



National Council Meeting
Ramada Encore Hotel, Leicester,
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NATIONAL PRESIDENT – JIM CONWAY

Not surprisingly, it has been a busy time. Heather Parry (Tangent President) threw down the challenge to get the round table family into the Guinness World Book of Records by making the most cups of tea in a one-hour period by a 12-person team (3 each from Table, Circle, Tangent and 41 Club). The 41 Dream Team consisted of myself, Steve James and Peter McBride and whilst we fell short of the world record, we did break the British Record, which isn't too shabby. I am confident that if we were to go for it again, we would smash it, as we picked up some fantastic tips.

Bowling with ABC 41 Club followed by attending the 41 Club Motor Cycle Weekend in Kings Lynn completed a busy week. Never having owned a Motorcycle I wondered how I was going to fit in with everyone, but attending the Friday night, posing on a bike the next day whilst wearing a pink helmet with flowers on it was all that was required. I would heartily recommend this event to Bikers as safety, fellowship and enjoyment were the order of the day. It was then a drive down to Hounslow for dinner with Past President, Geoff King who is a fellow Brentford fan and then attend the Hounslow 41 Club reunion the following day.

The next weekend it was off to Rugby for the Calpe Reunion held in wonderful surroundings in Rugby School, then down to Leigh on Sea for a garden party hosted by Marcus Lester and then back home for a Board Meeting by Zoom. The next weekend was one of the many sell out 41 Club Events, The National Classic Car Rally put on by Market Harborough 41 Club. You don't need a Classic Car to enter, as it is all about fun and fellowship, so whether you have a 1914 Rolls Royce or a 2022 VW Golf, you will be more than welcome. A couple more club visits and then it was down to Ringwood to meet up with Showtime 41 Club, a club that is a reunion club for the Bournemouth Conference. It was especially poignant for me as it was my very first 41 Club Conference. Richard Dyson hosted the event and having a Chinese chef to come in and prepare a banquet, was an inspired choice.

In mid-August, it was time to head north of the border and enjoy a programme put on by Kevin Stewart. Kevin certainly knows how to work a president hard. No sooner had I arrived, than it was into Edinburgh for a beer tasting with Edinburgh 41 Club. The next day, it was off to the Regional Golf to present the prizes and head over to Dunfermline to meet the 41 Club there. The next day, He drove me out to Fort William, the Harry Potter Bridge and the Skyfall Road, before coming back down to Callander to meet up with the 41 Club there. On the Saturday, it was off to Loch Tay to support Kilsh and Sue doing their open water swim for Heather Parry's charity Re-Engage.

It was then the long drive down to Norwich to unveil a photo of Louis Marchesi, with Louis' Grandson, Niels, in the Marchesi Room in Cinema City where Tabling began. Des Fulcher arranged a great couple of days, showing me around the Round Table sites of Norwich. Then the following day it was off to North Walsham to visit RAF Marham, where we saw F35's take off and stand next to a decommissioned atomic bomb (I hope!).

Earlier this year, Ash and Emily Gardner walked from Marchesi House to the Ukranian Embassy to raise money for the Ukranian appeal. We did want to invite them to Conference





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in Cardiff, but they were on holiday, so I did the next best thing and hosted them at first, 'The Legless Arms' my wife's gin bar before taking them down to Money Penny's, my James Bond Themed Bar to thank them for their incredible effort.

The following week, it was off to the Moreton in Stow Show, the biggest one-day outdoor show in Europe. I turned up thinking it would be in a school field, but was really surprised at the size of this event. I met up with Glenn Lyon who explained that over 20,000 were in attendance, certainly one to consider for a Round Table Family recruitment stand for next year.

Then it was off on the Fred Olsen 41 Club Cruise with 49 fellow family members and partners. Days at sea, formal dinners, fellowship at the bar and meeting up with 41 Club Iceland as well as a Danish 41er in the Faroe Islands and be shown around. The lovely thing about the cruise was you could dip out as you wanted, but there was always a friendly face if you wanted company. Great to meet new friends as well as doing that Continued Friendship with those you know. Finally, it was off to support Heather's Charity Lunch in Yorkshire.

All this against a background of looking at 41er World, trained on how to use Teams, arranging a President's Ball, seeing Brentford beat Manchester United 4-0, attending friends' birthdays, hosting a Tabler in my home who was a Commonwealth Games Helper. Attending Conference Meetings, as well as Board Meetings has left me amazed at how great this Association is. A past RTBI President once said that being a member of the Round Table Family is a licence to partake in a thousand one off's and I couldn't agree more.

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VICE PRESIDENT – STEVE JAMES

Since our last National Council meeting in July, it has been a busy 3 months attending various local and national events. Immediately following the meeting, I was part of the 41 Club team comprising National President Jim, Peter McBride and myself who competed in the Round Table family Guinness world record attempt of making as many teas as possible in an hour. We were joined by members of Roundtable, Ladies Circle and Tangent who organised the challenge with each team (3 in total) comprising of 4 members from each association. After a visit from Her Royal Highness Princess Anne the challenge commenced but sadly, we narrowly missed our target by 72 cups.

Along with several members of 41 Club Board/National Council and Tangent Executive I had the pleasure of joining the Fred Olsen ship Borealis while it was docked in Liverpool for the day. The purpose of the visit was for Fred Olsen to showcase what they had to offer on board one of their newest acquisitions and also find out more about the Fred Olsen way and their hand-crafted itineraries where everyone is treated as a travellers rather than tourists and where cruises are for people to "experience the wonders of the world by always looking out not facing in". I was impressed by the friendly and courteous staff and the wide range of cruises on offer from 2023 and beyond.





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I was invited to meet the new Roundtable Area 4 Exec with our discussions concentrating on how we can work more closely together to assist “grow” the local roundtable membership and re-charter clubs in the Area. As a former Area Chair, it was pleasing to see the enthusiasm of the new exec wanting to put Area 4 back on the “map”. July ended with myself and Karen attending the 4 club BBQ hosted by Taunton and Wellington 41 and Tangent clubs.

At the beginning of August, I had the honour of representing National President Jim for the first time at the Eastern golf day in Braintree which was organised by past president Jim Smith. It was a thoroughly enjoyable day and I even managed to get some laughs when I told one of Jim’s jokes. Congratulations to the winning individuals and teams. I look forward to attending next year’s 20th anniversary event. I also attended North Walsham 41 Club’s visit to RAF Marham organised by Kelly Clarke and as a “plane geek” it was a thoroughly enjoyable day particularly as we were able to observe some F35 lightnings carrying out manoeuvres.

At the beginning of September, I deputised for Jim at the World Half Year meeting in Odense. It was pleasing to see National Councillors Colin and Jason in attendance as well as IRO Andy and Comms Officer Don. For the first time at a world meeting 5 workshops were held on the Friday whereby I attended “Leadership in 41 club” and “Running successful world meetings”. I also held individual meetings with the Tangent International President and secretary and also the Agora Vice President to discuss arrangements for our hosting of the World meeting in 2023. It was pleasing to receive recognition on the Saturday for the work I have been undertaking in drafting an International conference manual which was presented to the International President and VP a couple of weeks prior to attending the HYM.

At the end of the month Karen and I attended the 41 Club caravan and camping rally which was attended by 71 41 Club and Tangent members. The event was excellently organised by Richard and Anne Dyson with assistance from Ringwood 41 Club and Tangent members who provided the special entertainment in the pool on Saturday which was truly remarkable. It was great to catch up with regular rally goers and also meet some newbies. I would certainly recommend members attending any of our National Fellowship events because the fun and fellowship are second to none to members.

In relation to the World meeting that we are hosting in Stratford, the programme has been finalised and it is all “systems go” as bookings start coming in.

Steve James

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IMMEDIATE PAST NATIONAL PRESIDENT – PETER GOOD

Due to personal reasons, I have not been able to do much with 41 Club.

I am now out and about again last week I attended Beeston Round Table Charter night which was well attended, and it was nice to catch up with most of Table exec





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who attended on mass, Not the usual formal event Robin Hood attire was worn by most or smart casual. different but enjoyable night.

I Joined Swadlincote 41 club on their annual walk cross country stopping at Real ale pubs, nice to catch up with them.

Looking forward to events coming up in the next month.

Peter Good

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NATIONAL SECRETARY - BERNARD ELWEN

Another busy period for me, along with the Admin Committee. Since the last report:

- The Admin Committee have reviewed our Rules and Standing Orders, and these proposed changes will be brought to the next National Council meeting. Most of the changes are style and layout, but there will be several changes to content which will hopefully come before the 2023 AGM in Jersey. My thanks to David Smith, Roger Spensley and John Kilshaw for their input. On looking at the rules, there are several duplications and inconsistencies, which we have addressed.
- I have been to Jersey, to see the AGM venue at the Merton Hotel, as well as the Royal Jersey Showground, where the Friday and Saturday evening functions will take place.
- The Admin Committee have also been looking at the agreement with Round Table for the services provided by Marchesi House, and this will be discussed further at the National Council meeting.
- I have prepared and agreed with David Smith an advert to replace him as our Honorary Solicitor.
- On a totally different note, I attended the world record-breaking tea making challenge at the Great Yorkshire Show in July. This was organised by Tangent President Heather Parry. Unfortunately, we didn't get ourselves into the Guinness Book of Records, but it was an excellent example of the 4-Club Family working together.

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NATIONAL TREASURER - KEVIN LOVETT

Kevin Lovett

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NATIONAL MEMBERSHIP & ROUND TABLE LIASON OFFICER – PETER MCBRIDE





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I took on the National Membership & Round Table Liaison role with every expectation that it would be intensive, time-consuming, as frustrating as herding cats at times but ultimately fulfilling – and I haven't been disappointed! At times it has been overwhelming and all-encompassing and I suspect my wife thinks I'm having an affair with my laptop as it sees more of me than she does. But as they say – if you want something done, give it to a busy man 😊

Following this year's AGMs at National and local level around the Association, there has invariably been some 'navel gazing' that occurs within Clubs as they look ahead for the next twelve months. This usually results in a new sense of renewal and focus as a new Chairman takes over and sets out his stall, and his members decide to make this as challenging for them as they can! If the Club Chairman is 'worth his salt' however, he will respond to this and make the year ahead his own..

It can also however lead to a small handful of Clubs deciding to step down - as has been the case over the last three months.

GB&I 41 Club is an awesome and thriving Association with around 700 Clubs and over 13,000 members, and for that reason I take every request from a Club to disaffiliate very personally. I do all I can to engage directly with the Club in question, to understand their reasoning and try to encourage them to change their mind. All such conversations are positive, friendly, and constructive but sometimes we both must reluctantly accept it is just the right time for an aging Club to 'let go'.

There have been three such Clubs in the last three months requesting disaffiliation:

- Region 13 South Wales - **Llantrisant** in the Rhondda and **Haverfordwest** in Pembrokeshire as well as
- Region 14 West Midlands - **Wrekin** in Telford

There are also a number of other Clubs who are considering their future, and I and their respective National Councillors are in ongoing discussions with them. These include:

- Region 1 Scotland North - **Atholl & Breablane** in Perthshire
- Region 5 North West - **Kendal** in Cumbria
- Region 11 Cheshire & NW Midlands - **Wem & District** in Shropshire
- Region 14 West Midlands - **Halesowen** in Dudley
- Region 18 Essex & NE London - **Colchester XRT** and **Braintree & Halstead** both in Essex
- Region 24 SW London, Surrey & Sussex - **Woking** in Surrey

There has also been an unfortunate and unusual situation within **Hamble Valley Stick Club** near Southampton within Region 23 Wessex & Channel Islands. Due to a local issue, the existing Club members voted to wind up the Club but not to disaffiliate.

The following month, the majority of the existing members decide to form a new 41 Club **Hamble Valley Stick Club 1**, which will be proposed at the October Council meeting.



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In parallel, a new **Hamble Valley & Fareham 41 Club** has been formed and will also be proposed at the October Council meeting.

Membership numbers

I intend to keep all Council members regularly informed on Membership and Club numbers throughout the year. The table below shows numbers as at 1st September, based on the Club Administration System.

41 Club Membership as at 1 SEPT 2022			Members	Clubs
Region	# Clubs	# Members	Reg Diff Annual	Reg Diff Annual
01 - Scotland North	17	295	-1	0
02 - Scotland South	23	320	2	0
03 - Ireland	12	163	1	0
04 - North East	22	419	-2	0
05 - North West	27	535	-8	0
06 - Yorkshire	41	742	8	1
07 - Greater Manchester	19	277	1	0
08 - Lancs & Manx	20	373	14	0
09 - Lincolnshire	15	254	-4	0
10 - East Midlands	32	747	-24	-1
11 - Cheshire & NW Midlands	26	520	14	-1
12 - North Wales & The Wirral	22	316	5	0
13 - South Wales	30	513	-7	0
14 - West Midlands	21	389	-21	-1
15 - Heart of England	41	885	-8	-1
16 - Mid Anglia	12	215	2	0
17 - East Anglia	27	510	1	1
18 - Essex & NE London	32	670	-3	0
19 - London Chilterns	33	619	-7	0
20 - Thames Valley	29	788	8	0
21 - Mid West	35	828	6	0
22 - West of England	29	483	-23	-1
23 - Wessex & Channel Isles	38	882	1	0
24 - SW London, Surrey & Sussex	36	640	-29	-2
25 - South East	30	512	-1	0
26 - Overseas Clubs	16	190	-12	-2
TOTALS	685	13,085	-87	-7



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The net changes are that the Association has seen a reduction of 7 Clubs and 87 members since April but as previously stated whilst every disaffiliation is regrettable, considering the age-profile and timing of the Clubs concerned it should not be seen as detrimental for the Membership of the Association or the strategy being pursued. For if a local Club cannot hold the interest of its members and there are no Club 'champions' to regenerate enthusiasm, then such Clubs' fate seems inevitable.

There may be more Clubs in the coming months who will find themselves in this situation, but I remain confident that the Membership criteria changes that the Association voted for will provide a strong and sustainable foundation for future growth.

Looking forward, the immediate future shows plenty of optimism for our Association and I am pleased to report that in:

- Region 7 Greater Manchester – **Wilmslow 41 Club** are looking to affiliate
- Region 10 North Wales – **Owesity 41 Club** in Shropshire is planning to re-affiliate
- Region 18 Essex & North London – **Hornsey 41 Club** have decided to reinvigorate their Club with new members and a renewed focus on the year ahead
- Region 24 SE London, Surrey & Sussex – **Brighton Regency10 41 Club** finally held their inaugural Charter meeting and are enthusiastically planning regular meetings for the coming year and engaging with neighbouring Clubs

Area XRT Clubs

The new concept of establishing 'Area XRT' Clubs has started really well in the formation of **Area 36 XRT** in Deeside. Such Clubs are focused on those who may be in the process of leaving or have left Round Table but do not have a local 41 Club to continue their Tabling experience or don't want to join an existing 41 Club. It's very early days but the initiative looks very promising for the longer term.

Invited Membership

Following the AGM Membership Rule changes to allow Clubs the option to invite non ex-Tablers to join their Club, I have received an increasing number of enquiries and emails from Clubs who are planning to do just this, as well as officially adding as full members those who were previously considered 'social members' only. I hope and expect membership to increase in the longer term as the new 'Invited Membership' rule gradually settles in.

Round Table Liaison

It is essential that we as an Association work side-by-side with Round Table – indeed is one of the foundations of Nat Pres Jim Conway's year. I have regularly engaged with Andrew Thorne – my counterpart within RTBI – to understand how Table are addressing their membership issues. I have also written an article for the next Round Table Magazine about





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41 Club Membership and encouraging all Round Tablers to apply to join 41 Club as soon as they reach 40 years of age – reminding them there's no capitation fee for the first five years!

All 41 Club National Councillors have now been provided with the contact details of their respective Round Table Regional Representatives and encouraged to engage with them on a regular basis.

National Councillors – the 'Glue' of the Association

Each of the National Councillors has a huge influence on Membership and plays a critical role in engaging with and encouraging Clubs within their respective Region.

At the July Council meeting in Derby, we undertook a Membership Brainstorming session amongst all National Councillors attending, in which the National Council challenged itself to answer the following questions:

1. How can we improve engagement with our own Clubs?
2. Why should people join 41 Club and what do we offer them? - ex-Tablers and non-Tablers?
3. How best can we as Council members help Clubs attract and retain members?
4. How can we encourage 41 Clubs to ensure meetings are attractive to encourage new members?
5. How best can we 'harvest' and share Clubs' best practice?
6. How will we know which Clubs want to invite non-Tablers?
7. How best can we support Table recruitment?

Out of the discussions that followed, a summary of 21 actions were proposed, together with ownership for each action and an initial estimated timescale to deliver. This is no quick fix approach however – rather it is to encourage and support all National Councillors to perform their critical role at their highest and most effective level. National Council will need to not only review our collective and combined progress against these actions on an on-going basis, but also be seen to be doing so. Indeed, to challenge ourselves to ensure we are progressing the Association.

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NATIONAL COMMUNICATION and IT OFFICER - DON MULLANE

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NATIONAL COUNCILLOR LIAISON OFFICER – WYNN PARRY

Unfortunately, Neal Lowe and John Kilshaw have resigned as National Councillors for personal reasons, we wish them both well. I am delighted to announce we have one new National Councillor, Andy Waring, in Region15, replacing Neal Lowe. Unfortunately, as yet, there is no replace has been found for John. I am also in discussions with a candidate for region 7, but it's early days yet, hopefully by the Council meeting I have positive news.

It's been a quiet summer this year many clubs are still not meeting and many councillors are finding it difficult to arrange visits. Councillors are calling their clubs but the responses in general are poor.

Councillors have been attending committee meetings and we have held some zoom meetings just to catch up with each other and to follow up on the items being discussed at these committee meetings.

We have had discussions and training on how to use MS Teams for our reports.

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NATIONAL FELLOWSHIP OFFICER – KELLY CLARKE

The year of events have continued since my last report with the motorcycle rally which although only a small group was a great success in the Lincolnshire and Norfolk areas, next up was the car rally a sell out with approximately 60 cars.

It is really good to have seen all these events take off and a big vote of thanks should go to the small groups that take time to organise these for our enjoyment, the fellowship that goes with them all is second to none.

We do have some interest in a National Debate and if you wish to enter a team (only three people need for a team) there is still time, with more details coming out in early October on the actual timescale and how everything is going to work.

The next two years cruises have been booked and details will soon be on the website for you to look at and book, basic details are

Braemar – M2323 – French Cities & Cruising the Seine & Loire rivers – departs Dover – 14th September 2023 – 11 nights.





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Balmoral – L2406 – In Search of the Northern Lights – departs Newcastle – 10th March 2024
– 9 nights

All the dates for next year's fellowship events are set and I along with the teams organising them we are working on getting the information onto the website and newsletter for you to put the dates in the diary, with a webpage to book in following shortly.

Kelly Clarke

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ASSOCIATION INTERNATIONAL OFFICER - ANDY VENTRESS

After my last report at the end of June for the Council Meeting held in early July there was a break in International meetings until September. During a holiday for Gail and myself in the Zulu-Natal region South Africa, we were able to meet up with Stuart Cummings in Dundee. We then flew down to Cape Town for the South African AGM where we had a fantastic weekend in Cape Town beginning with a trip to the Durbanville Wine region on the Thursday. On this trip we had 2 wine tastings and also lunch with other 41ers from South Africa and many other countries. On Thursday evening we visited Table View Club House for a social with all those that had arrived for the weekend. We had Friday free to explore Cape Town before the fancy dress party in the evening where we were joined by 16 young people at the end of their YAP tour. The AGM on Saturday started with the usual welcomes and then we had a presentation by the YAPS before finishing their tour with a trip up Table Mountain and then a party at the Gala Dinner.

After returning home on Monday lunchtime we had a very quick turn around to be able to fly out to the International HYM in Odense, Denmark. The HYM started with House Parties on Thursday Night. On Friday we got down to business with 5 workshops throughout the day,

1. Leadership in 41
2. Improving membership
3. Non Ex Tablers
4. 41er World
5. Running successful World Meetings

GB&I were represented at all the workshops by either myself, VP Steve or Regional Councillors Jason & Colin. On Friday Night we all attend the fairytale fancy dress party. The meeting on Saturday was attended by 20 countries and it was agreed, with some minor wording changes, to put forward the rule changes to be voted on in Stratford upon Avon. We also received the reports of the International Board, YAP Officer etc. There was also a presentation by Steve and myself to publicise the International AGM in Stratford upon Avon.





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This was followed by a presentation of next year's HYM which will be in Paphos, Cyprus on 12-15 October 2023. On Saturday evening we then had the Gala Dinner.

I have further visits planned for later in the year, Cyprus and Switzerland (October) and also Malta (November)

I have continued to meet on Zoom with other present and past IROs on most Friday evenings.

There has been requests from 41ers from other associations for help in finding contacts in GB&I which I have been able to help with.

Locally I have attended meetings of my own clubs. On a personal note I have volunteered at a local Vaccination Centre on many occasions and worn 41 Club branded clothing to publicise the association. I was also be part of the Commonwealth Collective as a Drugs Chaperone at the NEC.

Andy Ventress

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Region: 1 - Scotland North	NC Name: Colin McKenzie	Date: 21-09-22
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Clubs Visited – In person or Zoom

Date	Region/Club	Event	Best Practice and feedback for other NCs	
			Positive aspects	Learning points
23-Jul-22	Turriff 41 Club	BBQ	Good catch up with strong club.	No real feeder table – only 1 RT member.

Regional Events attended

Date	Region/Club	Event	Shared Best Practice	
			Positive aspects	Learning points





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19-Aug-22	Region 1 & 2	Scottish Regional Golf Event	I met a member of Fortay 41 club, who gave an insight into their activity	
03-Sep-22	Round Table GB&I	NSW - Lancaster	Supported area 44 I noticed a fair amount of 41ers at the event (perhaps not the best sign!)	Spoke to a number of older tablers / young 41ers re NSSW. A few of them were looking for more of the NSW type events there.
10-Sep-22	41 Club International / Denmark	41 Club HYM (Half Year Meeting)	Great to meet 41/Tangent members from other contries and hear how the all work.	Some great workshops were run. I attended 2 – “Open Membership” & “41 Club Events”

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None

Diary For Next Three Months

Date	Region/Clubs	Event
22-10-22	Area 13 – 41 Club	AGM – Granton on Spey

Additional Notes/Comments:





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Struggled to attend many club meetings over this period as many clubs don't meet over summer, or had last minute cancellations.

Actively involved with the planning of NSSW 2023. The team visited the venue in Stranraer, and have had a number of meetings throughout the last period.

Unfortunately, I've had a couple of requests for disaffiliation (Blairgowrie & Atholl) 😞 with the main reason being given as the age of current members.

Colin McKenzie
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Region 2 - Scotland South	NC Name: Bill Freeman	Date: 20/09/22
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Clubs Visited – In person or Zoom

Date	Region/Club	Event	Best Practice and feedback for other NCs	
			Positive aspects	Learning points
11/07/22	Falkirk club	Bbq	Met some more of my clubs. And hand over a trophy they won	
18/08/22	Dunfermline club	Meal with president		
19/08/22	Callander club	Meal with president		

Regional Events attended

Date	Region/Club	Event	Shared Best Practice	
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18/8/22	1&2	Golf day	Met some of my more of my clubs	
29/8/22	Planing meeting over zoom	nssw		





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5/11/22	Perth round table	Fireworks and to start setting up a new 41 club there

Additional Notes/Comments:

Attend NSW with round table and helped at Dunfermline round table beer festival. Communicated with international 41 club and connected the with one of my clubs. And helping play new member in to a club as their table has folded and transferring to 41 club so finding the nearest one to them.

Bill Freeman
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Region: 3 - Ireland	NC Name : Aidan Coyne	Date:
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Clubs Visited – In person or Zoom

Date	Region/Club	Event	Best Practice and feedback for other NCs	
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Additional Notes/Comments:

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Region: 4 - North East	NC Name: Peter Milburn	Date:
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Additional Notes/Comments:





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Region: 5 - North West	NC Name: Roger Spensley	Date:
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Clubs Visited – In person or Zoom

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Additional Notes/Comments:

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Roger Spensley
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Region: 6 - Yorkshire	NC Name: Wynn Parry	Date:
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Clubs Visited – In person or Zoom

Date	Region/Club	Event	Best Practice and feedback for other NCs	
			Positive aspects	Learning points
20/07/22	Boston Spa	Fish & Chip Night		
07/09/22	Horsforth	Dining Meeting		

Regional Events attended

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23 - 26/09/22	National	Caravan & Camping weekend
05/10/22	Beverley	Club meeting
06/10/22	Elland	Club meeting
07/10/22	Leyland	Charter
08/10/22	Region 8	Regional Lunch
08/10/22	O.B.E.'s	Charter
21/10/22	Region 6	White Rose Dinner
28/10/22	Oxfordshire	Oxford Dinner
01/11/22	Hull Wyke	Club meeting
16/11/22	Mexbrough	Club meeting
18/11/22	Dorset	Dorset Knobs
22/11/22	Brighthouse	Club meeting
14/12/22	London	The Lamb

Additional Notes/Comments:

Many of the Region 6 Clubs are still not meeting.
Some of the Region 6 Clubs don't meet through July & August
I have phoned most Club Chairman to try and arrange visits and held general discussions about 41 Club whilst on the phone
I have also been unable to attend a couple of meetings due to illness or family matters

Wynn Parry





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Region: 7 - Greater Manchester	NC Name: Vacant	Date:
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Region: 8 - Lancs & Manx	NC Name: Vacant	Date:
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Region: 9 - Lincolnshire	NC Name: Peter Walker	Date:
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Clubs Visited – In person or Zoom

Date	Region/Club	Event	Best Practice and feedback for other NCs	
			Positive aspects	Learning points
27/8/22	Boston	Social	Great day out	

Regional Events attended

Date	Region/Club	Event	Shared Best Practice	
			Positive aspects	Learning points





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Additional Notes/Comments:

I'm afraid my activity since the last National Council meeting has been severely curtailed by personal issues that I do not wish to disclose. Wynn is aware and I may share it with you privately, but it's not something I want to open up to National Council at this time. I am hopeful that I will be able to restore 'normal' service as soon as possible.

Peter Walker
region9@41club.org

Region: 10 - East Midlands	NC Name: John Manley	Date: 31/05/2022
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Clubs Visited – In person or Zoom

Date	Region/Club	Event	Best Practice and feedback for other NCs	
			Positive aspects	Learning points
08/06	Melton Mowbray	Club meeting	6 members	
14/06	Belper 41 club + Alfreton 41 club	Skittles night	30 members jointly	
14/08	Melton Mowbray	Chairman's BBQ	Family day with 11 members	





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24/08	Hucknall & Derby Merlin	Joint club night clay pigeon shooting	25 joint members	
08/09	Loughborough XRT	Charter night		
20/09	Grantham XRT	Anniversary Dinner	11 members	

Regional Events attended

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			Positive aspects	Learning points

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20/10	Loughborough	Charter dinner
31/10	Chesterfield	69 th Anniversary dinner

Additional Notes/Comments:

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John Manley
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Region: 11 - Cheshire & NW Midlands	NC Name: Steve Tasker	Date: 18/09/2022
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Clubs Visited – In person or Zoom

Date	Region/Club	Event	Best Practice and feedback for other NCs	
			Positive aspects	Learning points
28/06/22	Runcorn & District	Speaker	Good Turnout	
30/06/22	Northwich	Evening Walk		
16/07/22	Middlewich XRT	Car Show	Very well organised	
18/07/22	Heswall & Eport	Beer and Bikes		
19/07/22	Eport 41 Club	Meal		
20/07/22	Middlewich XRT	Skittles		
27/07/22	Market Drayton	Bowles		
14/08/22	Ellesmere & District	Chairs BBQ		
16/08/22	Eport 41 Club	Meal		
17/08/22	Stafford 41 Club	Chair BBQ		
22/08/22	Heswall XRT41	HRT Challenge		
30/08/22	Sandbach 41	Car Show		
07/09/22	Delamere Forest	Speaker Night		
14/09/22	Crewe & Nantwich	Table Challenge		

Regional Events attended

Date	Region/Club	Event	Shared Best Practice	
			Positive aspects	Learning points
07/07/22	Eport Round Table	Speaker Night	Good Turnout of RT	
31/08/22	R11 & R12	Brewery Tour	Very Well Executed	
15/09/22	Eport Table	Funding Apps		

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20/09/22	Eccleshall	Meeting
27/09/22	Runcorn 41	Speaker
29/09/22	Market Drayton	Meeting
08/10/22	Region 8	Meeting
21/10/22	Northwich	Charter

Additional Notes/Comments:

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Steve Tasker
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Region: 12 - North Wales & Wirral	NC Name: Rory Tompsett	Date: 20th September 2022
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Clubs Visited – In person or Zoom

Date	Region/Club	Event	Best Practice and feedback for other NCs	
			Positive aspects	Learning points
6 th June 2022	Alyn & Deeside XRT vs Deeside RT	Cricket Match	Having Fun!	Strengthening bonds between RT & 41 Club





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18 th June 2022	Alyn & Deeside XRT & Deeside RT	Classic Car Show	Community Engagement	Providing Support to RT (our feeder clubs)
23 rd June 2022	Membership Committee Meeting	Zoom		
15 th August 2022	41 World Training	Zoom	Introduction into the awesome 41 World and what it can do to bring Clubs, Regions and Countries together.	The one stop shop for resources to connect everyone in 41 Club at a local, Regional, National & International Level. A feasibility study to be explored for 41 Club GBI to become part of this.
31 st August 2022	Region 12 & Region 11 Joint Meeting	Beer, Burgers & Brewery Tour Attended by Nat.Prez Jim Conway & Vice Nat. Prez Steve James	Brought together multiple clubs, some that had not met for some time.	The catalyst for restarting some clubs to meet. New friendships across Regions.
12 th September 2022	Chester Grosvenor RT	Escape Rooms	Having Fun and helping Tablers know that there's a ready made place for when they hit a certain age and the friendships continue.	Recognised I am really rubbish at Escape Rooms, but no less Rubbish than 3 RT Members -we all got ate by imaginary Zombies in the Underground. What I learnt was if there is a Zombie attack in a disused Train Station...im not your man. ;-)
18 th September 2022	41 Club Membership Committee	Pre Council Meeting Catch up	Great to have new Reg. Councillor Andy Waring in with us and bounce some new ideas around plus catch up on recent discussions.	Shared the good points such as the recent joint Regions Meeting plus ideas on future events/activities to support Membership.





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				Focus on the positive activities rather than the negative disaffiliations and the unproductive post Mortem of why a Club has closed. Sometimes a Club will just come to end of its natural lifespan- whilst others adapt, adopt, Change or another XRT is formed-which iOS good news!

Regional Events attended

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1 st October	Council Meeting	Leicester





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14 th October- 4 th November 2022	Nepal 41 Club	Charity Expedition to Climb Everest Base Camp- hoping to meet up with Nepal 41 Club and Round Table.

Additional Notes/Comments:

July was an intense month work wise as we were tied up with the RHS Tatton Flower Show. I am away for October into November raising donations for the Frank Bruno Foundation climbing to Everest Base Camp with a bunch of 41 Club Members and Past Area Chairmen – we are hoping to meet up with 41 Club & Tablers from Nepal.

Rory Tompsett
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Region: 13 - South Wales	NC Name: John Bell	Date:
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Clubs Visited – In person or Zoom

Date	Region/Club	Event	Best Practice and feedback for other NCs	
			Positive aspects	Learning points



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Additional Notes/Comments:

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John Bell
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Region: 14 - West Midlands	NC Name: Richard Holland	Date: 21/09/22
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			Positive aspects	Learning points
9/7/22	Saffron Walden	BIG WEEKEND	The club work closely with Round Table and great community aspect	
3/8/22	Brownhills 41 Club	Club meal	Great club – not a big buy-in to the national association.	

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			Positive aspects	Learning points

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October	National council meeting Leicester	Plus national presidents ball





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Additional Notes/Comments:

I've encouraged some clubs to attend Aldridge's charter night with some great figures from Lichfield Spires and Lichfield 41 Club amongst others. Sadly, childcare, work and commitments with Rotary make it difficult for me to meet with clubs who meet during the day or on a Wednesday but I've made contact and the clubs know how to reach me if they need anything.

Richard Holland
region14@41club.org

Region: 15 - Heart of England	NC Name: Andy Waring	Date:
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Clubs Visited – In person or Zoom

Date	Region/Club	Event	Best Practice and feedback for other NCs	
			Positive aspects	Learning points
14/9/22	Redditch 41 Club	Skittles night	Club only 6 years old, I inducted their 19 th and 20 th members on the night. Round Table in attendance, also Alcester Round Table. Good to see them mixing with table. Young members having fun. Presented last years chair with his medal. Very friendly club.	Integrating with Table people do seem to move from there straight to 41 club early on and can still hang out with table mates.
21/9/22	Nuneaton ex Tablers 41 Club	Dinner and speaker night	Everyone sharing stories with speaker slots. I thanked Neal for his service	41 Club here is ran the same as they ran Table as I used to go their



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			as region 15 councillor.	table events too. Traditional style club, and they seem happy that way.
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Regional Events attended

Date	Region/Club	Event	Shared Best Practice	
			Positive aspects	Learning points
18/9/22	Membership committee	Teams meeting	Good ideas being discussed to improve membership	

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Haven't been able to do as CAS still shows me as Neal Lowe

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Date	Region/Clubs	Event
28/9/22	Heart of England 41 Club	Cricket nets and social in Birmingham
1/10/22	Councillor meeting	41 Club Presidents Ball
11/10/22	Hinckley Ex Tablers Club	Monthly Dinner. This is the other club in Hinckley, not my own
13/10/22	Market Harborough 41 Club	Speaker, Dinner, and meeting for the club to decide what sort of club they want to be, what sort of events to do, what members of office to have, and how they're going to shape the club in the future.
6/12/22	Northampton 41 Club	Curling and social



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Additional Notes/Comments:

I took over from Neal Lowe at start of September. Already enjoying visiting other clubs and seeing some big differences between them. Looking forward to the next few years serving my region, and hope to connect some of the clubs and members to socialise more.

Andy Waring
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Region: 16 - Mid Anglia	NC Name: Paul Simmons	Date: 20 Sep 22
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Clubs Visited – In person or Zoom

Date	Region/Club	Event	Best Practice and feedback for other NCs	
			Positive aspects	Learning points
4/8	Stamford XT	Golf/Dinner	Social Activity	Active club meeting fortnightly.
1/9	Stamford 41 Club	Meet	Introduction of new members and new contacts created on CAS database.	The need for better interaction between club and national, especially with a more senior membership base.

Regional/National Events attended

Date	Region/Club	Event	Shared Best Practice	
			Positive aspects	Learning points
3/8	Eastern Regions	Golf Comp	Inter-Regional activity attended	



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			by National Vice President.	
15/8	NC Zoom	41er World	Another option to CAS.	Learning about 41er world and how it could work for GB & I.
3/9	NC	Introduction of potential new member	New member, from National contact. Looking to attend local 41 Club event in the coming months.	Understanding how contact was made and delays to receiving contact details.
13/9	NC Zoom	Gathering	Always good to chat!	

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22/9	Staford RT	Charter Night
1/10	NC	Councillor Meeting
1/10	National	Presidents Ball
11/1	Cambridge	Presentation/Discussion

Additional Notes/Comments:

With additional pressure of school holidays during this period, it has led to a more local approach to meetings. However, I have attempted to open more communications channels. One member of Corby 41 Club wanted to be involved in the debating club which gave me an opening; however, this has not been successful yet. Will continue to pursue over the coming months to broaden communication within the whole region.

Paul Simmons
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Region: 17 - East Anglia	NC Name: Stuart Bizley	Date: 25/9/22
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Clubs Visited – In person or Zoom

Date	Region/Club	Event	Best Practice and feedback for other NCs	
			Positive aspects	Learning points
4/7	Holt & District	Monthly meeting – pub meal	'Older generation' club with no feeder table although interested in an update on all matters 41 Club	
7/7	Harleston 41 Club	Clay pigeon shooting and bbq – Joint meeting with table	I won best shot ! Club reinventing itself with the 'old guard' stepped down. Younger ex-tables now joining and connecting back to Table. Open membership being embraced	
8/8	Gt Yarmouth & District	Visit to new Marina Centre – joint meeting with Table	Great visit and joint meeting	
9/8	Dereham & district	Visit to Archangel gin distillery	Home club	
10/8	Bury St Edmunds	9 holes of golf and pub meal	Small club by still supporting it's local table	
22/8	Alpha Knights	Visit to Suckling House Norwich – first meeting place of Norwich No 1	Attended by National President. and other local Clubs represented for presentation of original signed photo of Louis	



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			Marchesi to be hung in the Louis Marchesi room at the venue .	

Regional Events attended

Date	Region/Club	Event	Shared Best Practice	
			Positive aspects	Learning points
1-3 July	National /region 6//Baildon	Walking Weekend	Great weekend Considering organising for 2024	Actively promote to Region for next year
9-10 July	National	National council meeting - Derby		
3/8	East Region	Golf Day at Braintree Golf Club		Actively promote to Clubs in region for next year
15/8	National council	41 Club World Demo		
5-16 /9	41 Club to Cruise Iceland & Faroes			

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27/9	Broadland	Monthly meeting
30/9-2/10	National	Council Meeting
2-3/10	National	Golf Finals at Staverton Park
17/10	Wensum & Yare	Monthly Meeting



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19/10	Castle Knights	Monthly Meeting
21/10	Region 6	White Rose Dinner
24-10	Ipswich	Monthly Meeting
25/10	Dereham & District	AGM
28/10	Region 20	Oxford College Dinner
17/11	Woodbridge	Monthly Meeting
14/12	Lamb Christmas Lunch	

Additional Notes/Comments:

On most of my visits there has been a positive response to sale of Ukraine appeal badges. I need to follow up the handful of Clubs I have not yet made contact with to arrange visits.

Stuart Bizley
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Region: 18 - Essex & North East London	NC Name: Jason Thomson - JT	Date: 20/09/2022
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Clubs Visited – In person or Zoom

Date	Region/Club	Event	Best Practice and feedback for other NCs	
			Positive aspects	Learning points
5 Sept	Southend 41c	Club meeting	I was speaker for the evening... think it went well!!	Very active club full program and monthly newsletter
6 Sept	Saffron Walden 41c	Club meeting	Good turnout for chairman's BBQ	Looking to add more active events to program
13 th Sept	Hornsey 41c	Club Meeting	This is a club re - inventing itself, good turnout with RT support	8 members and looking to fill posts and create program

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			Positive aspects	Learning points
9 th July	National	NC meeting	This was on zoom as date changed, challenge to communicate but managed morning.	Date change created attendance challenge for me.
14 th August	National	41er World workshop	Learning the pros and cons of 41er World and how it might fit GB&I requirements.	More questions to be answered.
23 rd August	IT Committee	Catch up teams meet	Discussion on 41er world and committee set up looking at systems.	Update on process of comms team on new systems.
8-11 th Sept	41 International HYM - Odense.	Half Year Meeting	Great attendance and productive HYM	Challenged by some Assoc's on the invited membership but many understood and in same situation.
14 th Sept	International Committee	Meeting	Discussion on HYM, YAP and IRO role ahead with dates	IRO replacement
15 th Sept	National council gathering	Gathering	Discussion on agenda of upcoming meeting.	

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22-25/9	Roundtable International	World Meeting
01/10	National	Council Meeting
11/10	LOT's	Club meeting
13/10	Hornchurch 41	Club meeting
20/10	Halifax 41	Club meeting
21/10	Region 6	White rose dinner
22-23/10	CEETM RTI region	Region meeting
7/11	Clacton on Sea 41	Speaker meeting
16/11	Hutton & Shenfield 41	Speaker meeting
17/11	Southgate 41	Speaker meeting
23/11	Wickford 41	Lunch meeting
TBC	Billericay 41	meeting
6/12	Saffron Walden 41	Xmas gathering
TBC	1741 Club	Club meeting
TBC	Dunmow 41	Club meeting
14/12	London	The Lamb

Additional Notes/Comments:

I'm starting to get back on track and able to drive etc. after my accident. I'm on two committees the latest is supporting Communications team and board with 41er World and other options. Emailed clubs still limited responses, some closed for summer holidays some just don't want to communicate with national.

Jason Thomson
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Region: 19 - London Chiltern	NC Name: VACANT	Date:
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Region: 20 - Thames Valley	David Chard	Date:19/9/2022
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Clubs Visited – In person or Zoom

Date	Region/Club	Event	Best Practice and feedback for other NCs	
			Positive aspects	Learning points
12/7/22	ISIS	Meeting planning Oxford Dinner	All booked and planned., tickets selling well	
7/9/22	Wokingham plus Sandhurst and Yateley	Joint meeting well attended.	considering organising a cluster meeting for Region 20	
14/9/22	Reading Valley	Club Visit	Amazing visit to headquarters of National Grid.	
20/9/22	Caversham	Club visit		Requested up date on Nat. events- some are interested
25/9/22	Thame	Club visit	Not visited in my 4 years.	Never give up!

Regional Events attended

Date	Region/Club	Event	Shared Best Practice	
			Positive aspects	Learning points
25/7/22		Visit to Fred Olson re 41/ Tangent cruises		
28/8/22	Zoom with Fellowship officer	National Debate organising		
6/9 /22	NC ZOOM			
22/9- 26/9/22		Nat. camping and caravan week-end	Sold out	





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29/9 – 1/10/22	NC weekend and Presidents ball			

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25/10/22	Thame	Cheese and Wine charity night
27/10/22	ISIS and Abingdon	Joint meeting with President Jim attending
28/10/22	Regional event	Oxford college Dinner
8/11/22	Wokingham	Presidential visit prior Remembrance Sunday
15/11/22	Oxford 19	Club visit
23/2/23	Region 20 meeting	Open invite to regional members for meeting with Rodney Huggins past president of RT and Rotary.
Jan 23+	High Wycombe	Club meeting tbc – not visited in my 4 years!

Additional Notes/Comments:

<p>Several clubs are still not meeting with at least 2 clubs meeting bi -monthly with a social meeting every other month, however still remaining affiliated. I was out of the country for all of August so catching up on visits before AGM.</p>

David Chard
region20@41club.org

Region: 21 - Mid West	NC Name: Kevin Chard	Date: 20/09/2022
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Date	Region/Club	Event	Best Practice and feedback for other NCs	
			Positive aspects	Learning points
29/6/22	Norton Radstock	meeting		
29/7/22	Norton Radstock	meeting		
31/7/22	Norton Radstock	meeting		

Regional Events attended

Date	Region/Club	Event	Shared Best Practice	
			Positive aspects	Learning points
8-10 July	National Council meeting			
14/9/22	International cmtee	Zoom mtg		

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3/12/2022	Clevedon 41 Club	60 th Charter
1/10	National Council meeting	

Additional Notes/Comments:

Liaised with numerous club members via telephone and email regarding CAS2 updates, Capitation queries and membership transfers etc.



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Updated and added content to Region 21 Facebook page
Moderated 41 Club members forum.
Administered and moderated the 41 wine club and caravan & camping special interest groups.
Unfortunately, the Region Golf competition had to be cancelled due to lack of interest.
Email to members re:proposed National Debating contest.
I have received invitations to attend the Severnvaile Dinner on the 20th Oct and Henleaze 41 Club past Chairmans dinner but unfortunately am unable to attend due to prior commitments.

Kevin Chard
region21@41club.org

Region: 22 – West of England	NC Name: Stuart George	Date: 22/09/22
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Clubs Visited – In person or Zoom

Date	Region/Club	Event	Best Practice and feedback for other NCs	
			Positive aspects	Learning points
28/07/22	Ilfracombe 41 Club	Monthly Meeting	Well attended meeting (c.25). Good links with their Round Table, although relatively few ex-Tablers have progressed to 41 Club in recent years. They will endeavour to encourage more Tablers to make the transition when the time is right.	



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Date	Region/Club	Event	Shared Best Practice	
			Positive aspects	Learning points
Various	Membership Committee Zoom/Teams meetings	Various		

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Stuart George
region22@41club.org

Region: 23 – Wessex & Channel Isles	NC Name: Richard Dyson	Date: 19/09/22
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Clubs Visited – In person or Zoom

Date	Region/Club	Event	Best Practice and feedback for other NCs	
			Positive aspects	Learning points





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30/06/22	Ringwood & District	National Caravan Rally Planning Meeting		
24/07/22	Ringwood	Club Council		
5/07/22-06/07/22	Jersey	Conference Cttee 2023		
31/07/22	Wellington & Taunton Clubs	4Clubs Annual Meeting		
11/08/22	Showtime	Bi-Annual Club Meeting		
14/08/22	Ringwood 3 Clubs – 41, Tangent & Table Clubs	Social event		
15/08/22	Ringwood	National Rally Planning meeting		
16/08/22	Ringwood	Club Meeting		
5/09/22	Ringwood	Club Council		
20/09/22	Ringwood	National Rally Planning Meeting		

Regional Events attended

Date	Region/Club	Event	Shared Best Practice	
			Positive aspects	Learning points
8/07/22	Region – 12 Clubs from Region 23 attended	Annual Regional Golf Competition		
9/07/22-10/07/22	National Council	Council Meeting		
12/07/22	Regional Social Event	Region Social Event		
13/09/22	National Council Meeting on Zoom			
21/09/22-26/09/22	National Caravan & Camping Rally			





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1/10/22	National	National Council
1/10/22	National	President's Ball
5/10/22	Ringwood, Christchurch, Bournemouth	Annual InterClub Sports evening
12/10/22	Region 23	Regional Annual Quiz
18/10/22	Ringwood	Club Meeting
28/10/22	ISIS	Annual College Dinner
Oct	Jersey	AGM
18/11/22	Region 23	Dorset Knobs – Annual Regional Dinner
19/11/22	Showtime	Club Meeting

Additional Notes/Comments:

Been extremely busy organising National Caravan & Camping Rally for 78 people to be held 23-26 Sept

Richard Dyson
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Region 24 - SW London, Surrey & Sussex	VACANT	Date:
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Region: 25 – South East	NC Name: Martin Manuel	Date: 12th Sept 2022
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Date	Region/Club	Event	Best Practice and feedback for other NCs	
			Positive aspects	Learning points
19th July 2022	Weald of Kent	Club Meeting	Regular club meetings. Very informal. No set venue	
25 th July 2022	Welling	Club meeting	Regular club meetings. Quite formal with a regular venue. Accompanied with another member of LOTS'	
10 th August 2022	Darent Valley	Club Meeting	Members found it beneficial to offer 2 club meetings per month. One formal and geared towards older members and an additional less informal to attract newer and younger members. No set venue.	The model seems to work and has meant healthy numbers at each meeting. Have only so far attended the one formal meeting.
15 th August 2022	Sevenoaks	Club Meeting.	Members met for a 5-mile early evening hike followed by Beer & Pizza at a local pub, the base for the start and finish of the walk. Club does not have a regular meeting venue.	Good to learn members are being active and not simply wining and dining.
22 nd August 2022	Chatham.	Club visit	10 pin bowling in Rochester followed by excellent curry in	Ditto





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			a local indian restaurant in Strood	
4 th Sept 2022	Canterbury & District / Canterbury Table Plus No1/ Canterbury RT	Joint Club visit	All three clubs aim to meet first Sunday of each month for a family event. Over 30 people joined in and included partners, children and dogs. A good 5-mile hike. Followed by traditional sunday pub lunch	A wonderful way of bringing the entire RT family together. Clearly this format works well and is popular.
6 th Sept 2022	Whitstable	Club visit	Speaker meeting and held at their regular venue. Meeting was quite formal and a good turnout.	Excellent speaker in Sir Paul Carter former leader of Kent County Council and MP. He talked a little about central and local politics, but the main subject was racing classic cars all over Europe and the world. In particular a 1930's Bentley 4.5 litre. Gppd solid club and included one guest.
7 th Sept 2022	Maidstone	Social. Internrtional Lunch.	Annual event in the diary and simply has an international flavour. Held in Canterbury in a french restaurant. Good attendance and wonderful fellowship	Maidstone know how to enjoy themselves. Due to being unwell, I had to cancel an earlier meeting with the club. This was a midweek lunch time BBQ.
14 th Sept	Revisit to Canterbury Table Plus No1	Social evening beach walk	beach walk in Whitstable plus partners. Followed	A club that enjoys RT family events.



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			with fish & chips. My wife Louise also joined in.	
21 st Sept	Joint meeting Margate RT and 41 Club	Pub quiz	Joint meeting and opportunity to meet RT Region 18 Regional rep Richard Harrop	

Regional Events attended

Date	Region/Club	Event	Shared Best Practice	
			Positive aspects	Learning points
	Nil			

Newsletter/Magazine Articles

No newsletter yet, but will submit some picture and one liner's for our magazine.

Diary For Next Three Months

Date	Region/Clubs	Event
		My 6 meetings for Oct postponed as I need to travel to the USA for personal reasons. All 6 Clubs contacted and new dates to be arranged.
2 nd Nov	Isle of Sheppey	Club meeting
9 th Nov	Sittingbourne	Pending - TBC
14 th Nov	Petts Wood	Pending - TBC
21 st Nov	Joint Medway and Weld of Kent	Pending - TBC

Additional Notes/Comments:



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I was not well in late June and early July; this meant a number of meetings postponed. Clubs with no fixed abode, are struggling to find venues, especially if they are scheduled to meet on a Monday or Tuesday in rural locations. Venues are struggling to open through lack of revenue or resource for the kitchen and restaurant. Some clubs are still not wishing to be proactive and will need further attention at a later date. I continue to promote Presidents Ball, National Conference, National Debate and a desire to get clubs within 25 interact with each other. Point to note – apart from finding a suitable venue, Clubs also report not been able to source venues for private dining, making it difficult to organise formal meetings and more importantly speaker evenings.

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HONORARY ARCHIVIST – SEAN McCORMICK

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HONORARY SOLICITOR – DAVID SMITH

I'm pleased to report it's been quite a busy time since the July Council meeting:

1. Checked and approved the agreement with the National Memorial Arboretum for the future maintenance of the Association Garden following the resolution at Cardiff Conference;
2. Checked and approved the local authority paperwork for Liverpool Conference;
3. Advised the Board regarding the holding of an emergency Council meeting;
4. Advised regarding the approval of club disaffiliation requests;
5. Advised the Membership Officer regarding the closure of the Hamble Valley Stick Club;
6. Discussed the wording of the advertisement for applications for the position of Honorary Solicitor;
7. Considered and discussed with the National Secretary the changes proposed by the Admin Committee to the Association's Constitution.

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HONORARY WEBMASTER – MARK HOUSE

WEBSITE UPDATES

There have been various updates to the main site, all content related, and many around rule, councillor or board member changes and updates for some clubs as well as news, newsletters and so on. Various support has been offered to clubs who are wishing to maintain their microsites and have access to their data and more for the site.

DOMAINS

All domains are now in one place and in an area that 41 Club can manage. These are:

Domain	Renewal Date
41club.co.uk	Friday, December 23rd, 2022
41club.com	Tuesday, December 19th, 2023
41club.net	Tuesday, January 17th, 2023
41club.org	Wednesday, January 25th, 2023
41club.uk	Sunday, July 31st, 2022
41club75.org	Wednesday, July 13th, 2022
41clubconference.co.uk	Tuesday, October 18th, 2022
41clubconnects.co.uk	Tuesday, May 9th, 2023
41clubevents.co.uk	Sunday, June 11th, 2023
41clubmail.org	Friday, May 5th, 2023
41clubsales.co.uk	Tuesday, August 9th, 2022
World-meeting.net	Recently Purchased

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This site is being maintained and contains some content that is linked to the main site as some elements of that work better on this site. The site will be moved to a new sub-domain of connects.41club.org and will be maintained from there and this will take place before any handovers.

41 CLUB NATIONAL EVENTS

There are now a number of different sites that support event ticket ordering and the event teams. These are:

<https://41clubevents.co.uk/>

National Conference 2023 Jersey - <https://jersey23.41clubevents.co.uk/>

National Caravan Rally 2022 - <https://caravanrally.41clubevents.co.uk/>

National Motorcycle Rally 2022 - <https://motorcycle.41clubevents.co.uk/>

National Golfing Weekend - <https://golf.41clubevents.co.uk/>

National Walking Weekend - <https://walking.41clubevents.co.uk/>

National Car Rally (Market Harborough Website - <https://mh41club.org.uk/classic-car-rally-2022/>

International Conference 2023 Stratford-upon-Avon - <https://international23.41clubevents.co.uk/>

National Sports and Social Weekend 2022 - closed - <https://nssw.41clubevents.co.uk/>

National Presidents Ball - <https://jimconway.co.uk>

Incoming National President Ball <https://stevejames.wales>

The Jersey Conference site has reports delivered to the team on a monthly basis and requires a small amount of additional development to allow reporting for dietary





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requirements and this will be complete by December. The international site has seen a variety of changes and bookings are progressing.

EMAILS

The webmaster has changed over the emails of the various councillors, provided support for access and undertaken general updates for all email accounts.

Email accounts have also been set up for the various events (on free accounts to the Assoc) and are maintained on behalf of each event.

ZOOM

The Webmaster has been maintaining the access to the zoom accounts and has progressed a proposal around the future of providing access to zoom accounts – this was progressed in the July, but no actions have been progressed.

Zoom are becoming more active in their use of the licences and the Webmaster receives occasional emails with codes for access for users. It is difficult to share these as it is not known who the users are and this will need to be better supported.

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