

PAY DAY GAZETTE

The Official Organ of the Castle Transmission Club

October 1997

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Contributions from the teams especially welcome !!!

NEWS FROM THE SECTIONS

Aerobics Continues on Thursdays 1715-1815 in the Club Room. Details from Vicky Vrolyk WTP 16323.

Badminton Fortnightly at Warwick School, Thursdays 1800-1900. Contact Christine Meiner on WTP 16393 for more details.

Squash Meet on Monday 1800-1900 at Warwick School. Contact Dave Thickett WTP 16265

Soccer 5 a side football fortnightly on Thursdays 1800-1900 Warwick School. Contact Denis Moloney WTP 16336

Swimming Meet at Warwick School on Tuesdays 1800-1900. Contact Sue Butcher 16467

Running Mon/Wed/Fri lunchtimes. Meet WTP reception at 1200. Contact Angie Haines or Mark Ashworth.

EVENTS CALENDAR

31 Oct	WTP Evening Party
19 Dec	WTP Christmas Lunch/Party (members only)
31 Jan 1998	Skiing in French Alps *** SOLD OUT ***
Spring 1998	Coast to Coast Cycle trip (Pete Mahood)
14 Jun 1998	24h du Mans (Bob Day)

A COMPETITION

Continued from last month...still open for entries

Last month's competition to rename the WTP meeting rooms continues. A reminder of the rules...

1. Submit four names.
2. See rule 1.
3. errrrr..... that's it.

Use any media you like to get your entry in (yellow stickies on my monitor / eMail to SP) apart from carrier pigeon or 'phone. Obviously you stand more chance of winning if the names that you suggest are "grown up", but life isn't all about winning, is it? So send any thing you like in, it'll give the judges a giggle. Ohhh yes, it will be judged, and my their decision will be final, subject to Taste Police approval.

A REWARD

The honour and privilege of knowing that you have contributed to the betterment of mankind is the first prize at the moment, but we will think of something better later.

ENTRIES

To Sandy Peet, MAS, (first floor, East corner) WTP or sandy.peet@bbc.co.uk

TREK ACROSS DARTMOOR

So, we're all set to go, woolies and waterproofs packed, all set for a 15 mile trek across deepest Dartmoor when we hear that our leader, Nigel Whyman, can't make it! (see overleaf) "Nevermind." we say, "We'll go anyway." So, off we trundled to Tavistock, ready for a hard weekend's walking and drinking.

Come Saturday morning we met up bright and early (well, about 10am) as arranged (all five of us) and set off in high spirits. My illusion that moors were supposed to be flat and windy was soon shattered as we discovered that they are in fact hilly and windy. They also contain a lot of rivers and no bridges which caused some inconvenience, amusement and wet feet (photos of Angie's river-crossing technique available to view, unless she gets to them first).

Cleverly, the walk was planned to finish at a pub. The plan was to drive back that evening but the seats in the pub were just too comfortable, the menu looked just too tempting, the beer was just too good, the eyelids just wouldn't stay open.

Thanks to Nigel Whyman for arranging the trip and planning the route, even though he wasn't able to attend himself. A good walk was had by all. Hopefully, we'll do it again next year.

Nigel S Turner

OCTOBER EVENING PARTY

This year the theme will be "American French Halloween Party" and all guests are expected to come in Fancy Dress. Everyone should ideally be dressed as identifiably American or French.

The event will start at 7.30pm on Friday 31 October 1997 and finish just past the witching hour. Format as before, with the CTI Club providing the buffet and entertainment; you provide the drinks. Can you please purchase your tickets from a Committee Member asap.

All we ask of you is £7 for Club Members and £10 for Non Members. *Regards Ian Gibbins*

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Yes folks, we've received TWO letters this month!!!

Sir

I have heard that there is a new diet craze sweeping through the company which is apparently producing dramatic results. I think it's called the HMAS Plan. Is there any truth in these rumours? Do you have any further details that you could pass on to the horizontally unchallenged section of your readership?

Duncan Donat

Sir,

I have recently had some DAB equipment installed on my patch and was wondering who to contact for drawings, handbooks etc.. Who should I contact at Warwick about DAB?

Duncan Disorderly

Why not try the following, whom we believe is point of contact for such things...

BBC

Transmitter Capital Projects
Department

PAUL SCOTT
Project Engineer

IT'S ALL MY FAULT!

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