

# From The Anderson Shelter

The Magazine of the Ringwood & District Ex-Tablers Club and Ringwood Tangent Club

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## KEITH'S CAPERS:

### Overseas news;



The Andersons were in Jersey for five days in May, they met up with Nigel Dodds a member of the Jersey 41 Club. His club has, apparently, a core of 30 active members (less than us). We stayed at Hotel De France which was the National Conference venue memorabilia a few years ago.

[Spain; furthering international relations.](#)

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### BACK AT HOME STUFF:



If you look closely, you might spot John & Suzi Adams in their 'Cockleshell' hoping for a late invite to Harry and Megan's wedding!

A member of our club, who shall remain nameless, will be celebrating his Three quarters of a ton birthday flying in this moth let Editor Bob know who you think it is and win a signed photo.

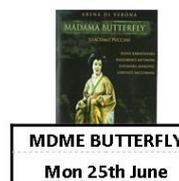


**INVITATION by Keith and Sue to watch a full performance of the ballet SWAN LAKE**  
**At their home on Thursday 21st June 2018 at 7.15pm for 7.30pm ONLY FIVE SEATS ARE LEFT**

**The other three concert night programmes are fully booked subject to any cancellations.**



**ROMEO & JULIETTE**  
 Fri 22nd June



**MDME BUTTERFLY**  
 Mon 25th June



**SUMMER CONCERT**  
 Tue 26th June



### TANGENT JOLLY EXBURY GARDENS-what a super organised event by our Ladies:

Fourteen club members came along to this wonderful day, roaming the gardens resplendent in huge banks of rhododendrons, azaleas and other beautiful flowering shrubs. The ponds added peaceful walkways. We all met for lunch at the inner open-air café' for snacks and hot drinks with ice-creams to cool us down. The train ride appealed to some of us .

All in all May has been a lovely month for all of us. Keith

## OUR MAN FROM THE FO REPORTS TO THE CHAIRMAN.

Hi Keith, I am in Spain this week and furthering international relations.

Last night Paul Chappell very kindly invited me as a guest to the Costa del Sol 41 Club; it was held in a golf club with the course stretching from the sea to the start of the mountain range.

It was an entertaining meeting with a short fun quiz on Trump with multiple choice questions ranging from his middle name to which beauty contest he owned. Politics strictly off limits! Jonathan, a mate from Jersey, and also a guest, scored 8 out of 10; he was awarded a Donald Trump wig which he instantly put on. We resisted stating it was an improvement.

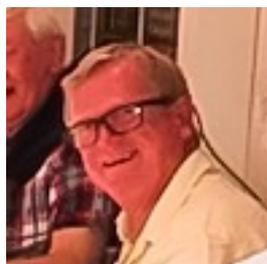
The Iberian Cluster (organised this year by Costa del Sol) and taking place next November was discussed with



record numbers booked in; Ringwood and Showtime! 41 Clubs jointly attending with 22. Paul had arranged for a small group of us to view one of the entertainment acts last Saturday. They were excellent and will go down very well! I hope you all enjoyed your meeting with the Conker Gin!! Best wishes John

Does the fellow behind JK in the photo above remind you of anyone?

**Separated**



**at**



**Birth?**

## What's On in Brief

9 June - BBQ Party Spinnaker Lake

13 June - Tangent meeting at St Leonard's - Making Bread

19 June 41 Club meeting. See details in Speakers Corner.

19 June Tangent Archery

20 June Wednesday Walk, Keyhaven. Details below.

27 June Club Council Meeting at Peter Lomax's.

3 July Visit to the McIndoe's Garden, Sherfield English

7 July Pedal Car Rally, Ringwood

11 July Wareham Boat trip - See details below. **Note** this is the July meeting for both Clubs.

22 July Walking Quiz around Ringwood - Details below

3 August Christchurch Cricket

10 August BSO Concert, Bournemouth

24 August Salisbury Races - See the details below

15 September Overnight Cruise Poole to Portsmouth

## WEDNESDAY WALK 20TH JUNE 2018

An interesting walk with views of the Solent, loW and the salt marshes. You can use the car park opposite The Gun pub in Keyhaven. But Note NFDC parking clocks are **not** valid. It is a Pay & Display 4 hrs £4.00; 6 hrs £6.00. Instead, turn left immediately before the NFDC car park, down a 'No Through Road'. This leads to a small parking area that is FOC. Alternatively, drive past the pub and bear right down a narrow lane to the start of Hurst Spit. Free parking along the road there. **Ferry:** This runs every 20 minutes from opposite the sailing clubs. Buy tickets at the ferry. **Castle:** English Heritage members FOC. £4.50. Stout shoes or boots recommended for walking on the shingle Spit. It takes 15 minutes to walk from the Keyhaven car park to the start of the Spit. The **Lighthouse** is not open to the public. **Lunch: The Gun pub** may be open and serves good food. An alternative is **The Smugglers Inn** in the centre of Milford on Sea. It has a large garden with numerous bench/tables. Cyclists are welcome to join us at the start and for the lunch, with a ride locally in between.



**Meet in NFDC car park at 10:45 for 11:00 start. Will Parke**

### Speakers Corner

Our Speaker for June after Gin in May - what next?

Well it's around us everyday of our lives, it affects our lives, we cannot control it - what is it? - the Sky, Stars and Atmosphere?

Come and listen to Bob Mizon, Astrologer, Author of the Stargazers Almanac and many other publications.

Bob is a general observer of whatever happens to be around in the Sky and the Atmosphere .

A mind blowing subject!! See you there.

**David Phelps**  
**Speakers Secretary 2**



## Sue's Tangent News



Unfortunately, I missed the trip to Exbury on 13<sup>th</sup> May, as I was away in London, but 10 of our Members visited this beautiful garden. It was a lovely hot sunny day with the azaleas and rhododendrons at their very best. Everyone had a really good time as demonstrated in this photo provided by Sue Anderson.



We had a very enjoyable and informative talk by David Strawford at our last meeting and, on 13th June, Pete Joy from the bakery BH24 in Ringwood will come and talk about his passion for bread making. He will bring some samples of bread and some of the other goodies they sell.

On Tuesday, 19<sup>th</sup> June at 7pm, we are having a go at archery. It's going to be great fun! The venue is Featherdown Farm, Fordingbridge, and the cost is £15 pp.

## TANGENT CHAIRMAN'S AT HOME

Invitations to lunch in Sue and Chris's garden, have been sent out to Tangent Members and their partners. It will be held on Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> July at 12.30. Please ask the weather gods to be kind! Please book in with me on 01425 480592 or [sue.treleaven@aol.com](mailto:sue.treleaven@aol.com).

Finally, I can't wait for the boat trip from Poole to Wareham on 11<sup>th</sup> July. 6pm at Poole Quay. Always a magical evening. This will be instead of our usual Club meeting at St. Leonards and will be in the company of the gorgeous chaps of 41 Club.

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## Walking Quiz around Ringwood

**Join us for a walk around Ringwood participating in a Walking Quiz around the town and finishing at the Meeting House for a Cream Tea.**

**Sunday July 22<sup>nd</sup> from 2.30 pm.**

Sign up at the June meetings of Tangent and 41 Club or contact Jeff Wickens to book your place.



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## Subscriptions Due - Last Chance Saloon for discounted Rate!

Pay £28 before the end of June after which the full amount of £35 becomes due. Save now & send a cheque to Andrew Green - payable to "Ringwood Ex Tablers Club"

Alternatively pay by Bank Transfer to the Club's Natwest account Sort Code 54-30-45 Account No 14033003 and reference with the word "subs".

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**JOIN US FOR AN AFTERNOON AND EVENING AT THE RACES ON  
FRIDAY AUGUST 24th  
SALISBURY RACECOURSE  
WITH MICHAEL JACKSON TRIBUTE ACT AFTER LAST RACE**



**41 Club and Tangent join together at Salisbury races.**

***Gates open at 3pm where we meet in the car park beforehand with your picnic and wine before the first race at 3.30pm, last race time to be decided.***

***DRESS UP ITS LADIES DAY!***

***PRICES: GRAND STAND AND PADDOCK £20.00. pp***

***SARUM PUBLIC ENCLOSURE £11.00. pp***

***Then it's dancing to the MICHAEL JACKSON TRIBUTE ACT.***



**Book your place with Richard Blackiston now!**

**Tel: 01425 474579 Mob 07966 234080**

***r.blackiston@yahoo.co.uk***

**VISIT ANDY MCINDOE'S GARDEN IN SHERFIELD ENGLISH**



**Tuesday July 3rd, 2.30 pm.**

**Have you booked in yet? We have over 30 people attending and now only 15 places left, so please let Peter Lomax know asap if you wish to join us. Cost £9 per head, cash or cheque to Andy on the day. From Andy's website - My**

wife Ros and I welcome groups to visit our garden, Sandhill Farm, Hampshire by appointment. The garden is at its peak in June and July when we host daytime and early evening visits.

*Our garden is around 2 acres in area, a sloping hillside on light, slightly acidic, sandy soil.*

*The planting is naturalistic with a large area of meadow and a wide variety of trees, shrubs and perennials. We are particularly proud of our flowering dogwoods which are a wonderful sight in early summer.*

*The terrace features numerous pots and containers; there is a small gravel garden and two ponds.*

*Andy will give a guided tour of the garden for about an hour, explaining its development and introducing the plants (and the cats!).*

*Daytime visits include tea or coffee, cakes and biscuits.*

**Sandhill Farm, Sherfield English, Nr. Romsey SO51 6JY**

Directions: From Romsey take A27 towards Salisbury, drive over Shootash crossroads and down hill past Dunwood Manor. Newtown road is on the right at the bottom of the hill. Romsey to Sandhill Farm is about 4 miles.

## Solo: A Star Wars Story (2018)

This episode appears in the Star Wars space opera after Episode III – Revenge of the Sith and before, Rogue One. It tells the history of an old character. Han Solo, future hero but current smuggler and general scoundrel, meets his future co-pilot and friend - the Wookiee Chewbacca and



encounters the notorious gambler and also future hero Lando Calrissian. There's also the introduction of the iconic ship, the Millennium Falcon. (with special thanks to Google... & grandson, Izaac!).

A group of storm troopers are dusting off their spacesuits for a club launch planned for a local cinema in July; or if no longer showing Keith has kindly offered to have a special showing at his house at a later date. If you would like to be included, please

email JK (A.K.A. Chewy) before the end of June on [johnjk.kennedy@btinternet.com](mailto:johnjk.kennedy@btinternet.com).

## A Special Sporting Event for our Pleasure

John Adams has kindly sent through details of an International cricket event taking place in Christchurch on Friday the 3rd August.

The poster gives a flavour of what will be a great event not just for cricket lovers. The International All Stars XI v the Macmillan XI are playing and in addition a three course lunch with a cricket star all for £47.50 if we can put together a table of 10. It makes for a splendid day so please contact John asap.

**THE ENTERTAINERS ARE COMING TO TOWN!**  
FRIDAY AUGUST 3RD, 2018 PRE-MATCH MARQUEE LUNCH TABLES NOW ON SALE

**THE MACMILLAN CARING LOCALLY INVITATIONAL XI VS  
THE LASHINGS WORLD XI**

CHAPEL GATE, CHRISTCHURCH, BOURNEMOUTH, DORSET, BH23 6BS

**SQUAD INCLUDES ...  
MONTY PANESAR  
TINO BEST  
GORDON GREENIDGE**



# Keith's Latest Caper.

Please let Keith know by the next meeting if interested..

LET KEITH KNOW IF YOU WANT TO COME BY NEXT CLUB MEETING TUES 19JUNE

**BOOZE CRUISE** on CONDOR FAST FERRY POOLE to GUERNSEY DAY RETURN  
ALL PRICES SUBJECT TO THOSE APPLICABLE ON BOOKING DATE

<b>09:15 Leaves POOLE</b>	<b>Thu 18 October</b>
<b>Thursday 18 October</b>	<b>Guernsey - Poole</b>
<b>Arrival time:</b> 12:15 GUERNSEY	<b>Departure time:</b> 16:25 GUERNSEY
<b>1 x Adult (16+)</b>	<b>Arrival time</b> 19:25
<b>OUTWARD TRIP</b>	<b>1 x Adult (16+)</b>
	<b>SAME DAY RETURN</b>

**condor**  
**DAY TRIPS to Guernsey**  
SAIL HIGH SPEED FROM POOLE  
from **£32** adult day return

**OPTION TO TAKE YOUR PEDAL BIKE ?** Mix and match any  
**3 for £25** Mix & Match  
**2 for £25**  
that's just £12.50 a litre!

## Compost Corner

The place reserved for a little light humour, irreverence and unattributed gossip

### MORE AWFUL PUNS FOR THOSE WITH A HIGHER IQ

- \* A hangover is the wrath of grapes.
- \* Dancing cheek-to-cheek is really a form of floor play.
- \* Does the name Pavlov ring a bell?

## Caption Competition

Last month it was 'What was Gerald doing?'

The limp lettuce prize goes to John Kennedy with the following:

*"What was Gerald doing?"*

*Who knows ..... Gerald nose!!"*



This month's Caption Competition photo was taken at IPC Mike 'Biggles' Callaghan's birthday celebration. Mike is one of a number of aircraft enthusiasts and thus, as you can see, he had his day living his fantasy.

So, let's have an inventive caption, as always no prizes but you will see your name in lights next edition!

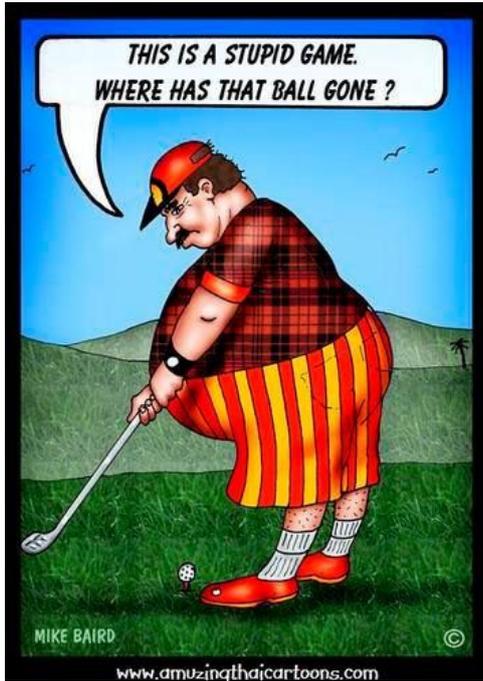


## Anagrams of the Month - Courtesy of Arthur

Surprisingly anagrams for Ian Stockdale have a religious theme, i.e.

"Cloaked Saint" and "Diocesan Talk". However, you may find these two more appropriate: "Stained Cloak" and "Lack Sedation"

**More Ringwood 41 Golf Society Secret Training Routines,**



Summer Evening Cruise to Wareham July 11th  
PLEASE NOTE: This sunny aquatic excursion replaces the July Tangent and Ex-Tabler Meetings

**Andrew Green loves you..... really!!!**

Just a handful of places left for our Joint Club Summer Cruise to Wareham. £15 a head including fish & chips supper. Just a reminder also that all bookings have to be paid in advance.



Already over 50 of you have signed up and our Treasurer Andrew loves over 30 of you who have paid already. Thank you very much. Phelpers and I want Andrew to love all July 11th sailors so send him a cheque, payable to Ringwood & District Ex Table, ASAP Delay might lead to disappointment so action now please. Diddle im pom pom.

Your scurvy crew Stockers and Phelpers RNLI, RECC and Bar.

PS Departure from Poole Quay at 6.00pm. Full bar on board. F&C at Wareham

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www.ringwood41golf.com

## The Picture Post The Ringwood 41 Club Photographic Competition

The competition launched in May and will continue until January. Entries can be submitted to Richard Carter in the form of a digital email attachment and the photo must have a Title and include the name of the photographer.

This is a proper competition with the Fordingbridge Camera Club making the decisions and points mean prizes. So get snapping and your pics should be entered in the following categories:

- \* Wildlife/Landscape
- \* 41 Club/Family/Friends
- \* Diversions/Pastimes/Fetishes
- \* Seascape
- \* Transport/Motion

Each of us can submit one entry per category per month - so if my maths are correct that is 9 per category. If you are one of the lucky ones chosen for display at one of our meetings you will have to provide a 6 x 8 (152mm x 203mm) hard copy. Judging for all categories and the overall winner will be at the end of the year in February or March. Selected entries will be displayed at our monthly meetings and in the "Shelter".

Get your long lenses out, and personally I look forward to looking at the submissions under the Fetishes category!

Finally, Gerald Carter will be delighted if there is a photo which can adorn the 2018 Club Xmas Card.

**Copy Date for the July Edition: 2 July**

**That's All Folks**