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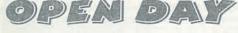
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Schemes have also been recently completed in Shildon and Ferryhill. The total cost of the new scheme is £355,000 and apart from £65,000 from the Home Office and £143,000 from the Borough Council there substantial contributions from great Aycliffe (£49,000) and Sedgefield (£44,000)

be viewed at Newton Aycliffe Police Station. Councillor Brian Stephens, Leader of the Borough Council said "I am delighted that out of a national fund of only £1m, for which there were 281 bids, ours is one of only 32 which were successful. This demonstrates quality of submission and we are grateful for the support we have received from the police, Town and Parish Councils and the various other agencies. Closed circuit television 18 fundamental part of the Counci's Community Strategy

Eleven new

cameras

fixed

will

provided together with

existing cameras will be

monitored, at the Council's Community

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which is to be launched in the near future". The Council expects all the new cameras to be operational by the beginning of March next year.

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The cost per person will be 85p and this includes a cup of tea or coffee and a piece of 50th Anniversary cake which has kindly been donated by The Three Cooks Bakery of Beveridge Way, Newton Aycliffe.

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Instead of spending money building showers when adequate facilities are at the Sports Complex, the money should have been spent on drainage and/or extending the golf shop.

I think a 50% refund on membership should be given to all who have paid their membership for this year! I for one, will not be joining next

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Pretty Wedding at St. Clares



Michelle Neal of Dykes Walk, Newton Aycliffe, who works at Shafto House Nursing Home, married Richard Chappell at St. Clares Church on 6th June, 1998. The Reception was held at The Royal British Legion Club and this pretty photograph by Andrew Banks was

taken at St. Oswald's Park.

Neighbourhood **Watch Events Unite Residents**

In conjunction with the national neighbourhood watch week Sue Atkinson, the Eade Close residents neighbourhood watch coordinator organised a poster competition to highlight the need for residents to keep their speed down to 20mph. The poster competition was kindly sponsored by McDonalds Newton Park services. Joy Fletcher from Community Force, Schools and Children presented the prizes to the winners in the three categories.

During the fun day at Eade Close the children and adults brought along their bicycles to be security coded by the residents association.

More than 60 bicycles were brought along to be coded and despite the bad weather there was a good turnout by the residents.

Lynne Craddy Neighbourhood Watch coordinator was in attendance with her community safety stall offering advice and information about Neighbourhood Watch, household security and community safety. The day was a great success.







Gladiator "Rhino" **Meets Newtonians**



Saturday 13th June saw the opening of a new Whacky Warehouse at Stockton. Aycliffe charity fundraisers, Barbara Moor and Karen Saint helped with the celebrations, donning a disguise to welcome the children, in particular Whizz Kid Jodie Griffiths aged 5 who was part of the official opening attended by Gladiator Star "Rhino".

Jodie suffers from Cerebral Palsy and was thrilled to meet the T.V. personality. She has just received a £2,500 Walker from the Whizz Kids charity and it has already proved to be a great aid to her mobility. Her mum Joanne said to see the difference the walker made was remarkable and we now know she can lead a more independent life.

If you can help Barbara and Karen in the fundraising by sponsoring their Indian Bike Ride, please ring 300819 or

FATHER'S **EVENT**

South Durham Hospice are staging a special Fathers Day event at the Timothy Hackworth Museum on Sunday 21st June from 11am - 3.30pm.

The Merlin Locomotive will be in full steam and train rides will cost 50p.

A wide range of stalls will be on display and "spike" the hedgehog will be in attendance for the children. More details on 01388

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AFTERNOON MATINEES: Saturday 27th June 1.15pm-2.45pm Sunday 28th June 1.15pm-2.45pm



VICTORIAN FAYRE AT AYCLIFFE VILLAGE SCHOOL



To celebrate 100 years of education, Aycliffe Village Primary School held a Victorian Fayre on Friday 12th June. Children, staff and parents came dressed in Victorian costume and were blessed with a bright, sunny afternoon. There were many different stalls including a tombola, raffle, face painting, locate the treasure, name the doll as well as more contemporary activities such as "Play your Cards Right" and "Guess the time of the first goal in the England vs Tunisia match.

Parents and children were able to sit and partake of the refreshments in the school hall away from the hurly burly. Children in Year 5 and 6 designed a free programme which included advertising space bought by local businesses. The school is indebted to members of the PTA who

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Linda and Fred Jamieson celebrated their 50th Wedding Anniversary on 12th June and enjoyed a family gettogether at Woodham Golf Club. The Mayor, Angela Fleming called on the couple to add her congratulations and present a bouquet on behalf of the townspeople.

Busy Time at St.

Mary's

Meeting Room Kitchen.

Ambrose came Consecrate the work and on Sunday 14th children made their First Communion.

On Friday 19th June The Bishop returns to Celebrate Sacrament of Confirmation with young adults from St. Marys and St. Josephs. On Sunday 21st June Counc. John Moran will be welcomed into Church for a Civic Mass as Mayor Sedgefield Borough.

The following Sunday St. Marys will hold a Garden Party to celebrate the 50th Anniversary of Newton

Finally on July 5th there will be the Annual Summer Fete with all the usual stalls, games, raffles, tombolas, Bouncy Castle

The theme this year is 50 years of fashion, so why not dress up and try to win the prize for best male and female, or best boy and girl. It will be a lot of fun and a

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Village

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Letter to the Editor

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to enable older people to initiate projects or get involved and share skills and talents within their local community Our aim is to provide vulnerable older people with the dignity, independence, care and guidance they so richly deserve.

We are looking for committee members - can you assist? We have monthly meetings. Please ring me now. Could your organisation or company help by running one event per year for us - please ring me

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AYCLIFFE LADIES WELCOMED TO FOOTBALL LEAGUE

On Wednesday 10th of June Newton Aycliffe Ladies F. C., attended the Northern Women's League annual general meeting at Blaydon to find out if we would be a part of the league next season, as we soon discovered we were welcomed in as one of two new teams, the other being South Tyneside.

The league will consist of fourteen teams (Middlesbrough, Chester-le-Street and Sunderland had been promoted), with twenty six games to play in the league as well as cup games the coming season, starting

on Sunday September 6th, promises to be a great learning process.

The teams we will be competing against in the league are Newcastle, Carlisle, Darlington, Workington, Killingworth Boldon, Ferryhill, Stockton, Guisborough, Cleveland, South Tyneside, Mddlesborough Reserves and Blyth Reserves,

Pre-season training starts now, we train at the Oakleaf Sports Complex on Sundays at 2.30pm and Tuesdays at 6.30pm. So if you want to take part in what is one of the fastest growing sports in the country, make new friends, get fit and help keep Aycliffe on the sporting map, call Sarah on (01325) 315802, or come along to a training session. The only requirement is that you are at least 14yrs by August 31st this year. Sarah Alexander

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"SHOP WATCH" SCHEME BEATS SHOPLIFTERS



Newton Aycliffe Police Office Communications Room log up with some of the 'shop watch' members. Left to right - D.C. Neil Langthrne, John Saint (Manager Woolworths), Michael Wilkinson (Proprietor Occasions) and Dorothy Willets (Assistant Manager Superdrug).

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Police have reported a 50% increase in the number of arrests for shoplifting in Newton Aycliffe Town Centre in the first 5 months of this year, compared with same period last year.

This has been accredited to a 'shop watch' partnership between the traders and the police.

D.C. Neil Langthorne Police Crime Prevention Officer said this should send out a message to thieves who intend to steal in Newton Aycliffe Town Centre, that they will be

caught and prosecuted. The scheme launched in January this year involves two-way radios linked to Newton Aycliffe Police Office and works in tandem with the Police distribution of photographs of convicted shoplifters.

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The arrests have included shoplifting teams from Sunderland, Hartlepool and Coundon as well as offenders from Darlington, Ferryhill and Newton Aycliffe. The larger proportion of those arrested were males under 20 years. The partnership has progressed and as well as assisting to prevent and detect crime, the radios have also been available for public assistance as well as helping unite lost children with their parents.

Following on from 'Shop Watch', Newton Aycliffe Town Centre Business Group has been formed and the group held their inaugural meeting on 20th April, 1998.

They have identified their aim 'to make Newton Aycliffe Town Centre a Safer place to Visit and Shop' and defined their constitutional area to include Beveridge Way, Greenwell Road, Dalton Way and the Themes Centre.

An invitation is extended to all businesses on the above precinct to attend the next meeting at 10.30am on Monday 22nd June, 1998, at Sedgefield Business Centre, St. Cuthberts Way, Aycliffe Industrial Park. (Opposite Newton Press Offices).

D.C.Neil Langthorne. Crime Prevention Officer

FUN DAY

Butterwick Hospice is organising a Family Fun Day at Cockton Hill Recreation Ground on Sunday 28th June from 11am to 4 pm.

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teen year old Woodham pupil, Simon Smith has only en playing golf 2 years, yet he scooped all the prizes in a ent competition - even beating adult golfers with more

th a 14 handicap he won all the major prizes in the Inter hools Tournament held to commemorate the Town's 50th

s ambition is to become a Professional and he gets off to ood start when leaving school this summer as he is to be iployed as an Assistant Pro to Clive Burgess at Aycliffe

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A fine example of civic sprit was demonstrated David recently, Summerbell the newly appointed Managing Director of Hydro Polymers Ltd handed over a new snooker table to the Newton Aycliffe Youth Centre, based in the Town Centre

This is a fine example of bringing help to the community brought about by public and private partnerships.

The snooker table, complete with snooker balls and cues, was officially handed over to the President of the Youth Centre Management Committee, County Councillor John Dormer at a meeting on Monday evening 15th June at 7pm.

Councillor Dormer thanked Hydro for the table and went on to say that when he was a child "I had played for hours on a table like this one"

Hydro Polymers have also agreed to sponsor a league Snooker competition. competition, will be held over the Winter rnonths, Dave Summerbell M.D. said "I am delighted that Hydro Polymers were able to assist the Youth Centre" and I will be looking forward to returning to the Youth Centre to present the trophies to the competition winners".

Councillor Martyn D. Locklin, who brokered the partnership, between Hydro and the Youth Centre, said - " This is another example of the way in which Hydro Polymers demonstrates commitment to our community and I truly thank them for their involvement". He went on to say " The Town needs more companies on the Business Park to consider ways to encourage the young people of Newton Aycliffe to take up useful pastimes".

ANNIVERSARY **CELEBRATIONS GET UNDERWAY** THIS WEEKEND

The 8 day Celebration to mark the Town's 50th Anniversary begins with the Giant Community & Industrial Fair at the Leisure Centre on Saturday 20th June from 10am - 4pm. Thousands of people are expected to view over 100 stalls covering all aspects of community life in the new town.

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done love Daphne and family S. LOWE With all my love on your 21st birthday Lynsey Bungle Bonce XXX MATTHEW Well done for

winning best Junior Handler, love Mam, Dad and Michael SAUNDERS Adrian and Sharon would like to announce the birth of their baby girl, "Amy Jo", Monday 15th June, a sister for Arron and thank all family and friends for cards and gifts

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DAISIE-MAE happy 2nd birthday sweetheart, love you always Mammy and Daddy DAISIE-MAE happy birthday, 16-6-98, love Nanna

DAISIE-MAE happy birthday darling, love Nanna, Grandad, Janelle and Sid

DAISIE-MAE have a great birthday, love Tracy and Liem OWEN Mark Stewart happy 1st birthday, love from uncle Christopher

OWEN Mark Stewart to a special first grandson, happy birthday, lots of love Nana and Grandad XX

OWEN Mark Stewart hip hip hooray Owen's one today, love Steven, Suzanne & Lexie XX OWEN Mark Stewart to our darling son on your first birthday, love Mam and Dad

OWEN Mark Stewart happy 1st birthday love Auntie Shirley and Uncle John XX

OWEN Mark Stewart hip hip hooray, Owen is one today, love Sean, Donna, Liam and Katie XX

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THOMAS Congratulations Gran and Grandad on your Golden Wedding love Lindsey and Michael XX

Margery, congratulations on Golden Wedding anniversary, Mam and Dad, all our love from Colin, Val, Stuart

THOMAS Best wishes on your Golden Wedding Anniversary mam and Dad. Love from Jimmy, Jennifer, Gary Susan and families

ALAN STURE 19-6-70 to someone very special happy birthday babe! Lots and lots of love always Michelle XX ALAN STURE - Happy

birthday, have a great night, love Jules SUSAN BURKITT Happy 21st birthday, lots of love from

Mam, Dad, Kevin XX. Love

from boy friend John XX WARD - RICHARDSON Congratulations Helen and Scott on your engagement, love Mam, Dad, Nicola and Rachel HELEN & SCOTT Congratulations on your engagement, Grannie and Grandad Ward

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Thank You

MORGAN (nee Stevens) Julie and Lee would like to thank everyone for their kind gifts and cards received on the birth of our daughter Lauren Jane PRESTON, Owen Michael James would like to thank relatives and friends for making my christening day on June 14th 1998 so special. Thanks to my godparents
Mick, Gayle, Mark and Helen
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received. A big thank you to Gran No 2 for my christening cake and to the Cumby Arms for a fantastic buffet

THANK YOU Julie for another beautiful daughter, Nicole, 10th June, extremely proud father, love Rod

PENDER, Rod, thank you for all your love and support on the birth of our beautiful baby daughter, love Julie

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BILL TARVIT Happy fathers day, love you loads from Jen XX

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JOHN PALMER Happy fathers day, lots of love lan, David and families GEORGE CLEWES Happy fathers day, lots of love

Wendy, Valerie and Julie and all the families ALAN BELL To my special Daddy, happy fathers day, love from your boy Jay XX. PS all my love and thanks, Claire XX

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MARK POOLEY Happy 1st fathers day Daddy, lots of big kisses Shannon MICHAEL DUNN Happy 1st fathers day, Daddy,

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FLOR KERINS Dad, we just want to say thanks for being you. You are the best Dad anyone could ask for. Happy fathers day, love always Sharon, Trevor, Janet, Flor, Audrey, Diana, Gary, Dave and Damon

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Fathers Day Remembrances

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Local Police Officers Alan Penman and Ian Ferguson have just returned from a private trip to the West Coast of America where they met the Governor of Arizona, Jane Hull.

When David Walker of Royal Creamware, Aycliffe heard of the trip he gave the Poicemen a large vase, made at the Pottery, to present to the State Governor as a token of friendship from Newton Aycliffe.

She was delighted with the gift and was much impressed by the quality, design and craftsmanship of the Aycliffe

The officers also took with them gifts and greetings from our Town Council and Durham County Council.

Their visit is part of an ongoing exchange friendship with the Scottsdale Police in Arizona.

Alan and Ian took the opportunity while in the USA to visit Sacramento, San Francisco and Las Vegas where they played the one-arm bandit for prize money of \$16 million.

As we have seen them around town they could not have won!

Runner Raised £1500

Local Priest Rev. Colin Jay of St. Elizabeths Church, Woodham, took part in the London Marathon and raised £1500 for the Butterwick Hospice at Bishop Auckland.

Rev. Jay was delighted with the support he received and the money raised will be go the appeal to provide a bedded unit.

He thanks all those who contributed so generously.

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ADMISSION FREE AT OAK

yoga session from 7.00 -

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suite. Yoga is a new

forthcoming activity to the

Complex which will be

Everyone is welcome so

please come along and take

advantage of this free day.

For further details please

contact the Complex on

01325-300600.

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starting in September.

The Oak Leaf Sports Complex is ready to open its doors on Wednesday, 24 June 1998 from 10.00 am to 6.00 pm for people to try the facilities on offer free of Staff and charge. representatives of various clubs will be on hand throughout the day to assist people in the activities.

Alan Courtney will be on hand for Cricket from I 0.00 am - 12 noon to instruct anyone who is interested in cricket coaching.

Representatives from the Oak Leaf Bowls Club will be available throughout the day to offer advice on indoor bowling.

Sheila Pinkney will be on hand to offer advice on squash and racketball from 1 0.00 am.

Between 4.00 - 5.00 pm Junior Football Coach Tony Kwok will be available to offer advice and information on forthcoming junior soccer coaching and what the Durham County Football Development Scheme has

Heather Clegg from the Acorn Badminton Club will be available between 5.00 - 6.00 pm to offer help and advice to children interested in badminton. Marian Keay will instruct a

THURSDAY 25th JUNE, 1998 DARLINGTON GOLF CLUB

Haughton Grange, Darlington By kind permission of the Members

ROTARY CLUB OF NEWTON AYCLIFFE

CHARITY GOLF DAY

INDIVIDUAL STABLEFORD COMPETITION

Handicap Allowance: Maximum 20 for Men, 30 for Ladies FEE: £15 per player

PRIZES FOR: 1st, 2nd, 3rd, and 4th; Nearest the Pin Longest Drive for both Ladies & Gents

BAR & REFRESHMENTS AVAILABLE ALL DAY

GOOD QUALITY MEALS SERVED AT REASONABLE PRICES DON'T MISS THE CHANCE TO PLAY THIS SUPERB COURSE

> THE ROTARY CLUB OF NEWTON AYCLIFFE CHARITY GOLF DAY - 25th JUNE, 1998 **ENTRY FORM**

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PREFERRED STARTING TIME:a.ma.m. We will attempt to give you a starting time as near as possible to the start of the sta	he one requested, but
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TEE OFF TIMES BETWEEN 9 a.m. and 2 p.m.	
Players should be available to tee-off 8 minutes before their starting time Dress Code: Denim Jeans and Trainers are unacceptable. Shirts must have s Tailored shorts with calf length stockings are allowed.	leeves and collars.
Herewith payment for Players @ £15.00	g
Please send your remittance or cheque made pay	able to:

The Rotary Club of Newton Aycliffe to:

Mrs. C. Howarth c/o Newton Press

St. Cuthberts Way, Aycliffe Industrial Park, Co. Durham DL5 6DX

Village School win at Gala

On the 4th June in the Darlington Dolphin Centre a team fromn Heighington School entered Swimming Gala and came first overall.

Results: Boys Backstroke Paul Butt, 5th. Girls Francesca Freestyle Redhead, 4th. Girls Backstroke Eleni Karabouikis 3rd. Girls Medley Relay Team 3rd. Boys Freestyle Andrew Caldwell 2nd. Boys Medley Relay Team 2nd. Boys Breaststroke Tristan 1st. Boys Freestyle Relay Team 1st.

The Girls Team was 3rd and the Boys Team 2nd.

NOTICE

50th Anniversary ROAD

RACE

Sunday 21st June

Residents/users of Meadowfield Way, Greenfield Way and Burnhill Way are advised that the road race will be taking place from 10.00am to 12.30pm

This will result in a slowing of traffic in these areas. Please drive with caution

Higher Education Convention

Co. Durham Careers Service has organised a convention for students to investigate the choices in Higher Education.

It will be held in Spennymoor Leisure centre on Tuesday 23rd June 9.30am-1145am and 1pm -3.15pm. The event is part of a

National network of Higher Education Fairs supported by UCAS.

Around 2000 young people

from Schools and Coll are expected, but Convention is ope anyone who is interest University Educa including mature stud

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FRIDAY 26th **JUNE, 1998**

7pm-11pm

OAK LEAF SPORTS COMPLEX **SPORTS HALL**

School Aycliffe Lane

Tickets £2.50

(Inclusive of hot meal - Admission by ticket only) Licenced Bar

Further information and tickets are available from: Great Aycliffe Town Council, Council Offices, School Aycliffe Lane, Newton Aycliffe Telephone: 01325 300700

Tickets are also available from the Oak Leaf Sports Complex - Council Offices Julies Cafe - Thames Centre Butchers

Correction to Flower Arranging Section

GREAT AYCLIFFE TOWN COUNCIL

Incorporated with Great Aycliffe Show, to be held in the grounds of the Oak Leaf Sports Complex, School Aycliffe Lane, Newton Aycliffe SUNDAY 28th JUNE 1998

Florai Art Anniversary Class 1st £25; 2nd £20; 3rd £15 Prize Money FLOWER ARRANGEMENTS To be judged according to the NAFA Handbook of Schedule Definitions (8th eiditon 1988) using fresh flower Exhibits not to exceed 30" wide x 30" deep x 40" high unless stated otherwise. If prefered, entrants may arrang exhibits on Friday evenings 4-7.30pm

Class 56 - A Pedestal Exhibit

Class 57 - Terracotta Treasures

Class 58 - Think Green

Class 59 - Boxed Beauty

Class 60 - For the Coffee Table

Class 61 - Paradise is a Garden

ENTRY FORM - ENTRY FREE

Class No	Class Description	No. of Entries in
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		Total No. of Entries

Address Completed entries should be sent to: Mrs. M. Robinson, Great Aycliffe Town Council, Council Offices, P.O. Box 2, School Aycliffe Lane, Newton Aycliffe before 5pm on 24th Jun