

CHARITY CRUISE AUCTION

In aid of the President's Charity The Prince's Trust

This is a 3 night Fred Olsen cruise from Southampton on The Balmoral, departing on 29th September 2017. Accommodation is in a two bedded Ocean View room with all meals and on board entertainment included.

"Whether you're new to Fred Olsen and want to experience cruising on board one of our smaller, more intimate cruise ships; or are a regular Fred guest looking for a relaxing weekend break, this River Seine Sojourn is the perfect getaway.

Your wonderful weekend away begins with an overnight cruise to France, where Balmoral will dock in historic Honfleur early on Saturday morning. Feel the autumn breeze as you wander the charming, 16th century cobbled streets and along the picturesque harbour; or perhaps take the weight off your feet in one of the delightful cafés and watch the world go by over a warming cuppa.

Your Sunday will be spent in the enchanting city of Rouen, which is home to a smorgasbord of historic highlights and cultural delights. Visit the stunning cathedral and marvel at its magnificent gothic-style façade, and explore the Place du Vieux Marché, which is home to bustling bars and restaurants as well as the exact spot where Joan of Arc was burnt at the stake. Alternatively,



you could join a tour to Claude Monet House and explore the colourful gardens that inspired the legendary painter's work, Water Lilies. Upon departure from Rouen you will enjoy a relaxing 60-nautical-mile journey along the winding waters of the River Seine, offering views of gorgeous, unspoilt lush-green landscapes and charming communes where pretty houses sit proudly on riverbanks – the perfect conclusion to your short city escape."

The value of the cruise on offer is between £900 and £1300 approximately.

To submit a bid please email Andy Ventress at region15@41club.org.

TOP BID SO FAR: £350

- Bids are to be in multiples of £25.
- The auction will close on 31st July 2017 at midnight.
- The full rules can be obtained on the 41 Club website.



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FELLOWSHIP IN 41 CLUB



41 Club Fellowship Cruise. 13th to 20th of August 2017.

The cruise is organized by Fred Olsen Cruises and visits Belgium and Holland. There is still some capacity available.

National Caravan Rally. 1st to 3rd of September 2017.

Will be held at Hardwick Parks, Standlake, Nr Oxford.

National Golf Competition. Thursday 21st of September 2017.

Will be held at Brickhampton Golf Complex, Nr Gloucester. Entries are now open.

National Sporting Weekend. Friday 9th to 11th of February 2018, Okehampton, Devon.

Details will be available soon on the website.

Belfast Conference 12th to 15th April 2018.

Due to the record bookings for the 41 Club / Tangent Belfast Conference 2018 an additional room close to the main room for the Joint Presidents' Banquet has been booked to allow a small amount of extra capacity. Booking details are available from the [41 Club / Tangent Conference website](#).

Saturday evening fancy dress party: Because of logistical challenges it has been decided that the fancy dress competition for Belfast will become a walk through competition for both the small and large groups.

Classic Car Rally. 8th to 10th June 2018.

Will be held Coryton, Nr Cardiff.

Details of all the above events are available from the 41 Club website or by contacting the National Fellowship Officer at fellowship@41club.org

Andrew Mackereth



41 Club – National Golf Finals

Thursday 21st September 2017

Brickhampton Golf Complex,

Cheltenham Road, Churchdown, Nr Gloucester. GL2 9QF

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TEAMS OF THREE OR FOUR PLAYERS

WITH BEST THREE SCORES TO COUNT

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10.30 A.M. TEE OFF

BACON ROLL / COFFEE ON ARRIVAL – 18 HOLES OF GOLF

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[BOOKING FORMS](#) NOW AVAILABLE. FURTHER DETAILS FROM:

ANDREW MACKERETH, fellowship@41club.org or

07588123590 / 0152463263

41 INTERNATIONAL COMMUNIQUE

The July 2017 edition is now out! Click on the cover to download.



WHAT'S NEW?

So, what have you been doing lately? Do you have anything interesting planned? Maybe you think that it won't be of any interest to anyone outside of your club, but how will you know unless you say something about it? **Try it!**

The team that I head is always eager to hear about your events and your projects, and publishing the information here is a good way to garner support for them.



The copy date for the August edition of the newsletter is Monday July 24th.

Editor Godwin Stewart,
National Communications & IT Officer
comms@41club.org



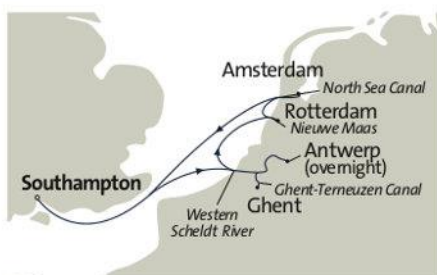
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13th August 2017 • 7 nights • Sails from Southampton • *Braemar* • M1720

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Date	Arrive	Depart	Destination
AUGUST 2017			
Sun 13		PM	Southampton
Mon 14	early am	early pm	Cruising Western Scheldt River
Mon 14	early pm		Antwerp, Belgium
Tue 15		late pm	Antwerp, Belgium
Tue 15	late pm	late night	Cruising Western Scheldt River
Tue 15	late night	late night	Cruising Ghent-Terneuzen Canal
Tue 15	late night		Ghent, Belgium
Wed 16		late pm	Ghent, Belgium
Wed 16	late pm	late night	Cruising Ghent-Terneuzen Canal
Thu 17	early am	early am	Cruising Nieuwe Maas
Thu 17	late am	late night	Rotterdam, Netherlands
Fri 18	early am	early am	Cruising North Sea Canal
Fri 18	late pm	late night	Amsterdam, Netherlands
Sat 19			Cruising
Sun 20	AM		Southampton



Exploring Belgium and The Netherlands in depth is proof these destinations have much to recommend them. Savour the Cathedral of Our Lady in Antwerp or tour to Brussels; unearth Gothic monuments and chocolate treats during Fred.'s maiden call to Ghent; and discover futuristic architecture in up-and-coming Rotterdam; before taking in the galleries, museums and canals of Amsterdam.

Members Group Rates

Room type	Prices from
Interior room	£899pp
Ocean view room	£1,079pp
Superior ocean view room	£1,259pp
balcony rooms	£1,709pp
Balcony suite	£2,029pp
Single room	£1,489pp

Prices are correct at time of going to print, but may change at any time. Call for latest prices.

Single friendly: We will always offer an Ocean View Twin Room at a reduced price for sole occupancy. Please call for details.

Recommended experience

- Admire the highlights of Brussels, including the unusual Atomium monument, the King Baudouin Stadium and Grand Place, one of the most beautiful town squares in Europe.
- Discover the historic, cobbled streets of Amsterdam before enjoying a relaxing canal cruise for a different perspective of this beautiful city.

All of the following included in your cruise fare:

Breakfast, lunch, afternoon tea, 5-course à la carte dinner, late night buffet & self-service tea & coffee • Varied daytime activities • Lectures & talks • Swimming pools, Jacuzzis & gym • Choice of live evening entertainment • 2 formal nights • Overnight stay in Antwerp

To book, or for more information, call the **Reservations Department** on **01473 742 424** and quote group account code **GRP0210**

Bringing the
world closer



£50 per person free On Board Spend

FREE Group Drinks Party On Board**

All Inclusive Upgrade only £15 pppn

Cruising the Western Scheldt River

The Western Scheldt River has been a vital transportation link since the 16th century when it was famously used by the Holy Roman Emperor, Charles V. Look out for the Verdrongen Land van Saeftinghe Nature Reserve along the way; it's an important breeding area for a variety of birds.

Antwerp, Belgium

Lively Antwerp is eminently bright and stylish, with connections to fashion, diamonds, exquisite chocolate and fine arts. The city's architectural highlight is sure to be the medieval Cathedral of Our Lady, with its 123-metre high tower. Add to the mix picturesque parks and gardens, and quaint cobbled walkways and you'll find the city a delight to explore.

Ghent, Belgium

The handsome city of Ghent is reached via the peaceful Ghent-Terneuzen Canal – its link to the North Sea since the 19th century. In addition to some of Belgium's most fascinating museums, dramatic Gothic monuments unearth the city's glorious past – from St. Bavo's Cathedral to the Castle of the Counts – thus Ghent is a truly interesting place to discover. And of course, no visit here would be complete without a chocolate treat or two!

Cruising the Nieuwe Maas

Savour pretty riverside houses, the iconic Erasmus Bridge and Rotterdam's soaring skyline as you sail west through this 24km-long distributary of the mighty Rhine River.

Rotterdam, Netherlands

Futuristic architecture, excellent nightlife and a plethora of top-drawer museums are just three of the things that make

Rotterdam one of the most exciting, contemporary cities in Europe right now. You'll be surrounded by stunning views: the innovative Cube Houses and unusual Markthal have to be seen to be believed, whereas the city as a whole can be savoured from the Euromast observation deck. What's more, the UNESCO-listed Windmills of Kinderdijk are just a drive away.

Cruising the North Sea Canal

The 16-mile long North Sea Canal stretches from IJmuiden to Amsterdam and features an abundance of diverse sights, from intriguing World War II fortifications to attractive beaches and nature reserves.

Amsterdam, Netherlands

The effervescent Dutch capital oozes appeal, from stylish galleries and trendy boutiques to a plethora of museums satisfying all tastes; the Rijksmuseum and Anne Frank House are two fine examples. Take a canal boat tour past the intricately-decorated houses or hire a bicycle if you'd prefer to take in the local culture from a different perspective.



Rotterdam

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Bringing the world closer

Fares are per person, based on twin occupancy of the lead-in twin cabin, subject to availability. Offers may be amended or withdrawn at any time without prior notice, are subject to availability & cannot be applied retrospectively. All bookings are subject to Fred. Olsen's standard terms & conditions, available on our/their website & on request. Some ports may be at anchor, intermediate days are at sea. FOCL reserve the right to amend itineraries for operational reasons. Oceans member benefits apply in conjunction with this group promotion. Please note that the 41 Club & Ladies Tangent affinity scheme discounts are not combinable with the group discounts, as the terms and conditions of the affinity scheme stands outside of group promotions. *The £50 per person free on board spend credit is automatically charged to the on board account, is non transferrable and cannot be exchanged for cash. **Group drinks party is subject to minimum numbers. ^All Inclusive Upgrade offer covers selected beers, wines, spirits and soft drinks, subject to availability. Tours, tips, premium drinks, medical facilities and other optional spend, during travel to the ship and while on board, are not included. Any additional expenditure will need to be paid separately. All Inclusive Upgrade Package must be booked at least 8 days prior to departure. E&OE.

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41 CLUB & TANGENT NATIONAL CONFERENCE 12TH – 15TH APRIL 2018 BELFAST



LATEST NEWS 550 DELEGATES BOOKED IN 30/06/17

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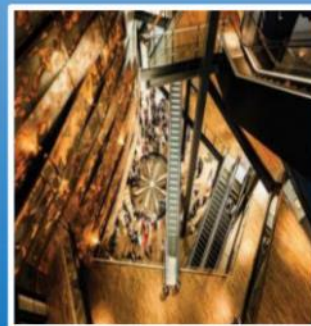
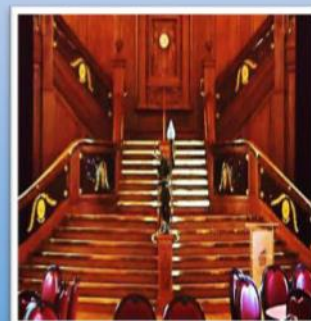
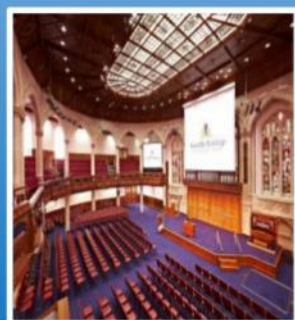
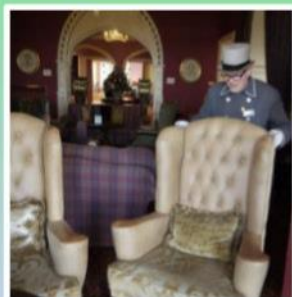
On the **FRIDAY 13th APRIL** evening our **GRAND PRESIDENTS' BALL** takes place at the luxury 5-star **CULLODEN ESTATE HOTEL AND SPA**. The main function room as you all know is now fully booked for this black-tie event. **We have secured the adjacent HOLLYWOOD SUITE at the Culloden, with a Video link, which will seat 100 more new guests. We therefore wish to offer you a new two-day package which will be the**

**“FRIDAY EXTRA PACKAGE”
including the Saturday Titanic
Fancy-Dress Ball.**

On **Saturday 14th APRIL** is our **41 CLUB AGM**. Meeting in the **ASSEMBLY ROOMS** just across the road from **THE EUROPA**, our Conference Hotel, which is where **TANGENT** will hold its **AGM**. Saturday evening will be our **FINAL NIGHT PARTY** and Fancy Dress Competition in the award winning **TITANIC EXPERIENCE**. We have room for 100 more guests in this spacious venue. We hope to see you there.

THE TITANIC WILL SEAT US ALL

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or follow us on FACEBOOK**



A WORD FROM PRESIDENT DAVE

Dear friends,

It is now ten weeks since I was installed as your National President and I am writing to every club member, not only to introduce myself, but also to ask for your support.

My Charity for the year is "The Prince's Trust", a charity which supports young people who are or have been in care, facing issues such as homelessness or mental health problems or possibly been in trouble with the law. These people need help to get their lives back on track and the Trust does just that. They offer the practical and financial support required to stabilise and improve their lives.

The Trust is also looking for people who are prepared to give up some of their time to volunteer as mentors. Each and every one of us has skills and knowledge that could eventually help a young person secure employment and a worthwhile future.

On the subject of mentoring, Annette Cameron, Senior Head of Private Fundraising for the Prince's Trust, has this to say:

The Prince's Trust values the support of a 6,000 strong volunteer network to help inspire young lives. There are a range of opportunities to support our young people – from progression mentoring to online support of 'Enterprise' clients to inspirational speakers. Whilst we cannot guarantee an immediate opportunity across all areas of the UK, we would be delighted to explore these with you. If you are interested, further information and an application can be found here: www.princes-trust.org.uk

I am appealing to all 41 Clubs to support my charity by making a donation which can make such a difference to help these young people build a better future.

Please discuss this at your next meeting, donations can be made directly through my just giving page:

www.justgiving.com

We are also fortunate that Fred Olsen Lines has donated a 3 day cruise for 2 people that is being auctioned in aid of my charity. The cruise is aboard the Balmoral, leaving from Southampton on 29th September and travelling via the river Seine to Rouen. Included in the cruise package is, accommodation in an ocean view room, all meals and entertainment. Bids are in multiples of £25 and can be made by emailing Andy Ventress at region15@41club.org.

Currently the bid stands at £350.

Details of the latest highest bid can be seen on the front page of the [41 Club website](http://41club.org).

Thank you for considering supporting The Prince's Trust – I do hope that your club will be kind enough to make a donation. Together we can be part of the vision to "Inspire Young Lives".

In continued friendship

Dave Campbell

National President 2017-2018



2017 NATIONAL CARAVAN RALLY (1-3 SEPTEMBER 2017)

ONLY A FEW PITCHES LEFT!

We only have a few pitches left for the 2017 Caravan Rally, which is taking place at Hardwick Parks, Standlake, Oxfordshire at the beginning of September.

This is a wonderful opportunity to visit the Oxfordshire area and see the wonderful countryside in close proximity of the site.

We have to finalise numbers with the park in July so after that we cannot guarantee you a place, or that you will be on the same field as the rest of the 41 Club caravanners.

I have had a lot of enquiries, and in Blackpool at National Conference, many people told me they were coming along to enjoy this. However, with no Booking Form - no booking secured!

If you want to come along, act now to secure your pitch!

You can download a Booking Form [from here](http://martin@martingreen.biz).

Further information from Martin Green:

Phone 01235-529257 or 07768-192387, or by e-mail from martin@martingreen.biz

Martin Green

National President 2013—2014



THE 2017 41 CLUB CARAVAN RALLY



FRIDAY 1st SEPTEMBER TO SUNDAY 3rd SEPTEMBER 2017
(2 NIGHTS ON SITE)

HARDWICK PARKS, STANDLAKE, OXFORDSHIRE



£90 PER COUPLE + RIG (£75 FOR SINGLES)

TO INCLUDE WELCOME DRINKS (FRIDAY), HOG ROAST & ENTERTAINMENT (SATURDAY) AND ALL PITCH FEES

TENTS ALSO WELCOME

Set in 180 acres of Oxfordshire countryside, Hardwick Parks provides a base to explore all the wonderful Oxfordshire area, but being based on a beautiful and well-appointed caravan site with all the facilities. <http://www.hardwickparks.co.uk/>

The site offers a Clubhouse where you can have a relaxing meal, a Water Sports centre, and all the facilities you would expect from a top of the range caravan site.

For further information and Booking Form contact Martin Green – Tel: 01235 529257
E-Mail: martin@martingreen.biz

For additional nights contact the site direct.

25TH IBERIAN CLUSTER
Costa Blanca 41 Club

is delighted to host the 25th Iberian Cluster to be held at the four star Parador Hotel, Javea on the Costa Blanca from

Thursday 2nd to Sunday 5th November 2017
Extra nights at special cluster rates.

Join us for an action packed weekend of 41 fun and fellowship

THE PARADOR OVERLOOKS THE MEDITERRANEAN SEA AND THE ARENALS OF JAVEA

The programme at a glance

Thursday

- Registration
- Dinner at local restaurant with wine

Friday

- Enrique Mendoza winery - optional extra
- Spanish themed dinner with wine
- Spanish entertainment

Saturday

- AGM
- Separate event for the ladies
- Formal gala dinner with wine
- Live band with dancing till late

Sunday

- Breakfast and farewells

We hope you will join us for another weekend of 41 fun and fellowship on the Costa Blanca at the 25th Iberian Cluster in November 2017.

For more information visit www.costablanca41club.org/page17.html
To reserve your place simply request a Registration Form from mail@costablanca41club.org

41 Club
EX-ROUND TABLERS

Warrington Ex-Tablers Club
- 50 Years old this year!

Join us, with the National 41 Club President Dave Campbell, to celebrate this historic milestone - Warrington's 50th birthday Charter

When: 1st December 2017 – 19:00 for 19:30hrs Start

Where: Warrington Masonic Hall, Winmarleigh House, Winmarleigh Street, Warrington WA1 1NB

Dress Code: Black Tie

With nationally renowned guest speaker - David Gunson

Three course meal
Cost per ticket: £40

For Bookings, please email: Warrington41club50thcharter@gmail.com

For questions, please contact: Paul Swindell (Region 8 National Councillor) – region8@41club.org / 07739 362220

41 Club and Round Table – working together!

HAVE YOU EVER BEEN TABLING IN SOUTH AFRICA?



Have you ever been tabling or on a 41 Club visit to South Africa?

If so, when raising a glass in fellowship, you will know that instead of 'Cheers' or similar, they say 'Da Kaka Has'. My good friend Rob Trautmann of Potchefstroom RT 47 and 41 Club believes the saying originated in his home town. Here is the story...

In 1987, two Danes from Round Table 47 Kalundborg were invited by Potch 47 to join a hunting trip, after Potch Tablers had visited Kalundborg previously.

As is customary, they were met at Johannesburg airport by Tablers in a minibus armed with a coolbox full of South African sparkling wine and plenty of beers.

While travelling back to Potchefstroom from the airport, the Danes were taking full advantage of the contents of the coolbox. An unfortunate hare ran across the road and was flattened by the minibus, to the comment made by one of the Tablers 'Daar Kak'n Haas' (there s**ts the hare, or the hare is f**ked). The by now very relaxed Danes raised their glasses and repeated the phrase, thinking this must be the Afrikaans for 'Cheers' – and in Round Table and 41 Club it now is!

The picture shows a thank you banner left by the Danes. It now sits proudly in Potchefstroom Round Table's club-house.

Andy Waite
Ex Wakefield RT 47



41 CLUB - EASTERN REGION CHARITY GOLF DAY

WEDNESDAY 19TH JULY 2017 – BRAINTREE GOLF CLUB, KINGS LANE, STISTED, BRAINTREE, ESSEX, CM77 8DD

AN INVITATION TO CLUBS IN REGIONS 17, 18 AND 19 TO ENTER A TEAM FOR THE BEST GOLF TOURNAMENT IN 41 CLUB.

*TEAMS OF 3 OR 4 PLAYERS WITH BEST THREE SCORES TO COUNT

*WINNERS FROM EACH REGION TO QUALIFY FOR NATIONAL FINAL IN SEPTEMBER 2017

*MAIN CHARITY PRIZES DONATED TO WINNERS NOMINATED CHARITY

*INDIVIDUAL PRIZES AND TROPHIES

* OPEN TO ALL MEMBERS OF AFFILIATED 41 CLUBS

BACON ROLL/COFFEE ON ARRIVAL - 18 HOLES OF GOLF AND A 2-COURSE PRIZEGIVING DINNER - £49-50.

NON PLAYING GUESTS JUST £20-00 FOR THE DINNER.

BOOKING FORMS AVAILABLE SHORTLY BUT MAKE A NOTE IN YOUR DIARIES NOW !!

FURTHER DETAILS FROM NIGEL DAVIES 01353-721037 OR E-MAIL : EASTGOLF2013@AOL.COM

Celebrating 50 years of Knowle & Dorridge 41 Club

29th July 2017

7:00 for 7:30

Dancing to the Motown Devotions

99 CLUB TO THE 100 CLUB DEDICATION

4 Course Meal

Reasonably priced Wine & Great Beer

Copt Heath Golf Club (B93 9LN)- Wonderful Venue

Glass of Fizz

Ticket Price only £35

Black Tie preferred, but not essential (Not Casual!!)

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on

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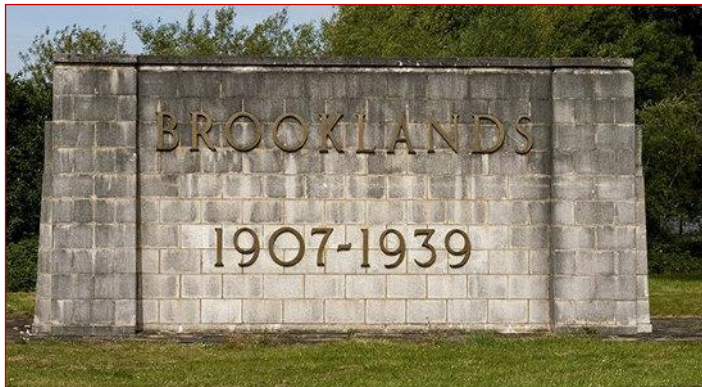
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INVICTA 41 CLUB'S JOLLY BOYS' OUTING

During May this year, Invicta 41 Club embarked on the first of their annual Jolly Boys' Outings. Members were encouraged to bring along sons, grandsons or guests to a boys' day out. The venue this year was Brooklands Museum in Weybridge, Surrey.



The Brooklands circuit was the brainchild of Hugh Fortescue Locke King, and was opened on 17 June 1907 as the first purpose-built banked motor race circuit in the world. The circuit hosted its last race in 1939.

The Brooklands track was built as a 100 ft. wide, 2.75 miles long, banked oval. The banking was nearly 30 feet high in places. In addition to the oval, a bisecting "finishing straight" was built, increasing the track length to 3.25 miles, of which 1.25 miles was banked. There were 1,500 men employed to build it and it could host up to 287,000 spectators at its peak.

Along the centre of the track ran a dotted black line, known as the Fifty Foot Line. By driving over the line, a driver could theoretically take the banked corners without having to use the steering wheel.

Brooklands was also one of Britain's first airfields. Roe used the site in 1908. Later Sopwith and Vickers did too. The geodetic fuselage for the Wellington bomber was developed by Barnes Wallis at Brooklands.



The site was purchased by Vickers Company after World War II. They built design offices and a wind tunnel. It was sold again in the 1980s and the aviation industry moved elsewhere.

Today it plays host to Brooklands Museum, a major aviation and motoring museum, as well as a venue for vintage car, motorcycle and other transport-related events.

We started with a brief lecture and were then allowed to explore the displays at our leisure. National President Dave Campbell wasted little time getting into the F1 simulator...

Our group was also given the opportunity to explore the interior of several aircraft including the VC10, Blériot XI and Sopwith Camel.

The undeniable highlight of the day was 'The Concorde Experience', which not only included a tour of the aircraft but a simulated fight complete with engine roar and runway rumble. It turned old men into little boys again with all the wonder and excitement of one of Britain's real engineering marvels.



Invicta 41 Club's Brooklands visit was a great start to what promises to be an action-packed year for the new club.

Phil Douce

Secretary Invicta 41 Club, National Councillor Region 25

Bridlington Round Table



GOLF AM-AM 2017

Bridlington Belvedere Golf Club

Friday 8th September 2017

£120 per Team of 4

(Including meal after your round and Half-way House)

Excellent Prizes to be Won !!!

**Prizes To include: Nearest Pin on all par 3's.
Longest Drive. Team Prizes.**

**Handicaps: Society 9/10 Handicaps Max of 20 (i.e.) 18 max.
Official Golf Club 9/10 Handicaps**

Handicap certificates may be required for all prize winners

Prize giving will be immediately after the competition and winners or their representatives must be present to collect their prize(s)



**Why not join us afterwards at the Expanse Hotel
for the start of our 85th Charter weekend and on
Saturday 9th September for our Gala Dinner**

For Further Details Please contact the Organising Committee:

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41 YEARS OF HOLIDAYS TOGETHER - FARNBOROUGH (KENT)

Actually, it might only be 40. Nobody can quite remember whether it was 1976 or 77 when members of Farnborough (Kent) first picked up their tents and headed off together to spend the Whitsun holiday in a field. We joined in in 1978 after transferring from Holywood but what is certain is that now, the grandchildren are bigger than our children were then – and in the case of our family, they are still using the same tent.



1989 had us in Woodbridge, almost for the last time with the children and indeed the tents. 25 years ago operations moved under hard cover – in April/May somewhere outside the UK to which was soon added a second outing in September/October within the UK. Initially, we went within two or three hour's drive of Calais but in 2000 celebrated the Millennium with a flight to Barcelona. So now we sometimes drive and sometimes fly and have covered amongst much else the Netherlands, Antwerp, Luxembourg, Prague, Lisbon, Riga, Hamburg, Vienna, and even Istanbul.



Cluster Meeting

Monday 5th February 2018

Saxon Hall, Aviation Way, Southend on Sea,
Essex SS2 6UN

A warm welcome to all 41ers and Tablers
Meet friends old & new for a pre-dinner drink
Dinner with: **41 Club National President Dave Campbell**
After Dinner Speaker: **Ian Irving** (www.topcomic.co.uk)
Traditional roll-call of Clubs & Tables
Charitable raffle
Free Parking

Dinner: 7.15 for 7.45pm Price £30 per head (excluding drinks)

Southend on Sea 41 Club

Contact: Terry Robertson.
Tel 01702 586002 terry.eileen@talk21.com

Closing date for applications:
Tuesday 29th January 2018

The Chairman for 2017-18 is Martin Ayling
E-mail: christine.ayling@hotmail.co.uk



The 18 of us travelling to the Isle of Man this year (yes, it is not part of the UK) covered all forms of transport – some flew there, others took their cars on the fast ferry from Liverpool, and of course you have the wonderful old



electric and steam railways in this gem of an island. Sadly the Douglas tram horses were suffering from contaminated hay and were laid up, but best of all, we were able to join the IOM 41 Club and ladies for a thoroughly enjoyable



evening round a table – in this case supplied with excellent Italian food (we did have superb Manx cuisine also!). So where next year? Wait and see..

Colin Wright
Chairman Farnborough (Kent) 41 Club.



41 INTERNATIONAL HALF YEARLY MEETING

Italy, 27th - 29th October 2017

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club 41
RIMINI-13

club 41
SAN MARINO-19

club 41
RAVENNA-29

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Click on the image above to view a video presentation

Pre-tours are available to visit Florence, Venice and Modena.

Full details available on www.hym2017italy.com where you can book in.

Information:

[Claudio Onofri](#), [Nicolò Solimano](#), [Luca Colombo](#), [Randolph Riedlinger](#)

FAQ & Information: info@hym2017italy.com



Gentlemen, a Date for your diaries

Friday 24th November 2017

 **41 Club Red Rose Dinner** 

Blackburn Rovers Football club

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41 Club National President Dave Campbell

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DUNDEE CITY ACTIVE 41 CLUB

I recently read Dave Campbell's "word" in the June Newsletter with interest, where he stated that he wanted to "encourage the development of new clubs that will appeal to the generation of Tablers who are reaching Round Table retirement age, in particular where no club currently exists or where current clubs may have a less active programme."

A few of us here in Dundee felt the exactly the same way. As ex-Tablers and now 41'ers we all had a strong desire to get back to the fun aspects of our days in Table. Therefore, in October 2016, with the support of National Membership Officer, Duncan Kennedy, seventeen of us formed a new "active" club, "Dundee City Active 41 Club".

We held our first AGM in March this year where our Inaugural Chairman, Mike Hart handed over to our present Chairman, Craig Dickson. In addition, we are fortunate that we also have the current Chairman of Dundee RT330, Simon Simpson, as a member which gives us an ideal close liaison with Table to provide continued support and encouragement of Round Table activities and membership.

The recent AGM obviously gave us a chance to set out our aims and programme for the coming year. We listed our main aims as; to be less formal, to reduce the number of business meetings and committee members, to plan more events outside a formal meeting environment, to closely support Round Table, to carry out fundraising for worthy causes and most importantly of all, to have fun. We think our programme will provide a great mix of "activities" and has met with the general desire to reinvigorate the enthusiasm of a small group of ex-Tablers.

In our short eight months existence, we have managed to



fundraise £800 by way of a Quiz night for local charity Tayside Cancer Research and also managed to donate £500 to our fellow 41 Club in George, South Africa, for a children's Santa flight.

We appreciate that we still have a long way to go in terms of becoming an established club and being attractive to new members but so far we would all agree that it has been a refreshing and worthwhile effort.

Ian Waddell
Dundee City Active 41 Club

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