

What's Parag On



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Welcome to the second issue of What's ParagOn. It has been a busy few weeks since the last issue, with the winding down of the racing season and the social one starting.

What's Gone in Brief

Curry Night: This was a success with the club gaining two new members, Nigel Carpenter and Kevin Davey.

Darts: The darts team has had mixed fortunes, won 2 and lost 2.

Walking Weekend: The walking weekend went fine with a large turnout of members and friends. The excellent weather made for an enjoyable "stroll" across the Southdowns. A full report will appear in Blah.

Prize Presentation & Buffet: Nearly 60 people including guests Tim Stevens and Martin Smith winners of our open events, attended the function. Dave Adams was awarded the John Parasonson Prize which comprised vouchers for artist materials. Full report in Blah.

Inter-club Map Reading Competition: This took place last Sunday and resulted in an individual win for Gethin Butler and a team win for the Paragon (Gethin, Stephen Roach and Phil Griffin).

Hill Climbs: The club had teams in both the Catford and Bec Hill climbs. Both teams acquitted themselves well. In addition, Chris Moores and Simon Warren rode well in the National Hill Climb Championship last Sunday and finished mid field.

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**Notice is given that the Annual General Meeting will be held
at 8.30pm on 5th December 2005.**

St Andrews Church Hall,
Woodmansterne Road,
Coulston, Surrey

Any propositions should be correctly formatted, proposed, seconded and be with the General Secretary, Dave Adams, by Monday the 21st November. Late propositions will not be accepted.

The committee unanimously nominated Les Black for President. Les has willingly accepted the nomination.

The committee also unanimously nominated the following Vice Presidents for re-election, subject to their agreement: Dave Adams, AA Bristow, M Brueton, LF Black, PH Kitchiner, A Murray, A Rayner and TB Slattery.



8 November - SCRL AGM: Support the club's prize winners, 7:00 pm, The Hand in Hand PH, Boxhill, Surrey, opposite Cycles Dauphin. Former Tour de France Yellow Jersey wearer, Sean Yates & British Cycling Chief Executive, Peter King, will be the guests of honour.

8 November - Darts: The away match against the Addiscombe has been rearranged at their request and is now on 22 November .

Contact John Cleeve,



12 & 13 November - Club Runs: Saturday runs have already started and meet at 9.00 am Tesco Purley. There is a second "rolling" pickup at 9.30 am at the junction of Hilltop Lane and Spring Bottom Lane near Merstham. Runs normally last about 2 hours. Sunday runs start on the 13th and will meet at 9.30 am Reigate Clocktower. These are longer 4 – 5 hours.

Contact Marcus Brueton,

17 November - Darts: Home to the Belle Vue.

Contact John Cleeve,



18 November - Pub Night: The popular club evening at the pub continues, meet from 8.00 pm at the Sportsman, Mogador. The last evening was preceded by few hardy souls going for a mountain bike ride.

Contact Marcus Brueton,

21 November - Committee Meeting: To be held at St Andrews Church Hall, Coulsdon.

Contact Dave Adams, .



26 November - Ghent 6: Experience the atmosphere and watch track racing at its best with a weekend visit to the Ghent 6 in Belgium.

Contact Stephen Roach,

5 December - Club AGM: To be held at 8.30 pm, St Andrews Church Hall, Coulsdon. A new Auditor and Social Sec are required for 2006.

8 December - Club Darts Championship: This will take place at the King and Queen PH, Caterham on the Hill starting at 8.30 pm. All welcome but it would be useful to let John Cleeve know in advance.



18 December - Club Christmas Lunch and Downhill Competition: The downhill starts at 11.00 and uses Tilburstow Hill. This is followed by lunch at the Inn on the Pond, Nutfield. Please contact John Cleeve to reserve your place at the lunch and pay in advance. Costs will be in the next issue.

Contact John Cleeve,

January - Turbo Training: Session will be planned and scheduled for the clubroom if there is sufficient interest. Failing this it has been suggested small groups get together to relieve the boredom.

Contact Simon Richardson,



Latest News

Auditor

I am pleased to announce that Bob Shepperd has agreed to act as auditor for this year. This definitely his last year so anybody who feels that they can do the job please contact Peter Ansell before the AGM.

Contact Peter Ansell,



2005/6 Annual Subscriptions: These are due on the 1st November each year. Could you please make Marcus's job easier by sending your subs to his new address:

Members who have not yet paid 2004/5 subs please send them to Marcus without the need for a reminder.