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## EATON NAME AYCLIFFE EMPLOYEE AS STOVER AWARD RECIPIENT

Eaton Corporation Chairman William E. Butler has named Nora Brewster as a recipient of the company's James R. Stover Award for excellence in service to the Aycliffe community. Brewster was one of eight Eaton employees recognised company-wide.



Left to right: Stan Cavell (Eaton Plant Manager), Rita Curry (Appeal Secretary), Nora Brewster, Matt Davison (Appeal Chairman), June Quigley A.T.C. Clients and Nora's sister receiving the cheque, Carol Collier (Head of Hydrotherapy Unit) and John Teesdale (Appeal Treasurer)

Nora, Office Administrator at the company's Transmission Operations in Aycliffe, was cited for her help in raising funds to build a hydrotherapy pool at the Aycliffe Adult Training Centre in Aycliffe.

The pool is the only facility of its kind in the area and provides physical therapy and recreational activities for mentally and physically handicapped people served by the Centre. Nora organised fund raising events among her fellow employees at the Aycliffe plant and formed a group of volunteers in the town, to raise additional funds from the community. In total £100,000 was raised to complete the hydrotherapy pool. The award was established in the name of former Eaton Chairman and Chief Executive Officer James R. Stover, and is given annually to employees who have made an exceptional effort to improve their communities and the lives of their neighbours.

Winners received a commemorative crystal featuring an etching of Stover and £1,000 cheque payable to non-profit community service organisation of the winners choice. Recipients were also invited to attend an award ceremony at the company's Cleveland Ohio headquarters last month.

"We are firm believers that volunteer service benefits everyone, and ultimately creates better communities for Eaton employees and their families" said Butler. "We are extremely proud of the accomplishments of these winners and are

pleased to be able to acknowledge their contributions with this award".

Matt Davison, Chairman of the Hydrotherapeal is delighted that Nora's work has been recognised.

"Nora has a sister and brother, both mentally handicapped and she helps her mother care for them".

"They attended the Aycliffe Training Centre with my daughter, who later died, and Nora became involved with me in the idea of providing the special pool in her memory". "With Nora's bubbly personality and persuasion the project started and she involved Eaton employees who became a vital cog in the organisation" said Matt. The project took 7 years and £1000,000 to complete.

"We encountered many frustrations and I came close to abandoning the idea, but Nora and John Teesdale (another Eaton

employee) kept spirits high" he added.

Even being pregnant with twins didn't stop Nora's enthusiasm, she kept the project alive, encouraging everybody to greater effort.

"I have achieved my objective; the pool is open, named after my daughter, and benefiting the community. For me, the one person who made this happen was Nora - a very special person" said Matt.

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# TOWN'S INDOOR BOWLS CLUB PRESENTATION NIGHT



HARRY ASHCROFT (above) and MIKE CARMEDY receive their trophies from representative of the sponsors GREAT LAKES



Great Aycliffe Indoor Bowling Club recently held their presentation night. The club extended their thanks to Great Lakes Chemicals who sponsored them during the year and to Andrea Hudspeth who presented the prizes.

#### Mens Four League Winners

Alan Metcalfe - Jim Duffy - Stephen Davison  
Hughie Whitehead and Derek Dowson

#### R/U Mens Fours

D. Collinson - J Grayson - R Allan  
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#### Ladies Fours Winners

Joyce Beswick - Vicky Knight - Yvonne Potter  
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#### Mixed Fours Winners

Lily Best - Glenda Miller - Lynne Jones  
Derek Dodd - John Hall and Harry Ashcroft

#### R/U Mixed Fours

Maureen Barron - Ann Brown - Jenny Basham  
Walter Brown - Bill Tilley and Dave Barron

#### Mens Triples Winners

Keith Dunning - Ron Forster - Jimmy Degan  
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#### Vets Triples Winners

Arnold Robinson - Stan Fishwick - Roy Bailey  
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#### Vets Triples R/U

Billy Blythe - Noel Needham - Frank Wayman  
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#### Mixed Triples Winners

Maureen Barron - Jenny Basham - Dave Barron  
and Harry Ashcroft

#### Ladies Pairs Winners

Ann Brown and Jenny Basham

#### Club Champions - Mens Fours Winners

Tommy Hall - Derek Dodd - John Hall  
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#### Mens Fours R/U

Stuart Land - Keith Norgrove - Billy Maddison  
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Adelle Edmunds - Olga Wake - Wendy Ward  
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Stuart Land - Billy Maddison - Joe Pearson

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Edwin Pugh - John Wilton - Ray Metcalfe

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Elsie Johnson - Vi Cutler - Esther Helm

#### Ladies Triples R/U

Kath Sterling - Minnie Holmes - Joyce Quilter

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Harry Ashcroft - Dave Barron

#### Mens Pairs R/U

Tommy Hall - John Hall

#### Ladies Pairs Winners

Elsie Johnson - Esther Helm

#### Ladies Pairs R/U

Maureen Barron - Jenny Basham

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Stan Mangles - Brenda Mangles

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## Dicky Bow Club Raise £700

On behalf of the Dickie Bow Section of the Southerne Club, we would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone who made the night such a great success.

To Mitch, Terry Brandon, John Melvin and the Southerne Comforts for a first class show and to the many people who donated raffle prizes. To the people who gave up their time to sell tickets and help out on the night - and especially to the gentlemen who donated a cheque for £220. A total of £712.02p was raised - many many thanks to you all.

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# HEIGHINGTON COUNCILLOR REPLIES TO CRITICISM

Dear Sir  
Cllr Boynton (Newton News, 17th June) should re-direct her fire at the Government she supports. If Central Government would allow local authorities such as Darlington Borough to build accommodation for not only the elderly, but for young people who are

being forced to leave their villages, then everyone would be able to have an equal chance. However, there is such a shortage of Warden Controlled accommodation that local authorities throughout the Country have been made to set equity values in their tenancy agreements. Darlington's figure of £50,000 is extremely generous compared to the majority of Councils. If rented accommodation for the elderly or disabled is freely available, then there is nothing wrong with property owners releasing capital to invest. What would be unfair is if they prevented a person without their own property from obtaining a Warden Controlled flat. Cllr Boynton did not tell residents of Heighington that any person living in their own house who felt at risk because of age or infirmity, can be connected to the life line service run by Darlington Borough Council. But of course, none of the reasons for the Council's action was explained to those 250 residents, out of a population of 1500, who signed the petition, and indeed all attempts to explain the Council's position at the Public Meeting on April 24th were howled down. 8500 people live in the rural area of Darlington Borough, mostly in four large villages. How is it that the only objection has come from Cllr Boynton in Heighington and only taken up as an issue three months after the Consultation period for the Tenancy agreement? Readers, I am sure will draw their own conclusions. Frank Robson

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To take advantage of this offer bookings must be made now and readers are advised to contact J & C Coaches on 312705 immediately to avoid disappointment.

# AYCLIFFE VILLAGE FETE RAISED OVER £2000



Aycliffe Village Fete was well and truly revived last weekend with thousands of visitors milling about the school grounds supporting the many activities arranged for family entertainment. Over £2000 was raised to be shared among village charities and organisation. The organisers wish to thank the Mayor and Mayoress Cllr. Jim Rodwell and his mother for opening the Fete and supporting the stalls and other events. The District Council was also represented by Village Councillor John Moran and his attendance was appreciated. Special thanks to all the sponsors and donors without whom the Fete would not have been such a success. Apologies to the Telegraph and Post Office for omitting their names from the posters. Councillor Bill Blenkinsopp, one of the organisers was delighted with the result and hopes the Fete will continue. "We must look forward to providing a bigger and better Fete in 1996" said Bill. The winning numbers in the Grand Draw are as

follows: 3059, 5048, 2594, 9615, 1462, 3872, 1679,2647, 1152, 2981, 2463, 7069, 3456, 5782, 2653, 1987, 3812, 8132, 5267, 2583, 8098, 6571, 1708, 3395, 3883, 7129, 5785, 1612, 9658, 1650, 3396, 2717, 5011, 9590, 2097, 9707, 5822, 3052, 2833, 8200, 6052, 9782, 6041, 2595, 8337, 5259, 8100, 9831, 9828, 914, 974, 1305, 9696, 1265, 438, 1503, 143, 5800, 1316, 4746 and 833

# Criticism of Heighington Parish Council's change of Venue

Heighington Parish Council, who have met in the Village School for a number of years, have decided to move their Meeting Place to the Village Hall. The change has been condemned by resident and Borough Councillor Frank Robson who believes the Village Hall to be unsuitable, especially for disabled people. He told "Newton News" the change of venue was purely to help the finances of the Village Hall which would benefit from the few hundred pounds revenue in hire charges. "But the school needs the money just as much and it is better for disabled Councillors or members of the public, who may wish to attend the Council Meetings" said Frank. The decision to move was carried on a vote of 5-4 the chairperson Rosemary Boynton using her casting vote.

# MUSIC TEACHER'S "SWAN SONG"

Reita Pierce, a music teacher at Woodham Comprehensive school is well known in South West Durham Operatic Societies for her musical productions and expertise. For 20 years, she produced many school musicals at The Avenue Comprehensive School, enjoyed over the years by thousands of Newton Aycliffe residents. Since the closure of The Avenue School she has been responsible for successful stagings of "Oliver" and

"Calamity Jane" at Woodham School. She is taking a well earned retirement in July and her finale is the production of "The Sound of Music". This is to be held on the evenings of Tuesday 11th, Wednesday 12th, Thursday 13th and Friday 14th July at 7.00pm in Woodham School Hall. Tickets are available from S Adamson or J Sowerby at the school Tel 300328, costing £3 for adults and £2 for children and senior citizens.



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Group 2 was also decided on goal difference with Cumby Arms just pipping XTC to a final place.

The final proved to be one way traffic with Card News getting an early goal and then eventually coming out comfortable winners by 8-0.

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An almost suicidal Alan Tranter rang "Newton News" last week to report that rat poison had been deliberately laid outside his pigeon cote to kill his pet birds.

"What sort of people live here?" asked Alan who was completely devastated to find 20 of his pigeons suffering from the poison and facing death.

Alan moved from Teesside, 3 years ago to work as a Care Assistant at Bethany House, Woodham.

He had suffered from a nervous breakdown and decided to keep pigeons to help his recovery.

Finding the pigeons in such a bad state has set him back and he admitted to feeling

suicidal. He believes another pigeon fancier to be the culprit, but can't prove who it was or explain why anyone would commit such a cruel act.

The rat poison was put down just outside his pigeon house and as the area is open plan everyone has access.

Alan tried to clear away the grain covered poison, as any living creature could have been affected.

The Police were informed, but Alan sees little chance of heartless animal killer being caught.

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# TOWN GOLFERS IN REGIONAL FINAL

Woodham Golf Professional Ernie Wilson and club member Lee McCavanagh from Newton Aycliffe, have set their sights on the golfing trip of a lifetime after winning through to the Regional Final of the Lombard Top Club Trophy.

McCavanagh, aged 19, playing off a handicap of 2, won the club's qualifier with a score of 69, to gain his place alongside Ernie in the Regional Final to be played at Eaglescliffe

Golf Club, Stockton on 26th June. Over 80,000 amateur golfers have so far entered the contest to find the Lombard Top Club of 1995 with a total of 840 golf clubs to date staging qualifying rounds. There are 13 regional finals being held throughout the summer to decide the 13 pairs who will go through to the Grand Final to enjoy an expenses paid five day stay at the Forte Grand Penina Golf and Resort Hotel in the Algarve.

The Lombard Top Club Trophy, sponsored by the UK's largest credit finance and leasing group is the only golfing tournament that combines successful amateur players with their own PGA Club Professionals. The total prize money for professionals in the first year of this three year sponsorship will be just under £50,000 with £20,000 available at the Grand Final.

# TEENAGE FOOTBALLER SIGNS FOR PETERBOROUGH



Young footballer Dion Raitt from Woodham Village, recently signed apprenticeship forms with Peterborough United Football Club. Dion, who has represented Bishop Auckland Schools Football Association and Woodham Comprehensive School has been travelling down to Peterborough most weekends since his trial on the 23rd April last year, training with the Peterborough against other Football Club representative sides, such as Norwich, Leicester, Cambridge and others.

On the date of Dion's trial over a year ago, 168 boys turned out at the London Road Football Ground in Peterborough aged between 12-18. Dion who was 14 at the time, was the only player to be invited back.

Since the trial Dion has been coached by Bob Higgins and Kit Carson who between them have brought professionals like Alan Shearer, Chris Sutton, Mathew Le Tissier, Neil Maddison and Danny Wallace.

Dion moves to Peterborough in July for 2 years, leaving behind friends and family to pursue his soccer career.

Dion is also a member of the Woodham Christian Centre and hopes to attend another

church in Peterborough. He will soon be starting his personal pre-season training as he is shortly going on tour to Denmark his new team.

## Middridge Village Summer Fete Offers Great Family Day Out

Middridge Village Association is holding its annual Summer Fete on the Village Green on Saturday 1st July, with the official opening at 2.00pm. There is plenty to interest the whole family with a Bouncy Castle, Roundabout and Swingboats, Goal scoring competition children's decorated hat competition, display and music from Greenfield Big Band.

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v  
Eryholme  
Sponsors Great Lakes  
N/Aycliffe 171 all out  
(37.4 overs)  
Kevin Mitchie 78  
Peter Roberts 28  
John Williams 16  
Eryholme 143 all out  
(39 overs)  
Peter Roberts 5 for 46  
Steve Todd 3 for 8

Sat 17th June  
Middleton Tyas  
v  
N/Aycliffe 2nd XI  
N/Aycliffe 32 all out  
(19 overs)  
M. Tyas 34 for 2  
(9.5 overs)

Thurs 15th June  
Bob Hay Cup ¼ Final  
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v  
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NICOLA MADDISON 25-6-  
95 All my love for your 21st  
birthday on Sunday, Nicola -  
Robert  
NICOLA MADDISON 25-6-  
95 Love and happiness always  
Nicola, especially for your  
21st birthday on Sunday. Miss  
you at home but the house is a  
lot more tidy! Mam and Dad  
PHILLIP & VIVIENNE are  
pleased to announce the safe  
arrival of their newborn son  
Aston Lewis 18-6-95  
(Father's Day), weighing 6lb  
7oz  
VIV & PHILLIP  
congratulations on the birth of  
your son love Pam  
VIVIENNE & PHILLIP  
congratulations on the birth of  
your beautiful baby boy  
Aston, love Amanda and Chris  
JILL & SIMON  
congratulations on your  
engagement 21-6-95, wishing  
you every happiness in your  
future together, love Dad,  
Mam and family  
EMMA MARLEY Happy  
birthday Em, lots of love  
Mum, Lisa and Nanna  
SMITH & AIREY  
congratulations Beverley and  
Chris on your engagement,  
wishing you both lots of  
happiness for your future, love  
Mam and Dad  
SUSAN BURKITT Happy  
18th birthday love Mam, Dad  
and Kevin  
LAWTON - BUNTING  
congratulations Joanne and  
Mark on your wedding day,  
June 24th, best wishes for your  
future together love Mam and  
Dad  
CHESTER Happy birthday  
Richard, age 2, 22-6-95, lots  
of love Mom and Dad

**Thank you**

THANKS to all the  
"Conspirators" who turned up  
at my 40th birthday party at  
the North Briton. Special  
thanks to the Main  
Conspirator, my wife,  
Michelle, who organised it all.  
I don't know how you kept it  
quiet, but it was a marvellous  
surprise - Terry  
THANK YOU to the girls and  
Mams for a brilliant Hen Day  
at York, lots of love Angelina  
MR & MRS D REYNOLDS  
of Coventry and the Jameson  
family of Alverton Drive  
would like to thank the people  
who found "Mitzi" the toy  
poodle on Sunday 4th June  
and all the people who spent  
time looking for her.  
TO ALL MY many friends -  
I would just like to thank my  
many friends for all my cards,  
flowers, jewellery, cake, plant  
pots and ornaments and many  
others to numerous to mention  
for all my birthday gifts -  
thank you all for making my  
birthday the best one yet -  
thank you - love from Joan  
Edwards

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**Birthday  
Remembrance**

ANN SUMMERSON 21-6-  
95. Dearly loved wife and  
mother, many times we've  
needed you, many times we  
cry, no-one sees our broken  
hearts that lies behind our  
smile's. You left us your  
memories, your love still our  
guide, though we cannot see  
you, you are always by our  
side - Miss you Husband  
Derrick, John, Mike, Sue,  
Steve, Vivienne, Julie and  
Peter  
MICHAEL HALLIMOND  
22nd June 1995. Special  
memories of a dear son and  
brother, always in our  
thoughts Love Dad, Donald,  
Hilary, Denise and Jane  
STAN MOSSOP 22nd June  
1995. Grandad, Happy  
birthday, I wish we could  
spend it together, love you  
always Carrie XX  
STAN MOSSOP 22nd June  
1995. Happy birthday Dad,  
forever in my thoughts Trevor  
DONALDSON 23rd June  
1995. Birthday memories of  
our darling son Nigel, our  
most priceless possessions are  
memories of you, loved and  
longed for every day - Mam,  
Dad and all family and friends  
EMILY OLIVIA IVESON  
24-6-94. No birthday cards for  
you today, no cake, no cheer,  
no games to play. Just an ache  
in our hearts, and tears in our  
eyes. Emily darling you  
touched our lives. A year has  
passed since you came and  
went, we know now you were  
Heaven sent. We love and  
miss you, but one thing is true,  
Emily, baby, we will never  
forget you. All our love little  
one. Mummy, Daddy, Marc,  
Aimee and your new baby  
brother Liam  
EMILY OLIVIA IVESON  
24-6-94. No cards or gifts for  
you this day, but in our hearts  
you will always stay. Sweet  
Lord little angel up above, we  
pray for you and send our love  
Dawn, John and family  
EMILY OLIVIA IVESON  
24-6-94. Nothing can compare  
to the loss of a child. George,  
Fiona and family, our hearts  
go out to you all at this very  
sad time. God bless little  
Emily, all our love Joan, Bob  
and family  
MARGARET MORGAN  
22-6-95. Birthday  
remembrance for a dear friend,  
remembered always Mary,  
Karen, Mark and Aiden

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**In Memoriam**

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94. A year ago you were taken  
away without warning, you  
are sadly missed, our shooting  
days may be over but are never  
forgotten - love always Phil,  
Marg, Joanne, Lorraine  
MAURICE CRAGGS 23-6-  
94. Treasured memories of a  
dear father and Grandfather,  
sadly missed, but always  
remembered, love Steve, Sue,  
John, Mark, Lisa and Alan  
MAURICE CRAGGS Died  
23rd June 1994. To die  
completely a person must be  
forgotten and he who is not  
forgotten is not dead. Not a  
moment goes by that I don't  
think of you - love you always  
Nell  
MAURICE CRAGGS Died  
23rd June 1994. Treasured  
memories of a much loved  
Dad and Grandad, not a day  
passes that we don't think of  
you with love, miss you and  
will love you always Karen  
Kristina and Claire  
MAURICE CRAGGS Died  
23rd June 1994. It has been a  
year since you were taken  
away from us, but there has  
never been a day when you  
haven't been in our thoughts.  
We miss you more each year,  
love to you always. Maurice,  
Paul, Selby, Carly and Tanya  
WEEKS 26-6-94 In memory  
of our dear friend Winston,  
sadly missed John and Frances

**£150 raised for Agnew  
United Junior Football Team**



On 26th May, Claire Brown completed a sponsored swim to raise money to enable a local Junior 6-a-side football team to buy a new strip. Claire was allowed by Woodham Comprehensive School to use their swimming pool and she completed the one mile swim in a time of 26 minutes, 47 seconds. Altogether approximately £150 was raised. This money was used to buy 12 new football strips for Agnew United, who are currently top of Alexander-le-Skerne Junior 6-a-side Summer League, currently being held every Saturday morning at the Oak Leaf Sports Complex. Agnew Manager, Frank Buss hopes to run 2 teams in the Junior and Intermediate League next time round. Agnew United would like to thank Bob Ketch of Alladins Cave in the Town Centre for supplying the strips, thanks also to the staff of Woodham Comprehensive School and to Claire Brown.  
Photo: Centre, Frank Buss (Manager). Paul Howey, Anthony Watson, Stephen Brown, Jordan Dinsdale, Christopher Roache, David Bladwin, Wayne Teder and Gavin Swankey (missing Keeper Stephen Smith)

**RAMBLERS TO  
TAKE ACTION  
OVER BARRED  
ACCESS TO  
BRIDLEWAY**

Dear Sir  
Many readers may be  
concerned at the blatant  
obstruction of Public  
Rights of Way in the  
Water Tower Field, west  
of School Aycliffe.  
The padlocked gate with  
barbed wire on top is the  
beginning of Great  
Aycliffe Bridle Way No.  
2 and continues north to  
Middridge with other  
paths leading of it.  
This Bridle Way was  
considered at a Public  
Inquiry with the  
Inspector confirming it  
to be in the field  
alongside the hedge and  
was subsequently  
confirmed by the  
Secretary of State.  
The fact that a Bridle  
Way sign points up the  
adjacent lane does not  
affect the status of Bridle  
Way No. 2.

The Ramblers  
Association together  
with the Durham County  
Councils enforcement  
officer are taking action  
to have the obstacle  
removed.  
Persons wishing to gain  
access have the right to  
enter the field elsewhere,  
taking the shortest  
possible route to the  
Bridle Way  
(unfortunately in this  
case the ability to climb  
a fence is necessary).  
Other footpath problems  
are being pursued,  
notably those in the  
Heighington area,  
recently highlighted by  
Tyne Tees TV.  
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