

Blackpool beckons as Union delegates prepare for AGM



The Union's 2021 Annual Meeting is taking place on Saturday, September 11 at 10.30am

This month will see club delegates from across the UK convening in the Royal Suite of the Grand Hotel in Blackpool for the rescheduled 2021 Annual Meeting of the CIU.

The Annual Meeting will get underway at 10.30am on Saturday, September 11.

The AGM will focus on discussing the Union's Annual Reports for the last two reporting years with a return to the normal format in April 2022.

George Smith, President of the Union, will be chairing the meeting.

"I am sure that delegates from all over the country will be looking forward to getting together in Blackpool after such a long gap since our last Conference back in April 2019," said Mr Smith.

"It will be great to see many familiar faces from across the branches again."

• **For the full agenda, see pages 10-11**

Norbreck Castle Hotel hosts Beer & Trades show



The 29th edition of the CIU Beer & Trades Exhibition is set to welcome a number of companies who will be showcasing their products and services to delegates on the afternoon of Friday, September 10 at the Norbreck Castle Hotel in Blackpool.

Among the companies exhibiting at the show are ACE Furniture, BT Sport, Club Control, Dransfields, Heineken UK, Higos Insurance, Nationwide Energy and Mr Scratchings snacks.

• **For more information on the show, see pages 12-13**

Club of the Month: Northallerton WMC

The 'Club of the Month' for September is Northallerton Working Mens Club in North Yorkshire.

The club has bounced back strongly from the lockdown, helped by a major refurbishment which was carried out by members of the Committee.

• **For the full profile of the club, see pages 16-19**



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Welcome to the September issue of *Club Journal* as we look forward to this month's Conference Weekend in Blackpool – some 29 months after the last Conference.

The key date of the weekend is Saturday, September 11 which is when the Annual Meeting will take place in the Royal Suite of the Grand Hotel at 10.30am.

The day before – Friday, September 10 – sees the 29th CIU Beer & Trades Exhibition being staged in the Norcalympia at the Norbreck Castle Hotel.

There are further details on both these important Union events on pages 10-15, including details of the agenda of the Annual Meeting and further information on the exhibitors who will have stands at the trade show.

Among the suppliers signed up to exhibit at the 2021 show are BT Sport, Dransfields, Heineken UK and Higos Insurance.

As always, the teams from Head Office and *Club Journal* will also be present at the Annual Meeting and the trade show so please do come and say hello if you have the opportunity.

The CIU stand at the show will have information on all the services provided to clubs by the Union.

There will also be an official photographer circulating at the show

Welcome

and we will be posting the images of the day up on the CIU website next month.

We will, of course, also have a full transcript of the AGM plus a review of the Trade Show in our October issue for those who could not make it to Blackpool this year.

Meanwhile, our Club of the Month for September is Northallerton Working Mens Club in the York City Branch.

As we revealed last month, in July the club received a £86,000 payment from Vodafone after it was discovered that for a 12-year period, the club had been unknowingly paying to power a phone mast that had been installed on its roof.

Coupled with that, the club has undergone a major refurbishment in the past year with members of the Committee undertaking the work themselves.

For the full feature, see pages 16-19. I hope you enjoy the issue and have a fruitful time during Conference Weekend.

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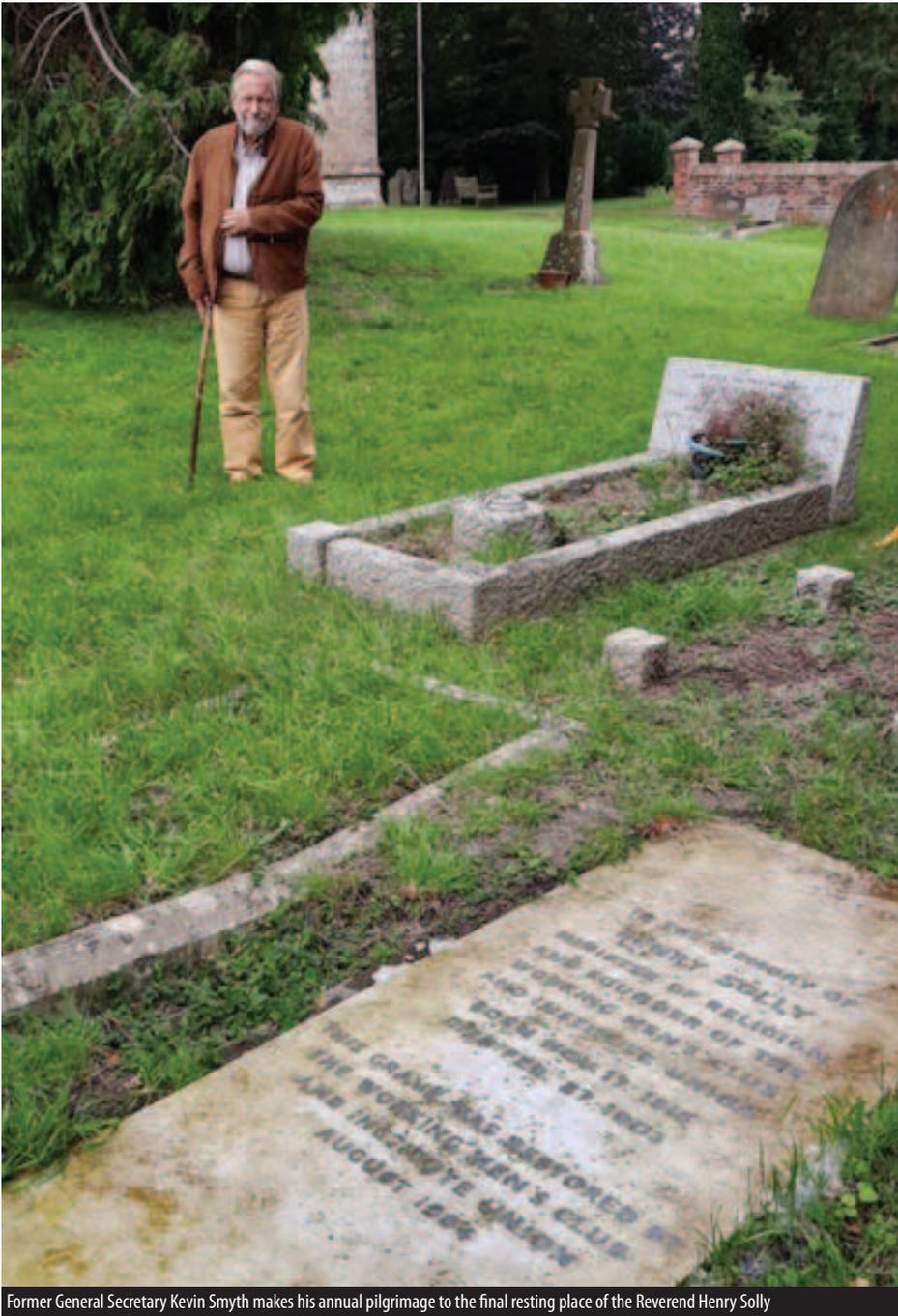


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Kevin Smyth tends resting place of Henry Solly



Former General Secretary Kevin Smyth makes his annual pilgrimage to the final resting place of the Reverend Henry Solly

For the 35th year running, former General Secretary Kevin Smyth CMD, accompanied by his wife Yvonne, made an annual pilgrimage to the village of Childrey in Oxfordshire to visit the final resting place of Union founder, the Reverend Henry Solly.

Solly, who founded the Union in 1862, passed away in 1903 but by the 1980s the location of his grave had become shrouded in mystery.

That is until Kevin embarked on a mission in the early 1980s to rediscover the location. After some in-depth research, he duly identified the graveyard of St Mary's Church in Childrey and eventually found the neglected and overgrown grave of the Reverend Solly.

The headstone was restored by the Union in August 1984 with the then President, Derek Dormer OBE, laying a wreath on behalf of all club members.

Since then, Kevin has returned each year to tend the grave of the man whose vision and energy helped establish the CIU.

OBITUARY

COLIN RICHARDS

The Wessex Branch regretfully announces the sad passing of its Vice-President, Mr Colin Richards.



Colin joined his parent club, Eastleigh WMC, at the age of 18 and after working behind the bar for a short time he joined the Committee in the 1980s as Treasurer, a position he held for 25 years.

In 2004 he became the Club Secretary and held that position until 2016 when he retired.

Colin joined the Wessex Branch in 2004 and served as the Finance Chairman and eventually Vice-President until his untimely death in July this year.

Colin was a well-liked and respected member of the Branch and will be sorely missed.

News in brief



Legendary rave DJ Graeme Park appears at 'Biltonbury' music festival

DJ Graeme Park, a legendary figure in the UK's rave scene, notably as one of the key house DJs at The Hacienda club in Manchester, was the star turn at Bilton Working Men's Club's 'Biltonbury' music festival in August.

The two-day family-friendly weekend festival, now in its sixth year after being established in 2015, saw a mix of DJ sets and live music with Park headlining on the Sunday and the Saturday devoted to performances by local musicians.

The event was just the latest event in Bilton WMC's impressive music offering which includes a monthly Northern Soul Night plus regular tribute acts and live bands.

News in brief



Belgrave Sports & Social Club set for big comedy night in September

Some big comedy names will be heading to Belgrave Sports & Social Club in Tamworth later this month when the club hosts Bulldog Comedy Night on September 17.

Marcus Brigstocke and Nathan Caton, both of whom have appeared on BBC's *Live at the Apollo*, will be headlining alongside Barbara Nice from *Britain's Got Talent* and Comedy Store legend Alex Boardman.



Poole Centenary Club relaunches popular afternoon Tuesday Club

Poole Centenary Club reintroduced its hugely popular Tuesday Club in August after a pandemic-induced hiatus.

Members can enjoy tea, coffee, cake and sandwiches alongside raffles, live music and dancing.

Tuesday Club takes place weekly from 12.15pm until 2.15 pm.

Club members rescue dance floor from flood



The dance floor at Walthamstow Trades Hall was under threat from flooding

Walthamstow Trades Hall was forced to issue a call to arms to its members after torrential rain in London saw its dance floor threatened by rising water.

A plea was sent out on the club's Facebook page, reading: "URGENT – Can you help? We are all struggling with the flash floods but if you're nearby and can get to us safely please come and help save our precious dance floor."

Around 30 members arrived at the club with many of the volunteers bringing mops and buckets with them in order to stem the encroaching water.

Committee Member Daniel Barnard said: "If that many people hadn't helped I think there's a good chance that the dance floor would have been ruined beyond repair."

Roy 'braves the shave' at Ipswich Social Club



Roy braves the shave for Macmillan: Before (left) and after (right)

Ipswich Social Club member Roy recently braved the shave for the Macmillan charity, after having 76 individual plaits cut off by fellow members before having a full head and beard shave.

A fantastic total of £185 was raised for the charity which supports people affected by cancer.

Bedworth Ex-Servicemen's Club stars in new film



Some of the film props being stored in the Concert Hall of Bedworth Ex-Servicemen's Club

Bedworth Ex-Servicemen's Club in Warwickshire will feature in an upcoming film starring Shameless and Dinnerladies actor Maxine Peake.

The film, called Lapushka!, is set in the 1980s and has several scenes set in and around the club.

Director Kevin Proctor said: "I grew up in Bedworth and I knew that I could get most of the locations within walking distance of each other.

"I wrote this a long time ago, mainly out of my love for 80s nostalgia and this film is homage to all of the old children's information films."

Egham USC announces November Beer Festival



Egham United Services Club in Surrey has announced the return of its famous beer festival, following an almost two-year gap due to the Coronavirus pandemic.

The club, which has a national reputation for its cask ale offering and has featured in the CAMRA Good Beer Guide for a number of years, normally staged three beer festivals a year pre-pandemic.

Now with the pandemic hopefully behind us, the club's 35th Beer Festival will take place from Thursday, November 4 to Saturday, November 6.

The festival is open to non-members with entry to all sessions between Thursday and Saturday costing £4 (plus a £2 refundable deposit for a festival glass).

There is a £1 discount to NUS, CIU and CAMRA card-carrying members and also guests of EUSC Club members.

There will be live music on all three days while money will be raised for a number of services-related charities throughout the festival.

For more information, visit: www.eghambeerfestival.co.uk

News in brief

sky sports

Sky Sports offers enhanced discount through Molson Coors for new season

Sky Business has announced details of its enhanced partnership with brewer Molson Coors.

Clubs can save up to 50% off Sky Sports by stocking Molson Coors and its partner brands, including two new additions to the portfolio, cider brands Stowford Press and Thatchers Cider.

Damian Saunders, Managing Director of Sky Business, said: "From day one, the start of season is shaping up to be a packed line-up from the Scottish Premiership, EFL and Premier League – what a way to start the season.

"It's already underway with the return of the Scottish Premiership, all while a great summer of sport is continuing.

"This, combined with our partnership with Molson Coors, which is one that continues to grow from strength to strength, is something that our customers can get real value out of.

"We also know sports fans can't wait to watch sport in the bar. Consumer confidence is growing and nearly 90% of sports fans returning to the On-Trade enjoyed the experience of watching live sport in a bar.

"Live sport also continues to drive value for our customers with 88% of sports fans believing that they will spend the same or more when watching sport out of home compared to pre-COVID times."

Marty Cozens, UK On-Trade Sales Director at Molson Coors, said: "We know from our customers that our partnership with Sky is viewed as one of the biggest on-trade initiatives and it's been incredibly successful over the past nine years.

"This year the deal evolves even further to include our cider partners, Thatchers Cider and Stowford Press, and increases the potential discount to a huge 50% off Sky Sports.

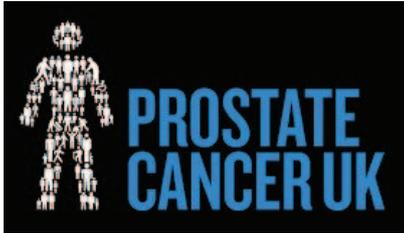
"Our partnership with Sky has always been about helping operators make the most of sporting occasions whilst offering the strongest brand line up to keep their consumers coming back."

Throughout the 2021/22 season, Sky Sports customers will be able to show over 400 live football games, including action from the Premier League, Women's Super League and the EFL.

Other sporting events also coming up on Sky include every match live from England's cricket series against India, action from Formula 1 and the Ryder Cup.

For more information, contact Sky Business on: 08448 244 244.

News in brief



Minster Working Mens Club to stage Open Darts Tournament for Prostate Cancer UK

Minster Working Mens Club in Sheppey, Kent, will be holding an Open Darts Knockout tournament on Sunday, November 21.

Entry costs £15 and there will be a £1,000 first prize for the winner (subject to 64 players taking part), with all proceeds going to the Prostate Cancer UK charity.

If you would like to take part, please contact Gerry Cunningham on 07511022940 or Tony Cox on 07747676676 or email coxatcox@aol.com

Westholme Farm Club announces personal sponsorship of player at Killingworth FC

The Westholme Farm Club in Newcastle upon Tyne has announced that they will be sponsoring a player at local football side, Killingworth FC, for the coming season.

The recipient of the sponsorship is Dan Souter, a 20 year old who plays for Killingworth FC in the Northumberland Premier Division.

The club's contribution will go towards Dan's kit and fees.

Bowls tournament at Chelmarsh Sports & Social Club raises £440 for First Responders

In August, Chelmarsh Sports & Social Club in Shropshire held a charity bowls tournament in aid of Highley First Responders.

The tournament was played under doubles format rules with the members of each pair drawn at random at the beginning of the day.

Games were played in a Round Robin with a semi-final and final.

After the initial rounds the day came down to the final which saw Kev Hotchkiss (the club's reigning Singles champion) and his playing partner Terry Kenny play Irena Jones (making her bowls debut) and Joey Price (experienced player) play for the trophy.

Kev and Terry were the eventual winners after a hard-fought match.

A grand total of £440 was raised for the Highley First Responders.

Walderslade Club enjoys the sound of Munich



It may have been August last month but that didn't stop the Walderslade Club in Kent staging a special Oktoberfest Night at the club. As well as enjoying two-pint steins of beer and a range of German sausages, members were treated to some modern songs played in the style of traditional Bavarian oompah music by a live band

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BT Sport bolsters European football portfolio with three-season Italian Serie A rights deal

Serie A football will be shown on BT Sport until at least 2024 after the broadcaster signed a deal with Italy's top league.

Featuring some of the biggest names in world football, Serie A boasts Juventus stars Cristiano Ronaldo and Aaron Ramsey, plus Milan's Zlatan Ibrahimovic and Napoli's Kalidou Koulibaly.

The dugouts will also feature a number of familiar faces, with Jose Mourinho returning to the league to manage Roma and Massimiliano Allegri heading back to Juventus to try to repeat the success he enjoyed during his first spell with the club.

The coverage of Serie A on BT Sport kicked off on August 21 and every single match will be broadcast, with at least five live games shown each round, totalling around 200 live games across the season.

Meanwhile, BT Sport's coverage of the new UEFA Champions League season will begin with Matchday 1 held across Tuesday, September 14 and Wednesday, September 15 as holders Chelsea begin their title defence.

Eccleshill WMC holds virtual race night to raise funds for community defibrillator in village

Eccleshill Working Mens Club in Bradford is putting its weight behind a campaign to install a community defibrillator in the village.

The club is staging a virtual race night on Friday, September 10, including a raffle, in order to help to fund the installation of the potentially lifesaving piece of equipment.

Full house for Harrogate Club ahead of children's Halloween and Christmas events

The Harrogate Club in Darlington has bounced back from the shutdown in double quick time with the club's programme of events selling out well ahead of time.

Club members have already snapped up all the tickets for the upcoming children's parties taking place at Halloween (October 31) and Christmas (December 19).

Dartford WMC set to host Limehouse Lizzy



Limehouse Lizzy play Dartford WMC on Friday, September 17

Dartford Working Mens Club in Kent will be staging their latest live music night on Friday, September 17 when they host Limehouse Lizzy.

As their name suggests, the group will be performing the greatest hits of 1970s/80s rock outfit Thin Lizzy, including The Boys Are Back In Town, Waiting For An Alibi and Whiskey In The Jar.

The following week (Friday, September 24) will see guitar legend Albert Lee in concert on the club's stage.

Lee is one of the most respected and renowned guitarists in music history, having worked with The Everly Brothers, Eric Clapton, Emmylou Harris, and The Crickets over his long and illustrious career.

Other acts scheduled to appear at the club are Rollin' Stoned (Friday, October 1) and The Feelgood Band (Friday, November 5).

For more information, visit: www.dartfordwm.club

Highfield Social FC wins Blackpool & Fylde title



Highfield Social FC, the football section of Highfield Road Social Club, has been crowned Blackpool and Fylde Sunday Football Alliance champions for the first time in over 60 years



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George Hogan, Rainham Working Mens Club - 31 years

Michael Bone, Washington Station Celtic Club - 25 years

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Gordon Stansfield (West Yorkshire Branch)

Branch Award - 31 Years

George Dawson CMD (West Yorkshire Branch)

John Taylor (West Yorkshire Branch)

Branch Award - 10 Years

Eddie Ratcliffe (West Yorkshire Branch)

CIU delegates prepare for September Conference

With more than two years having lapsed since the last CIU Annual Meeting, which took place in April 2019, representatives from across the country will attend the AGM on Saturday, September 11

With Conference Weekend moving into view, delegates from clubs all over the country will be making their arrangements to travel to Blackpool for the most important date in the CIU calendar.

The morning of Saturday, September 11 will see the 2021 Annual Meeting taking place at 10.30am as attendees take their seats in this year's venue, the Royal Suite of the Grand Hotel in Blackpool.

This venue is well served by transport, is close to the centre of the town and will provide a comfortable and convenient venue for delegates.

As was announced in the August edition of *Club Journal*, due to COVID-19 restrictions over the last 16 months the AGM will focus on discussing the Union's Annual Reports for the last two reporting years.



The 2021 Annual Meeting will take place on Saturday, September 11 at Blackpool's Grand Hotel



Union President George Smith will chair the 2021 Annual Meeting



The Royal Suite at the Grand Hotel in Blackpool will be the venue for the 2021 Annual Meeting



Union Secretary Kenneth D Green CMD ACM at the 2019 AGM



Union Vice-President Ken Roberts CMD ACM on the podium at the 2019 Annual Meeting

CIU AGM 2021
Saturday, September 11
10.30am
The Royal Suite
Grand Hotel
North Promenade
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Telephone: 0871 222 7768
Tram: Wilton Parade



Delegates will discuss the Union's Annual Reports for the last two reporting years

AGENDA FOR ANNUAL MEETING

SESSION COMMENCES 10.30am

1. Minutes of the Council Meeting held April 13, 2019

2. Standing Orders Committee

3. President's Address

4. To consider the Annual Report 2019

5. To consider the Annual Report 2020

6. To consider the Union's Financial Statements for the years ended September 30, 2019 and September 30, 2020.

Don't miss out on the best club trade event of the year!

Friday, September 10 will see the long-awaited return of the CIU Beer & Trades Exhibition as club suppliers demonstrate their products and services to delegates at the Norbreck Castle Hotel

Clubland's greatest trade show is returning to Blackpool later this month after a lengthy wait caused by the pandemic which saw the 2020 event cancelled and the April 2021 edition rescheduled to September.

Taking place in the huge Norcalympia Suite at Blackpool's Norbreck Castle Hotel, this regular event brings a huge cross-section of club suppliers showcasing their products and services, as well as experts from a number of key areas who will be on hand to give advice to clubs on how to increase revenue and reduce their running costs.

As well as gaining sound business advice, there will be plenty of fun to be had. To this end, there will be activities laid on by the exhibitors with Heineken UK providing complimentary drinks at their bar – including John Smith's, Foster's and Strongbow on draught – and Dransfields demonstrating their latest gaming and entertainment machines as well as running bingo sessions and competitions which will enable delegates to win fantastic prizes.

Other exhibitors appearing at the show include BT Sport, Big Screen Online, Club Control and Higos Insurance.

The CIU will also be running a stand at the Exhibition so do come along and have a chat with the team from Head Office about the many services which the Union provides for clubs.

Meanwhile, the *Club Journal* team will be circulating at the event with two official photographers to capture the day's events.

The event begins at 1pm and is free to attend so please come along and get involved in the only trade show in the UK specifically for CIU members' clubs.



The Beer & Trades Exhibition takes place on Friday, September 10, in Blackpool



Dransfields will be a major exhibitor at the Trade Show. Above, the firm's Managing Director Chris Haley turns over the cards for a delegate at the Dransfields stand in 2019



Football legends Dean Saunders and Simon Grayson took part in a live Q&A at the 2019 event



There will be plenty of prizes to be won at the 29th CIU Beer & Trades Exhibition



There will be plentiful seating for delegates at the venue



The trade show is a great opportunity to network with other clubs from all over the country



Nationwide Energy Consultants on their stand at the 2019 event



A delegate takes part in the pool competition on the Dransfields stand in 2019



Union Vice-President Ken Roberts CMD ACM alongside the Premier League Trophy



Dransfields Managing Director Chris Haley presents a Smart TV to prize winner George Sowrey at a previous trade show



Delegates at the 2021 show will enjoy complimentary drinks at the Heineken UK bar, including John Smith's, Foster's and Strongbow



Club Control will be demonstrating their integrated club EPOS and table service systems



There will be some fantastic prizes on offer during the trade show with several bingo sessions taking place throughout the afternoon



The Club Journal team will be on hand at this year's event

Exhibitors for the 2021 Trade Show

We hear from many of the suppliers who are looking forward to meeting CIU members and talking business with them at the show at the Norbreck Castle Hotel in Blackpool on Friday, September 10



“It’s great to be back at this year’s 2021 CIU Trade show and we look forward to meeting many of our customers from over the years after missing last year’s show. We have supported the Club market for over 30 years which makes up a large part of our business. Being able to demonstrate the quality of our furniture at the show is important to us and meeting members to discuss their requirements. We have seen a big change in the styles and finishes required over the years with more clubs wanting to achieve a more modern look and feel to attract a younger clientele which in turn has resulted in an increase of members and a success of the Club.”

Graeme Miller, Managing Director, ACE Furniture



“Fantastic opportunity to finally attend the CIU show in Blackpool. We have wanted to do this for years. As we have all just seen, sport brings so many of us together so the show will be a great opportunity to introduce our ‘Sports Cinema’ concept based on crowd dynamics, especially given next year’s World Cup. The concept is built around generating crowd atmosphere transforming events and revenue ... it will be a great chance to introduce this new approach.”

John Shreeve, Big Screen Online



“We’re very excited about the prospect of Blackpool later this month. We’ve been a keen supporter of the Trade Show for many years now and our calendar seemed that much poorer without it in 2020. We’re delighted it’s back and look forward to catching up with our club customers.”

Ed Cracknell, Head of Marketing, BT Sport



“We are excited to be attending the CIU Trade Show for the first time in 2021, we look forward to meeting everyone on the day!”

“We were hoping to attend the CIU Trade show in 2020, so it’s great to finally have the show booked into our calendar and we look forward to meeting everyone in September.”

The Card Industry Professionals Team



“We are delighted to be attending our sixth consecutive CIU trade show meeting our friends old and new, we will be showcasing our innovative range of products, specifically designed and bespoke for the club sector. It’s been a tough time for all clubs and we look forward to seeing you on our stand as always, Club Control understands how important all clubs are to your members and local community, we will be demonstrating our EPOS Control System, which is now helping over 1,400 clubs. Our systems make controlling your club’s finances more secure and accurate, helping you boost profitability, trade and membership levels as you bounce back from the pandemic. Your staff and committee officers receive essential full support whilst you’re trading from our dedicated technical support team to ensure continuous trading. Let’s all enjoy the benefit of socialising together again at what should be a great trade show.”

Chris McNally, Director, Club Control



“There’s no doubt it’s been a tough time for us all but it is great to see so many clubs continuing to support their members and local communities. Dransfields will continue to work with customers to assist them during these difficult times and I am therefore delighted to support the rescheduled CIU Trade Show and Exhibition once again.

“The positives of being able to get together once again and meet in a fun, safe and controlled manner are immense and will be a highlight of the 2021 calendar for many of us.”

Chris Haley, Managing Director, Dransfields



“While we all know the challenges our sector is going through at the moment, we hope your experience with Higos Insurance has so far been a positive one. We are all really looking forward to attending our first CIU Trade Show and Exhibition in September.

“We certainly hope that we can see as many of the CIU members there as possible, and the Clubs team will be on hand to talk to you about any of your insurance needs, plus the other services Higos can offer you as the CIU insurance partner. In the meantime we hope you all stay safe and well, but if you need to talk to us about anything insurance related please do not hesitate to call the team on 01458 270 303 or email hospitality.portfolio@higos.co.uk.”

Darren Siwec, Account Executive, Higos Insurance



“Mr Scratchings are delighted to be attending the 29th CIU Trades & Beer Exhibition and to share with you our comprehensive range of products. In addition to our famous range of Mr Scratchings Pork Snacks.

“We supply a wide choice of bar snacks, including crisps, snacks, nuts and bar sundries alongside our cleaning materials and paper products.

“We are happy to support all clubs with competitive pricing, regular promotions and on the day trade show special offers.”

Roger Gladman, Mr Scratchings



“Northallerton WMC President Michael Herron said “Nationwide Energy have helped us in ways you couldn’t imagine” and whilst our spectacular success in getting them £86,000 is hard to repeat. Nationwide Energy as hospitality industry specialists know the challenges that Clubs face and have the solutions you need.

“Come and visit us at the trade show and find out how we can help your club.”

Dean O’Hara, Managing Director, Nationwide Energy Consultants



“It’s great news that the CIU Trade Show is back for 2021. We look forward to seeing our club friends old and new at Blackpool this month. This year will be a little different on our stand as we look forward to sharing with you some new ideas and technologies that will help clubs to save money and boost their

bottom lines. In the meantime, stay safe and well.”

David King, Director, Pure Purchasing Consultants Ltd



Northallerton Working Mens Club

Northallerton Working Mens Club

Northallerton Working Mens Club in North Yorkshire is riding high after reopening back in May having undergone a fantastic top-to-bottom refurbishment carried out by Committee Members

As we reported in the last issue, it has been an eventful 17 months for Northallerton Working Mens Club in North Yorkshire, despite being closed for a significant portion of that time along with the rest of the country's clubs.

Following an investigation by Nationwide Energy Consultants after the Committee noticed that the club's electricity bill had not significantly decreased while it had been shut during the pandemic, the club discovered that they had been paying for the electricity to power a Vodafone phone mast that had been installed on their roof in 2009.

After some back-and-forth correspondence between Nationwide and Vodafone, the club duly received a cheque for £86,000 in July which covered the amount they had overpaid during the previous 12 years.



Regular live entertainment is a massive draw for the club's members

So grateful was the club for Nationwide’s efforts to secure their electricity rebate, they invited Managing Director Dean O’Hara and his wife to their special Concert Room Reopening Party in July.

“Dean was our Guest of Honour at the party as a mark of our appreciation for his personal efforts in getting to the bottom of the mystery and then chasing Vodafone to get the money we were owed,” says Club President Mick Herron.

“He put in a lot of hours and didn’t take a penny from the club for all his work so when I made a speech and thanked him, he got an incredible round of applause from the members.”

That significant lump sum was a major boost to the club during a critical period, while their future electricity bills will now be far less of a drain on the club coffers.

Meanwhile, the club is also looking in tip-top shape thanks to the hard work put in by members of the Committee while it was closed.

“We decided that the club needed a refurb so we took on the task ourselves, redecorating it from top to bottom and installing a new bar,” explains Mick.

“Myself, Club Secretary Jeff Lewis, Committee Members Colin New and

John and Yvonne Budgen did the majority of the work ourselves.

“John and Yvonne own their own cleaning company and did a thorough deep clean of the entire club – including the carpets and upholstery – free of charge.

“In addition, Wendy May New designed and painted the new club sign, while our Treasurer Ian Wild worked throughout the pandemic to keep the club accounts, claim all the grants the club was entitled to and pay any bills which came in.

“We sat down after the work was completed and estimated how much it would have cost to do all the work if we’d paid contractors and reckon it must be around the £20,000 mark.”

The aforementioned Concert Room Reopening Night Party in late July – held just after the Government lifted all COVID restrictions in the hospitality sector – was the perfect opportunity to welcome members back into the club.

A total of 119 members attended the party with the club taking £2,500 over the bar.

“We reopened in May and have had a steady increase in members coming back to the club, most of them saying that they really appreciated the improvements that had taken place while we were closed,” says Mick.

“We had a very encouraging start when we reopened, in terms of numbers, with trade starting fairly slowly but building up week-on-week.

“Obviously, we’ve never had to contend with a pandemic before but used our judgement to manage the risk factors and how they relate to running the business.

“In 2020, when we were allowed to open, we worked very closely with our local Environmental Health Officer at the council to ensure that we did everything correctly.

“It meant that our members appreciated that we had made the club as safe an environment as possible and felt comfortable coming in during that time.

“But once restrictions lifted on July 19, we haven’t looked back. Sunday dinnertimes, in particular, have been manic.

“We have bingo at 1pm, then a Beer Draw, Membership Draw and various games like Find the Joker to keep everyone entertained.

“Since we reopened, the numbers have been going through the roof on Sundays.”

The club has also wasted little time in getting its live entertainment offering back up and running.

“Putting on quality live entertainment has been really



Members are delighted with their newly refurbished club

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important to us in terms of getting people back through the doors and we've made massive efforts to get some really good acts," says Mick.

"We've had some excellent tribute acts during the summer, including a Cilla Black/Lulu 'Swinging Sixties' show in August and in September we have top Elvis tribute act Mark Nixon performing.

"Having acts on every week gives members something to look forward to and shows them what they were missing out on when we were closed. We also have a children's pantomime taking place at Christmas."

In addition, the club has invited local charities to use the club's facilities with the result that a number of fundraising events have been scheduled.

"It has been a terrible time for charities given that they have missed out on so much fundraising during the pandemic so we're very happy to host events for good causes," says Mick.

"We recently held a charity Race Night in August for the children's diabetic unit at the nearby Friarage Hospital and we're also hosting a benefit event for the Guide Dogs for the Blind charity.

"A raffle held during our Reopening Party raised a grand total of £536 for the local Air Ambulance.



The club's newly installed Heineken SmartDispense cellar system

"Our attitude is that we have a great Concert Room and we don't want to leave it idle so it's fantastic that we can help local charities at the same time and help to bring the community together."

Since reopening, live sport has been a big draw for members with the club enjoying a very busy period during the recent Euros tournament.

"We had some great crowds in for the Euros with the England matches shown on the big screen in the

Concert Room, as well as in the Bar and Lounge," says Mick.

"We were still operating under restrictions during the tournament so members had to book tables in advance and we were at full capacity.

"We also ran some drinks promotions during the tournament which went down very well with members.

"There was a great atmosphere and that has continued with the start of the domestic football season.



The club held a special Concert Room Reopening Party in late July

“We have Sky Sports and show all the Premier League matches on our various screens throughout the club.”

In terms of members, the club is attracting plenty of new blood with many younger people joining up.

“We’re actively trying to recruit younger members as that’s important for the future health of the club,” says Mick.

“Many of that younger demographic come to the club via our snooker, pool, darts and dominoes teams as they come in during the week and compete in the local league competitions.

“At the moment, we’re still waiting to hear about when the local leagues are restarting and will be looking forward to having those midweek evenings filled with league fixtures in the various sports.

“It’s been such a long time since many of the players competed in the league and they’re itching to get back to taking part in proper fixtures against other teams.

“There are also some outstanding fixtures still to play from the start of 2020 when the leagues were suspended.”

Meanwhile, the club recently had a new SmartDispense cellar system installed by Heineken UK after signing an exclusive three-year deal with the brewery.

“We have a great relationship with Heineken via their Regional Sales Manager Simon Whiter and we’re delighted with the benefits of the new cellar system which significantly cuts our energy costs,” says Mick.

“Our biggest sellers are John Smith’s Smooth, Foster’s and Heineken. We’ve also recently introduced John Smith’s Magnet and that is starting to become really popular.

“Our pricing is very competitive with a pint of John Smith’s Smooth at £2.50 and Heineken £2.60.”

All in all, the club feels that it is in a great place and ready to face the future with plenty of confidence.

“The backbone of the club is the Committee and we’re very lucky that the current Committee and Executive work so well together and are so committed to the club,” says Mick.

“We all help each other out and share the desire to help the club move forward.”

“Most importantly, we also have support from our members for what we’re trying to achieve for the club.

“There’s a tremendous feeling of club spirit at the moment and we want that to continue!

“As a Committee, we feel very optimistic about the future. Clubs have to learn to live with COVID and move forward – it’s no good living in the past.

“The club is proud to be part of the CIU and we’d be delighted to welcome Associate Members into our club.

“We are close to the racecourses at Catterick, Ripon, Thirsk, Wetherby and York so if any clubs are planning a trip to the races, they are very welcome to call in for drinks before and after the races – just give the club a call to let us know!”

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The club recently signed an exclusive three-year deal with Heineken UK

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News in brief

Contracts and Handbook available from Branch Offices

The CIU Contracts and Handbook have been updated and reprinted and are available to buy from your local Branch.

The documents available are:

- Club Staff Handbook
- Club Steward Contract
- Bar Manager Contract
- Bar/Cleaning Staff Contract
- Bar/Cleaning Staff Terms and Conditions of Employment
- Bar/Cleaning Temporary Staff Terms and Conditions of Employment
- Club Staff Accommodation Contract

The club documents are priced as follows: £5 for each Handbook; £2.50 for each Contract (except the Club Staff Accommodation Contract which is priced at £1.30 as a special limited edition) and £1.50 for each Terms and Conditions document.

To buy any of these documents please contact your local Branch Office.

National Executive Committee dates for 2021

The dates for the 2021 meetings of the NEC are as follows:

September - 9; October - 6/7; November - 3/4; December - 1/2.

Annual Meeting 2021 dates

Thursday, September 9 – NEC Meeting

Friday, September 10 – Beer & Trades Show (Norbreck Castle Hotel, Blackpool)

Saturday, September 11 – AGM (The Grand Hotel, Blackpool)

NEC meetings return to Head Office

After 17 months of the monthly NEC meetings being held online due to the Coronavirus pandemic, the meetings are now being conducted in person at Head Office.

Members of the NEC attended the two-day August meeting which was

chaired by Union President George Smith.

The next NEC meeting will take place on September 9 in Blackpool ahead of Conference Weekend and future meetings will switch back to Head Office in London.

CIU racing events set for Autumn



With Coronavirus restrictions scheduled to end on July 19 and the reintroduction of spectators to sporting events continuing across the UK, the Dransfields CIU Charity Raceday is set to go ahead on Saturday, November 13 at Wetherby Racecourse.

The 2020 edition of the event was cancelled due to the pandemic but previously had been one of the best attended annual CIU events of the year with around 1,000 members

enjoying a fantastic day of jump racing and hospitality at the last event.

Full details of the ticket packages for CIU members will be published in *Club Journal* nearer the event.

Meanwhile, Dransfields CIU Greyhound Racenight, normally staged in September, will now take place on Tuesday, October 19, 2021 at Sheffield's Owlerton Stadium.

Further timing and tickets details for the racenight will be announced in *Club Journal*.

Aon Update on Business Interruption Insurance claims



Client Alert

A message to our clients

You may recall that Aon provided online presentations to Hospitality Clients January 2021 regarding possible claims for Business Interruption as a result of COVID19. As highlighted at the time, **if you want to claim under your policy but have not already submitted a claim to insurers, you need to do this as a matter of urgency.** Aon is unable to do this on your behalf.

The purpose of this letter is to provide you with some further information regarding the position Aviva have taken in relation to such claims under policies placed with Aviva at the time of the National Lockdown in March 2020. Please note, however, that this letter does not provide any specific advice about your coverage position; please review your policy wording as different terms and conditions may apply to your cover.

Aviva's Update

As you may be aware, Aviva originally declined a large number of claims that were submitted under this policy wording. However, following the findings of the High Court and Supreme Court in the FCA test case, we are pleased to advise that your insurers are now communicating the following message to those clients that have already submitted a claim under the Maven Sports & Social Club wording:

“Having carefully reviewed the judgments of the High Court and Supreme Court in the FCA Test Case, we have reached the conclusion that **cover will be available in principle** for the interruption to your business resulting from the closure of your premises as a result of the Covid-19 outbreak under Extension 2(b)(v) of your policy (*Prevention of Access and Loss of Attraction*).

Please note also that any payment we make under Extension 2(b)(v) of your policy for losses related to COVID-19 will be limited to a maximum of £10,000. This is because Extension 2(b)(v) of your policy is subject to a sub-limit of £10,000 and, as set out in your Schedule, any limits of liability apply in respect of any one “Occurrence”. Occurrence is broadly defined for the purposes of your policy as “any one loss or series of losses arising out of and directly resulting from one source or original cause”. COVID-19 related losses you may have suffered during the first nationwide lockdown in March 2020 and any subsequent lockdowns would constitute a “series of losses” which result from the same original cause (i.e. the COVID-19 pandemic) for the purpose of your policy. As a result, all such losses would be subject to a single £10,000 sub-limit. In addition, if your policy has been renewed since the first date of loss for your claim, please note that with effect from renewal an express exclusion was introduced into your policy wording which would mean that no cover is available for any further Covid-19-related losses for any period after renewal.

For the avoidance of doubt, no liability is being accepted under any other head of cover in your policy and this letter is being sent to you without prejudice to any grounds of repudiation on which Aviva may wish to rely (and Aviva’s rights in that regard are reserved). “

Next Steps for you

If you have already submitted a claim to Aviva and been allocated with an Aviva Claim Number (this will be a 10 Digit Number beginning with 4501***** or 9 Digit Number beginning with 909****) you should have received an email or acceptance letter from Aviva requesting documentation to support your claim. If you have not received this letter then you need to chase Aviva. You will need to check with Aviva for any specific supporting information/documentation that needs to be provided to them to quantify your loss, but we expect that it will include the following:

(See next page)

You are responsible for notifying and submitting claims; Aon is unable to do this on your behalf.

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- ▶ Financial statements for the two financial years ending prior to the loss;
- ▶ Weekly revenue for 1 January 2019 to present;
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- ▶ Information on whether rent is still being paid (and, if so, at what rate);
- ▶ Information on whether staff are still being paid their full salaries, and whether any staff have been furloughed;
- ▶ Details of other payments you would normally make but are now not making (e.g. office overheads, business rates, etc.); and
- ▶ Details of the actions that you have taken to minimise your loss.

Supporting information/documentation will need to be sent to Aviva on commercialproperty@aviva.com.

If you have not been allocated an Aviva Claim Number (this will be a 10 Digit Number beginning with 4501*** or 9 Digit Number beginning with 909*****)** then it is likely that you will need to report a claim to Aviva. The initial claims report needs to be sent to maven.claims@broadspiretpa.co.uk and you need to indicate that you are submitting a claim for COVID19 Business Interruption losses. You will need to attach a copy of your policy schedule that was valid as at 25 March 2020. It may speed up any claims settlements if you were to attach the supporting documentation referred to above to support the quantification of your loss.

If you have a policy that renewed from 1 January 2020 there is a slight difference to procedures. Your policy number that was in force at the time of the first Lockdown will look something like “100*****CCI” instead of “HOSP*****”. On your new schedule page, there should be an endorsement that reads:

“First Period of Insurance - Cover Match Extension in respect of any claim intimated to Us where the cover provided under this policy is not as broad as or does not provide as high a limit(s) as Your Previous Policy, We will at your request indemnify you to the same extent as the cover which would have been provided under Your Previous Policy and subject to the Exception”.

If you fall into this category, then you should:

- ▶ Submit your schedule that was current as at the first Lockdown; and
- ▶ Include a copy of your old schedule that begins with “HOSP*****”.

This is because your “Cover Match Extension” refers to your previous schedule for policy limits and terms and conditions. We also recommend that you submit all the documentation referred to above to support your claim. **Please note, however, that cover may not be available to you if you were a new business client from 1 January 2020** as the Cover Match Extension was only granted to those client that also held a policy on the previous Maven Sports & Social Club wording (i.e. had a previous policy beginning with “HOSP*****”).

We have attempted to deal with the most common scenarios that might apply to you and your policy, but your specific circumstances and policy wording might not respond in the manner as set out above. Please therefore refer to your policy wording for details of the terms and conditions of your cover and any specific requirements for making a claim.

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The club also provides food including a Sunday lunch carvery, and also hosts private functions such as wedding receptions, birthdays, funerals and meetings for local groups. We also host live music events.

The ideal candidate should be friendly, efficient, have previous experience and possess excellent communication and social skills. They will need to work well alongside the bar team and the club committee and a good interactive relationship with the club members is also expected.

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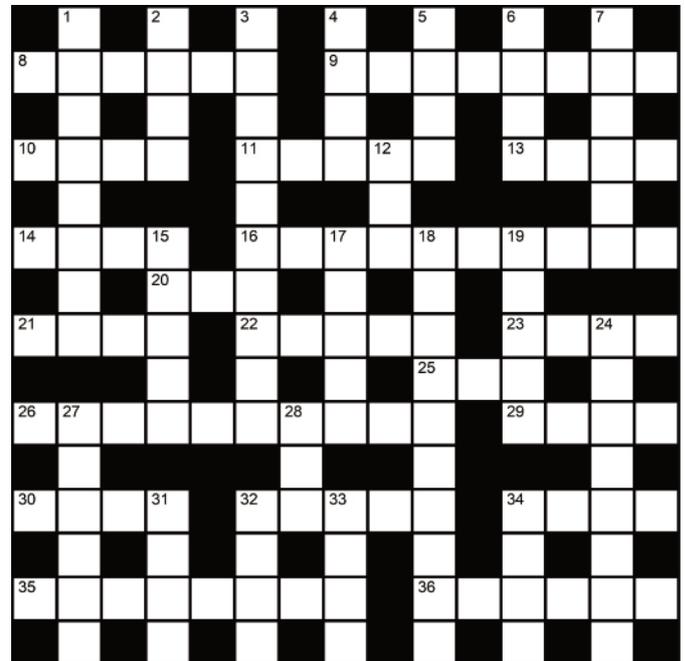
ACROSS

- Coins a new phrase at the gambling house (6)
- Sticking to the daring rescue he made (8)
- Overtake, you soft donkey! (4)
- Message naked? Scandalous! (5)
- Gave money for a dip, foolishly (4)
- Back long ago, you held out for a technique (4)
- Making metal models, at casino tables? (3-7)
- Could end in a hideout (3)
- Wise ones reversing torn ligaments (4)
- Watering hole for flower arrangers? (5)
- Coarse file gets fruity with berry (4)
- How about some corn, listener? (3)
- Shrewd quality to discern sunset's eta (10)

- Somehow, any turn can be current in China (4)
- Last rites not at all trite, eh girl? (4)
- A most extraordinary leaf pore! (5)
- Used biro to write out 'liveliness' (4)
- Laughed at making a packed lunch from a pan! (8)
- Desire, in a bid to take the oil back (6)

DOWN

- New house in Italy for a randy one! (4,4)
- 'Aspen' talk? (4)
- He's ok to be flustered at the Odeon with a Roman feature (6,4)
- Bead, carefully applied, as ordered (4)
- Get rid of the garden room! (4)
- Extrapolating from a snare (4)
- Flag dampens ignition parts (6)
- It's a far cry from being part of the circle (3)
- Say goodbye to any idea of having a turn! (5)
- Even suet has something to follow! (5)
- Can be valued, as baseless as it may be (10)
- Hang around in the past, like bitumen? (5)
- Penguins, perhaps, found in sidebars (8)
- Hats we wound around like a bandage (6)
- Weight is up to sounding negative (3)
- What baby does with a bit of honeysuckle (4)
- Threshold bar removed from tonsillitis (4)
- They are not even probabilities! (4)
- Backbone to conk out as term of affection (4)



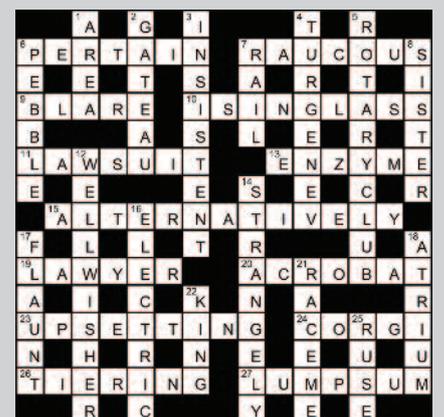
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Test Cricket: England v India - 5th Test

An epic Test series reaches its climax at Old Trafford. On their last tour of England, India crashed to a 4-1 series defeat, their sole victory coming in the third Test at Trent Bridge. But, more recently, in early 2021, India recorded a 3-1 series win on home soil over England so will have plenty of confidence that they can take the honours here.



Thursday, September 24, 2pm – Sky Sports Golf
The Ryder Cup

The 43rd Ryder Cup gets underway on the Straits course at Whistling Straits in Wisconsin after a year's delay due to COVID-19. Team Europe are the reigning cup holder after a resounding 17½–10½ victory over Team USA in 2018 at Le Golf National in Paris. Steve Stricker captains Team USA while Ireland's Padraig Harrington will lead Team Europe.



Saturday, September 25, 12.30pm – BT Sport
Premier League: Chelsea v Manchester City

A fantastic lunchtime clash featuring the two teams who competed in last season's UEFA Champions League Final. Chelsea, who won 1-0 on that occasion, will be out to set out an early marker against the reigning Premier League champions. Both sides made some key signings during the summer, making this an unmissable clash.

SPORTING HIGHLIGHTS

Among the key sporting events in September are England's World Cup Qualifier against Poland, Anthony Joshua's showdown with Oleksandr Usyk and the Premier League tie between Chelsea and Manchester City

Wednesday, September 8, 7.45pm
ITV

World Cup 2022 Qualifier: Poland v England

Wednesday, September 8, 7.45pm
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Friday, September 10, 11am
Sky Sports Cricket

Test Cricket: England v India, 5th Test – Day 1

Friday, September 10, 12 noon
Sky Sports Golf

Golf: BMW PGA Championship

Saturday, September 11, 12 noon
Sky Sports Golf

Golf: BMW PGA Championship

Saturday, September 11, 12.30pm
BT Sport

Premier League: Crystal Palace v Tottenham Hotspur

Saturday, September 11, 5.30pm
Sky Sports PL

Premier League: Chelsea v Aston Villa

Sunday, September 12, 12 noon
Sky Sports Golf

Golf: BMW PGA Championship

Sunday, September 12, 1pm
Sky Sports F1

Formula 1: Italian Grand Prix

Sunday, September 12, 2pm
Sky Sports Football

Championship: Nottingham Forest v Cardiff City

Sunday, September 12, 4.30pm
Sky Sports PL

Premier League: Leeds United v Liverpool

Monday, September 13, 8pm
Sky Sports PL

Premier League: Everton v Burnley

Tuesday, September 14, 7.45pm
Sky Sports Football

Championship: Sheffield United v Preston North End

Wednesday, September 15, 7.45pm
Sky Sports Football

Championship: Coventry City v Cardiff City

Friday, September 17, 8pm
Sky Sports PL

Premier League: Newcastle United v Leeds United

Saturday, September 18, 11am
Sky Sports Cricket

Cricket: Vitality Blast

Saturday, September 18, 12.30pm
BT Sport

Premier League: Wolves v Brentford

Saturday, September 18, 12.30pm
Sky Sports Football

Championship: Hull City v Sheffield United

Saturday, September 18, 3pm
BT Sport

Premiership Rugby: Leicester Tigers v Exeter Chiefs

Saturday, September 18, 5.30pm
Sky Sports PL

Premier League: Aston Villa v Everton

Horse Racing: St Leger,
Doncaster: Saturday,
September 11, 1pm, ITV



Sunday, September 19, 2pm
Sky Sports PL

Premier League: West Ham v Manchester United

Sunday, September 19, 3pm
BT Sport

Premiership Rugby: Newcastle Falcons v Harlequins

Sunday, September 19, 4.30pm
Sky Sports PL

Premier League: Tottenham Hotspur v Chelsea

Thursday, September 23, 2pm
Sky Sports Golf

Golf – Ryder Cup: Day 1

Friday, September 24, 2pm
Sky Sports Golf

Golf – Ryder Cup: Day 2

Friday, September 24, 8pm
Sky Sports Football

Championship: West Bromwich Albion v QPR

Saturday, September 25, 12.30pm
BT Sport

Premier League: Chelsea v Manchester City

Saturday, September 25, 12.30pm
Sky Sports Football

Championship: Reading v Middlesbrough

Saturday, September 25, 2pm
Sky Sports Golf

Golf – Ryder Cup: Day 3

Saturday, September 25, 6.30pm
Sky Sports Box Office

Boxing: WBA, IBF and WBO Heavyweight titles: Anthony Joshua v Oleksandr Usyk

Saturday, September 25, 3pm
BT Sport

Premiership Rugby: Wasps v Bristol Bears

Saturday, September 25, 5.30pm
Sky Sports PL

Premier League: Brentford v Liverpool

Sunday, September 26, 2pm
Sky Sports PL

Premier League: Southampton v Wolves

Monday, September 27, 8pm
Sky Sports PL

Premier League: Crystal Palace v Brighton & Hove Albion

Tuesday, September 28, 10.30am
Sky Sports Cricket

Cricket: Bob Willis Trophy Final

Tuesday, September 28, 7.45pm
Sky Sports Football

Championship: Hull City v Blackpool

Wednesday, September 29, 10.30am
Sky Sports Cricket

Cricket: Bob Willis Trophy Final

Wednesday, September 29, 7.45pm
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Championship: Barnsley v Nottingham Forest



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