

HEADINGLEY FRIDAY SUPPORT GROUP

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NEWSLETTER Summer 2004 Edition

NEWS

Well Summer is here again – hopefully hot weather, Wimbledon, And European Cup football. It has been really nice to see both new and former members of HFSG attend the Friday meetings. There can be a real “buzz” as we plan future events and there is now forward planning to 2007 when HFSG will be 20 years old. Here are some of the events:-

ANNUAL HOLIDAY DUBLIN

As at the 30th of June, 15 members have booked seats on Ryan Air to fly return to Dublin from Leeds & Bradford airport on Monday, the 6th of September. 20 places have been provisionally reserved at the Adams Trinity Hotel in the heart of Dublin for our three night stay. We have been successful with our grant application for £800 towards the cost of the holiday so that the total cost per member is £130 sharing a room and £180 in a room on your own. This represents fantastic value. **If you would still like to go, it may not be too late so please contact Andy on 3922683 as soon as possible. You will need a deposit of £53.39.**

DAY TRIPS



The weather has been really kind to us on our first three trips to

Knowsley Safari Park, Lake Windermere, and Bridlington. The next two trips are –

30th July is York/Castle Howard & 3rd of September is Whitby.

Usual pick-up points and in the unlikely event of more than twenty members turning up we'll ask for volunteers to stand down. Those members will be guaranteed a place on the next trip.

FRIDAY GROUP'S 20th BIRTHDAY ANNIVERSARY 2007

Members of the Group have agreed to start planning a special celebration for 2007. We want your ideas about what kind of event to stage and will be collecting your suggestions throughout this year – some ideas have been suggested already and they include a Cruise holiday on the Rhine in Germany, a saving scheme to purchase our own mini-bus, or some kind of public event highlighting the success of the Group. **So please get your thinking hats on and give us your suggestions no matter how unattainable they might seem.** Whatever we do decide, it probably is going to cost money so a second special account is to be opened at the Yorkshire Bank and called “HFSG 20th Anniversary Account”. As a group we can decide which funds we raise can be transferred into this account. Andy has already donated £90 which he raised from selling bedding plants which he grew at home to work colleagues & HFSG members. The Lottery “club” at HFSG have also donated

a £10 win so we have a great start of **£100 in the bank already with three years to go !!!**

BIRTHDAYS



Three birthdays to celebrate in early July – the 5th is Jean, on the 6th is Michael C's, and the 16th is Katie's so there will be a party at the Community Centre on Friday, the 9th of July.

MINDS IN MOTION



This year's event at Aireborough Sports & Social Club and the Leisure Centre is over two days on the 8th and 9th of July. Various activities are arranged and HFSG wants to enter a Rounders Team for the Thursday at 3pm. Please contact Andy if any member is interested. Transport provided.