

Premier League announces live fixtures for opening weekend

Top-flight football will be making a return to club screens on Sunday, August 6 when last season's Premier League and FA Cup winners Manchester City take on league runners-up Arsenal at Wembley Stadium in the FA Community Shield, live on ITV.

Just five days later, Manchester City's trip to Burnley will kick off the 2023/24 Premier League season's live televised schedule, with Vincent Kompany welcoming his former club to Turf Moor on Friday, August 11 for an 8pm kick-off on Sky Sports.

The following day will see the first ever Premier League match broadcast by the new TNT Sports channel which has replaced BT Sport.

Arsenal welcome Nottingham Forest to the Emirates Stadium for the lunchtime kick-off and this will be the first of 32 12.30pm Saturday kick-offs showing on TNT Sports during the 2023/24 season.

Newcastle United then welcome Aston Villa for the 5.30pm Saturday match which will be screened on Sky Sports.

The following day, Brentford face Tottenham and Chelsea host Liverpool at Stamford Bridge, both games live on Sky Sports as part of the channel's first Super Sunday line-up of the new season.

The opening weekend's televised action concludes with a Monday Night Football clash on Sky Sports as Manchester United, who finished third in the table last season, clash with Wolves at Old Trafford.

The action will get underway at 8pm.



Man City begin their title defence on Friday, August 11

Live Fixtures

Sunday, August 6 – FA Community Shield: Manchester City v Arsenal (4pm, ITV)

Friday, August 11 – Burnley v Manchester City (8pm, Sky Sports)

Saturday, August 12 – Arsenal v Nottingham Forest (12.30pm, TNT Sports)

Saturday, August 12 – Newcastle United v Aston Villa (5.30pm, Sky Sports)

Sunday, August 13 – Brentford v Tottenham Hotspur (2pm, Sky Sports)

Sunday, August 13 – Chelsea v Liverpool (4.30pm, Sky Sports)

Monday, August 14 – Manchester United v Wolves (8pm, Sky Sports)

Club of the Month: Ovington Social Club



This month's 'Club of the Month' is Ovington Social Club in Northumberland.

Situated in a rural village, the club first opened its doors in 1921 and has continued to adapt to the needs of its members ever since.

The club's current Committee has embarked on a series of new initiatives, including an annual Beer Festival, to ensure that the club continues to flourish.

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Welcome to the July edition of *Club Journal*.

As you can see from our news pages, there is no let-up in the magnificent array of activities and events going on at CIU clubs, not least in the area of charity fundraising.

It's very heartening that, even in the middle of a cost of living crisis, the members of our clubs are so committed to doing their bit for good causes, collectively raising many hundreds of thousands of pounds for local and national charities alike.

From having a simple collection tin on the bar, to raffles, to huge entertainment events featuring live performers, every single Union club undertakes some sort of fundraising activity and long may it continue.

Congratulations to the latest batch of candidates who recently completed the Union's Award in Club Management (ACM) by attending three day courses at London clubs.

By the way, if your club has a minimum of 10 candidates eager to complete the ACM, then the course will come to you and the three self-contained units will be delivered by Union lecturers over three Saturdays of your choice, at your club.

You could also team up with clubs in your branch area and each host a single day course as was the case with the recent London courses.

Welcome

For further information on hosting the ACM day courses at your club, see page 11, or please contact Senior Head Office Administrator Cath Fitzpatrick on 020 7226 0221 or email her at:

Catherine.Fitzpatrick@wmcui.org.

This month's 'Club of the Month' is Ovington Social Club in Northumberland.

Situated in a small rural village, the club has been around for over 100 years and continues to adapt to the needs of its members.

Incidentally, the club's Chairman, Gary Bosworth, believes that Ovington (population 530) is the smallest village in England to still have a CIU club, so please write in and tell us if your club is in an even smaller village!

For the full profile, see pages 12-15.

Elsewhere in the issue, Preferred Supplier Greene King explains their Value For Venues initiative which aims to help clubs to continue developing and growing trade.

The article can be found on pages 20-21.

I hope you enjoy the issue.

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Bright Steels SC continues support of good causes



Pictured, left to right: Denise Ellis, Chair of the Bright Steels Social Club, presents a cheque to Ali Cashmore of Acorn Community Care alongside Gareth Allen and Simon Harrison

The Bright Steels Social Club in Norton, Yorkshire has long been a champion of local charities and its latest donation went to Acorn Community Care – a nearby farm-based community facility for people with disabilities and their families.

The charity, which also provides supported living for people with disabilities, is currently undertaking a programme of expansion and renovation designed to increase the range of services to its community, meaning any donations are very welcome.

Denise Ellis, Chair of Bright Steels Social Club in Norton, said: “The club has a focus on providing a secure place to meet and socialise; we consider ourselves a core part of the Norton community and continue to support local charities.”

Queens Park WMC members complete Marathon

Three members of Queens Park Working Mens Club in Northampton have completed a number of marathons between them in order to raise money for good causes.

Isaac Tipler, Nile Hollowell and Ross Skidmore all took part in the epic 26-mile London Marathon, running event around the key landmarks in the Capital in April, while Isaac has also completed the Barcelona and Manchester Marathons this year.

Isaac raised over £3,000 for the Cynthia Spencer Hospice in Northampton while Nile and Ross raised over £7,000 between them for the MIND charity.

The club continues to raise money for a variety of good causes with Steward Julie Bodsworth co-ordinating the club's charity efforts.



Runners Isaac Tipler (pictured, left) and Nile Hollowell show off their medals outside Queens Park WMC in Northampton (Ross Skidmore was not available for the photo)

News in brief



Lily inspires Burton Latimer's Britannia Club to raise over £1,000 for local Diabetes charity

The Britannia Club in Burton Latimer has donated £1,135 to Diabetes Northamptonshire after being inspired by Lily, the 10-year-old daughter of a member (pictured, above centre) who was diagnosed with Type 1 Diabetes.

The club held a series of events in the first three months of the year to raise money for Diabetes Northamptonshire's Community Paediatric Service which has given so much support and advice to Lily, her family and other young people across the county affected by the condition.

OBITUARY

David Brian Randall

The Wessex Branch are sad to announce the death of Mr David Brian Randall at the age of 74.

Brian, as he preferred to be called, joined the Wessex Branch Executive in 2006 and for many years was the Branch Games Chairman.

He enjoyed playing in Branch games and on several occasions was the winner in the National Games competitions, usually either crib or dominoes.

Brian was a member of the Poole Labour Hall and Club and was on their Committee when it later changed its name to the Poole Centenary Hall.

He served on the Committee in various positions, Committee man, Treasurer, and Chairman.

He was a stalwart supporter of the CIU and was a Branch delegate to the Annual Conference at Blackpool this year.

He will be sorely missed.

OBITUARY

Rodderick MacLean

The Langley Hall Social Club in Olton, West Midlands is extremely sad to announce the passing of Rodderick MacLean in June 2023 at the age of 78.



He was recently awarded his 40-year Distinguished Service Award and Badge.

Rodderick was a lifelong member and represented the club for a total of 41 years as Committee Member, Chairman and, for the last 18 years, Treasurer.

Our thoughts are with his family and friends.

Local history buffs gather at Minster WMC



Minster Working Men's Club in Sheppey, Kent is the new home of the Sheppey Local History Society with monthly meetings taking place at the club. A total of 60 people attended the first meeting at the new venue in March to enjoy a presentation led by Chris Reed entitled 'Three Lost Villages of Sheppey', with a similar number of attendees at subsequent meetings which have addressed a number of topics, including the history of transport on the Isle of Sheppey. For more details on upcoming events, visit: www.minstergatehouse.co.uk

News in brief



Richmond Place Club in Hereford set for sellout night of Drag Bingo on July 29

Hereford's Richmond Place Club is expecting to reach maximum capacity for its Drag Bingo event on Saturday, July 29.

Tickets went on sale in May for the event – which features a number of popular drag artistes, including Tequila Thirst, Justin Drag and Lilly Snatchdragon – and within a few weeks, 50 per cent of them had already been sold.

"Our members are really looking forward to what is certain to be a brilliant night," said Club Secretary Les Walker.

"We are always trying out different types of entertainment at the club and there is a lot of anticipation ahead of this night."

Presentation at Bradley & Colne Bridge WMC



A presentation was held at Bradley & Colne Bridge Working Mens Club in Huddersfield to honour two stalwart Committee Members for their service and to mark the centenary of the club. Pictured, left to right: Les Hepworth CMD ACM (Heavy Woollen Branch Secretary), John Pickwell (Club Treasurer and recipient of the 25-year Long Service Award), John Wilkins (Club President) holding the club's Centenary Certificate and Ray Townley (Club Vice-President) picking up the 25-year Long Service Award on behalf of Jeff Waters (Club Secretary)

Wise Eagle flies high for Seahouses Social Club



Racehorse Wise Eagle is owned by a syndicate of members of Seahouses Social Club in Northumberland

There was huge excitement at Seahouses Social Club in Northumberland in June as a group of the club's members, who own the racehorse Wise Eagle as part of a syndicate, headed to Royal Ascot to see their horse compete in the prestigious Gold Cup.

The syndicate, which includes builders, a bookmaker and a pub landlord, bought the racehorse for just £7,000 and when they made the investment were probably not expecting to one day find themselves alongside members of the Royal Family and assorted millionaires in the owners enclosure at Ascot.

Wise Eagle, who is trained by Adam Nicol on Bamburgh Beach in Northumberland, may not have placed in the showpiece race, but just to take part in the Gold Cup was no small achievement.

Wise Eagle earned his place in the race after winning the Queen's Cup at Musselburgh in April and finished runner-up to Gold Cup favourite Coltrane at Ascot in May.

As the raceday unfolded at Ascot, back home members crammed into the bar of Seahouses Social Club to witness all the action on the club's TV screens thus ensuring a huge day of trade.



The Wise Eagle syndicate enjoyed their day at Royal Ascot and were featured on the national ITV news ahead of their horse's participation in the Gold Cup

News in brief



The Nelson Club in Warwick stages charity fundraiser for Together For Short Lives

The Nelson Club in Warwick held a charity quiz night on June 9 in aid of the charity Together For Short Lives.

The charity supports children's hospices around the country and the money raised on the night went to Acorns in Worcester.

Darren Butler, who organised the night at the Nelson Club, teamed up with Alex Pearson, Community Champion at the Morrisons supermarket in Leamington, for the event and said:

"We are proud to support a charity which supports families and children with terminal and long term disability needs and the fact the money goes to a local children's hospice, which people in our community have used is even better."



South Ockendon Social Club in Essex hosts event for local Re-engage group

Thurrock Re-engage group, which helps lonely and vulnerable people in the Essex borough, received a very warm welcome at South Ockendon Social Club on June 16 for a special fundraising Race Night.

Lorraine Coleman, Regional Organiser for the charity, said: "We all had the most fun night, lots of laughter with lovely company.

"At the end of the evening we were presented with an amazingly generous £220 from the proceeds of the Race Night.

"We all had a great night with so much laughter - thank you so much South Ockendon Social Club.

"We have also been offered their Function Hall for our tea parties."

CLUB NOTICES

Club admitted into the Union

Wyke Regis Working Men's Institute
(Western Counties Branch)

Club re-admitted into the Union

Borough Social Club (Manchester Branch)

Ipswich Social Club Ltd
(North East Met Branch)

Plumstead Common WM Club
(Kent Branch)

South Gosforth Social Club
(Northumberland Branch)

Spennithorne Social Club (Durham Branch)

Walnut Tree Club, Gillingham (Kent Branch)

Club name changes

From: Wadsley Bridge WM Club

To: Wadsley Bridge WM Club & Institute Ltd (South Yorkshire Branch)

From: Higham Ferrers Working Men's Club

To: Higham Ferrers Working Men's Club Ltd (South East Midlands)

From: Cogenhoe Sports & Social Club

To: Cogenhoe Sports & Social Club Ltd (South East Midlands)

From: Broughton & Cransley WM Club

To: Broughton (Northants) Social Club Ltd (South East Midlands)

From: Palmerston Road Club and Institute

To: Palmerston Road Club and Institute Ltd (Kent Branch)

From: Locomotive Engineers Club and Institute

To: Locomotive Engineers Club and Institute Ltd (Wessex Branch)

Rossington Labour Club hosts charity fundraiser



Rossington Labour & Social Club in South Yorkshire hosted a charity fundraiser on Saturday, June 3 on behalf of the Residents Fund of the nearby Royal Care Home. The evening was extremely well supported by members and raised an amazing total of £1,850, part of which will be used to install a Community Defibrillator on the exterior of the care home for use by residents and members of the community. The event featured a karaoke competition, a quiz, live music, a disco, games and a raffle with a number of donated prizes up for grabs. Entertaining the crowd were top drag artistes Missy Rekt and Candice O'Connor.

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Presentation Night held at Rowley & Blackheath Labour Club



NEC Member and West Midlands Branch Secretary Jack Haughey CMD ACM attended a Presentation Night at Rowley & Blackheath Labour Club in the West Midlands to honour three stalwarts. Pictured, left to right: Jack Haughey CMD ACM and Club President and Long Service Award recipient Len Morgan



Rowley & Blackheath Labour Club Secretary Dean Whittle (right) receives the Certificate of Merit from NEC Member and West Midlands Branch Secretary Jack Haughey CMD ACM



Alan Jones (right) of Rowley & Blackheath Labour Club collects the Certificate of Merit from Jack Haughey CMD ACM on behalf of Vice-President Simon Jones following his 13 years of service



Pictured, left to right: President Len Morgan, Gladys Morgan, Matt Sabin (Comper), NEC Member and West Midlands Branch Secretary Jack Haughey CMD ACM, Club Secretary Dean Whittle and Alan Jones

Teignmouth Social Club charity darts tournament raises £1,000

Over 80 players took part in a charity darts competition at Teignmouth Social Club in Devon in May in order to raise vital funds for a local dementia support group.

Organised by a group of friends, the competition raised £1,000 – a figure the organisers were “absolutely thrilled” to reach.

The money was donated to the local branch of the Dementia Society, which, among other things, runs a monthly dementia support group at nearby Dawlish Hospital.

The competition, which took place on Thursday, May 25, saw several local businesses enter teams, including Scott Richards Solicitors, Dart & Partners Estate Agents and Oliver J. Knapman Funeral Services.

John Pearce, who helped organise the event and is himself a sufferer from dementia, is already aiming to stage another charity evening, with the goal of raising money to fund day trips for those dementia sufferers who use the support group.

The competition was the second of its kind with last year’s event raising around £600.

A free buffet was provided by Teignmouth Social Club, who also offered themselves up as scorers.



FOR SERVICE

Distinguished Service Award – 50 Years

John Hillary – Grove & Moorside Community Social Club (Durham Branch)

Distinguished Service Award – 40 Years

Gordon Wallace – Usworth & Washington Gardeners Club (Durham Branch)

Brian Uren – Grove & Moorside Community Social Club (Durham Branch)

Long Service Award – 25 Years

David Howe – Blakelaw & District Club (Northumberland Branch)

Dennis Wheadon – Morpeth Comrades Social Club (Northumberland Branch)

Paul Hughes – New Hesledon Social Club (Durham Branch)

John Hughes – New Hesledon Social Club (Durham Branch)

Ronald Waite – Broughton & Cransley WMC (South East Midlands Branch)

David Crichton – Carlton Social Club (Wakefield Branch)

Isabella Crichton – Carlton Social Club (Wakefield Branch)

Certificate of Merit – 10 Years

Kenneth Martin – Kenton & District Club (Northumberland Branch)

Alan Horne – Kingston WMC (NW Metropolitan Branch)

Michael Guy – Bramley Social Club (South Yorkshire Branch)

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Latest batch of candidates complete the ACM

A number of candidates have completed all three units of the Award in Club Management (ACM) course following a series of day courses held at London clubs during the first half of the year

The latest batch of candidates have recently completed all three units of the Award in Club Management (ACM), having attended day courses at three London clubs in April, May and June.

Specifically designed for Committee Members and Officials at CIU clubs, the ACM qualification offers a thorough grounding in the key aspects of running a modern and efficient club.

The qualification consists of three self-contained units, each taking one day of classroom-based study to complete and costing £30 per unit.

Unit 1 of the course covers Law & Regulations, Licensing, Unit 2 covers Law and Regulations (Part 2) and Unit 3 covers Management, Finance and Administration.

Once a candidate has completed the course and been examined in all three units through a multiple choice examination, they receive the ACM.

The course is aimed at people who are going to be sitting on club committees and occupying positions of authority within clubs.

It has been developed to ensure that candidates gain a thorough understanding of licensing laws and regulations relating to members' clubs, as well as a whole host of other laws and regulations that govern the running of a club, including entertainment and the rules and regulations surrounding gaming machines in clubs.

The lectures are carried out by highly experienced lecturers from within the CIU who lead the day sessions and can draw from their knowledge of the club scene to illustrate the key points.

There is no requirement to take the units in any particular order as each unit is self-contained.

The CIU's Education Programme is certainly one of the tools which can help clubs to build a brighter future

Award in Club Management

Peter Snell ACM

Laurence Fryer CMD ACM

Iona Dudley ACM

James Thompson ACM

John Thompson ACM

Jacqui Darlow ACM

Gayna Griffiths ACM

David Double ACM

Mildmay Club

Mildmay Club

Mildmay Club

Langham Club

Langham Club

Langham Club

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Victory Club

(South Norwood)

and if your club is interested in hosting the course, please get in touch.

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The club first opened its doors in 1921



Ovington Social Club

Based in a tiny Northumberland village, Ovington Social Club is effecting a fine balance between innovation and tradition in order to ensure the club continues to flourish

Despite being situated in one of the smallest parishes in the entire UK, Ovington Social Club in Northumberland has been serving its members for just over a century – having opened for the first time in July 1921 – and continues to plan for a bright future.

With only 500 inhabitants living in the rural village surrounded by farmland and open countryside, the club has an impressive total of 201 members, a significant proportion of whom use the club multiple times per week.

However, with club-going habits changing, they are increasingly dependent on a mix on regular and one-off events throughout the year to sustain the profile of the club amongst the local community.

Having negotiated its way safely through the Covid lockdown period,



Club members dance to local band The Whistle Testers

which saw a number of refurbishments carried out on the building's interior, the club has successfully relaunched but still faces many challenges under a new regime which was installed at the club's most recent AGM held in April of this year.

New Chairman Gary Bosworth, who served on the Committee for two years before taking over his current role, pays tribute to the long line of previous custodians of the club who have kept this precious local asset going for the past 100 years.

"I'm a relative newcomer to this club, having only moved into the village in 2020," he says.

"But it's clear that the previous Officers and Committee Members put in so much hard work over the years for the good of the club, notably John Little, who served as Secretary for two decades before stepping down," says Gary.

"We still have one Committee Member in his 90s, Geordie Henderson, who has been a member since he was 18.

"Our Steward, Terry Liddle, is in his

25th year in the post too, and that continuity is essential to allow the changes that we are keen to try.

"As of April, the club has a new Secretary (Lynn Burnip), Treasurer (Lorraine Burns) and Chairman so we've really had to just come in and learn as we're going along.

"Almost immediately you are in a situation where you have to make very significant decisions.

"For example, as a small club, we have been trading just under the VAT threshold for the past five years.

"Now, prices have gone up but the VAT threshold has remained the same so we've now hit that threshold.

"So that is going to impact us. We had to make the decision on whether to close two or three nights a week in order to stay under the threshold – which was our accountant's advice – or to accept that to be sustainable, to keep employing our Steward and our one regular member of staff, we really need to grow the business.

"That means you can't just grow a little bit, but you've got to grow enough to make the money you need,

plus the additional implications of that.

"So we took the decision to have a go and see if we can grow it enough that we can sustain being a VAT registered club.

"But it's a challenge given the size and nature of the club. We're not here to make profits as such. We're here to make enough to be sustainable. And yet we're getting hit by the Government in this area."

Gary is certainly as well informed as could be about the environment in which the club operates, given his day job as Professor of Entrepreneurship at Northumbria University's Newcastle Business School where he specialises in research on rural economies. He cites boosting the number of members as one of the club's priorities.

"We certainly haven't been recruiting new members very much in the last few years which I think tells the story of how rural communities are changing," he says.

"People that move into the village are often commuting to Newcastle, Hexham or other bigger towns and are

The club is very proud of its history but has also adapted to the needs of its members over the years



CLUB OF THE MONTH

perhaps not traditional clubgoers.

“We do have some competition in the village with a pub stroke Mediterranean restaurant just over the road which is open five nights a week.

“We actually took the decision to shut on Wednesdays but otherwise we’re open six nights a week and all day Saturdays and Sundays.

“This summer we’ve increased our hours at weekends in a bid to attract the many people who come up to this area to walk their dogs around the Whittle Dene nature reserve which is close to the club.

“We put doggy treats out, as well as picnic tables and umbrellas and make sure the doors are wide open so walkers are encouraged to come inside and have a drink.

“We are also planning an Open Day to showcase the club to potential members and to break down any uncertainty about what membership entails and what it costs.

“Getting people in through the doors for the first time is important as you can’t see into the club from the outside and the entrance is tucked

around the side.

“So, for the Open Day we will be throwing open the big fire doors at the front to make it more welcoming and showing people the benefits of being a member and all for a relatively small amount of money per year.

“You have to look at it from the point of view of people who don’t know about clubs and probably have negative perceptions which need to be broken down – like, for example, whether non-members are allowed in.

“It’s our job to communicate better. We have a big sign up saying ‘Guests Welcome’ but we still get asked whether non-members are allowed in!

“So now we are reinforcing messages through our Facebook page, a quarterly newsletter and just encouraging people to spread the word locally.”

The club’s Committee is also keen to strengthen the bonds between village residents and the club.

“We have a large Function Room that is an ideal space for village events but finding the best ways to collaborate within the village hasn’t always

been straightforward,” explains Gary.

“We are also mindful of not competing against other village events. As an example, there was a party held on the Village Green for the recent Coronation so we were not going to host a ‘rival’ event at the club.

“But when the Autumn Fayre is on, we always combine it with the annual Leek Show in the club.

“At the same time, we want to get the balance right between the long-standing members of the club who have family associations going back decades and the need to encourage new members.

“We’re looking at a gradual evolution rather than making a load of radical changes which could alienate existing members. We don’t want to turn our back on a century of tradition.”

But there have been innovations alongside traditional club activities with the club staging the inaugural Ovington Beer Festival in 2022 and repeating the event earlier this year.

“Both of our beer festivals have been profitable for the club and also raised



The club launched the annual Ovington Beer Festival in April 2022, showcasing a number of cask ales from local breweries

money for charity,” says Gary.

“But the main benefit of establishing an annual beer festival is that the club brought new people in and got people talking about the club in a different way.

“We had a variety of beers from local brewers – including the Allendale Brewery who supply us with Cask Ale throughout the year – and also invited along a young couple from the local area who has just started up a hot dog van business and they went down a storm.

“We also raised money to send a group of teenagers to the World Irish Dancing Championships in Canada and visitors to the Beer Festival were able to see one of the best Irish dancers in the world perform at our club.

“The support we received from local business was also very pleasing with 10 different local companies each sponsoring a beer to help us reduce our liabilities. For the 2023 Beer Festival, we were actually sponsored by the Northumberland Show, which is a huge agricultural show which takes place in the county.

“They were delighted to be supporting the club and also helped to promote our event.

“So, you can see that from an event like the Beer Festival, the club suddenly starts making connections all over the place and is being talked about in a very positive way.

“We’re currently organising an *Oktoberfest* event for later in the year as a one-day event with German food and a couple of German-style lagers from a local brewer next to Hadrian’s Wall.

“It’ll be something new and hopefully people will come along simply because they’ve not been to an *Oktoberfest* in Ovington ever before.

“Another thing we’re trying out is a ‘Co-working Day’.

“We have a good WiFi network at the club so will be putting out the word inviting people working from home to come down and work at the club from 9.30am until midday and then get a pizza over in the pub afterwards.

“It’s the sort of thing which could work, generate a positive message about the club and create new connec-

tions and members for the club.

“But, of course, alongside special events, it’s the day-to-day routine of the club which is the most important thing; providing a place for our members – many of whom would be fairly isolated otherwise – to socialise and have a game of darts, pool or dominoes with friends and family.

“The connection with the village is very important and the club is where the whole village assembles for Remembrance Day as there is no church in the village.

“It’s always a poignant occasion and demonstrates how integral the club is to village life and how the history of the village and club are intertwined.

“That’s an important point as we continue to plan for the future in a changing environment.”

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Club Journal

Reader Survey 2023

The 2023 *Club Journal* Survey is here! Your input is crucial, so please spend a few minutes completing this important survey .

The survey helps us to identify the views and concerns of CIU clubs as well as analysing shifts in trading patterns.

As a thank you, you will be entered into a Free Prize Draw, with the winning entry receiving a cash prize of £50.

Please send your entry to:

Club Journal, ACP, 59/60 Thames Street, Windsor, SL4 1TX.

Many thanks for your time, and we look forward to sharing the results in *Club Journal*.

Deadline: July 31, 2023.



CLUB JOURNAL 2023 READER SURVEY

(Please tick appropriate boxes.)

GENERAL:

1. How many members do you have?

- Up to 1,000 1,000-1,999 2,000-2,999
 3,000-3,900 4,000-4,999

Other (please specify)

2. On average, how regularly do most of your members visit the club?

(Tick one box)

- Daily Weekly
 Monthly Twice a week
 Twice a month Less than once a month

Other (please explain)

3. In the past year have you noticed a change in the FREQUENCY of visits by members?

- No Increased substantially
 Increased a little Decreased substantially
 Decreased a little

Other (please explain)

4. What facilities do you offer?

- | | | | | | |
|----------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|--------------------------|--------------------|--------------------------|
| Cable/Satellite TV | <input type="checkbox"/> | Big Screen | <input type="checkbox"/> | Live entertainment | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Children's play area | <input type="checkbox"/> | Function room | <input type="checkbox"/> | Games room | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Garden | <input type="checkbox"/> | Sports facilities | <input type="checkbox"/> | Games machines | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Car Park | <input type="checkbox"/> | Darts | <input type="checkbox"/> | Snooker | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Pool | <input type="checkbox"/> | Separate restaurant | <input type="checkbox"/> | | |

5. What is your main source of trade information? (Tick one box)

- | | | | |
|--------------------|--------------------------|--------------|--------------------------|
| Club Journal | <input type="checkbox"/> | Company reps | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Trade associations | <input type="checkbox"/> | Internet | <input type="checkbox"/> |

Other

BUSINESS TURNOVER

6. What will be your club's turnover this year? (Tick one box)

- | | | | | | |
|---------------|--------------------------|--------------|--------------------------|---------------|--------------------------|
| Under £300k | <input type="checkbox"/> | £301k- £500k | <input type="checkbox"/> | £501k - £650k | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| £651k - £800k | <input type="checkbox"/> | £801k-£900k | <input type="checkbox"/> | Over £1m | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Over £2m | <input type="checkbox"/> | Don't know | <input type="checkbox"/> | | |

Other (please specify)

7. Does your club have the following? (Please tick all that apply)

- | | | | | | |
|------------|--------------------------|---------|--------------------------|--------------------|--------------------------|
| Club email | <input type="checkbox"/> | Website | <input type="checkbox"/> | Facebook | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Twitter | <input type="checkbox"/> | Wi-Fi | <input type="checkbox"/> | Other social media | <input type="checkbox"/> |

8. Do you order online (on behalf of the club)

- Yes No In part

9. How important are the following to your trade?

- | | Increasingly important | Decreasingly important | No change | Not important |
|-------------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| Separate restaurant | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Sports screening | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Confectionary | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Hot bar food | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Live entertainment | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Bingo | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Snooker | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Pool | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Karaoke | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Darts | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Group outings (general) | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Group outings (racing) | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Group outings (sports events) | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Club sports team/teams | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Tea and coffee | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Soft drinks | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Crisps/ peanuts/snacks | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Quiz | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |

Other (please specify)

THE FUTURE

10. What turnover changes (by category) do you expect to see in the next 12 months?

- | | Large increase | Slight increase | Large decrease | Slight decrease | Stay same |
|-----------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| Food | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Entertainment | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Families | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Standard ale | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Premium ale | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Standard lager | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Premium lager | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Ciders | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Spirits | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Wine | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| PPS | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| No/low alcohol | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Soft drinks | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Gaming machines | <input type="checkbox"/> |

11. What would be your most important business objective by year end? (Tick as many boxes as you like but rank in order of importance with 1 being the most important)

- | | | | |
|------------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| Expanding reach/more members | <input type="checkbox"/> | Lowering prices | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Improving range of drinks | <input type="checkbox"/> | Family facilities | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Improving margins | <input type="checkbox"/> | Providing entertainment | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Getting/keeping staff | <input type="checkbox"/> | Training staff | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Improving food on offer | <input type="checkbox"/> | Improving marketing | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Different kinds of customers | <input type="checkbox"/> | Improving décor/ambience | <input type="checkbox"/> |

12. How many people see your copy of Club Journal? (Tick one box)

- Just myself Two Three More than three

13. Which elements of Club Journal do you enjoy reading most?

- | | Always | Sometimes | Never |
|-----------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| Front page | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Editorial | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| News pages | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Fundraising events | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Obituaries | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Distinguished Service | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Club of the Month | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Sporting dates | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Legal advice | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Training (ACM) | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| HQ news | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Supplier news | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Outings | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Racedays | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Classified Ads | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Product news | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Industry news | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |

What else would you like to see in the magazine?

Name: Address:

Position:

Club Name: Business tel no (inc STD): Mobile phone no:

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News in brief

Updated CIU Contracts and Club Secretary's Handbook are available to buy from branches

Updated versions of the CIU contracts are available to buy from your Branch.

- Club Staff Accommodation Contract
- Contract of Employment – Bar Manager
- Club Staff Handbook
- Contract of Employment – Bar/Cleaning Staff
- Contract of Employment – Club Steward
- Club Secretary's Handbook
- Zero Hours Contract

They are each priced as follows - £5 per Handbook; £3 per contract.

Due to increased production and postage costs the price list will be reviewed over the coming months.

National Executive Committee dates for 2023

The dates for the remaining monthly NEC meetings at Head Office in 2023 are: July 5&6; August 2&3; September 6&7; October 4&5; November 1&2 and December 6&7. Selected meetings will be held via Zoom in order to save money.

Annual Meeting 2024 dates

The dates for the 2024 Conference Weekend in Blackpool have been confirmed and are as follows:
Thursday, April 18 – NEC Meeting

Friday, April 19 – 32nd CIU Beer & Trades Exhibition (Norbreck Castle Hotel)

Friday, April 19 – CIU Showcase (Viva)

Saturday, April 20 – The 160th Annual Meeting

Televised Sky Bet Championship fixtures announced for opening weekend



The 2023/24 fixtures for the Sky Bet EFL have been confirmed, with four Championship games selected for Sky Sports coverage from Friday, August 4 to Sunday, August 6 to kick off the new season.

As part of the live action, newcomers to the Championship collide as Sheffield Wednesday and Southampton meet at Hillsborough in the Friday night football offering to open the new EFL campaign.

Three fixtures will be featured live on Sky Sports on Sunday, August 6 starting with Leicester City against last season's Championship Play-Off finalists Coventry City at the King Power Stadium, before continuing with Leeds United v Cardiff City.

Rounding off the action on the

Sunday, Ipswich Town mark their return to the Championship with a trip to Tony Mowbray's Sunderland in a 5pm kick-off.

Sky Bet Championship fixtures (all Sky Sports)

Friday, August 4, 8pm
Sheffield Wednesday v Southampton

Sunday, August 6, 12 midday
Leicester City v Coventry City

Sunday, August 6, 2.30pm
Leeds United v Cardiff City

Sunday, August 6, 5pm
Sunderland v Ipswich Town



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Greene King's Value For Venues

Increasing business with the help of Preferred Supplier Greene King's new Value For Venues vision just got even easier with the launch of a new online home for the strategy that gives clubs everything they need in one place to help grow footfall, sales and profits



Greene King showcased their Value For Venues strategy at the CIU's Beer & Trades Exhibition in April in Blackpool

We all know that trading can be tough at the moment and that finding the support you need to continue developing and growing your business has been difficult.

That's precisely why Greene King and Bellhaven recently launched their new customer-first vision and strategy – Value For Venues – which delivers everything your venue needs all in one place.

With the launch of a brand-new website, Value For Venues now has an online home where you can access all the support advice and information you need with just one click

Found at valueforvenues.co.uk,

the new site brings together all the fantastic support that Value For Venues can offer you and your venue and makes it all available in one place.

Accessible from anywhere 24 hours a day, 363 days a year, the new website details a range of different ways that Value For Venues can quickly and efficiently help you grow footfall, sales and profits – a true one-stop shop.

The site reflects the core pillars of the Value For Venues vision, offering you support across three mission-critical areas: Range Freedom, Best In Class Customer Service and Financial Support and Business Advice.

Range Freedom

With Value For Venues you not only get Greene King and Bellhaven's great ales and beers but you can also access other top-selling brands across all drinks categories in one reliable delivery. With frequent promotions and deals on big brands, it's a terrific way to save – and you can find out more on the new website.

We want you to enjoy the freedom to stock your members' favourite drinks as well as gaining access to competitive prices on premium cask ales, beers, ciders, spirits and wines.

With Value For Venues, you have the freedom to choose from a number of



Greene King promises best-in-class customer service with its network of nationwide depots

portfolios and benefit from specialist advice on the drinks most likely to drive the most profit.

You also benefit from maximum convenience with one delivery and one invoice.

Customer Service

On the new website you will also discover that Value For Venues can deliver best-in-class customer service thanks to our experienced Logistics and Distribution division, our expert Cellar Services team and, of course, our outstanding Customer Care team who are there for you 363 days a year.

With nationwide depots, Value For Venues provides on time, in full, fast efficient deliveries while our Cellar Services team can resolve most of your issues over the phone – and, if not, our in-house team of more than 70 skilled technicians can offer expert on-site support quickly and efficiently.

When things do go wrong, as they sometimes will, all you have to do is

call one number and one of our Customer Care advisors will take ownership of your problem and resolve any issues for you.

We understand how important it is to keep your business running with minimal interruption – and we are committed to helping you do that all day, every day.

In addition, the new Value For Venues website offers a range of self-service advice and videos to help you resolve any issues 24/7.

Financial Support

With costs rising across the board, running a venue comes with its own unique range of financial challenges.

Value For Venues is here to help with a suite of money-saving services created exclusively for you as well as tailor-made financial support packages to help your business thrive.

Because we operate more than 3,000 venues across the UK, we have the buying power to save you money

on business essentials.

In some cases, we can help operators save up to £5,000 per year on their day-to-day running costs.

What's more, we offer our partners financial assistance for upgrades or even training. Whether it's a small cash injection to keep things ticking over during the low season or a large investment of more than £100,000 for a full-scale expansion, Value For Venues can help take your venue to the next level.

In addition, Value For Venues is able to offer expert business advice based on the extensive insight we have gained from running our own pub estate.

We can also give you insights on the up and coming trends and new products that are likely to be a hit with your members, as well as offering a suite of high-quality marketing and sales materials, including branded glassware and premium menus.

For more information head to: valueforvenues.co.uk

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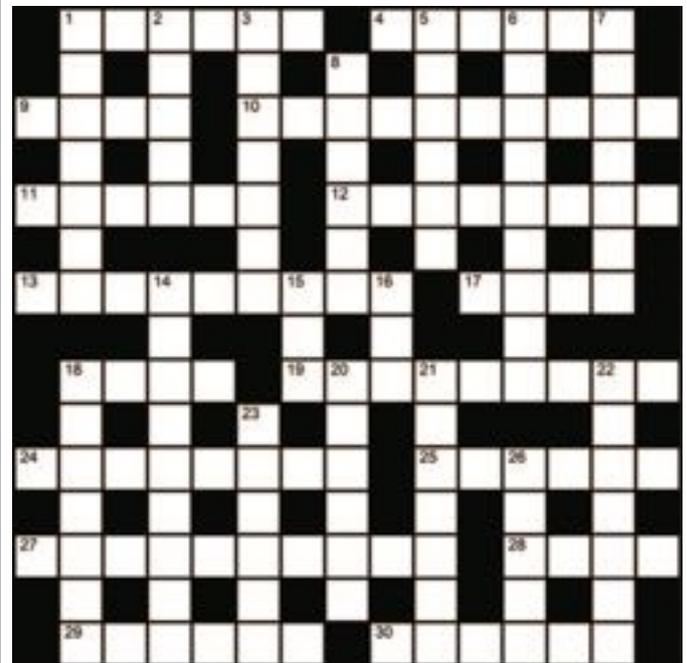
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Sunday, July 9, 2pm – Sky Sports F1
Formula 1: British Grand Prix

In the 2022 edition, Carlos Sainz Jr took both his first pole position and F1 victory ahead of Sergio Perez and Lewis Hamilton. It was certainly an eventful race with a multiple-car crash occurring in the first lap resulting in Zhou Guanyu's car flipping over the tyre wall. Hopefully, such serious incidents will be absent in 2023 and fans can concentrate on the race itself.



Wednesday, July 19, 10.30am – Sky Sports Cricket
Test Cricket: The Ashes - 4th Test

The Ashes action moves to Old Trafford as the sides attempt to clinch the prestigious trophy for their respective countries. This ground, of course, has seen some magnificent Ashes matches over the years and it was on this hallowed Lancashire turf where Australian spin-master Shane Warne announced himself to the world by dismissing England's Mike Gatting with the 'Ball of the Century'.



Thursday, July 20, 9am – Sky Sports Golf
Golf: The Open Championship

The Royal Liverpool Club at Hoylake hosts the 151st edition of The Open, one of the year's four golf Majors. Last year's event, held at St Andrews, was a thrilling contest which saw the 28-year-old Australian Cameron Smith producing one of the great final rounds in Major history to edge ahead of Cameron Young and Rory McIlroy.

SPORTING HIGHLIGHTS

The Ashes Series between England and Australia continues with the final three Tests taking place at Headingley, The Oval and Old Trafford. There is also plenty of Super League, Formula 1 and golfing action

Saturday, July 8, 10.30am
Sky Sports Cricket

Cricket: The Ashes – 3rd Test, Day 3

Sunday, July 9, 10.30am
Sky Sports Cricket

Cricket: The Ashes – 3rd Test, Day 4

Sunday, July 9, 12 midday
Sky Sports

Super League: Hull Kingston Rovers v Hull FC

Sunday, July 9, 12.30pm
Eurosport

Cycling: Tour de France – Stage 9

Sunday, July 9, 2pm
Sky Sports F1

Formula 1: British Grand Prix

Monday, July 10, 10.30am
Sky Sports Cricket

Cricket: The Ashes – 3rd Test, Day 5

Tuesday, July 11, 12.30pm
Eurosport

Cycling: Tour de France – Stage 10

Wednesday, July 12, 12.30pm
Eurosport

Cycling: Tour de France – Stage 11

Thursday, July 13, 12.30pm
Eurosport

Cycling: Tour de France – Stage 12

Thursday, July 13, 1pm
ITV

Horse Racing: July Festival, Newmarket – Day 1

Friday, July 14, 12.30pm
Eurosport

Cycling: Tour de France – Stage 13

Friday, July 14, 1pm
ITV

Horse Racing: July Festival, Newmarket – Day 2

Saturday, July 15, 12.30pm
Eurosport

Cycling: Tour de France – Stage 14

Saturday, July 15, 1pm
ITV

Horse Racing: July Festival, Newmarket – Day 3

Saturday, July 15, 2pm
BBC

Tennis: Wimbledon 2023 - Women's Singles Final

Sunday, July 16, 12.30pm
Eurosport

Cycling: Tour de France – Stage 15

Sunday, July 16, 2pm
BBC

Tennis: Wimbledon 2023 - Men's Singles Final

Wednesday, July 19, 10.30am
Sky Sports Cricket

Cricket: The Ashes – 4th Test, Day 1

Thursday, July 20, 9am
Sky Sports Golf

Golf: The Open – Day 1

Thursday, July 20, 10.30am
Sky Sports Cricket

Cricket: The Ashes – 4th Test, Day 2

Friday, July 21, 9am
Sky Sports Golf

Golf: The Open – Day 2

Friday, July 21, 10.30am
Sky Sports Cricket

Cricket: The Ashes – 4th Test, Day 3

Tennis: Wimbledon
Men's Final, Sunday,
July 16, 2pm, BBC1



Saturday, July 22, 9am

Sky Sports Golf

Golf: The Open – Day 3

Saturday, July 22, 10.30am

Sky Sports Cricket

**Cricket: The Ashes – 4th Test,
Day 4**

Saturday, July 22, 10.30am

Sky Sports Cricket

**Football: Women's World Cup –
England v Haiti**

Saturday, July 22, 9am

Sky Sports Golf

Golf: The Open – Day 4

Sunday, July 23, 10.30am

BBC

**Cricket: The Ashes – 4th Test,
Day 5**

Sunday, July 23, 1pm

Sky Sports F1

**Formula 1: Hungarian
Grand Prix**

Thursday, July 27, 10.30am

Sky Sports Cricket

**Cricket: The Ashes – 5th Test,
Day 1**

Friday, July 28, 9.30am

BBC

**Football: Women's World Cup –
England v Denmark**

Friday, July 28, 10.30am

Sky Sports Cricket

**Cricket: The Ashes – 5th Test,
Day 2**

Saturday, July 29, 10.30am

Sky Sports Cricket

**Cricket: The Ashes – 5th Test,
Day 3**

Saturday, July 29, 1pm

ITV

**Horse Racing: King George Day,
Ascot**

Saturday, July 29, 7pm

TNT Sports

**Boxing: WBC /WBO
International Super
Bantamweight – Liam Davies v
Jason Cunningham**

Sunday, July 30, 10.30am

Sky Sports Cricket

**Cricket: The Ashes – 5th Test,
Day 4**

Sunday, July 30, 1pm

Sky Sports F1

**Formula 1: Belgian
Grand Prix**

Tuesday, August 1, 12 midday

BBC

**Football: Women's World Cup –
China v England**

Tuesday, August 1, 1pm

ITV

**Horse Racing: Glorious
Goodwood – Day 1**



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