
Know this...When things get difficult, stop, and look how far you have come. Then you will realise you can overcome most things given time.

Firstly, this month from me a very happy 90th birthday to our notice board arranger Roger Waller. What a wonderful age to still be fit and well enough to enjoy our association whilst remaining a part of the monthly CMO team. Happy Birthday Roger 🎂

Another happy birthday for early May to another member Robert Stoop who will celebrate reaching his century. Congratulations Robert from us all.

Whilst our last monthly meeting went well with a visit from Keith Nicol providing information about the Expo and John McGregor with his "Dads Story", it would have been nice to have seen more members attending. I always like to think of these meetings as more of an opportunity to get together, meet friends (old and new) and generally have a drink and a chat.

This month is our AGM and don't forget you will need your 2026 membership badge to gain entry. Following the AGM will be an opportunity to pay for any social events in the foyer of the CMO.

By now you should have received an email with the final AGM notice and also reports from the President, Treasurer and Secretary along with our annual audited accounts and trust you will have completed and sent in your committee application forms !!!

Seriously though on the above note, we do have a shortage of committee members. We need people who want to help and support our existing committee members and continue the growth of the association. Without your support and help and new committee members your association could be....well let's not think about it. Ask the question..what can I do to help..Thank you.

Our welfare officer (Ann) recently came across another worthy "helping" association for us. The CCA at Playa Flamenca. They are there to help people with welfare and social advice as well as a variety of interactive classes. Check out our website "welfare" page for further information.

This month we are helping Samaritans in Spain with our monthly charity donation but don't forget we are still collecting dry food and goods for those less fortunate than ourselves. These will be distributed to local charities.

Sometime ago, in a passing comment, someone asked me to collect unopened medication tablets for sending on to third world countries. Please if this was you can you tell me again where to drop them off as I have collected a bag full.

In membership news, as at the end of March and the final opportunity to renew membership without rejoining, we now have in excess of 700 members. Thank you.

It would seem we found something that many people like and enjoy. Afternoon tea was a resounding success, fully booked. A great afternoon with lots to eat and drink. Thank you Jean for arranging. Next up is a "pop up" gardening group. No booking required, simply turn up.

Lots more planned so check out the website and keep a look out for flyers in your email in box.

May....Crazy Golf

June...Benidorm

In business news.

Last month a lorry carrying over four thousand Kit Kat bars was hijacked by thieves somewhere en route between Italy and Poland. The lorry has not been recovered as yet....Perhaps they're having a break somewhere !!

Look out for more N332 delays as Punta Prima roundabout gets the go ahead for new AI powered traffic lights with the aim of improving traffic flow via artificial intelligence. Delays are expected until the end of May for the installation.

This is me, not AI, saying thank you for reading and bye for now

Peter

Riddle....what can travel around the world without leaving the corner



Answer

A stamp

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