

# W I C NEWS



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*May 1996*

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## Dear Members

What can one say at this stage other than farewell to the office, and au revoir to all the members, as summer sets in and many of us disperse to cooler climes, at least for a while.

It has been a wonderfully absorbing year, with rarely a spare moment to ponder aches and pains or personal matters.

All those books lying by the bedside can now be dusted off and put into reading order; and other things will quickly creep into the unguarded moment.

I thank most deeply and most sincerely all of the executive committee for their great imagination and their untiring and determined efforts to

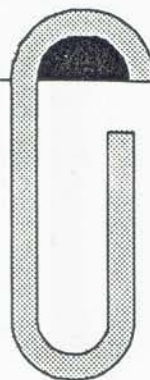
make silver jubilee year one to remember with pride and affection. Without them it would have been impossible. That does not mean that the equally energetic and selfless efforts of the non-committee members has not also been invaluable - especially the circle leaders, who have tended their various flocks with imagination and affection. Thank you all.

Finally, good luck to next year's committee; we shall be there to support you.

Yours warmly,

—Annie Howard  
President

## Editor's Note!



Dear Members,

It seems like only yesterday, when I sat down to write my first note to you all. Time has flown, like it has a habit of doing, and now I sit down to pen a few last lines as the news-letter editor.

I think we have had a wonderful Silver Jubilee year. The first few months flew by in preparing for the Jubilee function. Which was a huge success, as I have been told, since I was away for a film shooting. That has been my one big regret, missing the function. But I would like to take this opportunity to thank all those lovely ladies who participated in the skit "WIC - 2095", and my one and only male star - Sir Nicholas Fenn.

The Diwali and Holi functions were also great fun, with members pitching in whole heartedly in organizing them as well as enjoying themselves at the programmes. It gives one a sense of satisfaction that all has gone off well (with maybe a few minor problems) and brought us all closer together.

I hope you have enjoyed the news-letters and forgive any short comings.

I wish you all a wonderful year and see you soon.

**Surinder Dugal Jain**

### Kindly Note

- 1. Change of Address** : **Mrs Toyin Adefemiwa**  
New official residence  
EP4 - Chandra Gupta Marg  
The phone numbers remain the same
- 2. Second Phone number:** **Mrs Krishna - Kakar**  
Phone :464 9573

### Silver Jubilee Mementos

The WIC year is fast drawing to a close and some members have not claimed their Silver Jubilee Memento. Please get in touch with Josefina Young if you are still without yours - telephone number 687 1686.





## ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Wednesday 15th May, at 3.p.m.  
at the Hotel Ashok

The Annual General Meeting will be held at the Hotel Ashok. Since this is the last meeting of the club year, kindly do be sure to attend.

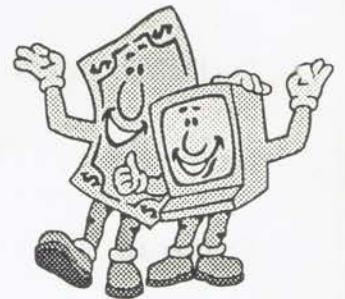
The venue at the Ashok will be announced at the April General Meeting.

## FILM-CIRCLE

Friday, 3rd May, at 10.30 a.m.  
At the Home of Sudarshana Singh  
63, Friends Colony (East) Phone : 6844204

Frenny Billimoria and Sigrun Srivastava invite you to sit in cool comfort and watch "The Garden" Best British film in years! Financial Times.

A strong under current of homosexuality with startling visual impact make this film an unique experience for film buffs.



## BOOK CIRCLE



Thursday 9th May, at 10.30. a.m.  
At the Home of Nancy Gooch  
4, Aurangzeb Road  
Phone : 3792137

Mukul Kesavan's debut novel "Looking Through Glass" will be discussed and the author himself will give a talk on the novel.

Mukul was born in Delhi and did his education here and at Cambridge. He is currently teaching history at the Jamia-Millia Islamia.



## WIC Executive Committee 1995-96

Annie Howard	President	4631143
Bina Deogun	1st Vice President	6832736
Chrysanthe Epaminondas	2nd Vice President	6830153
Niru Kapur	Secretary	6415855
Connie Gupta	Treasurer	4618459
Harash Kapur	Hospitality	4615048
Josefina Young	Membership	678593
Surinder Dugal Jain	News Letter	4699448

## Circle Leaders for 1995-96

Book Circle	Vinu Baig	6835801
	Nancy Gooch	3792137
	Annie Scott-Morey	4610556
Performing Arts	Prama Bhandari	6862807
	Lakshmi Chandra	6885545
Excursions	Sarabjit (gugu) Singh	5563788
	Nancy Gooch	3792137
Cultural	Mona Aggarwal	3293824
	Maggie Kenward	6436288
	Gisela Elias	3384188
Focus	Rupa Sahni	4619553
	ina van der Struik	6118580
	Sandra Maxwell	4618510
Gourmet and Garden	Bapsi Nariman	6862980
	Kiki Theophilou	6874892
Films	Sigrun Srivastava	6468908
	Frenny Billimoria	6882520
Yoga	Indu Sahni	6841840
	Indra Rani Jerath	6470560
Indian Folk	Usha Ventateswaran	2250730
Music & Dance	Kavita Ratra	012832244
Visual Arts	Shakti Gupta	6913136
	Sudarshana Singh	6844204
Chorus	Zohra Shaw	6960198



## MONTH AT A GLANCE

CIRCLE	WHAT	WHEN	WHERE
	Annual General Meeting	Wednesday, 15th May 3.00 p.m.	At the Hotel Ashok
Film Circle	"The Garden" Best British Film in years !	Friday, 3rd May at 10.30 a.m.	Home of Sudarshana Singh 63, Friends Colony (East) Phone : 684 4204
Book Circle	"Looking through Glass" Mukul Kesavan's Debut Novel	Thursday, 9th May at 10.30 a.m.	Home of Nancy Gooch 4, Aurangzeb Road Phone : 379 2137