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Thousands of local residents, families and friends turned out to cheer the Olympic Torch Relay as it was carried through Godstone and Bletchingley on Friday 20th July.

Many people had taken time off work to attend the historic occasion, and the rain held off for the relay, despite a gloomy weather forecast. In Godstone, Zbigniew Walczak from Poland, Chris Martin from Kenley, Amy Earl from Caterham and Pam

Jarman from West Molesey, were all welcomed and supported by the enthusiastic crowds as they ran from the fire station on Godstone Hill, onto the A25 High Street and A25 Godstone Green Road until they reached Ivy Mill Lane, where the torch was taken back into the convoy vehicle.

After a short trip on the A25, the convoy stopped at Chevington Villas in Bletchingley. From there Mariusz Czerkawski from Poland,

Ruth Coreen Egege from Ikeja, Rebecca Burns from West Byfleet, Hayley Fordham from Dartford and Simon Hawkings from Woking, carried the torch on the A25, along the High Street and Castle Street, until Barfields, where the torch was taken into the convoy to continue its journey on the A25 to Redhill.

After the Torch Relay was over, Tandridge Trust held The Big Village Sports Day in Grange Meadow. The sports day celebrated the occasion with activities themed around Olympic events past, present and future



Amy Earl from Caterham with the Olympic Torch in Godstone. Photo by Kevin Black.

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# Crowds welcome the Olympic

Torch - continued from page 1.



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Here are just some of the shots taken on Friday 20th July that captured the excitement of the Olympic Flame travelling through Godstone and Bletchingley. The photo top left shows the excited crowds outside the White Hart in Godstone. The photo top right shows water polo coach, Chris Martin from Kenley running through Godstone. The photo left shows Bletchingley torch bearers, charity fundraiser Haley Fordham from Dartford and fundraiser Simon Hawkings from Woking who has Quadriplegic Spastic Cerebral Palsy.

# Full steam ahead for the Neighbourhood Plan

Plans are now fully under way for the creation of a Neigh-

bourhood Plan following the official designation of the Neighbourhood Area by Tandridge District Council on Wednesday 18th July. The CR3 Forum, a shared initiative between Caterham, Chaldon and Whyteleafe has been formed to create the Neighbourhood Plan. The Plan can influence local policies but must comply with certain rules, such as national policy and guidance and generally fit with Tandridge District Council's core strategy. The CR3 Forum is now inviting local participation and over the next 12 months sev-

eral teams will look at different aspects of our local area. A steering group to get the process started was formed recently made up of representatives from Caterham, Chaldon and Whyteleafe. The different topics that will feature in the Neighbourhood Plan are Jobs and Employment, Leisure and Commu-Public Services



Local architect Random Greenway promoting the Neighbourhood Plan in Church Walk, Caterham.

Police/Health/Education, Transport, Rural and Urban Design plus Heritage and lastly Utilities.

Chris Windridge, the chairman of the steering group, said: "We had a stand in Chuch Walk recently and over 30 people have already registered to take part which is an excellent start but we would welcome many more." For more information about how to get involved with the Neighbourhood Plan and influence decisions concerning Caterham, Whyteleafe and Chaldon, visit www.cr3forum .ora.uk

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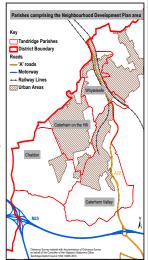
## The Neighbourhood Planning (General) Regulations 2012 -**Publicity under Regulation 7**

A formal application made by Caterham Hill Parish Council, Caterham Valley Parish Council. Chaldon Village Council and Whyteleafe Village Council to designate a Neighbourhood Area was received by the Tandridge District Council and was publicised in accordance with the relevant Regulations.

No comments were received. On 18th July 2012 the District Council designated the Caterham Hill/ CaterhamValley/Chaldon/ Whyteleafe Neighbourhood Area.

The area is shown on the map.

Piers Mason Chief Planning Officer Tandridge District Council
1st August 2012





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# Planning permission refused for redevelopment of Caterham Cars site

At a meeting of the Tandridge District Council Planning Committee held on Thursday 28th June, planning permission was refused for the application to redevelop the site of the Caterham Cars showroom and workshop in Caterham Valley.

Following a debate that lasted approximately one hour, the application was refused on the grounds that the proposal would result in a loss of employment; the proposed development would lead to a concentration of accommodation for the elderly in the locality; the proposal failed to demonstrate that the design and layout would be safe and secure and failed to provide satisfactory refuse and recycling facilities.

Andrew Burgess, the spokesperson for the developers, Churchill Retirement Homes, said afterwards that they would appeal the deci-



Caterham residents outside the offices of Tandridge District Council before the planning meeting on Thursday 28th June.

sion. Andy Noble, the Sales and Marketing Director for Caterham Cars, said: "We are aware that the property developers, Churchill Retirement Homes, will be appealing the council's regarding the decision change of use application for the Caterham showroom. As time passes we are getting nearer to the end of our current lease and subsequently, we must make sure that we keep our options open. One of these options will include a possible move to a new site. Whether we are forced to take that option, time will tell."

The developers have 30 days to appeal from the date of the planning decision. At the time of going to press an appeal had not yet been filed on the Tandridge District Council website



To view the current status of the planning application, go to the planning portal at

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# In the spotlight

This month we feature Woldingham resident, Cllr. Sally Marks who serves the local community as Surrey County Councillor for Caterham Valley and Tandridge District Councillor for Woldingham.

### Birthplace:

Halesworth, Suffolk.

**Marital Status:** Married for 39 years to Ronald.

**Children:** Three sons and one grand-daughter.

Cars: An Audi Estate.

**Pets:** Two spaniels - Baldrick and Lord Percy (Blackadder fan).

### Childhood hero:

David Livingstone (what a story – should be made into a TV series).

**Pastimes:** I love going to the ballet when I can.

**Likes:** Caterham, Sweet Peas, chocolate.



Sally Marks

**Dislikes:** The Rose and Young situation; discrimination; snobbery; unkindness and chewing/bubble gum.

**Favourite Films:** 'Some Like It Hot'; 'Out of Africa'; 'The English Patient' and 'Death in Venice'.

**Favourite Food & Drink:** Thai food and a glass of Sancerre or a cup of tea.

**Favourite song of all time:** Percy Sledge 'When a Man Loves a Woman'.

**Favourite books:** 'Pride and Prejudice'; 'The No. 1 Ladies' Detective Agency'; 'Pillars of the Earth' and 'Wolf Hall'.

Favourite holiday destination: Anywhere warm and

sunny at the moment! The Maldives were heaven on Earth.

# Who would you most like to throw a custard pie at?

The owners of the Rose and Young building.

**Biggest influence on your life:** My parents – both good, kind and very wise people.

### Proudest moment:

Being re-elected, twice, to represent Caterham Valley at Surrey County Council, and recently being invited to Number 10 by the Prime Minister, David Cameron.

**Most embarrassing moment:** Arriving at my young son's nursery school to watch the annual play only to find that he had set off the fire extinguisher and flooded the school.

Where would you most like to live? Right here.

Who would you most like to meet? The owners of the Rose and Young building.

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by Sue Baines

Although a challenging season so far, my garden, though a bit wind-blown, has looked spectacular this month, especially the roses, clematis, crambe, foxgloves and lupins. This seems to be the case with most of the gardens I have visited recently. The extra water has left them looking refreshed and beautiful, hopefully providing a lovely welcome to our Olympic visitors.

The water restrictions have meant that feeding has probably been more frequent than usual. It is just as easy to add a drop of feed when using a watering can. I must be careful not to overdo it - too much can cause as many problems as not enough. Gardeners are always optimistic. I'm deadheading and cutting back plants like violas, and nepeta (cat mint), which will soon look as good as new, so that when summer starts the garden will be ready! I am also giving a quick feed of tomato fer-



tiliser to my camellias, which had a balanced ericaceous (acid soil) granule fertiliser applied in March. The reason for this is that they will start making their flower buds very soon and hopefully the extra potash (tomato fertiliser) will encourage lots more flowerbuds.

Just one more point with camellias, they will hold on to their flower-buds right up to flowering time, even if they don't have enough moisture, and drop just as they open, which can be so disappointing.

As with last month, I have been taking off lots of the bottom leaves, so that any sun we do get will encourage more flowers.I find nasturtiums and runner beans respond particularly well to this.

# de Stafford celebrates the official opening of new sports hall floor

On Monday 16th July de Stafford students and invited quests marked the official opening of the new floor at de Stafford Sports Centre when the ribbon was cut by the leader of Surrey County Council, David Hodge.

Mr Hodge made a speech during which he praised the growing success of de Stafford School.

Year 10 student Jez Martins then thanked Mr Hodge on behalf of de Stafford School for his help in sourcing the funding for the repairs. She explained to the visitors how the problem with the floor first came to light in 2010 but the school could not afford the repairs.

In 2011 David Hodge visited the school as leader of Surrey County Council and was shown the damaged floor. Through his support the school was given



From left, project co-ordinator, Sheila Bennett, the Chairman of Tandridge District Council, Sakina Bradbury, the Leader of Surrey County Council, David Hodge and Head of de Stafford School, Caroline Longhurst.

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Before cutting the ribbon Mr Hodge said: "I am delighted that we are here today to re-open the hall, particularly with Olympics coming up soon!"

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by Emma Berry

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All the children in the year group were involved wearing very creative and colourful pirate, sailor and animal costumes.

The performances were a great success, with so many of the children's families and friends coming along to watch the show that the audiences were full on both nights.

Liz Wombwell, Headteacher at St. John's said: "The children and staff have put a great deal of work into this production. The children did

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# New President for the Lions

Tony Skilbeck has been elected President of Caterham, Oxted & Godstone Lions Club (COGS) for the Lions year July 2012 to July 2013. Tony, a retired Chartered Building Surveyor, is a resident of Caterham. He has been a Lion for 34 years and was a founder member of COGS which started in October 1978 and which has been serving the community ever since. Although not a Lion, his wife Brenda has been a constant supporter of Tony and of the Club.

Tony has served in virtually every position in COGS, having been President once before in 1984. In more recent times he filled the role of Club Secretary, a job he did for 15 years, only relinquishing it last year.

Tony has been on the District Cabinet of the Lions organisation in the South East of England for the last five years. He has been the Zone Chairman co-ordinating and supporting the five local Lions clubs; he was the



New President of COGS, Tony Skilbeck (left) being congratulated by the outgoing President, Ken Reissland.

Region Chairman for clubs in Surrey and is currently the District's Treasurer looking after the finances of the 70 Lions Clubs in the South East of England. He is also a holder of the Melvin Jones Fellowship which is the highest award a Lion can

get and is given in acknowledgement of outstanding service.

The handover of the chain of office took place at the home of the outgoing President Ken Reissland during a supper party attended by Club members.

For more information about COGS Lions e-mail cogslions@lineone.net, telephone 0845 833 7852 or visit www.cogslions.co.uk



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The second annual Whyteleafe Village Fête on Sunday 1st June was a great hit with local residents again this year, although the regular downpours made things a little tricky for the stallholders! However, in between the showers there was plenty going on to entertain everyone, and delicious refreshents including homemade cakes, sandwiches and snacks from the Village Bakers stall. freshly cooked paella at the Costa del Sol stall, burgers and a beer tent. The Cats Protection League, St. Catherine's Hospice and C.H.E.C.K. (Community Health and Education for the Children of Kimilili) and other charity stalls were generously supported by the visitors and some lucky winners went home with a prize from the Grand Raffle.

There will be more fun and games in Whyteleafe at the Help for Heroes day being organised for Sunday 16th September. Attractions will include a steam railway, vintage cars, a hawk display, a dog show and craft stalls with a parade taking place from St. Luke's Church to the Recreation Ground.

A planning meeting for volunteers is being held on Wednesday 1st August at the Whyteleafe Tavern at 7pm. All are welcome.





Ian Bristow from The Village Bakers at his refreshment stall



The East Surrey Bees were on display and visitors

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# **Rotary Bunny Fun** Run raises £3,000 for Disability **Challengers**

On Thursday, 28th June the members of Caterham Rotary Club were delighted to welcome Lucy Sharma, Commu-nity Fundraiser for Disability Challengers to their lunchtime meeting at the Surrey National Golf Club in Chaldon.

During the meeting David Mole, the outgoing President of Caterham Rotary, presented Lucy with a cheque for £3,000 as part of the proceeds of this year's Rotary Bunny Fun Run.

On receiving the cheque, Lucy said: "Thank you to everyone who helped to raise this money for Disability Challengers. The money will go towards providing sporting activities for disabled young people, which can transform the quality of their lives."

The current total of money raised for various charities by the runners and walkers who took part in the Run on Sunday 1st April is £7,610. Donations ranged from a few pounds from individuals to thousands from teams.

The Stragglers raised over



Lucy Sharma, Community Fundraiser for Disability Challengers with Rotarian David Mole.

£2,000 for Sutton & Croydon MS Therapy Centre and 1st Caterham St. Mary's Scout Group raised over £1,500 for their trip to Malta.

Caterham Rotary would like to thank their Bunny Fun Run sponsors for 2012 - Surrey National Golf Club, Barclays Bank, The Caterham and District Independent, Catax Ltd, Ross Cycles, BCL Systems, Harestone Lops and Tandridge District Council.

If you have collected sponsorship money but not yet told Caterham Rotary how much, please e-mail: taryruns@gmail.com

## de Stafford hosts first ever Rotary Extravaganza

On Friday 6th July Caterham Rotary Club held a brand new fundraising event called the 'Rotary Extravaganza'. The event was held in the main hall at de Stafford School, which was packed with stalls of all descriptions including home-made chutney, vintage tableware, handmade jewellery and even an animal communicator.

The event was conceived and by organised Rotarian, Stephanie Barrett with the help of her fellow Rotarians raised approximately and £1,000 to split between the Lily Foundation and Caterham Community Responders.



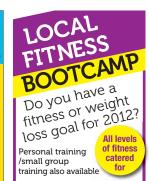
The new President of Caterham Rotary Club, Peter Georgiades, with some lady stallholders at the Extravaganza.



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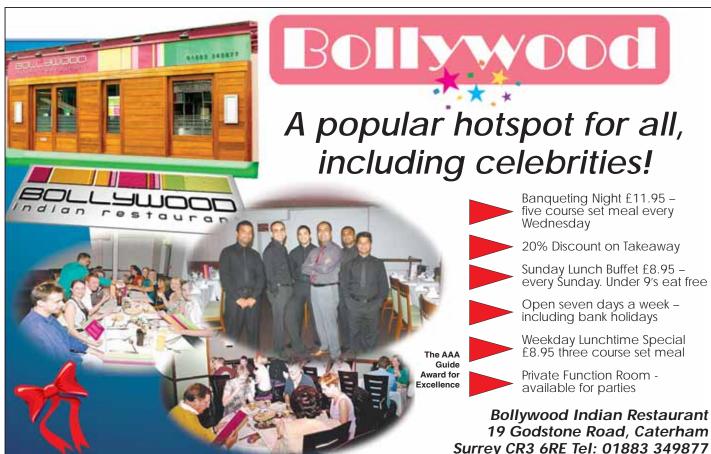
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# Quick Quiz

by Alec Herbert

### The Games are on!

- 1. In which county did the Olympic torch begin its tour of the UK?
- 2. Who lit the cauldron from which the torch was lit prior to beginning its journey?
- 3. What colour is the middle ring of the five Olympic rings?
- 4. In which London borough is the Olympic Stadium?
- 5. Which sport will be contested at Lord's cricket ground?

### **Answers:**

1. Cornwall; 2. David Beckham; 3. Black; 4. Newham; 5. Archery.

# United Grab Hire thanks supporters of successful charity golf day



From left: Beverley Howland (Company Director), Don Davis (Cancer Research Chairman), Rosie Howland (Event Organiser).

On the 12th May 2012, local family-run business, United Grab Hire held a Charity Golf Day and Ball in aid of Cancer Research UK. Nearly 200 people attended the event that was held at the Surrey National Golf

Club in Chaldon. Luckily the sun was shining and led to a glorious day for the golfers, with the rest of the guests arriving for the ball later in the evening.

Rosie Howland, Event Organiser said: "We have had



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an amazing turnout, with all the proceeds going to such a good cause, the day exceeded all expectations. Everyone was in high spirits and in a very generous mood for the raffle and auction, with most of the items being kindly donated by companies in the surrounding areas. I would like to thank everyone that came and supported this event.

Without their help, we would not have been able to raise an amazing £12,056.00 for Cancer Research. We all know someone close to our hearts that has gone through such an awful disease. We just wanted to say thank you for the amazing things the Cancer Research Team are doing towards helping to find a cure in the future."



# **Eating Out**

# Try the charcoal grilled food at 'Grillerz'

Review by Julia Church

Charcoal grilled food with an exciting spicy twist is now available at 'Grillerz' in Caterham, the first restaurant of its kind in the area.

The restaurant is located where La Fiaba used to be in Croydon Road, next door to Papa John's.

The manager of the restaurant. Fariha, believes the restaurant will be a hit because it is a new concept. Not only is the food completely fresh and charcoal grilled, there are also spicy dishes to choose from with a distinctly Asian influ-

The menu is very reasonably priced, especially as the restaurant has a Bring Your Own Alcohol policy and no service charge

When I dined there recently with my daughter Jenny, we had taken a bottle of Rosé wine but I ordered an orange and carrot juice first, saving the wine to have with the main course. The juice was like a smoothie and freshly prepared when I requested it. Orange and carrot is not a combination I had tasted before and it was lovely and refreshing.

For our starters we shared the Grilled Chicken Boti which was sizzling as it was served, and Battered Mince Lamb Pancakes. The Chicken Boti was nice and spicy and the Lamb Pancakes had a mild curry flavour. Jenny commented, it was different, we had not eaten anything like it before and it was a real treat for the tastebuds. There were other non-spicy options such as the Wings and the Prawii Sherica.

For our main courses, Jenny chose Grillerz Charcoal Grilled tell were freshly cooked, sprinches with Spicy Rice and kled with sea-salt, and some color a very large plate. Lorena's Garlic and Mustard Amazing! I could really taste Sauce to go with the meal, otherwise she could have chosen the Mild BBQ, Hot Chilli, or Plain Sauce.

excellent value at Grillerz, a said. quarter chicken plus two sides There are also lamb and vege It is all prepared from fresh in-

gredients including the chips. chose the Gourmet Beefbap with chips that you could well!



The modern interior of

the charcoal grilled flavour and even Jenny's garlic bread was charcoal grilled as well. The spicy rice Jenny had with the To give you some idea of the chicken had a real kick to it, she

and a regular drink costs £6.49. tarian main course options to choose from and a selection of salads. The choice of desserts I chose the Gourmet Beef- includes favourites such as burger with choice of chips Strawberry Cheesecake and (original, spicy, smokey or Chocolate Fudge Cake. If you (original, spicy, smokey or Chocolate Fudge Cake. If you cheesey) that costs  $\pounds 4.99$ . Up are staying in watching the came a thick, juicy burger in a Olympics, they do takeaway as

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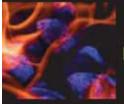
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# A summer of song for local group 'Charisma'

The teenage vocal group Charisma performed at five venues over the Jubilee celebration period in June and raised just over £1,000 for their charity Shooting Star CHASE. The group entertained visitors to the Caterham Festival Street Party and then at Priory Park in Reigate. They refused to be beaten by the rain at the Chaldon Village Jubilee Picnic and went on to give a heart warming performance to the residents of Hillcroft Court who col-

lected £450 in just half an hour after hearing them sing! The group then went to the Chipstead Jubilee celebrations where they delighted their audience once more with their Jubilee songs.

Charisma was formed last Christmas by Madeline Castrey after she was ill herself and wanted to raise money for children who would not get better. The group have set themselves a challenge to raise £5,000 by the end of the year and are well on target to do this.

If you would like to know more about Charisma and their fund raising efforts visit

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'Charisma' performing at the Caterham Festival Street Party on Sunday 3rd June.

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# Top marks for Warlingham woman in funeral exam

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At the LAFD presentation, Anji's score of 84% for 'Funeral Arranging and Administration' was heralded as the highest in London. This success helped secure her ideal position at Rowland Brothers, but also landed her the role of Secretary of the local branch of the LAFD.

Before joining Rowland Brothers, one time hairdresser Anji had gained industry experience with another funeral services company.

Anji had gained first hand knowledge of Rowland Brothers as a client after bereavements in her own family.

Angi said: "It was very im-



Anji Reeves.

portant to me to work for a family firm and having dealt Rowland Brothers with through my own experiences, the company was close to my heart and I now feel it is an honour to work here."

Anji is also a keen fundraiser and her efforts for local charities have featured in the local press.

To find out more about arranging a funeral with Rowland Brothers, call Warlingham branch 01883 623067.

# **Local Walks** Manor Park, Whyteleafe and Chelsham

by Ruth Sear

The undulating chalk downland and wooded areas of Manor Park in Whyteleafe (near Wapses Lodge roundabout on the A22) make it an obvious choice for a short, gentle stroll. The car park is accessible from Burntwood Lane near the railway bridge. The park has an area of approximately 50 acres and was once a nine-hole golf course.

You can walk to Chelsham from Manor Park, via Woldingham Golf Club. Take the exit to Succombs Hill from the base of Wapses Lodge roundabout, walk over the railway bridge, turn right into Stuart Road, turn left at Woldingham Road, left into Bug Hill and enter the golf course on the marked public footpath. But watch out for golf balls!

Take the footpath to Plantation Lane which is a gentle climb, and you are rewarded with beautiful panoramic views. Continue along the footpath to High Lane, cross



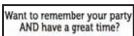
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the busy Limpsfield Road, walk past Greenlawn Memorial Park via Rogers Lane and along the footpath to Chelsham Road then on to Chelsham Common when you can stop for refreshments at The Coach House.

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# A warm welcome for the Chelsea Pensioners at Caterham **Bowling Club**

On Wednesday 27th June the members of Caterham Bowling Club at Queens Park Road, Caterham were delighted to welcome some VIP guests when they were visited by a team from the Royal Hospital in Chelsea.

Last year marked the Centenary of the Club and a number of special celebration games were played, including one against the Chelsea Pensioners at the Royal Hospital. The recent visit was a chance for Caterham Bowling Club to entertain the Chelsea Pensioners at their Club and take part in the return match.

Michael Hewett, Captain of Caterham Bowling Club said: "My wife and I have been members for 38 years and for us this has been the most memorable match in which we have been involved. We feel privileged to have been able to entertain the Chelsea Pensioners at our Club.'



The Chelsea Pensioners arrive at Caterham Bowling Club. Photo by Emily McKay.



# Who wants to be a Volunteer?

by Rosemary Banks

One of the most enjoyable aspects of my role as Volunteer Centre Manager, is matching the needs of organisations with the skills and interests of volunteers. Recently the Tandridge Volunteer Centres hosted a Thank You Strawberry Tea Party, looking at my successful referrals and placements during the past few months. Even I am amazed at the diversity of volunteering opportunities that have been filled.

Drivers have been recruited to provide transport for patients at St Catherine's Hos-Caterham pice in Crawley, and the Caterham Car Scheme that provides a lifeline to the non-driving elderly. Both schemes still require more help so please do make contact to learn more if you are able to offer even ad hoc help.

I have sourced a trustee as well as two potential Gateway Advisors for the Caterham & Warlingham Citizen's Advice Bureau as well as one Gateway Advisor for Redhill and Reigate CAB.



Rosemary Banks.

Learning that Netherne Village's Conservation Area was being overrun with the very attractive but intrusive weed Goat's Rue, many volunteers participated in a fun afternoon of 'Giving Flowers a Chance, but Pulling the Goat's Rue'.

I can usually find a suitable match for people with a desire to be artistically creative or supportive at The Arc or Orpheus Centre. There are lots of sports or outdoor opportunities listed as well as various befriending and other supportive roles on offer. Perhaps you would like to consider volunteering or maybe a charity or organisation to which you belong needs help? Contact me via email: Caterhamvc@tvsc.org .uk or call 01883 344444.



# 2012/13 Membership and ticket prices for Whyteleafe Football Club

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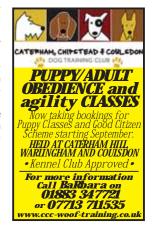
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For more information visit www.caterhamcc.com

# What's On

### **Holiday Club**

The 'Champions Holiday Club' is being held at Caterham Baptist Church, 4-6 Beechwood Road, Caterham on 29th-31st August from 10am-3pm for children aged 5-11 years. The cost is £2.50 per day or £6 for three days. The programme includes Olympic style games, crafts, drama, Bible stories and music. Advance booking advised.

For more information call 07973 138654 or email admin@caterhambc.org.uk

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The Old Coulsdon Camera Club has moved to a new venue and from September will be holding its meetings in Cameron Hall, Canons Hill, Old Coulsdon.

The Club's regular Tuesday evening programme of talks, competitions and member's evenings resumes on 18th September, 7.45pm for 8pm. Mark Blundell will give a talk entitled 'Techniques and Images'.

All are welcome. Entry costs £2 for visitors, which is refunded on joining the Club. For further details contact



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