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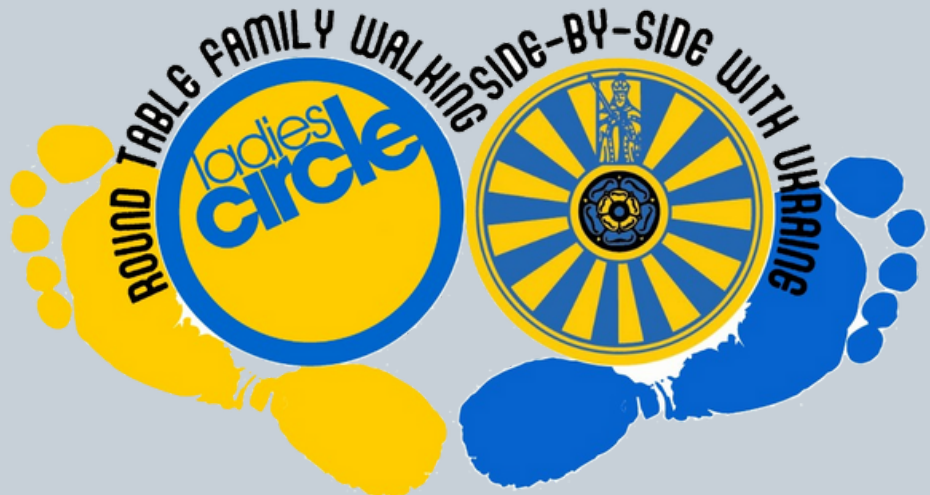
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On Saturday 5th March, The RTBI National Board and Council agreed to donate £20,000 to Round Table Deutschland's humanitarian efforts in Ukraine. It was further agreed that they would look to set a target of raising £95,000 in their 95th Anniversary month, demonstrating that they are #rootedincommunity.

Immediately accepting that challenge was Ash Gardner from Beeston & District Round Table 573 and his wife, Emily Gardner, a member of Long Eaton Ladies Circle. They decided to walk from Marchesi House in Birmingham to the Embassy of the Ukraine in London between Thursday 10th March and Sunday 13th March - >120 miles in 4 days. Two great people doing something amazing to help those most at need.

Who are Ash and Emily? Just normal Tablers and Circlers like you once were! Ash is the Vice Chairman of Beeston 573 and on the RTBI National Council as the representative of Region 8. Emily is a member of Long Easton Ladies Circle 611. They had been watching the humanitarian crisis unfold in the Ukraine in recent weeks and have been desperate to help. They were inspired by the work that Round Table Deutschland has been doing in coordinating the funds already raised (now over €2million) into relief convoys.

So what was their route?

- Day 1 - Marchesi House to Wellesbourne.
- Day 2 - Wellesbourne to Weston on the Green
- Day 3 - Weston on the Green to Wendover
- Day 4 - Wendover to the Ukrainian Embassy.

Jim Conway supported the couple and met up with them at the start and during the walk. Jim said: 'You can't help but admire their mental fortitude. They are fatigued, injured and have feet full of blisters, yet despite that, the smiles and strength of character has been incredible...if walking 120 miles to raise money for the Ukrainian relief fund wasn't amazing enough, it is pouring with rain and their blisters have blisters!' Calamity hit on the morning of Day 4, the Final Day, when Ash's knee gave up on him, but Emily carried on, with Ash in the support car. This showed the enormity and difficulty of the challenge they had un-

dertaken - simply magnificent and why they needed our support and donations more than ever.

Did they make it? What do you think! Emily said: "We made it. So much emotion and so much pride to carry the Ukrainian flag 121 miles. What a wonderful welcome from the strongest and most admiral people. Your support has been incredible, what a team effort this has been. We will reflect properly over the next few days, but the overwhelming feeling is pride in our Round Table family and what we can achieve when we work together. When Ukraine are victorious, we will be there to help them rebuild."

Ash and Emily are two amazing people who undertook a monumental challenge on behalf of others. It was a demonstration of how pain, emotional lows and fatigue can be overcome by mental fortitude, as they captured the spirit of what the Round Table Family stands for...

If you can afford to, consider making a donation from your club or personally, every amount, no matter how big or small will make a difference towards the appeal.

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Welcome to the March Newsletter.

So What is 41 Club Doing for the Ukraine?

As well as supporting Ash & Emily in their fundraising, 41 Club has promoted the RT Deutschland/Old Tablers Deutschland appeal to all members.

We haven't run a separate fund because the urgency of the crisis demanded that monies be sent immediately rather than collated and sent. Ash & Emily aren't the only members of the Round Table Family doing amazing feats - **Mark Hinchliffe**, National Councillor Region 22 - West of England, has been co-ordinating shipments of aid materiel from 41 Clubs, Round Tables, Rotary Clubs, Masons and others in the West of England; **Mark Boersma** in Thirsk 41 Club has done similar, with two 40-foot articulated lorries (about 25 tons) sent already, and more locally furnishing homes for arriving refugees. We have asked clubs and individual members to inform Andy Ventress, in confidence, how much they have donated (international@41club.org) so that we can keep track of the totals. So far 31 lorry loads of relief aid have reached the borders of the Ukraine from the RTD/OTD Appeal.

At a national level we have supported Mark Hinchliffe and Ash & Emily with the maximum allowed (£1,000 each - £2,000 in total) - and **an emergency resolution to donate a greater figure will be proposed at the Cardiff AGM**. Late News: Cheltenham 41 Club undertook a bucket collection jointly with Cheltenham Rotary Club at the recent races and collected over £26,000 collected for the Ukrainian Refugee Fund (a fantastic effort by 41er, **Richard Purdon** and his team).

Keep safe.

Yours in Continued Friendship,

Don

**Don Mullane, National Communications and IT Officer
London Old Tablers' Society**



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THE PRESIDENTS REPORT

PRESIDENT

FROM THE DESK OF PRESIDENT PETER GOOD

I am almost the end of my two years as your National President.

On the first weekend of March Lesley & I attended President of Round Table Paul Thompson's Ball in York. This was a great weekend, well attended and we enjoyed meeting up with many Round Tablers and Circlers. I also had the pleasure of sitting in on the Round Table Council meeting, which I enjoyed very much. It was great seeing a group of young men with such enthusiasm. I came away knowing that Table is going to grow again.

During their meeting voted to send £20,000 to support the Ukraine, I wish it was as easy in 41 club, I hope you will come to Cardiff and support me on this.

On March 9th, I visited Alchester 41 club where NCLO Peter McBride was the guest speaker. Peter's speech focused on the 41 Club Buddies initiative. The local regional Councillor, Neal Lowe, was also in attendance and it was nice to catch up with Past President Iain Kelso who was also visiting.

On March 12th, I attended Round Table Area 14's celebrations for their 85th Charter. This was held at Trent Bridge cricket ground with large screens for us all to watch the Rugby, which after the first few minutes we lost interest, (Definitely a sending off) so we turned our attention into enjoying fellowship, mainly catching up with guys I hadn't seen for a long time.

The guest speaker was past British & Irish Lions Rugby International John Bentley. John spoke between the matches, he also came out on the Town with us at night after the charter afternoon, he's a very funny man. A great day had by all thanks to area Chairman Oliver Smith.

Next week will be busy, on Tuesday I charter another new club, Chepstow active 41 club. Wednesday I am in Liverpool being hosted by Kilsh before flying off to the Isle of Man for their traditional Paddy's Day dinner. On Friday evening we fly back to Gatwick to attend Round Table West End's 95th celebration on Saturday.

I have a few more visits scheduled over the next couple of weeks culminating in the AGM in Cardiff on April 2nd. THEN RELAX.

Yours in continued Friendship

Peter

Peter Good, National President





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An Update on The 41 Club Garden at the National Memorial Arboretum

by **Gordon McNab, Past National President**

The National Memorial Arboretum is situated on 150 acres of land near Lichfield in Staffordshire, within The National Forest. The area is slowly developing to become a majestic world of trees and a living memorial – a place of peace, reflection and enjoyment of nature. It is being planted with species native to Britain as well as exotic varieties from every continent. Its inspiration came from the late Group Captain Lord Cheshire V.C. who felt that something should be done to forever remember our debt to those who gave their lives to defend our freedom. In addition, the National Memorial Arboretum (NMA) is there to remember the significant contribution of any individual or organisation during our time. Several years ago the management of The Arboretum was taken over by the British Legion although it continues to be run as a separate body.

The Arboretum was officially opened in 2001 by the Duchess of Kent and now hosts an impressive Visitor Centre, Function Suite, Restaurant and Chapel. Members of the Royal Family and high-ranking military personnel, current and retired, regularly attend functions and dedications. Visitor numbers are now in excess of 300,000 per annum.

Recently The Arboretum, together with the National Forest Company announced plans to create a 25-acre woodland on adjacent land as a living memorial in memory of all the lives lost due to the pandemic. A 980-year lease has been granted by quarry operator Tarmac.

Now I would like to give you an insight into how the 41 Club Garden at the NMA came almost 20 years ago. During my last few months as National President, Lichfield 41 Club made an approach requesting The Association's support for their appeal for funds to help create a 41 Club Garden of Remembrance at the NMA. The National Council of the day was glad to add their support and a letter was sent by Lichfield 41 to all Clubs in the Association appealing for contributions. As a result, nearly £5,000 was raised, with donations from over 200 Clubs throughout Great Britain and Ireland and some from overseas.

In September 2001, a plot was reserved, and plans were made for an Auction of Promises to be held at the Arboretum in June 2002 when a further £6,000 was raised on the night followed by a contribution of £1500 from RTBI.

In the years that followed Lichfield 41 Club undertook the maintenance of the Garden but as the Arboretum grew in stature and following the operation being taken over by the British Legion this became more difficult and nowadays only authorised contractors are permitted on site. Approximately 10 years ago the Garden was refurbished, and the Tangent Sundial added and a few years after that the cost of ongoing maintenance was taken over by The Association with our National President Peter involved over the past few years.

I am sorry to say that this summer the garden looked very run down and neglected. This cannot be acceptable so we, Lichfield 41, have been in discussion with the NMA in an attempt to resolve the issue. Remedial work is well underway with the cost of £1,768 INC VAT agreed with National. We now must consider the cost of ongoing maintenance on an annual basis or the purchase of an annuity in perpetuity. It is interesting to note that all new memorial gardens require an endowment in place as a condition of purchase. Presently maintenance at the 41 Club Garden is by crisis with emphasis on Remembrance Sunday and no consideration given to the state of the Garden throughout the rest of the year.

The Arboretum have quoted a figure of £1,276 plus VAT (£1531) for annual maintenance, or £27,375 for an endowment which will provide funds for perpetual maintenance, but before they "accept" such an agreement they would require to make good the paving around the Tangent Sun Dial at a cost of £576 + VAT (£691) and possibly a further sum to make good other areas, such as the signage, rondels and possibly the edging to the circular path surrounding the garden following which ongoing remedial work can be accommodated withing the perpetual agreement. Any agreement would be for maintenance and not replacement of trees or memorials.

An ongoing contract will include the following:-

- Hand wash / steam clean where necessary, of memorial stone and integrated objects (minimum twice per annum)
- Thermatec ® PAVED area (minimum twice per annum)
- Chemical: herbicide, pesticide or fungicide application (minimum twice per annum)
- Hand mowing and collect around memorial footprint and other integrated objects during growing season
- Machine mowing during growing season
- Trim Conifers (minimum three times per annum)
- Re-wax bronze (annually)
- Thermatec ® and oil application of 5 wooden benches (annually)

I believe that the Association must commit to one or other of the options on the table from the NMA.

We at Lichfield 41 Club have asked National Council to give serious consideration to following the endowment option. The annual plan, even if costs remain constant, which will not be the case, will exceed the cost of purchasing the endowment within 18 years. I know that an outflow of more than £27,000 would be quite a hit on our reserve but what I remember about our balance sheet at the end of 2020 I believe we are in a healthy position. In the past!! About 25 years ago when I had the privilege of being your National Treasurer, The Association was taken to task at an AGM as our reserves where considered excessive and that resulted in £45.000 being donated to Charity in various forms over a couple of years.

I believe that the purchase of an endowment is the route to follow and don't forget that this is a Round Table Family Garden so I suggest that Tangent, RTBI and Circle are approached for a contribution. There could be another alternative. Lichfield 41, or at least some of the members of Lichfield 41, are happy to join with a representation from National Council to lead another National Appeal for Funds. The sum required is a tall ask for an appeal so I suggest that a percentage of the sum required, say 50%, could be underwritten by The Association and other Family members to ensure that the Garden is maintained in perpetuity for generations to come.

The National Memorial Arboretum continues to grow in prominence, and it is pleasing that The Association has been involved since the beginning. We ask that our National Council support what is proposed to ensure that the 41 Club Garden continues to be a place to be proud of going forward into the future.

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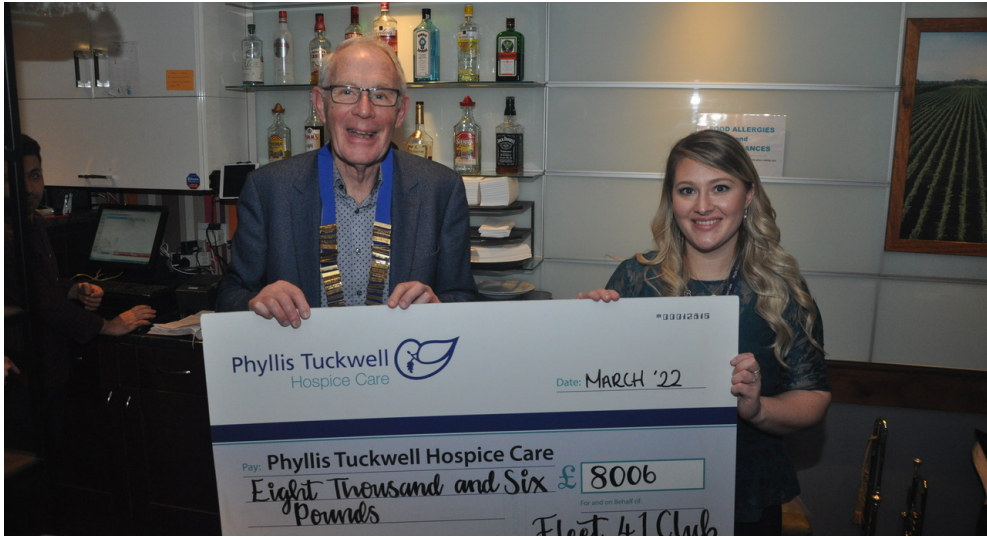


Gordon McNab
Lichfield 41 Club, Past National President

This article first appeared in the October 2021 Newsletter and is repeated in view of the proposal at the forthcoming AGM

Fleet 41 Club Charity Dinner Success

By Michael Ankers OBE,
Chairman, Fleet 41 Club



I am pleased to report that Fleet 41 Club organised a Charity Dinner on Tuesday 1 February for the local Phyllis Tuckwell Hospice. The Dinner was held at the Gurkha Inn Restaurant in Fleet with a limit of 130 people. Within 2 weeks of the tickets going on sale we had oversold and that was without selling tickets outside our club to members and their friends.

There were challenges in January with the outbreak of Omicron but we remained confident it would work - and it did, raising £8,006 on the night for the charity. Half of this came from auction prizes generously donated by members and local businesses. Star prizes included a flight in a Tiger Moth generously donated by a member of Alton 41 Club and a painting by a world renowned local artist who is married to one of our members.

The photo is of the subsequent presentation of the monies raised to the Phyllis Tuckwell representative at our meeting.



John Pasicznyk, a member of Round Table & 41 Club for over 35 years and a successful businessman originally came over from Ukraine as a refugee over 65 years ago with his family. Julian and Graham rallied the 41 club members of 29 strong and did a spontaneous auction with donations from the members and Keith Dawson took the gavel to auction of items donate to raise a total of over £1000

*by Graham L Pickup
Treasurer*

Huddersfield Pendragon 41 Club raised over £1,000 for the Ukraine



Graham L Pickup, John Pasicznyk and Chairman Julian Goodall

Calendar of National Events for 2022 - 23

Subject to there being no Covid restrictions in force over 2022, we have a varied National programme events for our members to attend and enjoy the best fellowship there can be. The events are not run by the National team but local club members who spend an inordinate amount of time putting on a first-class event for you, our members, I am truly indebted to them. The full programme of events is as follows and if anyone is interested in finding out more about the event or how to book please do not hesitate to contact me at fellowship@41club.org

March/April

31st to 3rd April National Conference and AGM, Cardiff

July

1st to 3rd walking weekend, Shipley

15th to 17th Motorcycle Rally, Kings Lynn

29th to 31st National Car Rally, Market Harborough

September

5th to 16th 41 Club Cruise to Iceland

23rd to 26th Caravan and Camping Rally, Ringwood

October

2nd to 3rd National Golf Finals, Staverton Park, Northamptonshire

March/April 2023

30th - 2nd April National Conference and AGM, Jersey

Yours in Continued Friendship



Steve James

National Fellowship Officer

RNLI Cheque Presentation



Due to Covid restrictions 41 Club National Past President Andrew Mackereth and Tangent National Past President Sue Hill finally managed to visit Poole the RNLI headquarters. This was to present the cheque to the RNLI, an amazing amount of money raised from their joint charity during their year in office. The presentation was made to Jayne George head of Marketing and Media.

The members of both organisations were very generous as £55,173 was collected. The money has purchased 6 water rescue craft to work from beaches throughout the UK. The first 2 rescue craft will be stationed at Crantock and Fistral Beaches in Newquay to work with the RNLI Lifeguards. They have all been named Continued Friendship 1 to 6 and have the 41 Club and Tangent logos on them. The RNLI have promised to send us more details about where the other watercraft will be positioned.

We had a tour of the College, taking in the workshops followed by the training pool. The bravery and strength of the volunteers who man these lifeboats, risking their own lives on many occasions was very evident.

Andrew and his wife Millie are now volunteering for the RNLI and are helping at their Morecambe seafront shop.

Yours in Continued Friendship.

Andrew

Andrew Mackereth
Immediate Past National President



Our Vice is getting out and about

After the February Council Meeting down at Okehampton, the month has been prepping for the Conference/AGM in Cardiff.



It was great to attend a side by side meeting in Marchesi House and great strides have been made towards the four clubs working closer together. As we agree on the various areas, more information will be coming forth over the next few months. Exciting times lay ahead. At last, all four Vice Presidents, finally met in the same room at the same time. We are all looking forward to working side by side over the next year.

Following on from the Round Table Council meeting in York, where Round Table pledged to raise £95,000 for relief for Ukraine and started the ball rolling with a £20,000 donation, I received a phone call from Ash Gardner who is the Vice Chairman at Beeston Round Table and Region 8 Representative. He told me of his plans to walk from Marchesi House in Birmingham with his wife Emily, who is a circler at Long Eaton, to the Ukrainian Embassy in London to raise £9,500 or 10% of the Round Table target. 120 odd miles over 4 days starting on Thursday 10th April arriving at their destination on Sunday evening. By the time you read this, their challenge will be over and their toes will probably be replaced by blisters. It is an incredible effort and It is still not too late to donate by following on this link.

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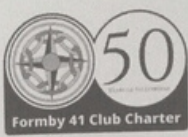
Tickets are still available for my Ball on Saturday 1st October at the Athena in Leicester. They are going fast, so don't delay.

Wishing you all the very best.

Yours in Continued Friendship and Continued Tabling

Jim

Jim Conway, National Vice-President



Derek Moss
Semicentennial Chairman

50th Anniversary Charter

Formby 41 Club celebrate a major milestone



On Thursday 10th March Formby 41 Club Region 8 celebrated their 50th Charter at West Lancashire Golf Club.

Out going Chairman Mike Walling installed the semicentennial Chairman Derek Moss, Derek being a founder member of Formby 41 Club.

There were over 50 guests in attendance including members from Clubs within Region 8 and also surrounding Regions, with Region 5 and Region 6 National Councillors Roger Spensley and Wynn Parry supporting and helping Formby celebrate this major milestone.

The evening ran like clockwork under the watchful eye of John Bamberry who acted as MC. As part of the celebrations Vice President Jim Conway proposed the Toast to Formby 41 Club and Derek Moss replied, Past, Present and Future of 41 Club in Region 8 was proposed by Region 8 National Councillor John Kilshaw.

There was a poignant moment during the evening to celebrate and remember past member and Marchesi Medal winner Kevin Allars and all the work Kevin did not only for Formby Round Table and 41 Club but also for Area 8, National and Round Table Children's Wish. Kevin's widow Lesley had been invited to join in the celebrations and it was especially nice to have her there.

I would like to thank all members of Formby 41 Club for their hospitality and congratulate everyone on a fantastic evening.



Good Luck to Chairman Derek for the coming year.

Yours in Continued Friendship.

"Kilsh"

John Kilshaw
Region 8 National Councillor



National Walking Weekend 2022

Hosted by Shipley 41 Club



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Following the great success of this year's inaugural National Walking weekend held in Pembrokeshire that attracted more than 40 enthusiastic walkers. I am delighted to inform you that the 2022 National Walking weekend will be held in "God's own" Yorkshire. The event will take place on the weekend of the 1st to 3rd of July 2022.

Our base Hotel will be the historic Oakwood Hall Hotel in Bingley, where we have secured favourable rates for the weekend. If the demand is sufficient we will be able to use an overflow Hotel which is less than 200 yards from our base.

There are several walks available to us from a gentle 4 mile walk along the Leeds Liverpool canal, passing by famous Five Rise locks and proceeding to the village of Saltaire, a world heritage site, where walkers can spend some post walk time exploring the village and learning it's history along with enjoying some refreshments in the many establishments available.

For the slightly more enthusiastic, we have a gentle 8 mile walk along the canal from Apperley Bridge to Saltaire, via the village of Esholt, the village of Emmerdale in the TV series. We plan to meet up with the 4 mile walkers in Saltaire to enjoy lunch and/or other refreshments.

For the more ambitious walkers the afternoon walk will be a "yomp" over Baildon Moors to enjoy some fantastic scenery and to get your heart pumping, returning to the Hotel for Tea and scones in the late afternoon.

Similarly to the event in Pembrokeshire, for those arriving on Thursday evening, A trip to a local restaurant will be organised and on Friday we will have a 6 mile riverside loop walk from Grassington to Burnsall. Walkers may then spend time exploring Grassington or travel to the nearby town of Ilkley for a stroll around the shops. A short walk will be arranged on Sunday morning with a suitable venue to be found to enjoy lunch.

Accommodation can be arranged for those who wish to stay an extra night on the Thursday or Sunday.

Booking details for the weekend are now available at : <https://walking.41clubevents.co.uk>

Any queries, please email me at region6@41club.org or look out for regular updates in future National Magazines, Newsletters and Facebook.

We look forward to welcoming you to Yorkshire.

Wynn Parry

Shipley 41 Club, Baildon 41 Club, Region 6 National Councillor

The great news is that **this year's Car Rally is fully booked** with over 100 people and 50 great cars coming along to Market Harborough for what will be a great weekend of fun and fellowship - and we have a waiting list. It is a great collection of cars – just look on our website to see photographs of some of them

National Car Rally 2022 - Market Harborough 41 Club (mh41club.org.uk)

Yours in Continued Friendship, The 2022 Classic Car Rally Team

Market Harborough 41 Club National Car Rally 2022

The "Three Counties" Tour - Leicestershire, Rutland and Northamptonshire - Friday 29th to Sunday 31st July

Market Harborough 41 Club are delighted to invite you to the 2022 Classic Car Rally based in Market Harborough, a delightful market town in the south east of Leicestershire sharing boundaries with Rutland and Northamptonshire.

We will be based at the Three Swans Hotel, in the centre of Market Harborough - a former 16th Century coaching inn where King Charles I chose to visit back in 1645, the day before the famous battle of Naseby.

Friday 29th July

We all meet up at the hotel on Friday to prepare for our evening Welcome Party held at the hotel where you can recount motoring tales and enjoy a buffet meal.

Saturday 30th July

Meet your fellow rally guests at 10.00 am in the hotel car park and check out everybody's classic car.

We'll then have a run through the delightful countryside of the "Three Counties" before stopping off for lunch. After lunch, we will have another run back to Market Harborough.

There is a Rally Dinner at the Three Swans in the evening with a 3-course meal, entertainment and the presentation of various awards.

Sunday 31st July

We will assemble at the hotel after breakfast for a scenic run followed by an informal lunch. After lunch, entrants are free to leave for home or stay and enjoy the wonderful sights of the "Three Counties" countryside.

The National Car Rally Package and Costs

We have negotiated a National Car Rally Package with the Three Swans Hotel for 2 people at a cost of £293 in total which includes:

- A Classic Double Room for Friday and Saturday night with 2 people sharing including Breakfast on Saturday and Sunday
- Hot Buffet for 2 people on Friday night
- 3 course Rally Dinner for 2 people on Saturday night.

Other room types may be available, and the Three Swans are happy to discuss your requirements.

Car Registration and Cost

You can enter your car for the Rally and include a profile in the 2022 National Car Rally Brochure at a cost of £30. We are also producing a commemorative Rally Plate for £10 should you wish to buy a souvenir of the "Three Counties Tour."



How do I enter?

To book your accommodation and meals, see the Booking Form following and then follow the instructions, contacting the Three Swans Hotel direct. To register your car and purchase your Rally Plate, visit www.mh41club.org.uk and see the relevant form in the section for the National Car Rally.

Fully Booked - see above

If you have any questions or queries, please contact Market Harborough 41 Club via email at marketharborough41club@gmail.com

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The 2022 National Car Rally Team



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Shipley 41 Club White Rose Dinner **21st Oct 2022 - 6.30 for 7.00 pm at Shipley Golf Club**

- **A grand Yorkshire 3 course meal.**
- **Haworth Brass band playing all our favourite tunes.**
- **Guest speaker the very funny - Gerard O'Herlihy past RTBI & RTI President.**
- **Venue - Shipley Golf Club, Beckfoot Lane, Bingley, BD16 1LX**
- **If you want to play a round of golf before the event (email for details)**
- **Email for further details - r6 wrd2022@gmail.com**

- **Booking and Payment £TBA to sort code 30-98-97 A/C no 76461768 - Ref your name and club**

An evening of food and fellowship

Dorchester 41 Club Hosts **The 48th Anniversary Dinner of Dorset Knobs** **Dad's Army Theme**

Dorchester 41 Club is hosting the 48th Anniversary Dinner of Dorset Knobs - the annual dinner of the 41 Clubs across Dorset after a three year break. The event is taking place on Friday 18th November 2022 in the town's Army Reserve Centre with the opportunity of a free private tour of the nearby Military Museum. To emphasise the fun and fellowship of the event the hosts are introducing a Dad's Army theme to the evening. The ticket cost is £44 to include a four course meal, wine and port and souvenir programme. For enquiries and tickets please contact Neal Butterworth at butterworth69@live.com

- Location – Army Reserve Centre, Poundbury Road, Dorchester DT1 1TA
- Date – Friday 18th November 2022 with drinks reception from 6.00pm, dinner at 7.30pm
- Free private tour of The Keep Military Museum from 4.30pm to 6.30pm
- Dress - Black Tie and medals of course
- Dinner – Pate, Roast Dorset Pork, Treacle Tart, Dorset Knob biscuits and Dorset Blue Vinny cheese, tea or coffee (vegetarian option available – order at time of ticket purchase)
- Wine and port on the table
- Special Guest 41 Club National President, Jim Conway
- Speaker - National Town Crier Champion and Local Historian Alistair Chisholm
- Charity Raffle
- Tickets priced at £44 available from Neal Butterworth at butterworth69@live.com
- Payment details - Dorchester 41 Club - Sort Code 401921 - Account 01403613 (please add purchasers name as a reference)



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41 Club & Tangent Club Cruise 2022

When the travel restrictions start easing and cruising comes “back to the fore” 41 Club and Tangent have put together an amazing club cruise circumnavigating Iceland with a stop to the Faroes on our homeward journey. The cruise departs on 5th September from Liverpool for 11 nights on the recently acquired Borealis. Borealis is spacious, stylish and comfortable and thanks to her ability to cruise at higher speeds than other ships means that she can include more stops, scenic discoveries and highlights into each itinerary.

The cruise includes an overnight stop in Reykjavik as well as visiting Akuyeyri and Seydisfjordur in Iceland and on our homeward journey will call in to Klaksvik and Torshavn in the Faroe Islands where we have made contact with a local 41 Club member who has offered to give us a guided tour.

As well as receiving the members discount on the cruise we have also arranged a 41 Club and Tangent members drinks reception. The cruise will be an unforgettable experience combined with the true 41 and Tangent fellowship that prevails when our members get together.

If you are interested in joining us on our cruise please see the flyer on the next page on how to secure your place. Following that are details of Fred Olsen's Black Friday Sale which might interest you too!



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— BOREALIS —

5th Sept 2022 | 11 nights | Sails from Liverpool | Cruise Code S2224

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Strokkur Geysir, Iceland

You're in for an unforgettable adventure, as you go in search of the wonders and wildlife of Iceland and the Faroe Islands. From Reykjavik, journey to witness the natural power of the Gullfoss Waterfall and gushing Geysir hot springs. From Akureyri go whale watching in the northern waters to look out for humpback and minke whales, dolphins and porpoises.

Savour the rugged scenes of Seyðisfjörður, and experience scenic cruising by the coastal Hornstrandir cliffs, jagged rock faces that are home to the Elf King and Queen, the dragon tail-like peaks of Drangaskord and Borgarfjordur Eystri. Time spent sailing in Faroese will be unforgettable too; behold the sight of the imposing Vestmanna and Gasadalur cliffs, and of dramatic isles and sea stacks. Ashore, in Klaksvik and Tórshavn, you can learn of the Faroe's historic links to the Vikings.



41 club & Tangent Group Fares per person, from

Interior	£1,709pp
Ocean View	£1,889pp
Superior Ocean View	£2,339pp
Terrace Room	£3,149pp
Suite	£3,959pp
Single Interior	£2,789
Single Ocean View	£3,059



Date	Destination
Mon 5 Sep	Liverpool, England
Tue 6 Sep	Cruising
Wed 7 Sep	Cruising
Thu 8 Sep	Reykjavik, Iceland
Fri 9 Sep	Reykjavik, Iceland
Sat 10 Sep	Scenic Cruising
Sun 11 Sep	Akureyri, Iceland
Sun 11 Sep	Crossing the Icelandic Arctic Circle, Iceland
Mon 12 Sep	Seyðisfjörður, Iceland
Tue 13 Sep	Klaksvik, Faeroe Islands
Wed 14 Sep	Tórshavn, Faeroe Islands
Thu 15 Sep	Cruising
Fri 16 Sep	Liverpool, England

For more information, or to book, please call Fred. Olsen Cruise Lines friendly Reservations Team on 01473 742 424, quoting GRP0210 and cruise code S2224

Fares are per person, based on twin occupancy of the lead-in twin cabin, subject to availability. Offers may be amended or withdrawn at any time without prior notice, are subject to availability & cannot be applied retrospectively. All bookings are subject to Fred. Olsen's standard terms & conditions, available on our/their website & on request. Some ports may be at anchor, intermediate days are at sea. FOCL reserve the right to amend itineraries for operational reasons. *The free group drinks party on board includes house wines, sherry, soft drinks & cold canapés, subject to minimum numbers. To be hosted by the group leader. ^£75pp On-board spend is only applicable to guests 1 and 2 within a cabin and is non transferrable and no refunds will be given for non-use of part or all, of the credit amount shown. No cash alternative will be given for unused on-board spend. Not combinable with any other deal, including Affinity members discount. E&OE. Travel with confidence



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National Camping & Caravan Rally 2022

We are excited to be hosting the 2022 Caravan & Camping Rally in this outstandingly beautiful area. The New Forest was recently voted the Number One National Park in Europe in the 2022 TripAdvisor Traveller's Choice Awards for destinations, and 10th in the world!

We will be joined by 2022-23 President Elect Jim Conway , Vice President Elect Steve James and National Fellowship Officer Elect 2022-25 Kelly Clarke.

Our Rally Site, Shamba Holidays, is on the edge of The New Forest, close to the traditional market town of Ringwood. The programme includes time for Rally-goers to explore fabulous local walks and cycle tracks, as well as a wide range of amenities. Whether your interest is exploring gardens, motor museums, world heritage coastline and beaches, picturesque villages, historic ships, cathedral cities, Titanic Museum, award-winning pubs, or great shopping, you will find it within an hour's drive of our Rally Site.

The Rally welcomes caravans, motorhomes, and tents to Shamba for the weekend. Shamba Holidays is a seven-acre level park, conveniently located off the A31, set down a private lane, and is sheltered on all sides by hedging, trees or fencing. All pitches are on well-drained grass, with electric hook-up, close to a water point, and to the small shop selling essential supplies. The modern amenity building with underfloor heating includes shower rooms, wash-up area, and laundrette. The on-site 18 metre heated indoor/outdoor swimming pool is available to all Rally Goers free of charge. An on-site licensed bar will allow us to enjoy the usual fellowship whilst sipping a pint of the local Ringwood beer!!

The Rally fee is £150per couple for 3 nights – arriving 12 noon, or after, on Friday 23 September and departing by 11.00 am Monday 26 September. Included in the Rally fee are a 'Fizz' welcome reception, a "Fish & Chip" supper on Friday, and Saturday evening supper & entertainment, as well as additional activities.

You are encouraged to extend your stay either side of the Rally Weekend – we'll let you have details of how to do this following receipt of your Rally booking. The Rally site is also only 1 hour's drive to Portsmouth's ferry terminal, with regular ferries to France and Spain. With the recent relaxing of travel limitations, this might be an option for you to consider.

To book your pitch at: <https://caravanrally.41clubevents.co.uk/>

Any queries, please email me region23@41club.org or look out for regular updates in future National Magazines, Newsletters and Facebook.

We look forward to welcoming you

Richard & Anne Dyson

Richard Dyson, Region 23 National Councillor





41 CLUB
NATIONAL GOLF WEEKEND
Sunday 2nd & Monday 3rd October 2022

36 GOLFERS

Two rounds of golf, dinner, bed & breakfast

Staverton Park Hotel & Golf Club, Northamptonshire

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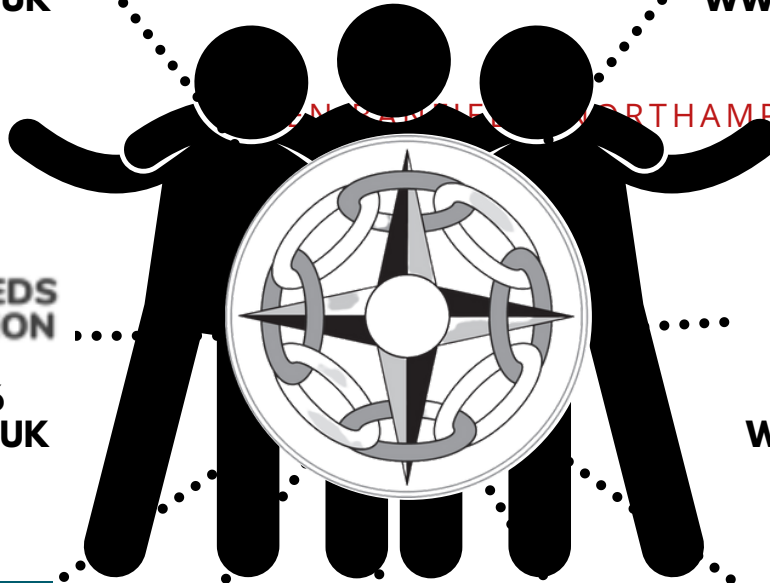


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