

THE POWDERMILL CLUB

QUICKMATCH



SEPTEMBER 84

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LETTER OF THANKS

On behalf of the "HEARTBEAT FUND" I would like to thank all those who helped to make the stall at the Midsummer Fete such a success. Not only those who donated articles for sale but also those who gave generously when buying the "bargains".

Special thanks are due to the Messengers who ran the stall and to Alf and Doreen Bird in particular who stored everything in their home and then transported it, not only to the Fete but also to the carboot sale at the Catholic Church later in the month.

Everyone's efforts raised a grand total of £285-05 for the Fund. Nothing was wasted since the remaining articles were then donated to the Catholic Church for their Lourdes Fund.

Once again, on behalf of the Heartbeat Fund,

Thankyou

John Kemp

EDITORS PAGE

The seasons turn, September's here
A melancholy time of year
And though the sun may sometimes shine
Through misty mornings
There's a chill
In evenings air

A time for Editors to wax most lyrical
Or failing that, be quite satirical
Perhaps to stir the readers blood
Or shock, annoy and
Generally get
Hysterical

A time of change, autumnal solace
From the summer's hectic pace
Times change too for us
Not PERME now
But FOWDERMILL CLUB
Same body with new face

One thing I think we should make clear
Allay suspicion, doubt and fear
Although the changing name may give
Cause for sorrow, be assured
We've changed the name, but
Not the beer

And now your chance to win a prize
This issue now before your eyes
So many competitions set
That many winners soon may wear
With pride
Club T'Shirts and/or Ties

One last stanza, Please remember
For Christmas issue, in December
Deadline date for contributions
Must be sent no later than
Friday the
Sixteenth of November

Ed.

CHAIRMAN'S CHAT

The changing of our name to the POWDERMILL CLUB has taken longer than expected and at present we have the confused situation where both names are in use. It would have been nice to have had a sharp transition but the problem is effecting this with the many external agencies we have dealings with. However once we start banking in our new name our former title will be finally laid to rest.

The future status of the club remains unresolved and discussion continues at a high level between Establishments and Headquarters. The ROF side did attempt to secure ownership of the Club and the Conference Centre but this is being strongly resisted by MOD and it appears likely that the Club will remain under MOD ownership. In either case our situation is further complicated by the stated intention of the ROFs as a whole to secede from the present affiliation with PESSA and CSSC and set up its own recreational association. The ROF plan contains some attractive financial proposals which would benefit many of the individual clubs, particularly those which are less successful than ours. However there is a string attached - to instal a Factory Accountant or equivalent representative onto the club committee as a Financial Monitor and Controller. Personally I would deplore this intrusion into the autonomy and democracy of the Club. The ROF secession will have an important effect on individual ROF members since, come "vesting day" their subscriptions from salary to the CSSC will cease and the Club shall no longer receive the rebated income which comprises the membership fee to the Club. This means that we shall have to arrange a new method of obtaining the membership subscription from ROF members. Hopefully we will be able to get you to sign a new mandate authorising the equivalent deduction from salary which can be paid directly to the Club instead of to the CSSC.

Please bear with us in these trying times.....

Bob McGuchan

BARTALK

Bar Trade has continued to be buoyant throughout the summer with the expected increase in lager sales during the lovely weather we have had this year. We have supplemented the usual Harp lager with draught Kronenberg for those who prefer a stronger brew and a headache the next morning. We can also offer a very strong bottled Kronenberg and a new Dutch lager called Grolsch which has a very distinctive flavour. We are also selling again Mackeson and Gold Label which used to be popular in the old club.

The "Guest" Real Ale scheme has been going reasonably well and we have had some six different brews since May with quite a few more waiting to be tried. Although these new beers have picked up some regular devotees our normal BBA and Keg sales have remained surprisingly healthy.

An expensive but worthwhile improvement to the Bar operation has been the purchase of a new glass washer. At last we can pick up a sparkling clean glass and not have to examine it for second hand lipstick! Since the glasses are now rinsed free of any detergent film there may also be a slight improvement in the flavour and head retention of the beer. Always the optimist!

Bob McGuchan

S E C T I O N N E W S B L A D E

FOR BE DIFFERED (BUT NOT COMPLETED IN OUR NEXT ISSUE)

RIFLE CLUB

Owing to such small numbers, the Rifle Club has not entered into any competitions this year, but we are hoping to run a handicap/name your own start competition later on this year.

Assistance was given to six teenagers by Ron Mason and Stan Wills to pass their Duke of Edinburgh Silver Award for Rifle Shooting, all of whom passed!

The sideshow at the Summer Fete, if not making a million pounds towards our club funds, certainly raised quite a few laughs. More support from members and the public would have been appreciated, but valuable lessons were learned for the next fete, should one be held. Isn't it amazing how people are "not available" when there's something to be done? Let's hope for better response from members at the next "do".

Ron (that's how he spells it) Mason

Editor's Note: I think it means Random Order Memory !!

DARTS "A" TEAM REPORT

A good season with a better ending. We were joint runners-up in the league ending up level on points with the Horseshoes A team.

In the League Knockout Team Cup Competition we did even better, we won the cup, beating the Coach & Horses at the Town Hall where all the finals were played. As well as winning the team cup, Arthur Colgate and Derek Brundrit won the Doubles KO Trophy.

We were also runners-up in the "fours", Dave Chapman, Bob Smart, Arthur Colgate and Derek Brundrit being our winning team. Derek was somewhat greedy in going home with 3 trophies but as this was his first year with the team he can be excused and we hope he improves next year.

Mick Leonard.

CROQUET

The weather has been fine enough this season to play only on Monday Nights. Derek Needham has been drowning his sorrows in Guinness in the Green Man after playing with a specially biased mallet to slow him down. Meanwhile, Gerrard Brooks has been introduced to Croquet and is knocking all the old stagers off the court. Alan and Joan Wise have re-appeared after their protracted holiday (not in Crete as previously reported but, you've guessed it - Cor Phew!).

Finally the good news; Bob Brown is thought to be seriously considering investing the club's funds on a picnic hamper to ward off the pangs of hunger in some and Guinnlessness in others.

Bryan Howard.

LADIES DARTS

(THE CONTINUING SAGA OF BARBARA'S DIARY)

29th May. This evening we were away to Lindsey Street. I couldn't make this game but was told that we lost all the games except the last one. Nearly a white-wash. We've got the same opponents next week at home. I'm hoping we do a lot better. In this match we got away on our doubles OK but we just couldn't finish. Anyway, we haven't had a bad run of winning games. It might do us good to lose a few. High scores were Win 89 & 77, Chris 85 & 79 and Jacquie with an 82. It was Win and Chris we got our only win.

5th June. Our second loss to Lindsey Street. It was a better performance than last week losing by 4 games to 3. Some of the high scores were Pat Bush 90, Me 86 and Jacquie 83. We never make a note of our low scores. The same thing happened as last week, we couldn't get out on our doubles before they did. Next week we are away to a new team - the Wheatsheaf in London Road, Enfield.

12th June. A disappointing result again! We lost 2:1 to the Wheatsheaf in Enfield. They play 3 games of 1001 and we play doubles and fours. I'm not really trying to make excuses though. The scoring was OK but obviously not good enough. I'm thinking of asking Maureen Flowers to join us but I think we play in a different league to her! Our match next week against the Woodbine has been cancelled because of the AGM.

3rd July. We mustn't grumble at a draw, which is what we got tonight. We ran out of time to play a decider. On the last game both sides were trying for double one. After 15 minutes of Oh's! and Ah's! we decided on nearest the bull - they won. Brenda got the highest score of the night with 127.

10th July. It was a good night tonight. We won 4 games to 3 at the Hemenal Club in Epping. Because of holidays and Chris having her son (Congratulations Chris!) we were helped out by Iris Mazen and Joan Jennings. We hope that Iris and Joan can play for us again. It was a very nice evening.

24th July. We played on a different 'ockey tonight. It was at the Golden Lion in Loughton. When we arrived they looked very professional. They each had their name embroidered on a white top - very swish. We won our first two doubles straight off. We then relaxed a bit thinking they were no worse or better than us. In fact it ended in a draw - 5 games each. We had a lot of good scores but I got the highest score of the night with 144. I also scored the lowest with 9 (an average score of only 77).

31st July. It was at the Good Intent pub that we lost at tonight. We played 3 games of 1001 and we lost all 3. But we know how to beat them next - get more doubles. We've now got another new recruit, Penny from Pi section. Our scoring wasn't up to much really. I think we all got between 40 and 60. I blame our low scoring on the fact that we didn't get any sandwiches! Any excuse is better than none. We did come away with one of our ladies winning their raffle though.

Barbara Coe

TO BE CONTINUED (BUT NOT CONCLUDED) IN OUR NEXT ISSUE

BADMINTON

The Badminton Club has now reached the silly season with a new record for low attendance - 3! most of the others had gone to Yarmouth or Cor Phew! We were glad to welcome Bob Dean from P1 who soon got the hang of things - one game and one trip to the bar (I take that back, only joking, we really want him to play on Tuesdays).

Suresh Oza from RSAF achieved fame recently by getting a whole centre spread in (No! NOT "Mayfair") "Profile" (the ROF MAG).

Other members "in the news" are Steve and Kathy Gartrel who were married in June in Cheshire and six members went up to the wedding. Some ended up as 'wheelbarrow jobs' (Names provided on request). Kathy Stanley, as she then was, gave rise to the well known greeting on the wedding card "Here's another fine mess you've got me into Stanley".

Bryan Howard.

TENNIS

The Men's Team started off very well in the West Essex League this year by winning the first 3 matches. Now, with 1 remaining game (which we should win) the results and luck in the later part of the season have not been with us; Won 4, Lost 7. Even so, better than last years efforts, believe it or not. Thanks to all the players, a few of which made their debut (Nick Webb, Barry Madison and Andy Goodwin). Also thanks to Simon Teasdale and Debbie Cribb for the organising etc. I know it's a thankless job at the end of the day so "Thankyou".

Neil Hutchings

SQUASH

The Lunchtime League has been temporarily suspended whilst a Handicapped Knockout Tournament is being played although anyone wishing to join the league when it resumes in September should contact Paul Bunyan now, on 490/265.

The number of evening players has now increased by a staggering 40% bringing the total number to seven, including one complete beginner, the other only plays as if he was.

Anyone wishing to play in the evening, irrespective of their standard should either contact me on ext. 545 or come down to the Paternoster Sports Centre on Wednesdays between 8.20 and 9.40.

Many thanks to John and his wife for the recent Bar B @ they organised for the Squash club members and despite pressure from various quarters, I will refrain from making any comment about pasting tables.

Ron Craik

P.S. Note to Neil Hutchings - "Next time - You have been warned"

CHESS

The Chess Section (now known as the POWDERMILL (PERME) CHESS CLUB) suffered a terrible blow in mid-July with the sudden death in France of JIM RAFF. Jim had been one of our stalwarts for over 20 years and last season he had been captain of our team in the North Circular League B Division - possibly the most difficult Match captain's job of all. He had not only seen the Chess Club grow from humble beginnings to become widely respected at both County and national level - he was one of the people whose enthusiasm and spirit had helped to bring it about.

To play chess against Jim Raff was always an experience. He would sit back in his chair, puffing away at a "roll-up" and produce a series of such unorthodox moves that his opponent would inevitably be lulled into a sense of false security and over-confidence. Then, with just one move, Jim's seemingly haphazard build-up would prove to have been completely deliberate.

Members of the Chess Club attended the service at the Abbey Church and a floral tribute was sent on behalf of the playing members.

On a happier note, we were invited to supply some opponents for a "simultaneous" display given by Bob Wade (International Master and former British champion) to celebrate the 25th Anniversary of Chingford Chess Club. One of our 4 players, John Cook, gained a win and Terry Turner a draw, whilst Bob Jones and Ian Griggs were amongst many others who were defeated.

The playing season opens very shortly and, as usual, I make my regular appeal for players, potential players, hangers-on and Chess groupies to contact either myself or John Cook (Ext. 238).
Ian Griggs

FOOTBALL

Just the weather for lazing on the beach, playing croquet or downing a big frothing pint! Why does the off-season always seem to get shorter? I'm sure we haven't done all those little jobs that we promised "wifey" we would do on spare Saturday afternoons.

Alas, we've got the usual great cricketing weather and we are back in training, and have been for a month. We've lined up a couple of friendlies and start our season on September 1st - batteries recharged and full of optimism.

My apologies to the bar staff, sorry folks, hopefully we'll be back on a Tuesday evening making your job just that bit harder.
Bill Telling

RESERVE TEAM

I start this season as Reserve Team manager, the junior team being now too old for the Harlow League. So after 7 successful years at junior level the majority of my lads will be playing in the Reserve Team. With the existing senior players plus a couple of experienced players I have signed on we, hopefully, have a nice blend of youth and experience.

Training sessions at the sports centre have so far been very demanding and the lads should be fit for the start of the season. I myself have gone home after each session aching in parts that other coaches had not reached, still it saves Brenda having to have a headache!

This season we have a change in "strip", we now have grey shirts with black pin stripe, black shorts & socks. I only hope we play as well as we look. Owing to drainage problems at Town Mead our home games will be played at Enfield Playing Fields and the season starts on September 1st for both senior teams. Here's hoping we both get off to a good start in '84.

Bill Warren

P.S. Brenda never has headaches.

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SPORTS REPORT

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MOD SPORTSDAY & ATHLETICS REPORT

At the annual Sportsday at Chiswick we had two runners in the 5000m. John Cook finished 8th in 17m 29s and John Wilkinson achieved a personal best of 19m 18s.

In the 1500m, run 1 hour later, John Cook failed by inches (*shouldn't that be mm? Ed.*) to qualify for the final.

Dave Elderfield, running in the 100m and 200m races gained a very creditable 3rd and 2nd place respectively. Actually the 100m result was so close that Dave was only 0.1s behind the winner!

Dave also wishes to thank the coach party which, for the Sixth year running (*this pun, not mine Ed.*), stayed until after the prize giving! The Meeting Rules are such that prizes cannot be collected prior to the prize giving ceremony - except under the most exceptional circumstances. The fact that the pubs were about to open is not considered sufficient excuse - sorry lads!

The next major long distance event where members are running is the Stevenage marathon on Sept. 9th. This will be the first full marathon run in Hertfordshire and will incorporate the County Championship. Paul Collins and John Cook are both in full training for this. Because he missed the London Marathon through a late injury, John has suggested that the sponsorship money most generously pledged to the cancer research campaign should be transferred to the Stevenage event, a proposal which seems to meet with general agreement. Consequently, if the run goes well, attempts will be made to collect money after the 9th. Obviously, if anyone objects to this transfer of sponsorship there is no commitment but any donations will be gratefully received.

DARTS COMPETITIONS

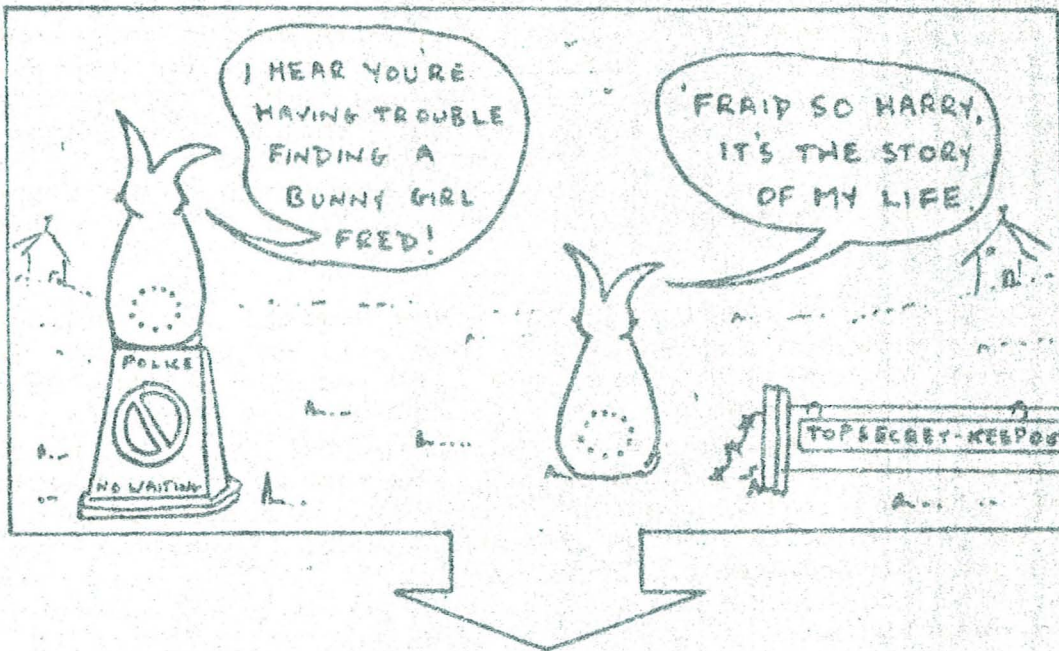
The Inter Section Darts League has now finished, unfortunately the results are not to hand. Keith Fowler who has run our darts competitions for the last couple of years is now retiring from the job owing to the pressure of domestic affairs (Another little Fowler on the way!). Our thanks to Keith for all his work over the last couple of years.

Luckily, we have had a volunteer to take over the job and we thank MICK LEONARD for stepping into the breach. Mick has already organised the 1984-85 KNOCKOUT COMPETITION and the entry sheets are already up on the darts Notice Board in the Club. You have until September 20th to get your name down.

Barry Barrett
SPORTS CHAIRMAN

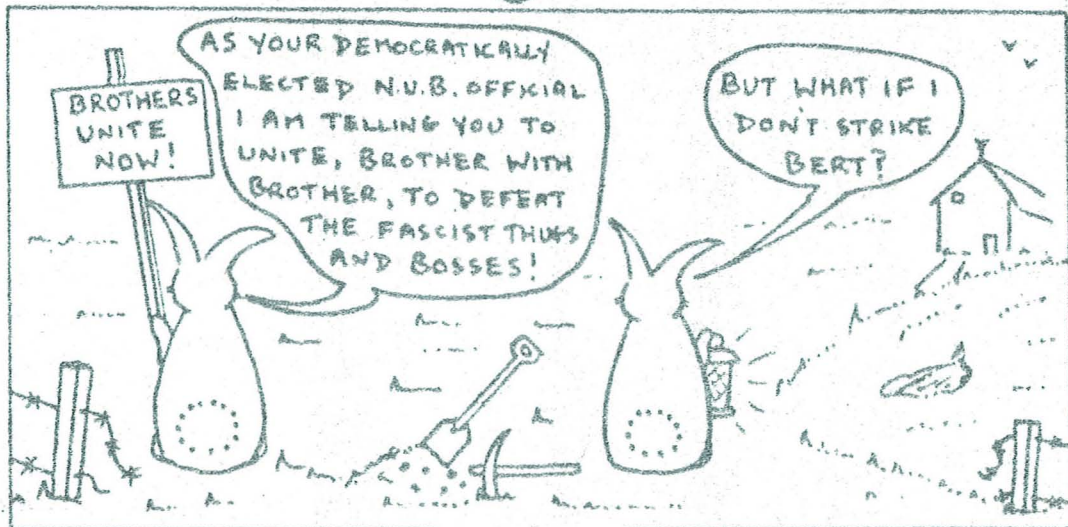
BUNNIES

(LEFT)



BUNNIES

(RIGHT)



S O C I A L

With our usual "Summer Break" now almost over, we have a full Social Programme for the remainder of the year:

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| Friday 14th SEPTEMBER | - SQUARE DANCE
(caller Mike Burnham) | 8.00pm |
| Friday 28th SEPTEMBER | - SOCIAL DANCE EVENING | 8.00pm |
| Saturday 29th SEPTEMBER | - AUTUMN SHOW | 2.00pm |
| | - DISCO | 8.00pm |
| Saturday 13th OCTOBER | -AUTUMN DANCE
(featuring "Cool Water") | 8.00pm |
| Saturday 3rd NOVEMBER | -FIREWORKS DISPLAY
& BARBEQUE | 7.30pm |
| Friday 9th NOVEMBER | -LADIES FASHION SHOW | 8.00pm |

Full details of the Christmas/New Year programme will be published in the next Quickmatch.

PLEASE NOTE THAT VAL EVANS HAS NOW TAKEN OVER THE JOB OF TICKET SALES. TICKETS FOR ALL FUNCTIONS WILL BE AVAILABLE FROM VAL UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED ON THE ADVANCE NOTICES.

A MIDSUMMER FATE WORSE THAN DEATH

Seriously though, this was a most enjoyable afternoon for those who participated and those who attended. As usual, support could have been better from both members and sub-sections helping and from the number of spectating members. That apart it was a good effort which we hope to repeat next year. Many sections ran side-shows and made useful sums of money for their funds. In addition there were volunteers running charity stalls and in total some few hundred pounds were made for "MENCAP", "HEARTBEAT FUND" and the St.MARGARET'S HOSPITAL "MAMMOGRAPHY" APPEAL. A full report of this has been circulated but the Club wishes to thank once again all those who helped with special thanks to Doreen Bird and her Gang of Messengers, the Police Wives (Valerie Briggs, Barbara Mason, Denise Hackett and Faye Thomason), Ray (Balloon Man) Hackett and Doreen Paul. Thanks also to Elsa and her friends for taking on the dangerous job of running the Children's Sports.

Unfortunately the FLOWER SHOW part of the Fete was so poorly supported that Tom Smith almost fell asleep. Our thanks to Tom for his efforts. Some comments regarding the Flower Show were "Why no Veg and Fruit" and "It's too early in the year". **WELL** - Now is your chance - **AUTUMN SHOW** 29th SEPTEMBER.

Once last word of thanks to Dick Morrell for his great effort at the EVENING BARBEQUE after the Fete. He managed to cope with over 300 people - probably the best attended event we have ever run!

O U T I N G S

Hello Readers, this is my very first article as Outings person in Quickmatch. From my predecessors I gather that response to organised outings can be very mediocre and when it comes to actual participation and parting with the cash this response may drop even lower. However I have been investigating one or two possibilities for the future.

The first is a weekend in or around Margate, an easily reached resort (2 hours by car) with many local attractions. Prices for B.B. & Evening Meal are typically £10 per person per night in a small family hotel. No frills but clean rooms and good food.

A day trip to France will cost around £3.50 per person but only if sufficient people are interested.

Alternatively you could spend a day being thrown about on the rides at the famous Bembo Bros Amusement Park (£3.50 - all rides free). On the way home you could make a detour and call in at Leeds castle (not in Leeds but near Maidstone).

Anyone interested in a weekend at Margate for themselves or as a party please contact me on Ext. 309 where further details are available.

Tony Arber
OUTINGS CHAIRMAN

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D A N C I N G
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The Ballroom Dancing Classes, which have now been running for exactly one year are still reasonably well attended although support does tend to fall in the Summer months. The hard core of dancers have done extremely well and there are those couples who may now be seen getting up for nearly all the dances at our main Club dances.

It is hoped to start a NEW BEGINNERS SESSION in September but this will only work if there is a sufficient number - a minimum of 6 couples would be required. How about some of you who "fell by the wayside" last year? Lessons are held on Wednesday Evenings and the cost is only £1 per head. Contact Norman Paul if you are interested.

For those of you who can dance but have got rusty through lack of practice we are now holding Friday Night Dance Sessions once a fortnight. See the Club noticeboard for details.

The Dance Class have also run a few SOCIAL DANCES (with buffet) which are very well attended. Details of future dates can be found on the Club Calendar in the foyer.

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C O M P E T I T I O N P A G E O N E

The winner of the animal word search competition in the last issue was Steve Hutchings who receives a bottle of wine (We didn't think he would wear a Club Tie). Apparently I made the anagram too easy as many people had obviously guessed the correct answer without working out the puzzle. I am pleased to say that the winning entry drawn had actually worked the puzzle out.

Two puzzles this time:-

CONNECTIONS

Five Club members have parked their different coloured cars in a row on the Club Car Park. All five come from different parts of the UK and they all play different sports and drink different drinks. Each one also smokes a different form of tobacco except for one non-smoker.

1. The Geordie has a red car and the BBA drinker has a green car.
2. The Welshman plays snooker and the Cornishman drinks Mild.
3. The owner of the yellow car smokes cigars and the pipe smoker plays darts.
4. The Whisky drinker is parked in the middle whilst the Yorkshireman's car is the first on the left.
5. The member who smokes tailor-made cigarettes has parked next to the member who plays tennis.
6. The green car is parked immediately to the right (your right) of the black car.
7. The cigar smoker has parked next to the member who plays badminton and the member who rolls his own drinks Keg.
8. The Scotsman is a non-smoker and the Yorkshireman's car is next to the blue car.

Question: WHO DRINKS LAGER AND WHO PLAYS FOOTBALL?

Answers to the Editor please.

(P.S. When you've worked it out, tell them they've left their lights on !!)

HEADS (I win) & TAILS (You lose)

Each of the words below has lost the first 2 and the last 2 letters which for each word are the SAME 2 LETTERS in the SAME ORDER. Just complete the words. Entries to the Editor - usual rules and usual prizes.

--CA--	^{EM} --BL--	--AT--	^{AM} --ALG-- ^{AM}	--IFI--
--ING--	^{NE} --PTU-- ^{NE}	--FF--	^{RE} --STO-- ^{RE}	^{PE} --RISCO-- ^{PE}
--PFSA--	--I--	--IT--	--OR--	--XI--
^{LE} --GIB-- ^{LE}	^{RE} --QUI-- ^{RE}	--EEPI--	^{AN} --GLIC-- ^{AN}	--U--

Two extra competitions submitted by Ian Briggs and obviously the result of all those late night shifts watching the Olympic Games.

Submit your answers to the Editor and these will be forwarded to Ian, who has the answers and who will arrange for your valuable prizes:

OLYMPIC QUIZ

Although the Los Angeles Olympics have only been over for a few weeks, we wonder how good your memories are?

1. Why were Sebastian Coe, Sarah Hardcastle, Kathy Cook, Neil Cochran and Virginia Holgate unique amongst Britain's competitors?
2. In which team sports and for what countries did the following gain medals? a) Debbie Green b) Steve Bachelor c) Joe Fargis
3. Who was the British boxer who won only 1 bout but won a gold?
4. Who were Hegg, Golz and Nitz?
a) America's bronze medal winning Coxed Pairs (Rowing)
b) The medal winners in the 4000m pursuit (Cycling)
or c) The International Olympic Committee's lawyers.
5. What was unusual about the silver medal won by Mike McLeod in the 10,000m?
6. Name 2 American athletes who gained 7 gold medals between them.
7. In which sport did Roumania's men gain 1 gold and 1 silver from 8 events whilst their women gained 5 golds and 1 silver from 6?
8. In which sports did the following West Germans gain medals:
a) Messerschmidt b) Wieneke c) Wentz
9. How many nations won a) 18 b) 20 c) 22 d) 25 gold medals?
10. After America which country won the next highest number of gold medals? a) Canada b) Roumania c) Great Britain d) West Germany
11. From the British point of view, what was interesting about the following events? Mens 1500m, Small-bore rifle (3-position), Womens Javelin and Womens 400m Freestyle.
12. Nicu Vlad (Roumania) became the new holder of 3 different Olympic records yet gained only 1 gold medal. Which sport?
13. For which countries did the following gold medallists compete?
a) Mark Breland (boxing) b) Alex Baumann (swimming)
c) Roger Kingdom (athletics) d) Maricica Fuica (athletics)
14. Why was Simone Jacobs the "odd one out" in the British Womens 4x400m relay team that won the bronze medal?
15. Who was the competitor, and in what sport, who won 3 golds, 2 silver and 1 bronze medal??

HIDE AND SEEK

17 of Britain's Olympic medal winners have joined the Club and their names can be found in the following account of a typical evening at the Club. How many can you identify?

The Club bar was packed and the bar staff were being run off their feet. The latest Guest beer, a really strong brew from the Midlands, was proving very popular and was being ordered continuously by the more hardened regulars. It was a night of great activity and in the Main Hall, the noise of a disco excited the younger element who had crammed into the place. In the kitchen, resident chef Dick Morrell was busy with his cooking. He was overrun with orders and was concerned that he would have to give his pots and pans an extra soak, especially as his Brillo pads were missing. Alan the gallon had realised that it was cheaper to buy his slope gin by the bottle yet couldn't pluck up the courage to do so. Chairman Bob was discussing the tragic ROF takeover threatening the Club and Paul Evans was wondering whether to introduce Whitbread as an alternative to brown ale. Suddenly an argument developed in the corner. Treasurer, Andy Clayton was becoming quite cross with John Harris and some other head-bangers who were criticising his budget. "There's no way we can put on a rock concert" declared Andy. "It doesn't matter how much a live bash earns, Hawkwind and Pink Floyd would be far too expensive! Without warning, Barry Barrett staggered out of the snooker room—much too drunk to drive home after celebrating yet another 147-break. "A bus is the answer." suggested Stan Berry. "No, it's alright," said Barry, "I'll get a lift with someone." On the darts board, the Broad Arrows were giving PRS another thrashing. "It's a con!" Norman Paul declared, "They're playing a ringer." This was such an unsporting remark from the Quickmatch Editor that everybody gasped.

Ding! Ding! The bell rang for time. As usual everyone was well satisfied with yet another great night out at the Club.

Send your entries to the Editor. Winning entry will receive either a Club Tie or T-Shirt or a night out with the Chess playing MDP sergeant of your choice. (Perhaps He'll show you his Stamp Album!).

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"POETIC" PIECES  
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THE PERME CALYPSO BLUES
(to the tune of "Oh! Island in the sun)

There's commotion and a lot of fuss
Down at PERME because of the dust
They all say it's Asbestos Blue
But the solution's now with Mr Drew

CHORUS: Oh! You must close de road
Oh! You must close de road
If Mr Drew is to have his say
Then he's got to walk round de other way

Mr Dimmock's man he is at fault
He cut de grass down far too short
And now de PERME will have to pay
For Him to take der dust awayCHORUS

I see two men dey walk de route
Dey are looking for de truth
Bertie Betts says "I tink it's Blue"
"For God's sake don tell Mr Drew ...cos he'll say..CHORUS

See de polisman most upset
Got to take de dog to de vet
Cos he squat down on Blue grass
And he may need a shot in the ... Oh! CHORUS

Brenda the PA is worried sick
In case dat dust decides to tick
She says she seen it all before
Way on back in de 1st World WarCHORUS

Now is de time to conclude
About my story of Asbestos Blue
Just pretend it was never seen
And paint it all wid a coat of greenCHORUS

CHORUS: Oh! You can open de road
Oh! You can open de road
If Mr Drew is to have his say
Then he's got to walk round de other way.

by "PRINCE DUSTER"

THE GOVERNMENT PLOT: Remember, Remember the 1st October

On this site it stood, Outstood
Revolution, War and Flood
But now the Govt'll split and rob
This land once safe, now to be ROF

Signs have changed, folk remain
Gone or going, left the insane?
Must be a way, perhaps some day
To end this tragic plot or play

Blinking eyes cannot comprehend
This new beginning, or is it end?
Of GPF, ERDE, PERME
And now it's ROF, most firmly

To wish goodbye
With gentle sigh
MODs had it's day
Try the ROF way.

Tom Naish

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