South Yorkshire Centre

Newsletter – Easter 2019



Hi everyone

Here is your Spring Newsletter. I have put this seasonal update together for you to catch up with the latest news. Please read the important notices.

We look forward to seeing you all on the rally field for the exciting 2019 rally programme, and hope the weather is kind to us all.

Have a good one!!

Karen Barton





Chair's Chatter Mrs Janet Elshaw



Hi All

Welcome to our Easter Rally and the first Newsletter of the caravanning season. Already some fantastic rallies will have taken place. Thank you to those Rally Marshals and the Marshals of rallies to come.

This year's Dinner Dance was moved to the Shaw Lane Sports Club in Barnsley and was a great success for the change. Allyson Pearson and her team did us proud by arranging everything, so that it ran smoothly. Our guests this year were Mr & Mrs Swift who last year became honorary members of the Caravan Club for having been members for 50 years. In addition, we had our Centre Queen and Youth Chair Olivia Oxby and the Vice Youth Chair Oliver Barnsley. Both looked fantastic in their eveningwear and I'm sure they enjoyed their evening.

This Easter rally is a family rally where we have lots of entertainment and fun organised to entertain us all. Another great family rally is the May Day rally, which is where we host the children's races; it's a knockout, strongman competition, kick-start cycle competition and lots of good fun. The Saturday evening is fancy dress for those wishing to join in and the theme is 'Mods and Rockers'. On the Sunday, we will see the de-crowning of our Queen Olivia and her attendants Libby Bamber, Evie Barton, Riley Weaver and Isaac Bamber; thank you, you have all done a great job and looked beautiful. Then we will have the crowning of our new Queen, Iona Glover and her attendants Paige Fisher, Neve Padmore and Nell Brasher. I am looking forward to seeing their theme and dresses. Iona will then announce the Spring Fayre open for trading. We hope that Iona and her attendants have a lovely time representing the South Yorkshire Centre at the three carnivals, Bakewell, Barlow and Eyam. Our Centre float theme this year is 'Scare Fest' so get out those Halloween outfits and join in at all three carnivals.

Once again, we have a great selection of rallies for you to choose from so have a look at the details in our book. The Youth Committee are organising a Wild West themed rally at Willow Fields, along with the AGM rally and the Xmas Party. The AGM rally is not just about the AGM, in fact you do not have to attend the AGM just attend the rally and have a good time like on all our rallies.

Just a reminder; that we need you to keep your driving speed to 5 mph on all rally fields. We have lots of children and would hate for one to be injured. It would be appreciated if you could **inform** your visitors of this rule too.

Simon and I look forward to seeing you all on a rally very soon. Enjoy the year ahead.

Thank you

Janet

Yorkshire Centre

Time for a break?

Spring Grossword Puzzle

6. WARNING: May cause skin cancer!

11. Freshmen and sophomores take

the PSAT, while juniors and seniors stress over this

14. A blessing to students (2 words)

15. Before seniors graduate, they go

21. With this in the air, you'll start to

24. Cap and gown

25. Animals come out of this deep sleep

18. Time to save time (2 words) 23. Used to protect the skin to this (Hint: Bash) Saturday (2 words) used for the beach 9. Holy Thursday, 20. Jump into 1. Footwear 16. Girls wear these(2 words) (Hint: 1 13. Coughing, sneezing, stuffy nose 17. Grab your mop and your dustpan 2. Flower that follows the sun 12. On this holiday, Jews go 19. April showers bring May 10. Hunt for these (2 words) 5. Basketball (2 words) 3. Rabbits eat these 4. Floppy and hops 8. Dance (2 words) piece, 2 piece) without bread 7. Mom (2 words)

Charity Co-ordinator Mr Wayne Langford



Dear Ralliers

We have kicked off the new charity fund raising rallies with the Horserace rally. Our next big fund raiser is the May Day Rally at Epworth with the crowning of the centre queen, the spring fayre and big prize raffle. If you want to book this rally, please send a deposit and slip to Janet Elshaw. We will be auctioning off the large ducks during this rally ready for the duck race rally in June

If any S York's member works for a company that would be willing to donate to our grand May Day charity raffle, please see myself.

The next fund-raising rally is our duck race rally at Haxey Quays on 21st – 23rd June, please see myself if you would like more details, and then it's the Harvest Festival rally at Chatsworth House which always proves to be a good night – for more details see Alison & Dave Wharin.

Charities being supported by the South Yorkshire Centre this year are: -

Bluebell Wood Children's Hospice - Nominated by James & Carrie Atkinson

Bluebell Wood helps us care for children and young adults whose lives are sadly just too short, both in their own homes and at our hospice in North Anston.

Cathedral Archer Project - Nominated by Janet Elshaw

The Sheffield based project help homeless people lead a fulfilling and stable life, by supplying 1-1 support, provision of in-house nurse and dental clinics, and access to hot food and showers, as well as supplying essential equipment such as sleeping bags, deodorants, underwear, and basic food.

Rotherham Friends of Young Onset Dementia - Nominated by Andess Osborne

The group hold weekly classes to provide cognitive stimulation therapy for people who have been diagnosed with Alzheimer's and Dementia dieses, they raise funds to build libraries of equipment to loan out free of charge to their members and families.

Sheffield Animal Centre – Nominated by Alison Wharin

The centre rehabilitates and rehomes unwanted, neglected and abandoned cats and dogs. They neuter, vaccinate and microchip every dog and cat which comes to the Centre, prior to adoption.

The centre has to generate all their own operating costs, through local fund raising; they are in need of dog/cat baskets, blankets, food etc....

Once again thanking you all in advance for your generosity at the fund-raising rally's

Thanks

Wayne Langford







Ducks £1 Each – Go on sale At Mayday Rally

New Rally

By first time marshals Paul & Gill Langford

Fishing and Family fun at Oak Tree Fishery, Graizelound, nr Haxey 2nd – 4th August

Time for a break?



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SUNSHINE VACATION RAIN BOOTS ROAD TRIP AIRPLANE SLEEPING IN FRIENDS SPRING

BLOSSOMS GAMES PUDDLES TULIPS

Youth Chair Miss Olivia Oxby



Dear Ralliers,

I am currently the Youth Chair and Centre Queen. I hope you are all enjoying this year's rallies so far. Looking at the programme, it is going to be a good year for us all. There are lots for the Youth Committee to be involved in along with the usual bonus ball and tuck shop. Last year the Youth worked extremely hard and with such a great team, I know we will once again. We can be spotted out and about in our blue hoodies and look forward to seeing you all on the field.

We have our Youth rally in June. There's already been a fantastic response to this and because of the great venue there are still some places. We have a cowboy themed night, along with a planned bouncy castle and many more exciting things. If you haven't already booked on, why don't you come and join us? Last years was a fab weekend and a hit!

It is almost time for me to step down as the Centre Queen. My attendants and I have had a fantastic time representing the centre with some amazing results at the carnivals. Thank you to all in the centre for the amazing support and opportunity and all the luck and love in the world to lona the new Centre Queen. I am sure that her and her attendants will have a great year too and I wish them every success.

The Youth Committee and I hope to see you all soon on rallies, here's to a great year!

Olivia Oxby

Youth Chair

Notices



RALLY BROUCHURES

Reminder: If you would like a South Yorkshire Centre 2020 Rally brochure, you need to send your blue brochure request slip to **Claire Burgess** and register for SYC as your centre with the Caravan and Motorhome Club



Dating of Deposit cheques

Please note cheques sent as deposit for a rally booking **need to be dated as the date of issue** and not post-dated with the date of the rally or 1st of the month in which the rally is to be held.

Theoretically, the booking is not valid without a currently dated cheque. Should a rally be full your booking could be moved to a waiting list until the date of your cheque is reached.

If you think you might have sent a post-dated cheque, please contact me to discuss the reissue of a currently dated cheque. Sue Whitby

Rally Plaques

2019 annual rally plaques are available at £1 each from **Graham Jaques**. Please contact him directly to purchase.

Also as a reminder to Rally Marshal's - please contact Graham at least 4 weeks prior to the rally they are running to order plaques.

Thank You!

Bill and Iris would like to thank the centre members who have called, visited and sent cards following Bill's operation. They would also like to say a special thank you to Andress Osbourne for her support with hospital visits and shopping.





Up Coming RALLIES

Here's a selection of the great rallies coming up that you can attend.

You will have a good time as always. Please show your support for the centre and the hard working Marshals that put all the effort in organising these events.

FRIDAY 3rd May- MONDAY 6th May 2019

34th MAY DAY CHARITY RALLY EPWORTH SHOWGROUND

A full weekend of family fun and entertainment with **3** evenings of family socials in an heated marquee.

Saturday - Children's Sports; Strongman Competition; It's a Knockout and Kids Club; Evening Fancy Dress Theme "Mods & Rockers"

Sunday - Charity Spring Fayre, Crowning of the South Yorkshire Centre Queen RALLY MARSHALS: The Committee. Rally slips to Janet Elshaw

FRIDAY 17TH May – SUNDAY 19th May 2019

GROOVY MOVIE NIGHT

MARTON VILLAGE HALL, MARTON

Friday - night, social with Bingo and a movie quiz with a difference. Saturday - night at the movies with sound tracks from all decades, wear your best Movie icon fancy dress. Prizes for the best fancy dress. Nibbles provided.

RALLY MARSHALS: Graham & Julia Jaques

FRIDAY 12th July – SUNDAY 14th July 2019

FAMILY FUN EVENT

MARTON VILLAGE HALL, MARTON

ATTRACTIONS: Picturesque village with local pub serving good food; shopping nearby in Lincoln.

Field games for all the family including Quoits & Lawn Darts (competing for the Firbeck and Clifton Trophies), Track Tests, Kickstart Bike Competition for all ages and abilities. Saturday night social with nibbles included - please indicate on slips No arrivals before 12 noon.

RALLY MARSHALS: Ian & Wendy Frost