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FRONT PAGE LETTER TO THE EDITOR

BOROUGH STATUS - A WORTHLESS AND COSTLY EXERCISE

**COUNCILLOR
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CELEBRATIONS**

Dear Sir,

I expect that many local people were shocked by recent publicity about Sedgfield becoming a borough.

Sedgfield Labour Council, it appears, have taken a step back into the last century with the Council embarking upon a meaningless exercise of becoming a Borough Council.

For the people of Sedgfield, borough status will involve:-

* Council tax payers footing the bill for the change of name on vans, road signs, building signs and stationery.

* No additional powers for the Council.

Council Leader Brian Stephenson has driven through this idea involving old fashioned civic gowns and regalia, a mace and other antiquarian baubles.

It will also add to much confusion as Sedgfield will have 2 mayors, one in the village of Sedgfield and one for the borough in Spennymoor.

There was no consultation with local people before this

change was proposed. It is a costly and worthless exercise which will bring no practical advantages or benefits to the people of Sedgfield District.

Sedgfield has shown that it still treats its old ways by spending public money for no good reason.

The party still goes on at Sedgfield when the Council will host the grandest civic reception ever held for over 200 invited guests at a 5 course lavish dinner with wine and drink for all.

Even though these events are sponsored there will be many local people and voluntary organisations who will feel that this whole affair leaves a bitter taste. Much needed financial resources are being spent upon an entirely worthless and useless cause.

Yours faithfully
Cllr. Tony Moore

BOROUGH CELEBRATIONS WILL NOT COST US A PENNY!

Dear Sir,

I was disappointed to read that Counc. Tony Moore will not be going to the celebrations when Sedgfield District Council becomes a Royal Borough.

Becoming a borough will enhance the status of the area and it will raise the profile of Sedgfield nationally helping us to attract bigger and more prestigious companies here.

The most important thing to remember is that this will not cost the ratepayers a penny! All the money is coming from local businesses - they at least realise that this something which will work for ALL our benefits.

I genuinely hope that, on reflection, Counc. Moore will reconsider his decision to boycott the celebrations as it will be distressing if such a senior Councillor appears to undermine the prestige of Sedgfield in this way.

Yours faithfully,
Martyn D. Locklin

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ROTARY CLUB WORK TOWARDS A THIRD WELL

Dear Sir,

Thank you to all who supported the Rotary Club of Newton Aycliffe Charity Folk Concert to raise funds for Water Aid.

The evening was a great success thanks to the local folk group 'Nebula' and their friends who provided some excellent music and helped us raise a magnificent £300. Rotary International will provide a matching grant for all funds raised so the cost of a well in a third world country will be fully met from the evening.

We later received a donation which meets the cost of a second well and our target now is to raise sufficient for a third.

Can I also give you advance notice that in February I will be arranging a used spectacle collection on behalf of Vision Aid Overseas so hang onto those unwanted specs for a little longer please!!

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Andrew Maxwell

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WORKING ABROAD NOT AS FUNNY AS 'AUF WEIDERSEHN'

Stephen Hughes, Durham's Euro MP has spoken in a debate in the chamber in Strasbourg dealing with extending rights to workers who travel to another country to work.

Mr. Hughes said: "In Britain we have a long running comedy show called 'Auf Wiedersehen Pet' that tells the tale of a group of construction workers from my own region - a high unemployment area - who are living in a shack on the construction site on which they are working somewhere in Germany. It is a funny saga of mishaps and adventures of a group of men who are living beyond the margins of German society, a group of industrial gypsies living

and working in the shadowy areas outside the law.

The problem is that in real life many thousands of people from regions like mine are being forced to live this way and it simply isn't funny.

Back in my constituency, week in and week out, people who have fallen foul of this situation bring their problems to me.

People who suffer injury at work, who suddenly find that they have no legal employer - that they cannot seek redress or compensation.

People who are not only not paid for the work they have done, but find that their social security contributions have not been kept up by their supposed employer.

People who have virtually found themselves trapped, paying extortionate rents on tied accommodation controlled by their employer.

And I could give many other examples. There are people, quite frankly, who are being exploited. For them, the freedom to move and the freedom to provide their services turns out not to be a freedom at all.

This directive will provide a long overdue framework to guarantee fair play in the operations of these freedoms". Said our Euro M.P.

Forest Bike Chase

Mountain bikers from Co. Durham are being sought by Help the Aged to take part in the Hamsterley Forest Chase, on Sunday 6 October, a day of off-road racing through Hamsterley Forest, for riders of all ages and abilities, to raise funds for older people.

The event is part of the Diamondback Senior MTB Race Series and there are races for all mountain biking enthusiasts, from the Pee Wees Category (Under 10s) which is a race over two miles, to the Grand Veterans (over 50s) who will compete over 16 miles.

Entries are welcome from first time riders right up to professionals. Hamsterley Forest provides the perfect conditions for mountain biking and the course includes a mix of tough climbs, technical and hair raising descents and some fast double track.

It costs between £5 and £14 to enter and some great prizes and trophies will be on offer for all the competitors.

Thanks to the support of Diamondback and Mountain Biker Int. magazines, all the proceeds from the event will go towards the Charity's work, improving safety and security for older people in their own homes.

For an entry form ring the Event Organiser on 01924 366238 or Help the Aged's Events Office on 0113 279 6000.

GREENFIELD SCHOOL DUCK RACE HELPS FINANCE ROMANIAN VISIT



Greenfield went quackers at Hamsterley Forest at the end of last term in aid of their Romanian appeal. 1600 ducks were dropped into the river there on a hot July afternoon, to the surprise and amusement of several tourists. Pupils, parents and friends joined in the fun both on the river bank and in the water as the ducks battled

their way half a mile downstream to the finishing net. The first three ducks 'Home' won £300, £200 and £100 and all prizes were claimed.

This novel event has raised the flight money necessary to bring our Romanian friends to Newton Aycliffe during Easter 1997.

To fund transport and visit

costs Greenfield is holding a second Race Night where all proceeds will go towards the challenge. The evening is Friday 11th October from 7.30pm until 11.30pm at the school. Tickets are £2.50, available from reception and include a pie 'n' pea supper. There will be a bar and the supporting raffle will be drawn during

supper.

Any raffle prizes would be gratefully appreciated and can be offered on 300378

Orphanage Appeal

We are still receiving and collecting second hand clothes, toys and outdoor garden toys for the Orphanage in Bucharest. Please contact either Jill Burdis or Susan Mouyiassi on the number above.

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A barrel load of fun and a whole host of surprises are being planned for the grand opening of the new Wacky Warehouse at Big Steak Pub - The Gretna Green in Newton Aycliffe soon. - Filled with slides, chutes, rope nets and ball pools, the Wacky Warehouse is a giant children's indoor play area for kids up to 11 years of age - or maximum height 4ft 9ins - and it's just waiting for you to dive in for some fun!

As part of the opening celebrations, we're giving away the chance for you and your friends to test drive the Wacky Warehouse. Four children's parties are on offer, and by colouring in the picture below of Wesley and his friends you could win a party for you and 14 friends worth £75.

The lucky winners will receive an hours free play in the Wacky Warehouse, a delicious meal with lots of ice cream for dessert, plenty to drink, a special party hat and a lucky Wacky Bag full of surprises!



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Signed Date

PRIZE DRAW WINNER GIVES BIKE TO SON



5 year old Mrs. Schurmann of Skirlaw Road was delighted to hear she had won the first prize in a free draw at Gateways, Newton Aycliffe. She would have been even more delighted if she could have ridden the prize - a mountain bike! Jovial Mrs. Schurmann told 'Newton News' she was so small she couldn't reach the pedals, "I wouldn't be able to get on the bike as I would get vertigo". She has given the bike to her son Trevor who is a self-employed bricklayer. A keen angler, Trevor will use the bike when out in the countryside. His mother and father moved to Newton Aycliffe in 1959. Before he died Mr. Schurmann worked for the Aycliffe Development Corporation. It was a lovely little town when we first came, but it has changed for the worse since" said Mrs. Schurmann.

HORNDALE COMMUNITY SURGERY PROVED TO BE VERY HELPFUL

Dear Sir,
Last week, I was pleased to be able to hold a Councillor's Surgery at St. Francis' School. Rev. Nick Chamberlain, District Environment Health Officer Glyn Hall and Town Councillor John D. Clare also attended. A large number of people came to the Surgery, and reached a number of issues including the Town Centre, housing in the Westmorland Way area, graffiti on subways, disabled access, bus shelters, footpaths, parking, fire engine access, rent arrears, housing benefit problems, home adaption for a walk-in shower, housing application problems, requests to go on the Carelink System and a set of goal-posts that had been pulled out! Everyone who attended

can be assured that I am doing all I can for them. May I thank the St. Francis Lunch Club who came to help as reception and as tea and coffee-makers. I hope to hold another Surgery in the New Year. Watch out for details! Yours faithfully,
Martyn D Locklin

Aycliffe man Could have won Great North Run

Ten Aycliffe Runners made the annual trek from Newcastle to South Shields in the 16th Great North Run. The hot weather made it a great day out for spectators but many of the 32,000 runners suffered with the heat along the 13 mile course. 1st Aycliffe runner was Ces Sugden who gave the winning Kenyan Benson Masya a close race. If it wasn't for the heat Ces reckoned he might of won it. Ces's time was 1hr.35. Next was Club Super Vet (over 50) Dave Middleton 1hr.35.15, followed by Roy Cooke 1.36, John Burnside 1.38, Cyd Upton 1.42, Paul Upton 1.42, Rob Nicholson 1.42, Rob Dixon 1.45, Paul Thistlewaite 2.08 and Jean Thistlewaite 2.32.

Letter Threats not made by Neighbours

Dear Sir,
May I express my thanks to the anonymous author of the article about me last week? Without that kindly commentary, implied opinions of me in this area, I would never have realised that threats of violence against my family, home and I might be signals on neighbourliness and children's play? Or anyone carrying out public duties, subjected to abuse, threats of criminal damage, intimidation, should not make public issue? I linked the gang mouthing obscene abuse, threats of arson, violence, brick-slashing destruction on my home, family and me, to their misuse of Council property, about to be stopped when Sedgfield District Council and the police were notified. None were neighbours of anyone in this area. When they returned, by hire-van, reiterated obscene threats, I again naively thought that the noise, nuisance, obstruction, side-line activity and misuse of Council property being stopped might be the cause? Not one expletive indicated neighbourliness, or child play? When threatened with golf irons, or when the car was driven at me, violence attempted, and I was told I could go to the F..... Police, they could do F..... all, I had no F..... witnesses, how foolish of me not to realise the message attempted to be hammered home might be about neighbourliness and child's play? When they made off shouting it was 'total war on me, my family, my home and grandchildren', I misheard? Messages of respect for neighbours and children's play? The principal involved is unknown to me by name, address, only by sight and vocabulary. Only concerned for my neighbourly respect and children's play in this area, apparently? Nothing to do with misuse of Council property by a group with no right, permission to do so? Or restricted access to the rent-paying tenants? The muck, litter left from activities that should never have been going on there? For financial gain? If I had turned a blind eye, a deaf ear, neglected civic duty, resigned from the Council, gone ex-directory, left the tenants to it. Would Woodham Ward neighbours affected have applauded that? Would I have really earned neighbourly respect I wonder?

Don Fraser.
Woodham Ward

DON'T BE MISLED - YOU DO NEED NURSERY VOUCHERS

Durham County Council could lose more than £8 million a year in Government funding unless parents of very young children remember to apply for, and use, so-called 'nursery vouchers' to pay for their children's education at the Authority's schools. The nursery voucher system will be introduced early in the new year, and Durham Education Committee Chairman Coun. George Porter warned today there was a risk that some parents could easily be misled into thinking they did not need them. And if that happened, he added, the Education Authority would lose vital funding. "While vouchers will need to be used by children in nurseries, they will also be needed by many more children in reception classes in infant and primary schools," said Coun. Porter. "Parents whose children are already attending a County Durham reception class or nursery will find that they must apply for and use a voucher to pay for a place which was previously free to them." Coun. Porter said the Government will deduct £1,100 from the Authority's budget for every pupil in the nursery age group who attend its nurseries, reception classes or special schools in 1996. "That is the equivalent of more than £8 million a year. This money can only be recovered if parents make sure they get their vouchers and hand them in to the County Council so that the funding removed from our nursery and primary school budgets by the Government can be reclaimed".

• **Durham Education Authority is to allow children to start primary school earlier.**

The move follows recognition that the timing of admissions to schools could be important in securing vouchers and helping to avoid the threat of cuts to services for young children which voucher loss could mean. Consultations with all the Authority's schools - and the church school authorities - resulted in a clear majority in favour of changing admission dates so that from 1997 all children aged four in the school will be able to enter primary school from the beginning of the Autumn term instead of the following January. The Authority is also to review its existing nursery admissions policy. "We hope parents will value this opportunity of earlier entry to primary school reception classes," said Coun. Porter. "But it is vital that they apply for the so-called nursery vouchers if our schools are not to suffer financially." The Education Authority is to send details to all parents, schools and other interested parties about how to obtain the vouchers and how to use them.

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Mr Sinar talking to a packed audience in St. Elizabeth's Hall last Thursday slated businessmen who pride themselves in having the most advanced technology in working an efficient production line, yet would not pay £5,000 to install a machine to reduce the hazards of manual lifting which would help prevent incidence of back injury so often suffered by the work force.

Despite HSE measures used in manual handling, injuries from injudicious lifting amount to approx. 60% of all back injuries. Over £5 billion in lost production can be directly attributed to the effects of back pain. In this day and age there is no need to lift heavy objects manually. He passed on this useful advice "Only lift if you have to, if a machine is supplied as an aid to

lifting, use it - otherwise get help and lift correctly". Mr Sinar in response to one of the questions about 'long waiting lists' revealed that they have the manpower to perform the operations but not the capacity.

Another theatre would cost approx. £500,000 and this would reduce the waiting lists by a third.

During Back Pain week 7-12th October our local branch will be running an information stall in gateway and hosting a fund raising social, in support of research into pain.

The social is on the 10th October, RAFA Club, Barrington Road, Newton Aycliffe, starting at 7pm. Attractions for the evening are Bingo, Cabaret, Tickets £5 (including buffet).

For further details please contact Raymond Ellar 311691.

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AYCLIFFE TEENAGERS IN FINAL OF KIELDER CHALLENGE

A team of Newton Aycliffe teenagers who won the North East semi-final of the twelfth annual BT Kielder Challenge are now to take part in the final, which will be held at the Kielder Adventure Centre alongside Kielder Water in Northumberland National Park this weekend (Sept. 20/22).

The team, representing Woodham Comprehensive School, comprises eight 13 to 16 year-olds, four with disabilities and four without.

Together with teams from Sheffield, Ipswich, Coventry, Liverpool and Hereford, the Newton Aycliffe team will be judged on initiative, its ability to work as a team and the active involvement of all team members in each task.

During the weekend-long final the six teams will take part in activities based on a meteorological theme including water testing and dowsing. Alistair Burt, the Minister for the Disabled will make a presentation to the winning team and the runners up on Sunday evening.

The event, supported by BT as part of its Community Partnership Programme, is organised by the Fieldfare Trust, a Sheffield-based organisation working to enable people with disabilities to enjoy countryside activities.

BT has supported the Challenge since its inception as a local event in the north which has since developed nationally.

Aycliffe Glass Sponsor League

Aycliffe Glass and Standard British Windows are the new sponsors for the Darlington Church & Friendly Football League.

Aycliffe Glass have recently bought the old Boss Contracts building in Leaside on the Aycliffe Industrial Estate.

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NEWTON AYCLIFFE POOL LEAGUE

TEAM	PI	Singles	Pairs	Capt.	O/All
British Legion 'B'	17	76	12	10	98
Southerne Club	17	68	13	13	94
British Legion 'A'	18	73	11	8	92
Acorn	18	57	9	12	78
Oak Tree	17	50	7	9	66
Iron Horse	18	47	10	6	63
Oak Leaf Sports Centre	17	50	6	6	62
Dandy Cart	17	40	9	11	60
Turbinia 'A'	17	48	6	4	58
N. Aycliffe Sports Club	17	38	8	11	57
Turbinia 'B'	17	18	3	5	26

Sedgefield District Council is to continue to support local firms wanting to exhibit at the Hannover Messe trade fair.

The Council has attended the fair for the past six years, during which time 25 companies have exhibited and more than 20 have visited.

The 1996 fair was rated a great success for local firms, with exhibitors receiving almost 170 enquiries from all over the world, some of which have already been turned into firm orders.

Four local companies enjoyed the opportunity to meet more than 350,000 business people visiting from a host of different countries.

A-Tech Fabrications and Polytech Engineering, were among the 7,000 strong exhibitors from 73 different countries occupying 25 halls at the Messe.

There was a total of 220 exhibitors from the UK at the fair.

A-Tech Fabrications of Aycliffe manufacture materials handling equipment for industry. The received numerous enquiries from companies all over Europe and will be following these up to hopefully secure orders.

Polytech Engineering who are based at Shildon and

manufacture polyurethane products attended the fair for the first time and they were overwhelmed by the response they received.

As a result of the fair they are now currently completing orders from buyers in Germany.

Another exhibition support by the Council was SubCon 96, the UK's premier subcontracting industries exhibition, held this year in Birmingham.

Again four companies were in attendance on the Sedgefield District stand: A-Tech Fabrications, Sloman Engineering of Aycliffe, Brownridge Plastics of Chilton and Blue Diamond Engineering of Shildon.

All four companies received a significant number of enquiries from throughout the UK and from countries such as India, Saudi Arabia and Iran.

The District Council will continue its exhibition programme with a stand at Northern Manufacturing, in October and Manufacturing Week in November, and will be back at Hannover next year.

Local companies which could be interested in the Council's exhibition programme can contact Janet Johnson at Sedgefield Business Centre on 01325 307270.

The Sedgefield and Newton Aycliffe division of Soldiers, Sailors, Airmen and Families Association and Forces Help Society, in collaboration with the Royal British Legion will be holding a 'SSAFA Shindig' on 24th October 1996 at the Royal British Legion, MacMillan Road, Newton Aycliffe starting at 1900hrs.

Our volunteers have helped many local ex servicemen and their families in times of difficulty and need, however for this work to continue, funds are desperately needed.

We do urge you to support this very worthwhile cause. Tickets for the 'Shindig' cost a mere £2 - Tel: Brian Wilson for details on 314012.

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Teenage Hodgkin's Victim to Compete at Wembley



Becky - a former pupil at Aycliffe Village Primary and now at Teesside High School, Eaglescliffe.

At the end of January 1996 Becky Gray of nearby Brafferton was diagnosed as having Hodgkin's Disease, stage 4. She immediately started a course of chemotherapy for a period of 3 months, in which she was in and out of Newcastle Royal Victoria Hospital with infections and suffered terrible side effects associated with the chemotherapy, such as hair loss, sickness, tiredness and infections. She then had a rest period before starting 6 weeks of radiotherapy which meant a daily trip to Newcastle General. She then had to undergo two more intense chemotherapy sessions from which she developed an infection and then shingles. Throughout this period Becky has continued to carry out as normal a life as possible, returning to school for half days in the spring and late summer. She was unable to continue to ride her Connemara pony as she was unable to control him, but was determined to continue riding and after writing to all the Dartmoor breeders in the country found herself a small 6 year old Dartmoor pony called Hopelaws Woodpecker Too or 'Cider'. So in between all the hospital appointments and treatment Becky continued to compete on Cider. Cider has proved to be the best possible medicine being both safe and a champion. At every show they have attended they have won or

been placed. At Glendale Show recently he won three ridden classes, 2 championships and 3 trophies and he even won the fancy dress. The ultimate achievement for Becky has been qualifying for the Wembley semi-final in Cheshire, from which she went to the semi-finals at Malvern, which was in-between chemotherapy. At the semi-finals she gained a place and qualified for the Horse of the Year Show Wembley in the Mountain and Moorland Working Hunter Pony Class. She still has one big dose of chemotherapy still to go, in which she has her own bone-marrow removed followed by a big dose of chemotherapy, and her own bone marrow returned. This treatment will confine her to hospital for anything up to six weeks. Her determination to compete throughout the summer has driven the doctors mad and has managed to get them to delay her next lot of treatment until after Wembley on Friday 4th October 1996. She has presently returned to school to start her G.C.S.E's and is continuing to ride Cider and prepare him for Wembley. Throughout her treatment friends and staff at school, as well as the doctors and support care at Newcastle RVI have all been very supportive towards Becky, myself and the rest of the family.

Pen Pals to Meet in Germany

Two representatives for the Pen Palling Group set up from the Silverdale Community House are off to Rheinhausen in Germany, Aycliffe's Twin Town, this Saturday. The Group have made a scrap book about Newton Aycliffe and the Community development work in the Williamfield area, they have been involved in. The scrap book will be going to Germany. Maggie and Liz from the Group hope to bring back plenty of penpals for the other members who are keen to learn about life abroad and how community issues are tackled in Germany. The Pen Palling group of local people has now developed into a Course for basic Math's and English where members can brush upon their skills and even gain a qualification if they wish under the guidance of Terese Weyman from Bishop Auckland College. The Group meets every Tuesday afternoon at 1.30 - 3.00pm and is open to new members. Meetings are fun, interesting and challenging. More information can be obtained by calling in on Tuesday afternoons or telephoning 307539.

15 year old needs £300 to Swim for Britain



15year old Glen Jenkins, surprised and delighted members of the Newton Aycliffe Wishing Well Club when he won a bronze and two gold medals at a Swimming Gala organised by the Association of Gateway Clubs. The Association promotes leisure activities and sporting events for people with learning difficulties. This was Glen's first competition and no one

Aycliffe Soldier Dies in Car Crash

Local lad Mike Carr has been tragically taken away from his family and friends. Mike was in the Royal Engineers and he had been in the Army since leaving school. He was soon posted to Germany where he spent most of his time. Over the period of Christmas '95, he spent six months out in Bosnia. Earlier this year, he was granted leave after his Bosnian posting, but later returned to the former Yugoslavia for a further month. Eventually, he was able to enjoy four weeks leave, this summer, back home with his family, friends and fiancée Sam. After the four weeks, he left for Germany on Friday 23rd August, but on Sunday 25th August Mike died in a car crash with two other soldiers. All that can be said is that he will be sorely missed by his family and the many people who knew him. He had numerous friends not only in Newton Aycliffe but all around the

country. Those who knew Mike will remember him for the laughs he enjoyed and made - and he was never one who ever felt sorry for himself. Even while he was doing his bit in the harsh conditions of Bosnia, letters being sent home proved it wasn't getting the better of him - and it never did. But Mike was very sadly taken away in that tragic accident over in Germany - aged 21. On Thursday 12th September, he was laid to rest in his home town of Newton Aycliffe. The Military Service was only a credit to him.

Mike's parents Rob and Glynis would like to thank all family and friends for their support. They also say thank you to Rev. Colin Jay, Captain Doolan, Captain Bennett, Captain Fitzgerald, Brian Wilson and the British Legion Standard Bearers. Mike will be remembered by many with fondness and respect.

Lost Property

The following property has been found in the Newton Aycliffe area and handed in to the police station in the past few weeks. Any queries regarding property should be made by either contacting Julie Willis or Anne Whitelaw on 742603.

No.	Date	Where Found	Description
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425/96	19.8.96	Newton Aycliffe	Grey Cockatiel
	9.9.96		
407/96	25.8.96	Woodham	Black Gents Racing Cycle
430/96	14.9.96	AK	Ladies Quartz Limit Watch

S.D.C. PUT OLD OFFICE SPACE TO GOOD USE

The refurbishment of old office space in Dalton Way, Newton Aycliffe, is good news for Carers living in the Sedgefield District. Thanks to funding from Sedgefield Locality Health Alliance Partners and support from The Princess Royal Trust for Carers, the Carers Centre is soon to be operational in Sedgefield locality. The Carers Centre will open it's doors in October and will offer a wide range of free services to local Carers both within the Centre itself, and also out and about within the community for those Carers who are unable to travel to the Centre. The Carers Centre aims to help the thousands of people in Sedgefield District who look after an elderly, sick or disable relative, friend or neighbour and it aims to be a 'One Stop Shop' for Carers offering specialist advice and information, a listening ear, training on a range of skills to help in the caring role such as lifting and moving, continence advice, pressure area care, administering medication. There is often no preparation or warning in taking on the caring role, and we aim to help Carers to gain confidence in this most difficult role, and be informed about their rights and entitlements. The Carers Centre will also offer relaxation and stress management sessions such as Aromatherapy, Reflexology and exercise for relaxation such as yoga. We will also be offering a specialist counselling service to Carers as well as a help-line which will be operational from November and staffed by volunteers, many of whom have been or are currently Carers, so have a lot of knowledge and experience to share with others. Carers groups and drop-in sessions will be developed for a range of Carers, dependent upon local needs. The Centre also hope to be of benefit to professionals who work with Carers providing training and awareness raising workshops along with the specialist information services. There is a meeting room which is available for or hire to local groups. The Centre will be officially opened by The Mayor of Sedgefield (MR Kester Noble) in his first public engagement, together with Ms Cherie Booth on Saturday 26th October 1996 at 11am, followed by an open day to publicise the range of services which will be available to Carers living with the Sedgefield locality. If you would like further details, or would like to be put on our mailing list, or are interested in becoming a volunteer at the Carers Centre, please contact:- The Princess Royal Trust for Carers, Sedgefield Locality Carers Centre, 19 Upper Dalton Way, Newton Aycliffe, Co. Durham, DL5 4DJ. Or telephone: 308100.

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knew how well he could swim. He went on to compete at National level and has now been selected to represent Great Britain in the International Gala in Geneva. The Wishing Well Club of Newton Aycliffe is looking for donations to help raise the £300 Glen will need to compete in Geneva in October. If you can help please contact the Club leader Tracy Peart on 300870

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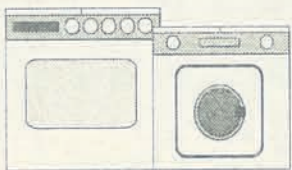
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On behalf of the children we help, my very grateful thanks.
Yours sincerely
Karen Heath
Events Co-ordinator.

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Huntsman AFC Winning Streak Puts Them in Top Three

Huntsman - 6 Halfmoon Rangers - 0
Huntsman's bandwagon continued last week with another thumping victory over Halfmoon, writes Martin Walker.

Five first teamers returned for Huntsman, but Tony Travis was surprisingly relegated to the substitutes' bench. Several players found their form, and although they were made to work for maximum points, Huntsman made it look easy.

Stuart Hodgson's policy of 'good crack brings good football' is proving fruitful, as Huntsman's attractive flowing play has brought them three wins and two draws, lifting them up into third spot.

Midfield General Jim McCabe scored after just two minutes. Halfmoon defenders were bamboozled with McCabe's skill and power so early in the game, as the Scottish General pranced around them and finished with confidence.

Morgan Fielding scored three good goals while Wayne Marram also notched. Yours truly scored in the first half after good work from the Scottish General McCabe.

Tony Kent returned to play in goal after speculation that Gaffer Hodgson would be playing himself. It was another good goalkeeping performance by a Huntsman keeper.

Hat-trick hero Morgan Fielding was the Man-of-the-match, but unfortunately Halfmoon thought otherwise and voted for Martin Haigh. Haigh's performance was truly summed up when he was voted the Minger-of-the-match by his fellow ninjas. He refused to wear the T-shirt, and was subsequently fined £3 - which he begrudgingly paid.

MATCH VERDICT: By Dave Nicholson, "Halfmoon were just meat and drink to Huntsman. I am very impressed with the way Huntsman are playing at the moment".

Stuart Hodgson was thrilled with his team's performance, drooling: "I am over the moon with my team - they're finally showing their true form, and the crack is still good. I'd tip us for a European place with the way we're currently performing!"

I must apologise for last week's Huntsman report in which I said the Minger-of-the-match ballot was overlooked after the game with DPD Heating. In fact, there was a vote, and it was me who controversially won the majority of the votes.

This week, Huntsman play away to Quaker Sports. British Legion last week beat Quaker Sports with the bizarre scoreline of 10-4. That result places Legion top of the table on goal difference.

NEXT WEEK: Quaker Sports v Huntsman - with Match Verdict by Dave Nicholson. Also, I exclusively talk to Midridge Bay Horse Midfield maestro Rob Lothian on why he turned his back on Stuart Hodgson. So don't miss all that in next week's 'Newton News'.

Birthday Remembrance

JINNY WAKE (Burrell) Birthday Remembrance of my dear sister and my nephew **EDDY BURRELL**. If there was a line from here to heaven, I would call you up to say, Happy Birthday my dear sister, you would have been 90 today. I would give a call to your son (my nephew, Eddie) to say Happy Birthday 67 today, the same day as your Mama, who you loved so very dear. God bless you both on this special day. Loving sister and Aunt Mena Collinson, nephew and cousin John, Flo and family

EDDIE SMITH Remembering you on your Birthday, 17th September, not just today but every day in silence I remember. Love Myra

In Memory

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DAVID SUMMERBELL 21-9-96, Happy 50th Birthday Dad, all our love Marie and Darran XXX

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HOWARTH Carrie-Louise Happy 7th Birthday 24-9-96, lots of love Mam and Dad

HOWARTH Carrie-Louise Happy 7th Birthday to our loving (!) sister from Matthew and John-Paul

HOWARTH Carrie-Louise, Happy 7th Birthday to our favourite Granddaughter from Grandad Barry and Mama

HOWARTH Carrie-Louise, Happy Birthday Granddaughter from Grandad Syd and Nana

HOWARTH Carrie-Louise to our best Niece from Uncle Kurtis and Leanne, Uncle Wesley and Vicki

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BAKE To Mam and Dad, Happy Anniversary, Shaune and Kirsty

MARIE FORSTER Happy Birthday, love you lots, Eddie XXX

MARIE FORSTER Happy Birthday, love Emma and Josh XXX

TRICIA TAYLOR 19-9-96. Congratulations on your 21st Birthday Tricia, lots of love Mam XXX

TRICIA TAYLOR 19-9-96 Hip Hip Hooray, the best Mam in the world is 21 today, lots of love and kisses from Callum XXX

TRICIA TAYLOR 19-9-96. Happy 21st Birthday to our sister, Tricia, have a great weekend, lots of love from David and James

SOUTH Happy 30th Birthday, Kathleen, 21st September, lots of love Mum, Dad and all the family XXX

SOUTH Happy 30th Birthday, 21st September, lots of love, hugs and kisses Chester XXX

GEMMA SALE I told you I would let you Gemma. Happy 16th on the 21st September, 1996, your dearest friend for ever, Claire XXX

HELEN MOORE Congratulations on running in the Great North Run and for doing it for me - thank love Mam and Dad

HELEN MOORE We are very proud of you Mum, for getting a medal in the Great North Run, well done, all our love Phillip and Lucy XXX

BURNS 22-9-96, Hugs and kisses to my Darling Grandson, Michael on his 4th Birthday, lots of love Gran XXX

BURNS Happy 4th Birthday to my little Nephew, Michael, love and kisses Auntie Susan XXX

MICHAEL BURNS 22-9-96, Happy 4th Birthday to a very special little boy, lots of love and kisses Mammy and Peter XX

ANDREW GREEN 23rd September, Happy 1st Anniversary Darling, love now & always, Natalie XX

ANDERSON Happy 1st Birthday Gillian, 19-9-96, from Mammy, Daddy, Daniel and all the family

WAYNE ANDERSON Happy Birthday "flash", 20-9-96. Love always Stu

WAYNE ANDERSON Happy Birthday Chick, 20-9-96, love ya always, Sarah and Kray

MORRISON - Alderson 14-9-96, Congratulations Lisa and Gareth on your Engagement, all the best for your future together, love from Mam, Dad, Gran and Brothers XX (Morrison family)

ALDERSON - Morrison 14-9-96, Congratulations on your Engagement Gareth and Lisa, wishing you all the luck for your future together, love from Mam, Dad, Karen and boys XX (Alderson family)

MORRISON - Alderson Congratulations Mam and Gareth on your Engagement, we love you both lots, from Aaron and Chanel XX

ALDERSON - English, Congratulations Michelle and Laurence on your Wedding Day, 21-9-96, wishing you both every happiness for the future, love and best wishes from both families

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On Sunday 15th September 1st Aycliffe B.P. Wolf Cubs hosted a giant Birthday Party to celebrate Lord Baden Powell starting the Cub Movement 80 years ago. The event was attended by 89 Wolf Clubs of 10 different packs from all over the Northumbria area. A great time was had by all. The entertainer Brian Lewellyn did a fantastic job. A big thanks goes to Hydro Polymers for donating £50.00, Great Lakes £25.00, Safeway Darlington for donating a large amount of party food and Morrisons (Morton Park) for donating £5.00. The area Wolf Cubs will be meeting again this Saturday (21st) at Shildon Mission Hall for the Baden Powell Wolf Cub Adventure Day, Wolf Cubs from 1st Aycliffe Packs should meet at the Scout Centre 10.30am on the day. For more information contact your Akela.

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UNDER 10's FOOTBALL TEAM FORMED IN AYCLIFFE

Newton Aycliffe Youth Football Club have formed an Under 10's football team under the guidance of team coach Neil Robinson and are playing in the Sunday Morning Teesside Alliance Junior League Division 2. The season kicked off on 8th September with a home game against Kader YCC.

In the match, Newton Aycliffe took an early lead with a Michael Purves penalty after a foul on John Johnson but Kader equalised with a scrappy goal towards half-time. In the second half, Newton Aycliffe battled well against the wind and were unlucky to have a goal disallowed for offside. Overall a 1-1 draw was a fair result in a hard fought game. Kyle Summersby was awarded the 'man-of-the-match'.

Last Sunday, the team played away to Hartlepool Juniors and came away with a well deserved 4-1 victory. Goals from John Johnson and Liam Cooper gave Aycliffe a half-time

lead but only fine goalkeeping by Scott Roscher and a goal-line clearance by Mattie Laverick-Elliott prevented Hartlepool equalising. Hartlepool then pulled a goal back from the penalty spot before Michael Purves added a third for Aycliffe. Graham Johnson then scored the goal of the game. A penalty area clearance from David Turgoose found John Johnson who put through Graham to thunder a shot past the goalkeeper. Liam Cooper was awarded the 'man-of-the-match' for his all round performance.

The team's next home game is this Sunday (22nd) against Hardwick Youth Football Team and any local support will always be welcome. Home games are played at Vane Road Primary School, kick-off 11am.

The Club would like to take this opportunity to thank Tyne Tees Leyland DAF for sponsorship of the team strip and Lansing Linde Castle for sponsorship of the team sweatshirts.

CARD NEWS WIN 5th BANK HOLIDAY FOOTBALL CHAMPIONSHIP TITLE



Having won all four Newton Press Bank Holiday Five-a-Side Tournaments in 1995 at the Oak Leaf Sports Complex, Card News finally won their first of 1996 on August Bank Holiday.

Card News progressed comfortably through their league unbeaten as did R.A.B Tooling from Group 'B' and the final was a close affair. Card News took the lead twice but R.A.B came back quickly with equalisers and so for the first time ever the Trophy was decided by a Penalty Shoot Out.

R.A.B missed all five of their penalties, but Gordon Fraser and John Morrison scored for Card News to win the Trophy.