenities and services needed by the people of the neighbourhood and act on their behalf.

#### Community spirit

Foster the spirit of friendliness and co-operation in the neighbourhood

In short, can help to make the neighbourhood

a better place to live in

#### PROGRAMME

#### ALL EVENTS TO START AT 8.00

#### **MONDAY**

FILM SHOW — by A. H. Chattin, Esq., all will be welcome.

#### **TUESDAY**

CHORAL & CONCERT EVENING — arranged by F. Ratherham, Esq.

#### WEDNESDAY

OPEN EVENING — for visitors to have a chat and look around.

#### **THURSDAY**

PAGEANT — by Let's do a Play Club.

#### **FRIDAY**

WHIST DRIVE — by Toc H.

#### **SATURDAY**

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