



## Summer Summary 2009



### Rotary Dates for your Diary

- Sep 3** Editor Peter Austin (CF)
- Sep 5** **Walk & Barbeque** (SA)
- Sep 24** Partners Night (CF)
- Sep 25** Blind Concert meeting  
London RNIB
- Oct 15** George Collyer (BQ)
- Oct 22** Scatter
- Oct 23** **Brighton Conference**
- Oct 29** Salvation Army (BQ)
- Nov 19** Election of Officers)
- Nov 26** **The Mayor** (CF)
- Dec 3** NO MEETING
- Dec 6** **Tree of Light** (Congress)
- Dec 7** **Soiree** (Ardres, France )
- Dec 10** **International Supper**  
300 Cooden Drive
- Dec 17** **Christmas Dinner** with  
Bishop Wallace Benn (CF)
- Dec 25** **Happy Christmas**
- Dec 31** NO MEETING

Key  
 BQ = British Queen  
 CF = Chalk Farm Hotel  
 SA – St Andrew's School

## Airbourne 2009



Rotarians from Eastbourne Sovereign organised their annual off road parking on St Andrew's field for the whole Airbourne weekend. Cars were directed and neatly marshalled into the Free car park on the School field.



Donations over the 3 days totalled over £1,200. A great weekend with lots of goodwill demonstrated by happy drivers and with a high Rotary profile. All in all, a very successful event



The Red Arrows fly over the pier in perfect Summer sunshine. It doesn't get much better than this.

## 1120 District Calendar

**Saturday 26th September to  
 Sunday 25th October**

GSE Team from D7870 (New Hampshire) visit D1120

**Friday 23rd October to  
 Sunday 25th October**

District Conference (Brighton)

**Saturday 21st November**

District Board (Maidstone Masonic)

### INNER WHEEL DIARY DATES



**Friday 25th September**

MacMillan Coffee Morning at Val Proctor's house.

**Sunday 25th October**

Chalk Farm Open day.

**Tuesday 3rd November**

Inner Wheel Inter Club meeting  
 Wellshurst Golf Club.

**Saturday 12th December**

Coffee Morning in aid of Chalk Farm  
 at Pam Westgate's house.

Please let the Secretary know if you wish to attend any of these events

### International events



**Monday 7th December**

Repas de Chasseur Ardrès, France

**Thursday 10th December**

International Supper  
 300 Cooden Drive



Ilan and Val present a cheque to **Water Aid**

Senior members still know how to raise money for a good cause. When Lawrence said he needed to raise the money to supply water pumps to a village in Tanzania, Ian Hesketh simply said "I'll do it" and with a little help from Inner Wheel, Ian was able to present a cheque to Water Aid to fully fund 2 water pumps, 1 mile of plastic pipe, 12 taps and training for 4 pump technicians to maintain them..



These are pictures of the Water Aid project in Tanzania. Rotary is helping to bring clean, safe water to thousands of people like these

[More Pictures](#)



France take trophy



JT presents cheque to DG Kassel



The club is invited to The Lords



An incredible visit to VW's OTC



Planning for the 2011 **Denise Leigh** Blind Music Festival is under way in conjunction with our international partner clubs



**ARDRÈS**

The 'Weekend Sportif' as you know was a BIG success, even though we were completely overwhelmed by the French team. The games, Saturday's garden party, the International meal (see article on the right for more information of the Paul Harris evening) and the Sunday on the beach at The Anchorage was agreed by all as great example of true International Fellowship and Friendship.



3 lucky Rotarians enjoyed a most enjoyable few days in Germany. Travelling in the luxury of a brand new, bright red Audi A3. The hospitality of our 2 partner clubs is an absolute embarrassment. We get treated like Royalty and the genuine warmth and friendship always leaves us eager to return.

[read more on our website.](#)



After the success of our Talking Book, we are now planning to make Talking Clocks available to the Blind or partially sighted.

**PAUL HARRIS EVENING**



The International Paul Harris evening at the Cooden Beach Golf Club was one of the most entertaining events we have had. Thanks to the company of our French partner club and singer Barnaby, we had a wonderful night. The club was thrilled to honour Ken Durrant and Arthur Basford with Paul Harris Fellowship awards. The grand finale of Barnaby's 'Music of The Night' left us all in the right mood to head for home under a starry sky.

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