



41 Club
THE NEWSLETTER



A MEMBER OF THE ROUND TABLE FAMILY
OF CLUBS

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Anthony Nolan – 40/40 challenge your help is needed

Most of you are aware that the Anthony Nolan Trust, a charity dear to our hearts as past Round Tablers, has been my Presidential Charity throughout the year. First of all can I thank those clubs, and individual members, who have either raised money, made donations for my charity badges or arranged 40/40 challenge events. The total collected so far, with known money still to come in is approaching £30,000 so thank you. One of the challenges we put forward at the beginning of the year was the 40/40 challenge to try to help the charity by adding names to the donor register.

I would now like to make a final appeal for your assistance in adding names to the donor register with a specific case in mind. Some of you may have read the tragic story in the Daily Mirror in February of the family where a pair of seven year old twins have both been struck down with Juvenile Krabbe Disease, a terrible disease that quickly ravages the nervous system. This story is also being shared at the moment through our Facebook contacts. They need a stem cell transplant and Anthony Nolan are doing everything they can to find a donor.



I am calling on 41 clubs and all our members to try to use our resources to help. Briefly our 40/40 challenge is to organise an event to create awareness of the work of Anthony Nolan and to encourage young people aged 16-30 to sign on to become a potential life-saving donor. How to do this can be found on the 41 club web site from the following link <http://www.41club.org/pages/nolan-40-40>. If you have a Round Table or Ladies Circle please try to get their assistance. If you haven't it doesn't matter as the objective is to try to get more donors on the register.

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There are just a couple of things I need to point out. Quite clearly the family have received a lot of publicity and it is vitally important that no publicity is put in local newspapers when you are trying to attract people to your event, without prior approval. Please contact Laura Watts of Anthony Nolan on 0207 424 6663 or e-mail laura.watts@anthonymolan.org. for help with your promotional activities and she will get approval from the family and also help you with promotional copy.

Secondly if your club does not feel they can do this you can assist with the work that is going on by making a donation to the Presidential charity appeal. It costs £100 to put a new donor, fully tested, onto the register. If you or your club haven't made a donation so far could you please look at raiding your coffers, or pockets to make a donation. This particular case has already raised considerable publicity and

many thousands of potential donors are already signing up. Every pound they receive will help with this life-saving work.

As I've travelled the country many of you will have heard me relate the story of Round Table putting 100,000 new names on the register in only 6 weeks in 1986, and what an amazing effort that was. Many of you were in Round Table at that time and were part of that. This is an opportunity to do something extraordinary again.

If you need more information please contact me, or Laura or my charity liaison officer Ian Mackenzie.

I thank you for reading this and hope you can and will help.

Jim

VAUGHAN HARRIS FELLOWSHIP TROPHY

Following the untimely death of Past President Vaughan Harris, Jill and her family have contacted us to say that on behalf of Vaughan they would like to present a trophy at our AGM in Harrogate. As we all know Vaughan was a great believer in a close working relationship between Round Table and 41 Club and this is what the trophy is all about.

We are looking for nominations for the trophy this year for the Round Table or Round Tabler who in your opinion has done the most to work closely with 41 Club. Please submit your nomination with a short (max 200 words) reason why the person or club is being nominated. They should be submitted to Ray Hill (Communications Officer) comms@41club.org., Jim Smith (President) president@41club.org. and Barry

Durman (Fellowship Officer) fellowship@41club.org. Nominations should be received by Saturday 11th April at the latest. This award will be presented by Jill and the then 41 Club President Terry at the Round Table AGM in May

A similar trophy will be presented to the 41 Club or member of 41 Club who has worked closest with Round Table during the past year. Nominations for this trophy are being decided by Round Table and our intention is that Jill and Round Table President Steve will present that award at our AGM on 18th April.

We all look forward to receiving your nominations as a fitting tribute to a wonderful man.

LOUIS MARCHESI LIMITED EDITION PRINT



This is the opportunity for you or your club to purchase a limited edition print of Round Table's founder Louis Marchesi and at the same time help finance the establishment of the Louis Marchesi Room at what was Sucking House, the original home of Norwich Round Table 1 and where they still meet on occasion.

This special limited edition print will only be made available to the first 20 clubs or individuals who donate £250 to the Marchesi Room Project, after that just 30 more will be produced at a cost of £45 + P&P (exact cost TBC).

Enquiries for both should be sent to region17@41club.org in the first instance, this way we can ensure a fair first come first served basis for all members.



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70TH CHARTER YEAR 2015-16



Looking forward to April I would like to tell you about the Regional Celebrations we would like to hold to celebrate the 70th Charter of our Association.

As part of my Presidential Year I've offered the commitment to visit every 41 Club Region in the UK and Ireland to attend an event with a theme that will be linked to our 70th year. We've had an award commissioned to

present to either an individual, group or Club that organises a 70th Charter Event as a memento of the occasion. Plus we've commissioned special 70th Charter Badges to be awarded by me to anyone I induct as a new member during my year as President.

So what is a Regional 70th Charter event, well anything that features the 70th in its theming or advertising is the answer. So for the big events we have currently, like the "Top 12" for instance, all that needs to happen is to include a 70th logo and advertise it as being the Regional celebration of the 70th Charter. Give me the opportunity to say a few words about the history of the Association, run the fabulous graphics presentation that I'll be able to project onto a screen during the evening and hopefully induct a new 41'er before presenting the Organisers Award.

The idea of the award and the event itself is to encourage

those Regions not currently organising a large local get together of Clubs to start a new fellowship event in our 70th year. My ambition behind this idea is to see more new fellowship events going into our yearly calendar for more of our members to enjoy.

Therefore can I ask all of you, please, to support this idea and help your National Councillor to organise a fellowship event in your Region that a number of Clubs can attend. For those Regions that organise a major event already can you add the 70th theme please so we can tie the whole year together as a UK wide celebration.

On Saturday 12th September 2015 The Association is holding its 70th Charter Lunch at the Armouries in Leeds and it's going to be a fantastic 41 Club occasion and one not to be missed! We're delighted to have Martyn Lewis CBE as our guest speaker and a full programme of events during the day. Tickets at £58 are available from Martin Green. You can download a form and get all the details by clicking this link. <http://www.41club.org/pages/70th-lunch>

The Armouries really is a brilliant venue with a large entrance foyer that will contain stands and attractions on the day prior to the lunch. The Armouries is so easy to get to either by car, train or plane and if you do drive there is a huge carpark within 100 metres of the entrance. If you want to enjoy the lunch to the full and intend staying overnight you may want to book early for the hotels that surround the Armouries as places will go quickly, I'm looking forward to the day already.

**Yours in Continued Friendship,
Terry Cooper**

MACMILLAN 2013-2014

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As many of you will know the Macmillan appeal officially closed in April 2014 at the end of my Presidential year. Since that time I have received further donations – many of which have been paid to Macmillan directly under the 41 Club name. We are having difficulty tracing them so I can personally write to the donors to thank them for their generosity. One donation recently was over £1,700.

If you have paid in money recently to Macmillan, can I thank you for doing so. Every penny helps in supporting Macmillan in supporting those who have or are affected by cancer. The total raised for our appeal by 41 Club has now reached just over £59,500.

Martin Green
Immediate Past National President
pastpresident@41club.org

41 Club National Councillor Des Fulcher presented a horn to Round Table King's Lynn No 54 Chairman Amrinder Chana to compliment their member Dr Fox who is in fact a stuffed fox! It is typical Table style fun, they will hopefully utilise it for inductions of new members to see if they can get a note or two.

KING'S LYNN TABLE



FINAL OPPORTUNITY FOR THE NATIONAL COMPETITIONS 2015

A reminder that entries close for the three national communications competitions on Tuesday March the 31st, so have only weeks to submit your entries. All three winners will be announced at the AGM in Harrogate on the 18th April. The Three Competitions are:

The David Smith Trophy

Awarded to the club that in the opinion of the national communications committee has produced the best newsletter in the previous 12 months. To enter email three copies of recent newsletter to comms @41club.org, giving the name of the editor and the frequency of publication.

The David Hewitt Trophy

Awarded to the club with the best website for both internal and external communications. Again the award is judged by the national communications committee and to enter send a link to comms@41club .org

The National Photographic Competition

Is open to all members of 41 Club who are registered on the CAS system. The winner is selected by the delegates to the National Conference in Harrogate where all entries will be displayed. A selection of the photographs will then be used to produce the 41 Club charity calendar in aid of the National President's charity.

Please ensure that all entries are of high enough resolution to be printed in A4 landscape format. (This usually means the file must be at least 2 meg).

Please send all entries with a name for the photograph to comms@41club.org and the rules are displayed below

Rules and conditions for the National Photographic Competition:

1. Each photograph must be the work of the person entering it and entries are limited to four per member.
2. Entry is only available to members who can be verified on the CAS database.
3. Entries to be submitted electronically to comms@41club.org.
4. All entries must include the name and club of the photographer and a title.
5. Photographs must not have been entered into any other competition.
6. The closing date for entries is 31st March 2015.
7. The photographer grants permission for the Association to use the photographs for charitable fund-raising activities.

CHELMSFORD'S BURNS NIGHT



We are assured that no National Presidents were injured during this celebration.

FUTURE EVENTS



Region 24 'Platinum' Dinner

Wallington & Carshalton 41 Club
are proud to host a celebration of 41 Club's 70th Charter on
Friday 5th June 2015 at 8pm

at
Woldingham Golf Club
Halliloo Valley Road, Woldingham, Surrey, CR3 7HA

Preceded by the inaugural

Region 24 Vaughan Harris Golf Competition

Vaughan Harris was a previous Region 24 National Councillor
and the Vaughan Harris Trophy will be presented at the Dinner
by Jill Harris

Golf: £30 pp including bacon roll – first tee 12:30pm

Dinner: Superb 3 course meal + coffee & mints

£30 pp

Dress: Black tie

Speaker: Terry Cooper - 41 Club National President Elect

To book in for either or both events, contact: Ian Fowkes-Smith

ian.fowkessmith@btopenworld.com

or 07931 802143 (Mobile)



41 CLUB MALLORCA invite you to join them on the
beautiful Island of Mallorca
for a fun and fellowship weekend

29th October to 1st November - 2015

4* Hotel Bahia Del Sol, Santa Ponsa, Calvia, Mallorca
(www.hotel-bahia-del-sol.com)

Our full Cluster package consists of

Either * Three night package including
accommodation and breakfast

plus

* Thursday Evening Dinner

* Friday Welcome drink

Buffet dinner with wine in the hotel

After dinner cabaret

* Saturday AGM Plus ladies' event

Lunch in a seaside restaurant

Gala dinner and Cabaret

* Sunday Farewell Breakfast

Or * Two night package

As above, but commencing Friday evening



Optional Events

* Friday morning coach excursion along the
World Heritage Tramuntana Coast, with
coffee stop, via the beautiful mountain village
of Valldemossa to the delightful port of Soller

* Friday Golf at a nearby course

* Free Ladies' event during
Saturday morning's Iberian AGM

* Extra nights at great rates before and after
Cluster Weekend (up to 3 Nov departure)



Full details and booking forms from - chriswaters46@gmail.com



THE ASSOCIATION OF EX-ROUND TABLES' CLUBS



70TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATORY LUNCH

SATURDAY 12TH SEPTEMBER 2015 12 NOON

NEW DOCK HALL
THE ARMOURIES
LEEDS LS10 1LT

GUEST SPEAKER: MARTYN LEWIS CBE

'NEWS AT TEN' 'NINE O'CLOCK NEWS'

CHAIRMAN - NATIONAL COUNCIL FOR VOLUNTARY ORGANISATIONS

MUSIC BY THE HORBURY VICTORIA BRASS BAND

TICKETS £58 - FOUR COURSE LUNCH + WINE
LOUNGE SUIT + JEWELS

APPLY FOR TICKETS TO
MARTIN GREEN

41SEVENTIETH@MARTINGREEN.BIZ



ROUND TABLE



Vaughan Harris Memorial Dinner



Saturday 26th September 2015

At

The Grand Ballroom, The Felbridge Hotel, East Grinstead, West Sussex RH19 2BH

18.30 for 19.00 Hrs

There are only 300 Places

£50.00 A Ticket

Dress Code :- Black Tie / Ballgowns

Bookings via keith.harris57@btinternet.com

Organiser - Andy Kennedy 07889 005014

Discount Room Rate available at the hotel





The Wonders of British Engineering Tour

Plans are now developing for the 2015 Classic Rally. I hope that they are of interest to you and that we will see you in my home county of Cheshire!

The main events will take place on Saturday 4th July to Sunday the 5th, although you may choose to arrive on the Friday and enjoy the wonderful facilities of the hotel. The rally will be based at Shrigley Hall Hotel and Golf Club, which is a few miles outside of Macclesfield. The hotel stands in magnificent grounds with plenty of walks, splendid views, a spa available to guests and an 18 hole golf course.

The provisional programme is:

Friday 3rd: Evening meeting in the bar for those that chose to arrive early

Saturday 4th:

10:00am vehicles to gather in front of the hotel for members to get to know each other, show their cars/motorcycles and have a general chit chat.

12:00 noon we set off to visit two of the great engineering features of the North West. First is Jodrell Bank, the home of the Lovell Radio Telescope. You will all be aware that it was a revolutionary design, has been used to explore deep space but was also crucial in getting man into space and onto the moon. Then we will drive to Northwich to visit the Anderton Lift. You may never have heard of it but all canal enthusiasts will know all about it. You will wonder how Victorian engineers produced such an amazing device for moving barges from the Trent and Mersey Canal to the River Weaver below. Refreshments are available at both sites and we will endeavour to get special arrangements at both. There is an entry charge at Jodrell Bank. Then back to the hotel to prepare for the evening.



7:30 pm drinks followed by the Rally Dinner. At the dinner the rally awards will be made for the driver who has driven the furthest distance, the car delegates would most like to take home and the winner of the petrolheads quiz (I promise that the questions will be easier this year!)

Sunday 5th:

For those staying at the hotel a breakfast at 8:00 meeting up with the others at 9:15 for the day's briefing. At 10:00 we will arrive at the Aviation Viewing Park at Manchester Airport. Here we will have a guided tour and presentation on one of Britain's greatest engineering designs, the Concorde. (The tour costs £13.50 per person) After leaving the airport we will have a leisurely drive around the Cheshire countryside pointing out places of interest on the way. A lunch stop will be made at a pub in a village that may be soon be recognisable to many of you as a new major TV series has recently been filmed there and will be aired in the next few months. After lunch we will proceed to a very secret location, after which the farewells will take place and planning will start for the 2016 rally.



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Booking Form

Driver's Name _____
Address _____

Telephone _____
email _____
Partner's name _____
Vehicle Make _____
Model _____
Year _____
Registration _____
Club _____
Dietary requests _____

	Number	Price	Cost
Registration (per car)	_____	£20	_____
Rally Dinner *	_____	£28	_____
Concorde tickets	_____	£13.50p	_____
		Total	_____

Please make cheques payable to 41 Club

* Only required if not a resident at the hotel

For accommodation at Shrigley Hall please book directly with the hotel on 01625 575757, quoting 41 Club allocation. The agreed price is £115 per room per night for a double room (including dinner) and £90 for single occupancy. A small allocation of rooms has been reserved for those that wish to arrive on the Friday, plus you can book a round of golf for £25.

Please send completed booking form together with your cheque to:

Ray Hill
The Huntsmans Lodge
Wimboldsley
CW10 0LL

tel 01606 832807

email comms@41club.org