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The Sea Cadets with their new minibus at their head-quarters in Caterham-on-the-Hill.

The Caterham Sea Cadets would like to say a big 'thank you' to the readers of The Caterham and District Independent who helped to fund the purchase of their new 17-seater minibus.

In March we reported that their old bus had failed its MOT and was no longer serviceable,

but the £15,000 that the cadets had raised in the last two years was not enough to purchase a replacement vehicle. The local community answered their 'SOS' and the cadets soon had the funds to purchase the much-needed Ford Transit minibus.

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Celebrating St. George's Day

Uniformed groups across the district were proudly celebrating St. George's Day last weekend. Around 700 children wore their scout or guide uniform to school on April 23rd, a tradition started in Caterham six years ago. Sunday 25th April saw the St. George's Day parade take place in Caterham Valley from Beechwood Road to Timber Hill Recreation Ground where the youngsters assembled for a service led by Revd. David Marshall-Jones



(see above). To view more photos of the parade go to www.caterham-independent.co.uk or www.local-eventphotos.co.uk



Pupils at St. John's CofE Primary School in Caterham celebrating St. George's Day.

A celebrity in our midst!



Who were the paparazzi trying to snap at the Amber Room hair salon in Croydon Road, Caterham last week? Go to www.caterham-independent for the full story!

Shadow Children's Secretary visits 'Street' Youth Centre

On Friday, 16th April the Shadow Secretary of State for Children, Schools and Families joined East Surrey Conservative candidate, Sam Gyimah, on a visit to the new Caterham Youth Centre in Godstone Road, Caterham, to face a tough grilling from people aged 14-17. They were joined by Sally Marks, Conservative County Councillor for Caterham Valley.

The youngsters, from de Stafford School and Warlingham Secondary School, have been at the heart of the planning and decision making for the new youth centre, choosing the decor, the configuration and the name: 'Street'. To read more on the meeting between the politicians and local youths, go to www.caterham-independent.co.uk



Conservative Michael Gove, centre, with East Surrey candidate Sam Gyimah, Cllr Sally Marks and local youngsters in Caterham Valley after the visit to the 'Street' Youth Centre.

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New Chairman and Honorary President for Caterham Round Table

Last month saw the inauguration of the new Chairman of Caterham Round Table for 2010-2011, Clive Harper, who is taking over from Paul Smith. Andy Self is the new Honorary President, taking over from Barry Louvel. The Round Table events lined up for this year include the Bicycle Hill Climb up Waller Lane (see 'Cyclists wanted for 'Waller Pain' below), as well as the Boat Race which will be held during the Street Party in Caterham-on-the-Hill on 30th May. The Caterham Round Table also organises the annual fireworks night at the Dene Field in Caterham, their biggest event of the year.

"If anyone is interested in joining the Caterham Round Table I would say to them 'Come and along and see and try it out'. It won't cost anything when you visit, we will pay for your dinner!"



New Chairman, Clive Harper (left) and new President, Andy Self

said Clive. "We are a relaxed group who have good fun and it would be great to have some more new members."

The Caterham Round Table meet on the first and third Wednesday evening of the month at the Surrey National Golf Club in Chaldon, 7.30pm for 8pm. If there is an extra Wednesday in the month they will have a sports evening such as bowling or shooting. For more information, contact Round Table member, Scott Georgiades on 07968 525613 or e-mail ScottGeorgiades@planinsurance.co.uk www.caterhamtable.com

Cyclists wanted for 'Waller Pain'

Another new event being added to the Caterham Festival calendar is 'Waller Pain', a hill climb for cyclists up Waller Lane in Caterham, the steep lane used by pedestrians that leads up to Caterham-on-the-Hill from Caterham Valley. From a standing start, cyclists will have to climb approximately 500m to the top of the 1 in 12 incline, forming one of the new events for the Caterham Festival season. Caterham Round Table are organising the event which will take place on Sunday 13th June, the day after the carnival.

Round Table Chairman, Clive Harper, said: "We hope this inaugural event will be a great success and help to reflect what is great about Caterham. We are delighted to be involved in the Caterham Festival and hope this will be an annual fixture on the Round Table calendar." Round Table member, Scott Georgiades added: "This will be an all out effort for cyclists, and all participants will receive a medal. Serious riders are being invited but I would like to stress that this event is open to any ability, any bike, any age. The cyclists must have

Caterham Food Festival to go ahead this summer

On Sunday 6th June Caterham will be holding its first ever Food Festival as part of the Caterham Festival. Tandridge District Council recently gave the event the thumbs up and granted the licence to permit the sale of food from stalls in Croydon Road, Caterham Valley. Caterham Festival chairman and organiser of the Food Festival, Andy Parr, said: "Tandridge District Council have been brilliant, really helpful. Surrey County Council have also been very supportive, giving us permission to close the road so that we can go ahead with the event."

Professional continental market traders from France, Belgium, Italy, Spain, Holland and Poland wearing traditional costumes will be selling high quality products including Brittany biscuits, olives, Italian nougat, pungent cheeses, saucissons, Tartiflette from the Alps, charcuterie, fresh breads,

croissants and much, much more!

Many local restaurants will also be serving up their specialities at the festival, and some of the shops in Croydon Road will be open for business. There will also be the opportunity to take a look around the new 'Street' Youth Centre in Godstone Road.

The Food Festival, which will be open from 1pm until 5pm, promises to be another highlight in the programme of activities lined up for the Caterham Festival. Andy said: "I think this will be a fantastic day, very relaxing with lots of lovely food!"

There will be 18 stalls in the Continental Market and



Andy is still looking for more local businesses or individuals who would like to set up a stall to sell food. If you would like to run a stall at the Food Festival, telephone Andy Parr on 01883 340000 or 07802 846902.

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The Soper Hall in Caterham Valley

The Caterham Community Partnership ('CCP') is inviting local residents to express their views on the future of the Soper Hall in Harestone Valley Road.

A focus group of CCP is looking into the viability of an asset transfer of the Soper Hall from Tandridge District Council to the community as an alternative to selling the building to a private developer.

The building used to be the council offices for the old Caterham and Warlingham Urban District Council, but after the new Tandridge District Council was formed in 1974 the council offices moved to the new building in Oxted. Over the years the building has slowly deteriorated but some of the offices are still in use by local businesses and organisations, such as the Volunteer Bureau and the Citizens Advice Bureau.

Graham Tapley of the Soper Hall focus group said: "We are exploring ways of getting the building ship-shape again so that it can be used by local organisations and maybe also for wedding receptions, parties, business exhibitions and conferences. Renovating the building could cost from thousands of pounds to well over a million, depending on whether the improvements are 'budget' or 'deluxe'. It is a pretty tall order, but we are a pretty active group!"

If you would like to express your views on the future of the Soper Hall you can complete the survey on the Soper Hall Regeneration Project website:

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Burtenshaw's Beat

by Tandridge Neighbourhood Inspector Elaine Burtenshaw



I want to start with extremely positive news regarding crime in Tandridge. The last year has been excellent. At the end of the financial year March 2010 we saw a reduction in overall crime of 4.9% with a fall in offences such as vehicle crime, house burglaries and criminal damage. I am certain that this significant decrease has been greatly assisted by the community being vigilant, looking out for their neighbours, and reporting any suspicious persons and vehicles so thank you! I want to celebrate this with a reminder of the Police/partner and community work that assists in keeping Tandridge safe. This last year we have seen an increase in the number of members of our 'Watch' schemes and one of them,

Woldingham Neighbourhood Watch, won a national award. If your street is not in Neighbourhood Watch then please contact your local officer who will assist you in starting a scheme up. We will also put you in contact with a near-by existing scheme co-ordinator who will be able to reassure you and tell you what they learned from setting a scheme up.

Country Watch membership continues to increase weekly. Being so close to London it is easy to forget that over 90% of Tandridge is rural and those that work in rural businesses have been targeted by criminals. We have seen a decrease in

crime in these areas thanks to the Watch schemes. Caterham Shop Watch continues to be an excellent fast-time communication system between the retailers and ourselves, assisting in persons being arrested for retail offences and property being returned. It is hoped that this scheme will soon be in Oxted.

Pub Watch is a scheme run by the licensees in Tandridge supported by Surrey Police and Tandridge District Council. The recently formed scheme in the North of the District is chaired by Tom Dempsey of the Whyteleafe Tavern who starting next month (June) will be writing occasional columns in this paper about how licensees work with us to reduce further the low level of incidents within licensed premises so that you the community can enjoy their hospitality.

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In the Spotlight

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Marital Status: Married.

Children: Sadly, no children.

Cars: Yes.

Pets: None – until we retire it would not be fair to leave them alone.

Childhood hero: Any steam engine driver!

Favourite Food & Drink: Merluza a la plancha (grilled hake, delicious) and a good bottle of Rioja wine.

Pastimes: Are you serious! Music, sport (only watching

as the legs have gone) and walking.

Likes: Sharing those special jewellery moments with customers.

Dislikes: Hypocrisy and greed.

Favourite TV show: The Rugby Club (Sky TV).

Favourite books: 'Foundation' by Isaac Asimov and 'Wilt' by Tom Sharpe.

Who would you most like to throw a custard pie at? Goldman Sachs executives and the politicians who allowed the bonus culture to thrive.

Favourite song of all time: King Harvest (has surely come) by The Band.

Favourite holiday destination: Andalucia, Spain.

Biggest influence on your life: My wife Jo.

Proudest moment: Celebrating our Pearl Wedding Anniversary three years ago.

Most embarrassing moment: As a novice Area Manager driving my short fused Regional Manager three times around Newcastle trying to find his pre-booked hotel.

Where would you most like to live? This area suits me just fine.

Who would you most like to meet? Barack Obama.

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by Alec Herbert

All on events in the month of May:

1. Napoleon Bonaparte died in May 1821 on which island?
2. Who married Priscilla Beaulieu at the Aladdin, Las Vegas on 1st May 1967?
3. Who wrote "Look Back in Anger" first produced in May 1956 in London's West End?
4. Mrs Thatcher became Britain's first woman Prime Minister in May of which year?
5. In which decade was the voting age in Britain lowered from 21 to 18?

Answers:

1. St. Helena; 2. Elvis Presley; 3. John Osborne; 4. 1979; 5. 1960's (69).

Caterham Festival Poetry Competition Winners

Congratulations to Norman Skinner from Caterham, the winner of the First Prize in last month's Caterham Festival Poetry Competition. Norman wins a pen donated by JJ Browne Jewellers in Godstone Road. Marie McNeill came second, winning a £20 voucher donated by JJ Browne Jewellers. Six year-old Madelaine Fitzgerald from Caterham was the winner of the children's prize, a £20 voucher for Craft Stationers in Godstone Road, donated by The Caterham and District Independent.

The Caterham Festival 2010

by Norman W.T. Skinner (age 76)

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The Caterham Festival

by Madelaine Fitzgerald (age 6)

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'Street' Youth Centre opens in Caterham

Next week sees 'Street' Youth Centre in Godstone Road, Caterham opening its doors to local youngsters for the first time. The exciting new centre is the product of local students working together with members of Surrey Youth Service and has been spearheaded by Caterham Valley County Councillor, Sally Marks. Its facilities include a fully-equipped kitchen, computers with internet access, a meeting room and lounge with wide-screen tv. During a preview event on Wednesday 21st April, a special presentation of a £50 voucher for River Island was made to de Stafford School student, Olivia Payne who came up with the winning name for the youth centre, 'Street' (see photo). Year 10 de Stafford School students, Zoe Holman and Hannah Wingrave form part of the steering committee of local students who are now working hard to promote Street to teens in the Caterham area.

Youth Development Worker, Jo Sturgess, said: "The students have been involved in every area of the development stages and they are now in the process of forming a management committee to help run Street."



(From left) Hannah Wingrove, Zoe Holman and Olivia Payne.

Live and Direct

One of the exciting projects taking place at Street is a Music Tech called 'Live and Direct' being set up by youth worker, Mat Lill.

"We need to recruit twelve young people to form the club, which will be accredited so the young people can work to achieve an Open College Network qualification which is recognised in colleges," said Mat. "The members can create their own tracks on a computer or bring along their own instrument if they are already learning to play. We have professional tutors for different levels of ability, including those who have never picked up an instrument. The plan is to be ready to perform live at next year's Caterham Festival!"

For more information about 'Live and Direct' e-mail Matt at mathieu.lill@surreycc.gov.uk

New Youth Club for 11-13 year-olds

The Caterham Hill Youth Club is inviting local youngsters to the opening of its new section for 11-13 year-olds on Wednesday 5th May from 7.45-9.15pm. The club, based at the Community Centre in the High Street, is open for anyone in the area aged between 11-13 to meet new friends, play the new Wii, have a game of table tennis or pool, or sing on the karaoke. Those who like cooking can even help to make pizza in the kitchen!

Michelle McCurry, the new Youth Worker at the club, is enjoying her role helping to organise events and promote the club in the local area.

"We would like to organise a float for the Caterham Carnival and we have a driver with an HGV 1 and 2 licence, but no lorry," said Michelle. "If any local business would like to lend us their lorry we would be very grateful!"

For more information about the club which also holds evenings for 13-18 year-olds, go to www.caterhamhillyouthclub.vpweb.co.uk



Surrey County Councillor, John Orrick (left) with members of Caterham Hill Youth Club at its opening last October. If you can help the club by lending them a lorry for the Caterham Carnival please call Michelle McCurry on 07976 035269.



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ACT Theatre were brought in by Dick Moran to run The Arc and they have worked tirelessly since December to bring The Arc to where it is today. ACT is a Surrey based theatre company created by Beth Wood who is a professional actress and director. Alongside her are associate directors John Soffe and Andy Edmeads who have been devising the programme of events and classes. They also oversee the day-to-day running of The Arc and all aspects of the business assisted by administrator, Hayley Rose.

"It's been an immensely exciting, rewarding and tiring journey", said Andy Edmeads. "We just hope we can fulfil the potential that The Arc has to be a place that people will want to revisit again and again". With no financial backing or sup-

port that most new businesses have, The Arc and ACT have relied on the community Share scheme and generous donations of time and money. The directors of The Arc worked for free for three months to get the project off the ground, and still are not on full time salaries, despite The Arc being a full-time commitment.

Over time, more workshops, productions and events will be scheduled in with the aim to make The Arc a regional arts centre, giving Caterham an unrivalled performance and creative venue. Andy said, "Our backgrounds are all performance-based and between us we've got a lot of experience. I've been acting professionally since I was 12 and have experience in voice-overs and radio broadcasting, so a Caterham radio station would be on my wish-list. The possibilities are endless".

The Arc is open 7 days a week, with the soft play open every day 10am - 5pm. There are evening workshops, classes and events throughout the week. For more info, please call 01883 330380 or visit www.the-arc-caterham.co.uk

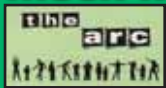
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were invited to vote for their favourite painting during their visit to decide the winner of this year's David Curzon Price award. Over 60 paintings were voted for and the overall winner was a stunning painting entitled 'Blue Anemones' by Stella Mance. For more information about Tandridge Art Society, call Chairman, Mike Harrington, on 01883 341536 or e-mail: baron276@yahoo.co.uk.



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"You could leave the charity a share of your estate or a small one-off gift - just £20 will help a Marie Curie Nurse care for a terminally ill patient in their own home for an hour," explained Toni. "We all have a wish list of things we'd like to do in our lifetime; some things are big and some are small, but there is one thing you can do that will change people's lives. After considering family and friends, leave a gift to Marie Curie Cancer Care in your will." If you would like to know more about leaving a gift in your will to Marie Curie Cancer Care, call Toni on 07798 638087 or email toni.denyer@mariecurie.org.uk



Beechwood Women's Club celebrates 50 years

Over fifty past and present members with invited guests had the opportunity to sing and dance the night away to the music of Nathan Rhodes in celebration of Beechwood Women's Club's fiftieth birthday on Tuesday March 30th. Members provided the buffet supper and two of the more artistic members decorated a special cake. The celebrations will continue later in the year when Club members will be visiting the Royal Pavilion at Brighton and enjoying afternoon tea at the Radisson Blu Hotel. The club originally held their meetings at the old Adult



Founder member, Alic Pickford, prepares to cut the celebration cake.

Education Centre in Beechwood Road, but in 1995 moved to St. Mary's Church Hall, Caterham-on-the-Hill where they meet every Tuesday evening at 8.00 pm (term time only). Please feel free to join them, or contact the Secretary on 348830 as visitors and new members are always welcome.

New minibus for Caterham Sea Cadets

(Continued from page 1)

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Town Crier, Sonia Hunt, presents the keys to Sub-Lieutenant Aaron Clarke at the Sea Cadets' HQ

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Eating Out

Sizzle and spice at 'The Curry Leaf' restaurant

Review by Julia Church

A night out at 'The Curry Leaf' Indian restaurant proved to be the perfect tonic at the end of a busy day. I was accompanied by my son Andrew who deserved a treat for helping me out with IT issues at work. At last, a chance to sit back, relax and talk about something other than technical matters. The comfortable ambience, friendly service and glass of wine in hand had us relaxed in no time, looking forward to our meal as we caught up on our news.

We chose starters from the 'Pakora' selection - Indian street snacks served with chutney. Andrew chose Chicken Tikka and I decided to try Palak, a vegetarian starter of balls of spinach which melted in the mouth. Andrew commented that

the starters were just the right quantity to whet the appetite for the main meal to come.

When it comes to mains in an Indian restaurant, my preference is for mild, creamy dishes, so I chose a 'Special of the Cuisine', Chicken Malai, favoured with almonds, herbs and exotic spices. Andrew prefers something a bit spicier and chose another special, the 'Xacuti Chicken' described as highly flavoured, spiced and fairly hot, prepared using coconut. To go with our main courses we ordered Pilau Rice, Onion Bhaji and a recommended dish, the Special Vegetable Sizzler. The sizzler made a very pleasant change to the usual side dishes I go for, consisting of potato, tomato and capsicum cooked in a clay oven which gave the dish a lovely, slightly charcoal flavour. Even better, we were told the dish is great for dieters!

The meal was lovely and



The Curry Leaf

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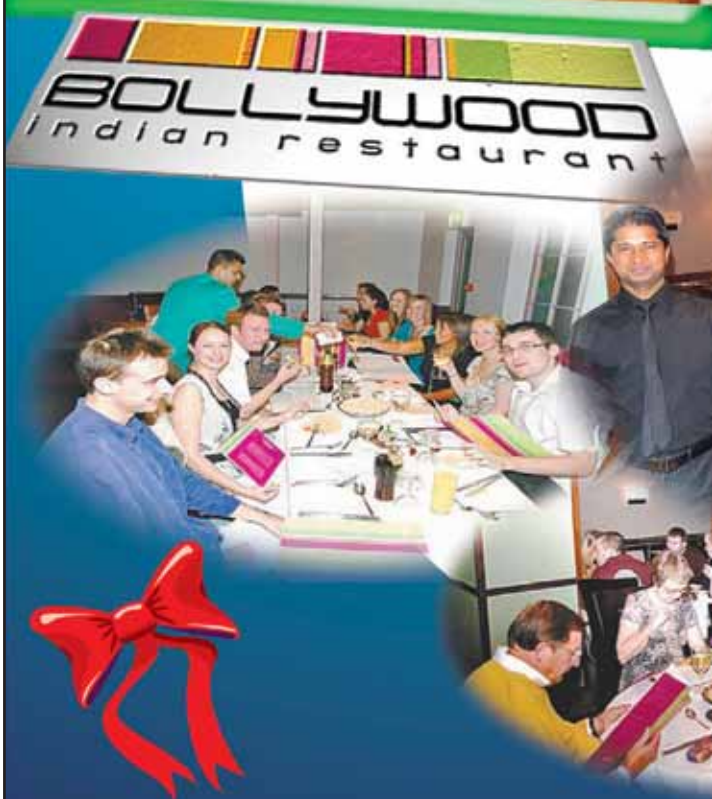
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To enter simply send your name, address and telephone number to 'DeFest Father's Day Competition, The Caterham and District Independent, 33 High Street, Caterham, Surrey CR3 5UE or E-mail: editor@caterham-independent.co.uk. The competition closes on Friday, 14th May and the winner will be notified by telephone.

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Tickets cost £5 and are available from Geraint Jenkins at de Stafford School on 01883 347818.

Horticultural Society Annual Summer Outing

The Caterham and District Horticultural Society are holding their annual Summer Outing on Sunday 6th June to 'The Secret Gardens' at 'The Salutation' in Sandwhich. All are welcome for a lovely day out. For more information call Chairman, Roy Skelton on 01737 643420.

Summer Concert

An evening of music in aid of St. Catherine's Hospice entitled 'Summertime, and the livin' is easy' is being held at Woldingham School 'Dineen Auditorium' on Friday 14th

Bowling club to hold Open Day

Would you like to try your hand at playing bowls? The members of Caterham Bowling Club will be available to provide anybody of any age with some basic tuition from 10am to 1pm on Saturday 15th May. Sets of bowls will be provided and you can wear whatever clothes make you feel comfortable. Flat-soled shoes would help although are not essential.

Bowls is a very sociable game and you will find a warm welcome at the green in Queen's Park Road, opposite the Dene Hospital in Caterham-on-the Hill. If you would like any further information you can telephone 01883 622305 or 01883 347172 or just turn up and enjoy a fun morning.

May at 7.30pm. The concert will be presented by Radio 2's Roger Royle and will feature gold medal winning women's barbershop chorus 'Surrey Harmony'. For more information and to order tickets call 01883 652188.

Piano Concert

The fourth Vivace Pianos pupils' concert will take place on Friday 14th May at 7pm at Woldingham Village Hall, Station Rd, CR3 7DB. Admission is £1 for adults and free for children.

Local firm seeks charity to sponsor

Capital Plumbing and Heating Services Ltd. based in Croydon Road, Caterham Valley, are looking for a local charity to sponsor for the next twelve months. Capital's Managing Director, Dean Croft, said: "As a local business, we would like to put something back into the community by sponsoring a local charity during the course of the next year. The sponsorship package will start at the Caterham Carnival on 12th June when our chosen charity will receive the proceeds from our stall." Dean and his team will be stuffing one of their company vans full of balloons and visitors to the Carnival will be invited to enter a competition to guess the number of balloons in the van.

"We want to get out there and meet local residents and have fun at the same time!" said Dean. "There will be thousands of people attending the event so hopefully we will have raised a tidy sum for our chosen charity by the end of the afternoon and more over the next 11 months." If you would like to nominate a local charity to be the beneficiaries of Capital's sponsorship for the next year, simply complete the form above and send to Dean by Monday, 31st May 2010.

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Jane said: "I know first hand how cancer can impact peo-

ples lives. Children want to contribute to putting an end to the devastation this disease causes in a way that enables them to have fun and really feel they are making a difference."

Little Legs for Life is open to all children from all schools and areas, pre-school to 12 years. To register please email littlelegscaterham@hotmail.co.uk or call Jane Warner on 07748 120615 for a registration form. Forms are also available from the Cancer Research UK shop in Caterham. All registered children will receive a Little Legs for Life t-shirt & medal.

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Whyteleafe FC

by Andy Runacres

The final month of the season saw 21 fans take part in a sponsored walk to the Easter Monday game at Merstham to raise money for necessary floodlight repairs. A substantial sum was raised and everyone had a great day out, which culminated in a competitive 2-2 draw.

Going into the final fortnight Croydon Athletic and Folkestone were vying for the title and Whyteleafe had their chance to play a part in deciding the winners. Leafe had to visit Folkestone on a Tuesday evening, before entertaining Croydon at home the following Saturday, with the top two then facing each other in the final week. Folkestone had only lost one league game at home all season so hopes weren't high, but Whyteleafe had proved previously in the season when beating Croydon away, that on their day they are a force to be reck-



Sponsored walkers at their refuelling spot enroute to Merstham

oned with. And so it proved to be again, as a second half goal by top scorer Watson saw Leafe to a deserved 1-0 win.

Next up Croydon at home, and a chance to dent their local rivals' chances as well. This time though, it was not to be and in a disappointing game, a solid but unspectacular Croydon side took a 2-0 victory, to avenge our earlier season win at The Crem. This left Croydon needing a draw away to

Folkestone to secure the title, which they duly achieved in front of the division's biggest crowd of the season - 2234.

The season's final fixture saw Leafe fans travel to Horsham in fancy dress. But the party mood was dented as ten-man Leafe crashed to a 4-0 defeat. A result that left us in 15th position with 51 points, and the encouragement that if the team stays together there could be better to come next time.

Old Boys FC

by Gerald Mills

The Old Boys reserves completed a league and cup double this month, winning the Junior Cup for the second consecutive year (the only team ever to achieve this!) A fine all round performance saw off a determined 'The Plough' Ifield team 3-0.

The league has been wrapped up with four games to play, having played 16, won 16, scored 74 and conceded a paltry seven! Two promotions and cups in two years is all credit to manager Gary Pryde and his team.

The first team have had a disastrous April losing three games in a row and from being one point off the top now linger nine points behind in sixth position. Manager Andy Reekie has had team selection problems with players unavailable to play. This is becoming a common problem with all teams as some players work at weekends or have other commitments. Gone are the days when our wives and partners went to weddings, Christenings etc

and we joined them at the receptions in the evening! The first team had a very interesting game last month against Fulham Deaf. The Old Boys played extremely well and won 6-2 against a very good Fulham side. It made you realise what a huge disadvantage they have as our players can shout out 'man on', 'keeper' and tell players where to be and who to mark etc. whereby the Fulham side have to be face to face to communicate. All credit to them for playing so well and they are above us in the league.

All said and done, the first team have had a very good season, playing in a higher league against tougher opposition each week, but unfortunately no silverware this season for them. If we win our last few remaining games and other results go our way there is still a faint chance of promotion!

Our annual Vets game took place on Good Friday with past players dusting off their boots for their once a year game. All good fun and enjoyed by everyone. Some say the best part was back in the bar at the Caterham Club afterwards.....

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**Kenley****£599,950**

A well presented detached chalet style bungalow offering versatile living accommodation. The property in our opinion is offered in very good decorative order, having undergone extensive refurbishment by the present owners. To the ground floor there is a living room, dining/family room, kitchen, conservatory, study, bedroom with ensuite steam shower, and a family bathroom. On the first floor a magnificent master bedroom with vaulted ceiling, two further bedrooms and a second family bathroom with Jacuzzi bath.

**Limpsfield****£1,400,000**

The property is a substantial detached family home situated in an exclusive gated private cul de sac in landscaped grounds of just under half an acre. The accommodation includes Five bedrooms, master suite with ensuite dressing room and bathroom, a guest suite with ensuite facilities and a family bathroom. To the ground floor there are four reception rooms, kitchen/breakfast room, utility room and two cloakrooms. There is driveway parking for numerous vehicles and a triple garage with games room/studio room over.



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Redhill £850pcm

2 bedroom unfurnished house within easy walking distance of Redhill train station and town centre. Lounge with patio doors opening onto level rear garden. Fully fitted kitchen. Upstairs to 2 double bedrooms with fitted wardrobes. Family bathroom. 2 allocated parking spaces Avail u/f



Caterham £700pcm

Nicely presented and spacious 1 bedroom conversion flat close to Caterham town centre and station. Good sized lounge. Fully fitted kitchen. Newly fitted bathroom. Private garden. Driveway parking for one car. Avail u/f



Whyteleafe £775pcm

Spacious 2 bedroom first floor maisonette conveniently located for 2 mainline train stations. Good sized lounge. 2 double bedrooms. Fully fitted kitchen. Garden to rear. Avail u/f



Caterham Valley £795pcm

Spacious ground floor two bedroom flat in popular purpose built development. Bathroom with shower. Fitted kitchen. Good size lounge with front aspect bay window. Fitted wardrobes in both bedrooms. Double glazed. Allocated parking to rear. Avail u/f



Caterham £795pcm

Nicely presented 2 double bedroom ground floor flat in popular development with swimming pool and barbeque area. Newly fitted kitchen and bathroom. Good sized lounge. 2 double bedrooms. Allocated parking and garage. Avail u/f



Tandridge £1000pcm

Impressive 2 bedroom top floor apartment in Grade 2 listed Georgian Manor house property set in several acres. 20ft double aspect lounge with feature fireplace. Modern stylish kitchen. 1 double bedroom and 1 single bedroom, both with fitted wardrobes. Bathroom. Garage and parking. Use of the grounds. Avail u/f



Caterham On The Hill £1400pcm

Well presented 3 bedroom original Barracks town house in popular Village development. Modern fully fitted kitchen/breakfast room. Large lounge on first floor. Easily maintained garden to rear. Double garage. Avail u/f



Kenley £1950pcm

Newly built 4/5 bedroom link-detached property (garages join). Ground floor with large fully fitted kitchen and separate utility room. Dining room/conservatory. Spacious lounge. Downstairs cloakroom. 1st floor with master bedroom with fitted wardrobes & ensuite bathroom. 2 further bedrooms. 2nd floor with 2 good sized bedrooms sharing a family bathroom. Integral garage. Garden to rear. Avail u/f



Caterham On The Hill £2200pcm

Nicely presented and spacious house. Large lounge with feature fireplace and patio doors leading onto garden. Newly fitted stylish fully integrated kitchen. Separate utility room. Study/den. Access to double garage. Master bedroom with fitted wardrobe area and newly fitted ensuite shower-room. Two double bedrooms both have fitted wardrobes. Fourth good sized single room and fifth room is currently fitted out with office equipment making an ideal study. Nicely presented family bathroom. Avail u/f



Warlingham £2500pcm

Immaculate 4 bedroom detached property set in 3/4 acre of own grounds in quiet & desirable area. Large stylish kitchen/breakfast room with integrated units. Good sized lounge with fireplace and double doors leading to garden. Dining room/living room with access to garden. Large master bedroom with ensuite bathroom with both bath & large shower cubicle. 2nd double bedroom. 2 smaller bedrooms. Family bathroom with large shower unit and bath. Double Garage. Avail u/f



Godstone £3000pcm

Attractive 6 bed/3 bathroom property in idyllic location. Modern fully fitted kitchen/breakfast room. Dining room with beamed ceiling and fireplace. Large lounge/dining room with 2 feature fireplaces. Large Garden. Parking for several cars. Views over surrounding countryside. Avail furnished or unfurnished

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Well presented four bedroom detached house. Two reception rooms. Large fully fitted kitchen with dining area. Lounge. Downstairs cloakroom. Master bedroom with ensuite shower room. Family bathroom. Double garage (half of which is converted into a studio) and parking. Garden to rear. Avail u/f



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NO ONWARD CHAIN

A ground floor two double bedroom flat set in a development close to Caterham Town Centre and within walking distance of Caterham Railway Station.



Caterham Valley - £325,000
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An extended four bedroom semi detached house which has been extended to provide well appointed and deceptively large accommodation



Caterham Hill - £239,950
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A detached three bedroom house situated in a no through road at Caterham on the Hill



Caterham Hill - £130,000
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A first floor large one bedroom purpose built retirement flat located conveniently in Caterham on the Hill for local shopping.



Caterham Hill - £244,950
NEWLY REFURBISHED

A well presented three bedroom family home with two reception rooms located in a residential road in Caterham on the Hill.



Caterham Valley - £174,950
LONG LEASE

A ground floor, one/two double bedroom conversion flat located within half a mile of Caterham Valley town centre and no onward chain



Kenley - £177,500
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A second floor two bedroom purpose built flat set within a popular block in a sought after location and no onward chain



Whyteleafe - £321,950
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An impressive bay fronted 1930's built three bedroom semi detached house with two reception rooms and located in a popular residential road.



West Purley - £2,000 pcm
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Three Double Bedrooms
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Approx 80' Rear Garden



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