

MCG NEWS

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WISHING YOU A VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS AND A HAPPY NEW YEAR!



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GETS ME DOWN

Here's a sneak preview of the new MCG T-shirt design! With any luck, the T-shirts should be ready for the AGM, just in case we have a freak heatwave in March.

Talking of heatwaves... while you read this, I should be in Majorca! (as long as the air traffic controllers go back to work in Spain) But will it be HOT? Temperatures have been hovering around 60-65°F and it has been sunny, according to the paper recently...

Neil Hutchinson has just produced an in-depth report of last year's MCG caving trip to Majorca. Alas, it's too long to publish in this issue, but here's a taste:

"Each person as well as personal gear took out 50m rope and assorted hangers as hand baggage. Except Ian Parry, who took about 2cwt of camera gear including a complete darkroom and studio all in a huge ammo box. How he managed to stay free while walking around a Spanish airport nonchalantly ▶ 3

Speleodate

Weekend	Mendip meets & cottage bookings	MCG away meets
Dec 28	Members' weekend Hunter's Hole (Alan Mellon)	-
Jan 4	-	-
Jan 11	Members' weekend Minor (Ian McKechnie)	-
Jan 18	Members' weekend	-
Jan 25	Wolverhampton Caving Club (12)	Juniper Gulf, Yorkshire (Neil Hutchinson)
Feb 1	-	-
Feb 8	Rescue practice (Alan Dougherty)-	-
Feb 15	Steve Conquest (12)	-
Feb 22	Members' weekend	OFD, Wales (Geoff Barton)
Mar 8	Members' weekend Tynings Barrow (John Beauchamp)	-
March 15	Wolverhampton (12)	-
Mar 22	Members' weekend AGM & Dinner	-
Apr 5	Queen Mary's	-
Apr 12	Members' weekend Box Mines (Liz Price)	-
Apr 26	-	Birks Fell, Yorkshire (Roger Wallington)
May 3	Members' weekend Swildons (Andy Beare)	-
May 10	Wolverhampton (12)	-
May 24	-	Bakers Pit, Devon (Arthur Spain)
June 7	Members' weekend Geology (Malcolm Cotter)	-
June 28	-	Pant Mawr, Wales (Steve Taylor)
July 12	Members' weekend St Cuthberts (John Miriam)	-
July 26	-	Lancaster Hole, Yorkshire (Ian Parry)
Aug 9	Members' weekend Radstock Mine (Yvonne Ward)	-
Aug 23	-	Tunnel Cave, Wales (any offers?)
Sep 13-27	-	Malaga, Spain (Adrian Duckett)
Oct 11	Members' weekend Half Yearly	-
Oct 25	-	Lost John's, Yorkshire (Mika Lovell)
Nov 8	Members' weekend Cheddar Gorge (Jon Roberts)	-
Nov 22	-	Dan Yr Ogof, Wales (Tony Knibbs)
Dec 13	Members' weekend Mangle Hole (Dave Baxter)	-

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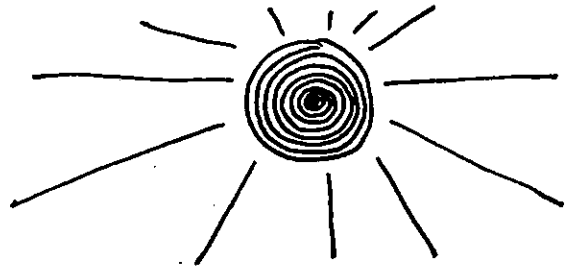
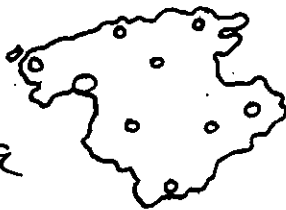
carrying a clearly marked 3.5mm calibre ammo box is a mystery to me..."

"Conditions underground were much warmer than anticipated, with adequate clothing being an old tracksuit or boilersuit with T-shirt underneath. Outside, conditions during the day were ideal for walking in the mountains, being warm but fairly breezy. At night, however, the temperature dropped rapidly, especially in the higher mountains, and snow wasn't uncommon on the peaks. Food and petrol were about the same price as the UK and the local brew - San Miguel - was very good value!"

"Before we went, we were unsure about how much caving there was on the island, but with over 950 known caves and only a handful of keen cavers, the scope for further discoveries was great. The landscape on the north of the island is very mountainous, and because of the inaccessibility of many areas, many entrances must remain undiscovered. The few active cavers spend most of the time finding new entrances, rather than digging. It is not uncommon to see large passages that obviously continue, simply blocked with loose fill and mud!"

If that hasn't whetted your appetites, what will? Neil's actual cave reports and the rest of the article will be reserved for a special newsletter, or a journal... Meanwhile, I must get back to my packing...

Mallorca
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ARMCHAIR MEETS at the Mawson Arms, Chiswick Lane South, London W4.
in the back room at 9pm (or whenever the committee finish)

- Jan 16 Caving in Cephalonia (that's a Greek island near the Gulf of Corinth - not a new type of dry suit) - John Miriam.
Feb 13 All our Yestercaves - a look back over the last three million years of caving - Malcolm Cotter.
March 20 To be announced. Any offers for future armchair meets will be gratefully received - Steve Taylor. 0273 834035.



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TIME TO EXTEND THE COTTAGE

Dear Members,

We are now in a position to start building the extension to the cottage - remember the extension? I am looking for people who are willing to do a bit of digging, and, as I'm not a builder, I also need someone to advise me on marking out the site.

Obviously the first thing that needs to be done is to dig the foundations, but would you believe we also need to dig yet another soakaway! That may as well be done at the same time. Digging the foundations may be a bit of a problem as there is a sewer pipe under the extension - so be careful with that axe...

If you're feeling fit, or you need an excuse to get out of caving, then please contact me at home or at the Mawson Arms. Then I can arrange a get-together to discuss who is going to do what. Thanks!

Paul Merron - 01 771 0666.

SORRY FOR ANY INCONVENIENCE CAUSED

As the building of the extension is about to commence, there is going to be considerable disruption to the car parking at the cottage. The whole of the area on the south side of the cottage will be unusable while the work is being done... Why not contact the cottage warden and volunteer your labours so that the inconvenience doesn't last long!

PINETREE WON'T LOCK

John Beauchamp reports that the padlock on Pinetree Pot won't lock. Does anyone know anything about this? If so, please ring John (0761) 62929.

COPY DEADLINE FOR MCG NEWS:

Happy Christmas, everyone! And while you're mulling the wine and basting the beef, or turkey, or free-range goose or whatever... spare a thought for the newsletter! I need your copy by THURSDAY JANUARY 23 please. Send snippets of information, Bob Speleo column candidates, dirty photos (mud?) ideas for bas cuisine underground, (beats that haute stuff hands down, but what's that gritty taste?), jokes, trip reports, digging news, births, etc etc ... all welcome! Kate Taylor. PS Bryan, how about a crossword on caving? Or a curry to help propel cavers through a tight squeeze....

FOUND IN THE COTTAGE:

Savoy Hotel Penthouse Suite fob and cottage key... found 10/11/85.

MCG Caving Club fob, cottage key, library and tackle store key... found 3/11/85.

Will Paul Getty and the unknown caver please contact Tony Knibbs?

NEW COTTAGE GAME, PAUL?

Paul has come up with an exciting and dangerous new cottage game! He'd like everyone to prop all the mattresses up on their sides at the end of each weekend. Why? "This will stop the mattresses getting smelly as they are doing at the moment." says Paul. But be careful - who knows what long-lost bits of warm apparel you might sniff out... lurking fragrantly below...

CLUB CHALLENGES CERBERUS

Rumour (well, Ian) has it that Liz Price and John Beauchamp are organising an MCG versus Cerberus Speleological Society ASSAULT COURSE CHALLENGE during the weekend of April 12th. As luck would have it, that weekend seems to be Geoff's birthday barrel weekend!

OBITUARY

Felix Trombe (1906-1985) died last May. He is remembered for the discovery of the longest cave system in France, which bears his name, and was the site of the MCG's 1983 Pyrennees expedition. Ian McK

GOODBYE MCG FRIENDS!

Back home in the New Year to my country, Spain. Before I go, I want to tell you how great it was to come across this group and I shall never forget such wonderful experiences with British cavers. The meetings at Mawson's Arms on Thursdays, the wetness of Swildon's, the green and pretty Mendip countryside and its villages around, GB's Piccadilly (always so busy), digging, the smelly entrance of Manor Farm's cave where I did my proving trip, the people's friendliness, a good hot shower after caving, the big caves in South Wales - including the indescribable formations of Otter Hole - the coldness and wetness of Yorkshire caves, the stimulating Mars and Marathon bars, Bob Speleo's jokes, the cheerfulness of the newsletter... Not to be missed, the little treasure discovered recently, Upper Flood.

Sadly I have to leave the country,

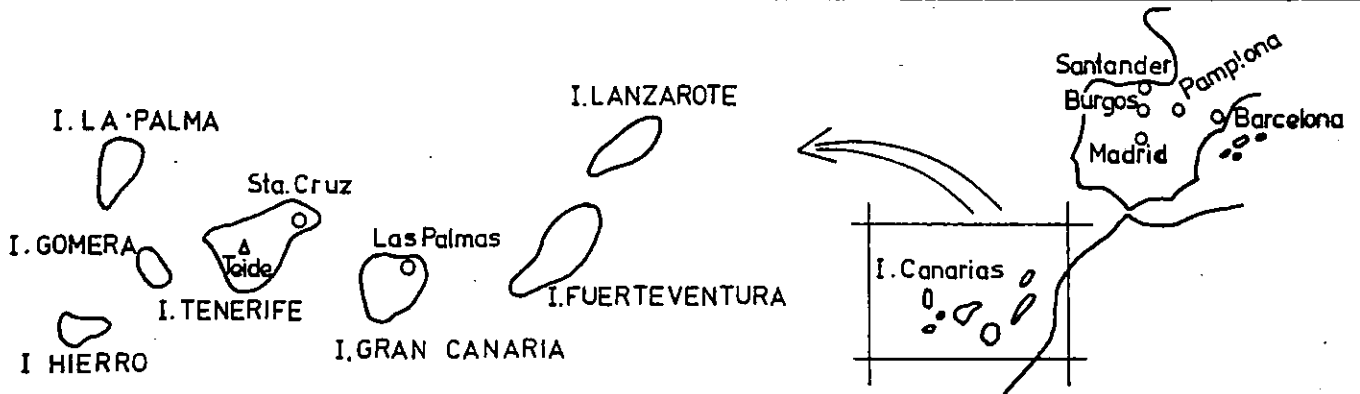
but one day I might possibly come back and visit MCG. However I'm glad there will be a fantastic journey to Malaga in September next year, the area where I have caved, organised by the group and I wish you all could come and enjoy that wonderful land. Believe it or not, there are nice caves there as well.

Here is my address and phone number for all of you who want to visit South of Spain. For sure you will be very welcome.

Victoria Arbizu,
C/Monte Carmelo 51-2ºB,
41011 SEVILLE,
Spain.
Tel: 27 69 81 or 70 39 76 (h)

Thank you so much for sharing your caving experience with me. It will be unforgettable! Hope to meet you again 'Under-the-sun-ground', OK? Happy Caving. Victoria.

Dear Victoria - we'll miss you! Kate.



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CAVERS DO IT IN BARCELONA

This time last year, 600 cavers from 35 countries had already booked places for the 9th International Speleology Congress in Barcelona next July. If you want to go, there's a discount if you sign up by the end of January 1986. As well as discussions and caving films from all over the world, the congress will include some caving trips: Prehistoric Routes, starting in Santander, 10-17 August 86; Excursion Around Larra-Piedra De San Martin, 26-30 July or 8-13 July; Camp In The Ojo Guarena Underground Complex, 10-17

August; Volcanic Cavities Camp, Tenerife and Lanzarote, 9-17 August. The film festival takes place in Barcelona 1-7 August. For details, see cottage noticeboard. KT

► MONEY - THAT'S WHAT WE WANT! ◀

Who will be the first MCG member to pay their 1986 subscription to Mike? Make life easier for him, and more relaxing for yourself... pay up soon, and you can ignore the nags in the newsletter with halo shining!

Please send cheques payable to Mendip Caving Group for:
£15 (full or probationary members) or
£7.50 (associates) to:
Mike Lovell, 4 Settrington Close,
Loddon Park, Earley, Reading, Berkshire.
Then Mike will send you a 1986
MCG membership card! THANK YOU.

Dangling in the Dales

Neil Hutchinson

During October Martin Rowe and I spent a week caving in the Dales. I struggled up on the train with over 200m of rope and a few cwt of hangers. We were very lucky in choosing what was probably the only dry week for months, and it made a pleasant change to do a cave that wasn't full of cavers, or water - or both!



Hurnel Moss - 20/10/85

We thought we would start off with something fairly gentle. There was considerably less water present than on my previous visit a month earlier. However, the results of that water could clearly be seen at the top of the 200 ft Poseidon pitch, which required a little gardening! The long traverse on the left, at the pitch head, needs about 10 hangers and culminates in a Y-hang, giving a superb descent down the centre of the shaft. Unfortunately the rope doesn't quite miss the ledge 100ft down, so here a couple of deviations were used to keep the rope clear of the water for the last 100ft. There is probably a rebelay at or around the ledge, but we couldn't find it. An uneventful ascent was made

Long Kin West - 21/10/85

The 300ft entrance pitch took longer to rig than expected, because I forgot where the second deviation was. The 200 ft pitch, however, was rigged

fairly quickly. There then followed a quick discussion as to who was going to derig - I hate derigging! We agreed that Martin would do the bottom two pitches and I would do the entrance. A fairly leisurely ascent was made to reach the surface just before dark. Then came the customary two-mile walk back to the car and the New Inn for a well deserved pint.

Rowten - 22/10/85

Bliss! No queues at the entrance. Martin (after a few minor illumination problems) rigged the entrance pitch, via the bridge. A deviation was used on the impressive 200ft main shaft to give a dry hang to the bottom (95m rope was just the right length). The last two pitches were rigged with a single 45m rope which again proved to be just the right length. After pottering around at the bottom for a little while the cave was derigged just in time to return to the car to witness a beautiful sunset in a very quiet and peaceful Kingsdale.

Juniper Gulf - 23/10/85

By far the hardest part of this trip was carrying 200m of rope up to the Allotment. The 60ft entrance pitch was quickly rigged, relieving us of 30m of rope straight away. Martin was elected (by me) to carry the rope for the last pitch and I went on ahead to rig the 2nd and 3rd pitches (27m rope does both) and the 'Bad step', the latter being the scene of some very unconventional manoeuvres! The 80ft 4th pitch was soon reached and rigged although the useful rebelay on the opposite wall was not spotted immediately. A short traverse and blimb led to the awe-inspiring 200ft last pitch. A very airy traverse out on the right and two rebelays on a large flake, gave a superb descent, the last 125ft being free hanging, to land on a broad ledge overlooking the waterfall from the original last

pitch. Martin derigged the last pitch and continued out, while I did the remaining ones, and we both surfaced just after dark to reflect on what was definitely the best trip of the week.

Juniper Gulf is a superb cave with an overriding sense of grandeur. I recommend it to anyone who has not yet visited it. PS It's on the meet list for January 25 1986 - book now to avoid disappointment!

24/10/85

Thursday morning saw us blitzing the launderette to give the ropes a well-deserved clean, while the afternoon

was filled with a quick trip up Langdale Pikes.

Alun Main Shaft - 25/10/85

The week finished much as it began - in a leisurely fashion - with a very pleasant descent of the main shaft. We decided that Dccan Pot might have been tempting fate a little, as rain was forecast for that afternoon!

All in all, a very productive week's caving, with each of us doing 1400ft of abseiling and 1400ft of prusiking in four days - a new MCG record. Any takers?

LOGBOOK

Alan Dougherty

It's fascinating to look back over the logbook since its inception, to see which are the MCG's favourite caves. Here, I've concentrated on non-tourist caving trips, as well as listing caves visited, to give an idea of what's been going on in recent months.

Longwood/August

After three trips, Fossil Passage was finally regained - Tony Knibbs being keen to dig the upstream end of the passage.

On 29/6/85 Geoff Barton and Roy Kempston pointed a climber friend, Brian Snell, up what proved to be the wrong hole in the roof of the August Streamway. By way of consolation, they found a pleasant grotto.

Alan Dougherty, John Beauchamp and Liz Price (CSS) managed to locate the correct climb, fixed a belay bolt well above the streamway and one further bolt to assist the climb.

Returning on 26/8/85, Alan Dougherty and Garry Pairaudeau completed the climb, and rigged a fixed ladder and rope. The cave was nearly in flood and the return trip strenuous.

The geomorphology of the cave suggests that water, possibly, once flowed from the Fault Chamber Grotto to Fossil Passage, and thence into the Oxbows and onwards.

Theoretically the old club digs in the Oxbows are the best place to dig, but one never knows with cave passages.

Accompanied by Andy Scully, Alan Dougherty visited the site on 5/10/85 to fix a bolt to back up a rather dubious ladder belay piton.

The end of the passage was seen to be a solid calcite blockage, with some vulnerable pure white helectites nearby. In the interests of conservation it may be best not to dig here? Indeed, the BEC are digging in from Fault Chamber

Eastwood Manor Mines

Entered for a short distance by Andy Scully, in the previous week these mines were fully explored by John Beauchamp, Alan Dougherty and Liz Price (CSS) on 18/8/85.

Located at East Harptree, the mines are similar to Compton Martin Ochre Mine, but on a smaller scale.

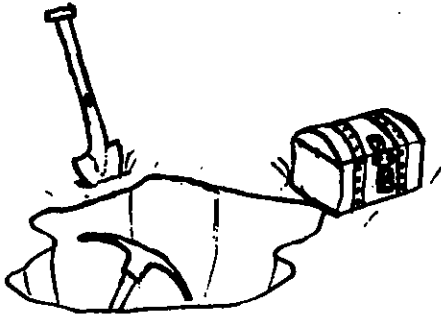
Ochre has been mined from a single stratum by the pillar and stall method.

Upper Flood Swallet

The cave has received a number of tourist trips and a fair amount of digging:

5/7/85 Victoria Arbizu and Malcolm Cotter (overnight).
 7/7/85 Alan Dougherty and Garry Pairaudeau.
 12/7/85 Ian Parry and 'Mr' ?! Beare.
 23/7/85 John Beauchamp and Liz Price.
 28/7/85 Martin Rowe and Neil Hutchinson.
 24/9/85 John Beauchamp and CSS (3).
 5/9/85 Yvonne Ward, Malcolm Cotter, Jo Davies.
 1/9/85 Victoria Arbizu, Yvonne Ward and Alan Dougherty.
 17/9/85 Alan Dougherty and Pete Johnson (guest).
 6/10/85 Denise Samuel, Malcolm Cotter and JP Burth.
 20/10/85 Victoria Arbizu and Peter Collings-Well.

On 20/7/85 Jon Roberts pushed the upstream inlet to where it became too tight and, with Alan Mellon and Alan Dougherty, found the duck very full.

Bone Hole

The stalwarts of the Bone Hole dig have pressed on relentlessly over the past few months. Spearheaded by Neil Hutchinson and John Miriam, progress has been good.

Mike Haselden has laid several charges and has even (on occasion) managed to blow up the correct boulder!

Digging trips recorded:

30/6/85 Neil Hutchinson and John Miriam carried out a smoke test on the draught.
 20/7/85 Neil Hutchinson and John Miriam installed fixed ladder.
 21/7/85 Neil, John and Jon Roberts.
 27/7/85 Neil Hutchinson, Martin

Rowe and Alan Dougherty - having fun with rope cradles lifting boulders.

4/8/85. Mike Haselden - bang!
 5/8/85 Neil Hutchinson, Ade Duckett and Alan Mellon
 31/8/85 Neil Hutchinson, Pat and David Walsh.
 1/9/85 Neil Hutchinson, John Miriam and Geoff Barton.
 5/10/85 Neil Hutchinson, John Miriam.

Other Areas

John Beauchamp recorded a trip to Little Neath River Cave on 28/9/85.

The club meet to Yorkshire over the August Bank Holiday included a Lancaster/County trip. Hurnel Moss Pot was aborted due to flooding, and Rowten Pot overpopulated. Jangling was taken as a consolation.

Prior to this trip, Short Drop Cave and Bar Pot were descended on 25-26/8/85.

Mendip Trips

The following visits have been recorded:

Banwell Bone & Stalactite Caves (1)
 Charterhouse Cave (1)
 Cooper's Hole (1)
 Coral Cave (1)
 Cow Hole (1)
 Cuthbert's (3)
 Eastwater (1)
 Fairy Cave (1)
 GB (3)
 Goatchurch (2)
 Longwood (1)
 Manor Farm (3)
 Nordrach Mine (1)
 Rod's Pot (1)
 Stoke Lane (1)
 Sidcot (1)
 Singing River Mine (1)
 Swildon's (10)
 Thrupe (1)
 Ubley Hill Pot (1)
 West Mendip 'Grand Tour' (1)
 Wigmore Swallet (1)

Certainly other trips have taken place but have not been written up. Even a short entry lets others know what's happening, so please try to make an effort to do it, as this is intended as a regular newsletter item.

(This is provided that Martin Rowe stays in the Lakes. The thought of attempting to precis one of his entries sends shudders down the spine!)

The BOB SPELLO Column

The initiation...

Helen M: 'There's no one around when I'm ready to come...'

Ian McK: 'Ah, but you're never there when I'm ready to take you!'

(One more for the armchair caver's favourite Book of Caving Excuses?)

Who's who? By Alan Mellon...

HACK NINE MICE	ONE FART B FOG
STONE MY PORK	TAKE ROYAL T
TASTE LOVERY	BONY B STINK
O LEVEL MILK	

(I wonder if Royal T is taken with O Level Milk - if so, don't tell Steve!)

Ed: Wot?

Extract from Grosvenor Caving Club newsletter: (John Beauchamp)

We did manage to record the following after MGR's epic Hurtle Pot dive, by our ace reporter A Nonymouse.

AN: 'Can you give me a description of your cave?'

NGR: 'Well, it was really stupendous.'

AN: 'Can you expand on that?'

MGR: 'Well not really as I couldn't see more than two centimetres but it was fantastic.'

AN: 'Oh yes, why?'

NGR: 'Moments after I dived into the brown torrent I was attacked by a giant piranah, which turned out to be an old car tyre.'

AN: 'That explains that strange thing round your chest and why you can't

move your arms.'

NGR: 'Yes, moments after I realised it was a tyre I found myself being swept down a tiny passage and suddenly my air ran out.'

AN: 'Incredible.'

NGR: Using a technique passed on to me by Master Diver Sheppard I managed to breathe through my arsehole from tiny air pockets in the ceiling until reaching safety.'

AN: 'Incredible.'

A Nonymouse.

Earwig ...

What's going on? Are they talking about me? Earwig listens in on the committee:
14/11/85



The committee welcome a new member, Christopher Johnson ... David Corr is reinstated (he moved house & we lost him temporarily!)... Dik House-ago reinstated (he's paid next year's subs as well now!)... Malcolm is to be given £50 to spend on club digging tools... Copy of OFD permit has been supplied... CSCC subs have been paid... Steve has fixed some armchair meets and needs volunteers for more... the MCG shop has donated £74 to the club... Paul is going to buy a dustbin stand for the cottage!... Steve is to get quotes for T-shirt printing, based on 100 T-shirts... anyone know of a source?... Tony has almost finished preparing a register for visits to Upper Flood... JR has been asked to try to retrieve club duplicator... JR has now finished the new membership list, published in this issue... Water heating was £100 for a quarter to October... has thermostat gone on off-peak circuit? Paul is sorting out... Ceiling badly damaged by water... Wayne Hiscox is getting a quote on fixing ceiling... may be able to claim for damage on insurance... Geoff has produced 1986 meet list... next committee meeting: 12 December, 7.30, Mawson Arms. Are you still awake, Bob?

MCG MEMBERSHIP LIST OCTOBER 1985

P=Probationary, F=Full, H=Honorary, A=Associate. Dates show admission to P,F,H,A categories, and current membership.
 Membership no. based on 1982 Journal review of past and current members. Members living in Somerset and Avon area in CAPITALS.

Entry No.	Member No.	Name (A=Auditor) (T=Trustee)	P,F,H,A category	Address	Telephone
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1	312	Anthony Alston	P 7.84 . .	Kazernestraat 104, 2514 CT, Den Haag, Netherlands	.
2	319	Victoria Arbizu	P11.84 F 9.85 . .	8 Perrymead Street, London SW6	01-731 4354
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4	302	JARROD BARTLETT	P12.83 . . .	15 Starling Close, Worle, Weston-super-Mare, Avon BS22 8SN	0934.511449
5	243	Geoff Barton (A)	P11.80 F 6.81 . .	The Lodge, The Heath, Weybridge, Surrey	0932.49241
6	234	Dave Baxter	P 2.79 F11.84 . .	52 Bradshaw Road, Watford, Hertfordshire WD2 4DE	0923.32504
7	259	Kathy Baxter	. . . A 3.82	52 Bradshaw Road, Watford, Hertfordshire WD2 4DE	0923,32504
8	291	Andy Beare	P 3.83 F 6.84 . .	27 Watmore Lane, Winnersh, Berkshire	0734.790746
9	310	JOHN BEAUCHAMP	P 6.84 F10.84 . .	St Hugh's Cottage, Charterhouse, Blagdon, Bristol BS18 6XR	0761.62929
10	282	Steve Bedford	P 9.82 F 5.85 . .	5 Myrtle Road, Hampton Hill, Middlesex	.
11	270	Pete Bulling	P 5.82 F 7.85 . .	22 Canterbury Road, Worthing, W Sussex	0903.35431
12	255	Jean-Paul Burch	P 2.82 F 9.82 . .	47 Chichester Court, Chessington Road, Ewell, Surrey	01.393.3890
13	224	Fred Burton	P 1.75 F11.76 . .	33 Woodford Crescent, Pinner, Middlesex	01.866.6761
14	260	Julie Burton	. . . A 3.82	33 Woodford Crescent, Pinner, Middlesex	01.866.6761
15	244	Mike Bygrave	P 9.81 F 5.82 . .	The Coach House, Rowfold Grange, nr Billingshurst, W Sussex	040381.3150
16	42	Robbie Charnock (A)	P 6.56 F 7.57 All.68		
			- F 7.73 . .	30 Bassett Gardens, Osterley, Middlesex TW7 4QY	01.570.4116
17	298	Peter Collings-Wells	P10.83 F 4.84 . .	63 Jordan Road, Perivale, Middlesex	01.998.3228
18	220	Steve Conquest	P 2.74 F 1.75 . .	10 McAdam Drive, Enfield, Middlesex EN2 8PS	01.366.3276
19	1	Malcolm Cotter (A,T)	Founder F 1.54 A 3.64		
			- F 7.65 A 5.71		
			- F ? H 3.83	249 Feltham Hill Road, Ashford, Middlesex	07842.52643
20	292	Louise Curley	P 3.83 F 2.85 . .	53 Wills Crescent, Hounslow, Middlesex TW3 2JA	01.894.1704
21	261	Anne Davies	. . . A 3.82	72 Aldenham Road, Bushey, Watford, Hertfordshire	0927.27154
22	86	Geoff Davies	P 7.61 F 6.62 . .	72 Aldenham Road, Bushey, Watford, Hertfordshire	0927.27154
23	299	James Davies	P10.83 . . .	'Doirlinn', Owlsmoor Road, Camberley, Surrey GU15 4TS	0344.771736

24	320	Jo Davies	P12.84	.	.	1 Lyndhurst Avenue, Blackwater, Camberley, Surrey	0252.874454
25	278	Mike Dean	P 6.82	.	.	29 Bonner Hill Road, Kingston, Surrey	.
26	304	ALAN DOUGHERTY	P 1.84	F 1.85	.	3 The Cottages, Wrington, nr Bristol, Avon	0934.863056
27	210	Eric Dowley	P10.72	F 7.77	.	32 Chequers Orchard, Iver, Buckinghamshire	0753.653658
28	263	Joan Dowley	.	.	A 3.82	32 Chequers Orchard, Iver, Buckinghamshire	0753.653658
29	251	Adrian Duckett	P 1.82	F 5.82	.	130 St Stephens Road, Hounslow, Middlesex TW3 2BW	01.572.2374
30	245	Bill Ducklin	P 9.81	F12.83	.	5 Edinburgh Road, Sutton, Surrey SML 3LX	01.644.1488
31	289	Pete Dymont	P 2.83	F 3.84	.	Room 6, 79 Eaton Rise, Ealing, London W5	.
32	308	Dave Edwards	P 4.84	.	.	11 Milland Hse, Bessborough Rd, Roehampton, London SW15 4BL	01.789.8088
33	252	Phil Eliot	P 1.82	F 3.82	.	17 Pleasant Terrace, St Just, Penzance, Cornwall	.
34	315	Linda Gates	P 9.84	.	.	77 Southwood Road, Cove, Farnborough, Hampshire GU14 0JH	0252.542285
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37	328	John Harvey	P 9.85	.	.	7 Trelawny Road, Camborne, Cornwall	.
38	287	Peter Harvey	P 1.83	F 7.83	.	Brynawel, Castle Road, Rhayader, Powys	0597.810831
39	300	Mike Haselden	P11.83	F 4.84	.	3 The Close, Thornhill Park, Southampton, Hampshire SO2 5RB	0703.464491
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41	171	Dave Hodby	P 4.68	F 6.69	.	'Dawn', 25 Aggisters Lane, Wokingham, Berkshire	01.286.3132w
42	329	Richard Hodgson	P 9.85	.	.	22 Meon Road, Acton, London W3 8AN	01.993.1372
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46	155	Phil Ingold	P 9.67	F 4.68	.	31 Spring Lane, Hemel Hempstead, Hertfordshire HP1 3QS	0442.42029
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50	253	Roy Kempston	P 1.82	F 5.82	.	13 Florence Road, College Town, Camberley, Surrey	0276.34338
51	10	Tony Knibbs (A)	-	F 4.54	.	85 Cavendish Avenue, West Ealing, London W13 0JY	01.997.2032
52	79	SIMON KNIGHT	P 8.60	F11.61	.	14 Rowdens Road, Wells, Somerset	0749.75805
53	264	VAL KNIGHT (A)	.	.	A 3.82	14 Rowdens Road, Wells, Somerset	0749.75805
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55	221	Pete Lingwood	P 2.74	F 1.75	.	39 Holmbridge Gardens, Enfield, Middlesex EN3 7EY	01.805.2538
56	272	Gordon Lister	P 5.82	F11.83	.	127 Seaford Road, West Ealing, London W13	01.579.3466

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58	242	Mick Lowe	P 5.80	F 4.81	.	'Merrilees', Molemer Road, East Molesey, Surrey	01.398.1616
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60	122	Pete Mathews (T)	P 2.65	F 9.65	.	15 Dellcott Close, Welwyn Garden City, Hertfordshire	07073.21018
61	241	Ian McKechnie	P 4.80	F 4.81	.	21 Conyers Close, Hersham, Walton-on-Thames, Surrey KT12 4NG	0932.228292
62	273	Alan Mellon (A)	P 5.82	F 4.83	.	133 Ellerdine Road, Hounslow, Middlesex TW3 2PU	01.560.0205
63	265	Joy Merron	.	.	A 3.82	21 Howberry Road, Thornton Heath, Surrey CR4 8HZ	01.771.0666
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65	325	Peter Merron	P 5.85	.	.	21 Seely Road, Tooting, London SW17	.
66	239	Mike Mintram	P 6.79	F 6.81	.	18 Seaforth Avenue, New Malden, Surrey	01.949.7954
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80	191	Bernard Reeves	P10.69	F 6.73	.	16A Newbury Way, Northolt, Middlesex	01.864.3559
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