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Christmas Extravaganza

It was an early start on Friday 2 December but by 9.15am the hall was already packed. There must have been well over 100 people waiting expectantly for the Extravaganza to begin (there were even sightings of Santa himself in the audience!).

To start off a morning of music, drama (en français!) and the spoken word, the Singing for Pleasure group got us in the mood with some lovely Christmas songs which were enthusiastically which were enthusiastically applauded. Then it was time for everyone to file, in a very orderly fashion, into the Theatre for the rest of the entertainment



CHRISTMAS EXTRAVAGANZA WAITING FOR THE START

To keep the proceedings on track, armed with bow tie and gavel, was our colourful, charismatic, (in)comparable, cultured compère, Ken. First to be introduced was Bill Dobson, beautifully reading two Christmas poems.

Then, fresh from their recent gig at James Cook University Hospital, the Ukulele Group gave a lively and rousing performance of several well known songs, the capacity audience joining in with the 60s classics. The joint was really rocking!

UKULELE PLAY



To calm everyone down, Anita, Jane and John from the Writing for Pleasure and Writing Groups read extracts from their recent work. What a talented lot our u3a members are!