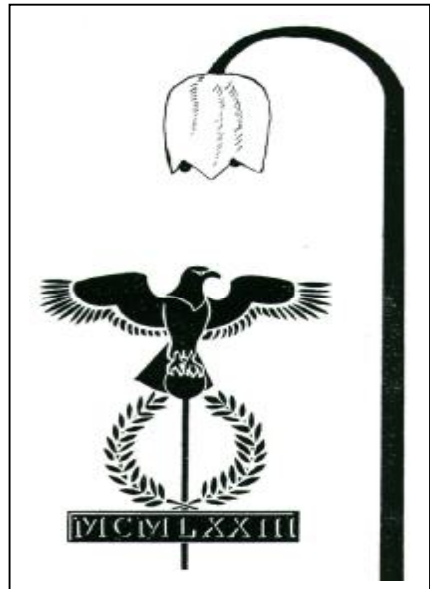




Loddon D.A. Newsletter

June/July 2010



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Material contained within the Loddon leak does not necessarily express the policy of the D.A. committee or the Camping & Caravanning Club

Chairman's Corner

Despite the weather the Easter Meet and AGM were very successful, and as you can see there have been a few changes to the Loddon DA committee, As Audrey Waite is no longer able to camp she has decided not to stand again for the committee, and Jon-George Bolton has also decided not to stand again owing to work commitments. I should like to thank both of them for their work in the past. However we are glad to welcome Mark Trevena and Shanie Masson to the committee. Jim Tocher has taken over the position as Vice Chairman, Michelle Trevena is our new Regalia Officer and Shanie Masson is now the assistant Sites Officer. Other members of the committee retain their previous positions.

Hopefully we can now look forward to a happy and sunny summer.

Brian Thorn



Editors Notes.

Well it seems that I am the editor of the Loddon newsletter for the 2010/11 season. So once again I am asking you for help in filling these pages funnies, photos and mainly reports of meets would be most welcome. So please get out your pens, laptops and cameras, and let me have he results.

Yvonne

FROM THE "WEAKEST LINK"

Spot the mistakes

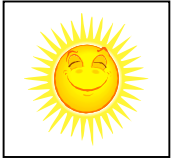
Question : What are people called who live in a house paying rent to a landlord?

Answer: Terrorists

Question; The show held annually in London, called Crufts, is for what animal?

Answer: Sheep.

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LODDON'S TEN DAY

Spring Bank Holiday Meet

at
Loveders Farm, Nutbourne
nr Chichester.

Thursday May 27th
to
Sunday June 6th

Site opens 2.00pm Thursday.

The programme of events will include
horseshoe & boules competitions

For directions please see
Y.B.S.B. 197 76.

MR 197/775058 PO10 8JH

N50° 50.676 W0°54.088

Further details ring **07856 636064**

Our site is within easy reach of
The ancient cities of
Chichester and Portsmouth

The Weald & Downland Open Air Museum
at Singleton,

Lovely Bosham Harbour
Fishbourne. Roman Palace,
And of course

the ever popular seaside resorts
of Hayling Island and Bognor Regis

MORE OLD GROANERS

I met the bloke who invented crosswords today. I
can't remember his name, its P something T
something R.

I was in the jungle and there was this monkey with a
tin opener. I said, 'You don't need a tin opener to peel
a banana.' He said, 'No, this is for the custard.'

I visited the offices of the RSPCA today. It's tiny: you
couldn't swing a cat in there.



June 11th
to
June 28th



For the 26th glorious year
LODDON D.A. is returning to

**MANOR FARM
BURTON BRADSTOCK
DORSET**

After all what more could you want
lovely site, beautiful country,
pretty village (with shops & pubs)
close to the sea
and the Jurassic coast.

AND

The usual friendly Loddon welcome.

Directions

Take the B 3157 from Bridport to Weymouth,
on entering the village of Burton Bradstock
look out for the LDA signs and turn right into
the entrance. MR193/485895. DT6 4QA.

N50° 42.234 - W2° 43.785

Sat/nav users please approach from **Bridport**
and not through **Shipton Gorge**.

For further information ring 01635 278510 or
on site the Loddon D.A. phone 07856 636064

And you can visit the

**West Dorset Vintage Tractor
& Stationary Engine Club Rally**
Saturday, 12th & Sunday, 13th June
(9:00am - 5:00pm)

Held at the Britt Valley Camping Ground.
Displays include vintage vehicle parades, ring
displays, steam engines, market stalls and
more. Bar and refreshments available.

**Bridport Food Festival
Askers Meadow (Sea Road South)**

On Friday 18th June at 5.00pm you can enjoy
a Hog Roast and Music at the Beer Festival
Or on Saturday, 19th June, 9:30am you can
check out the food stalls, cooking
demonstrations, farmers market, local crafts
and much more.

June
10th - 14th

Southern Region Summer Meet

Bak to skool

Broadlands Estate 185/357210

Romsey SO51 8HN

5 Day meet Booking available

Roll up, Roll up. Dress up & Join in

By
Waterside D.A.



June 18th -20th

UFTON GREEN FARM

Church Lane. Ufton Nervet

Nr Reading

New site for Loddon DA.

Ufton Nervet village is located in the hills above and to the south of the River Kennet. Two narrow lanes connect the village to the A4, crossing the Kennet and Avon Canal and the Great Western railway line in the valley bottom. Both lanes cross the canal by swing bridges, the smaller of the lanes passes through Ufton Green.

DIRECTIONS

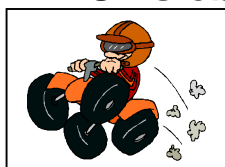
From Tadley take the Burghfield Rd go through Padworth Common and turn left to Ufton Nerve. From A4 tn at Spring Inn, Theale to Sulhampstead & Ufton Nerve in Village turn right after Church.

Site opens at 2.00pm Tel - 07743 687715

MR175/634674 RG7 4HQ
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Marwell Activity Centre

Owslebury nr Winchester



Friday July 2nd

Sunday July 4th

Site opens at 2.00pm

Please check on arrival with the office to see what activities are available.

Restaurant on site for a
yummy breakfast



Directions: - From junction 11 on the M3 follow brown "Marwell" signs. But at the zoo stay on the B2177 for approx 1 mile then turn left into Marwell Activity Centre, following the yellow L.D.A. signs.

Tel 07743 687715

MR185/508210 SO21 1EZ
N50⁰ 59.031 - W1⁰ 16.486

Thursday 8th -
Tuesday 13th July

5 day meet at

Bishops Green Farm.

Bishops Green. nr Newbury



Cheese and wine evening,

Horseshoe competition for
The Fred Hobbs trophy

And not forgetting our
popular table top sale.



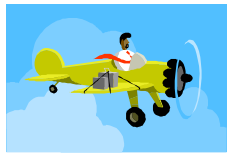
Site opens at 2.00pm Thursday

Directions please see YBSB 174 60.

MR174/502630 - RG20 4JP
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For further details please ring
01635 278510 or e-mail

secretary@loddonda.co.uk



**16th – 18th July
Popham Airfield
Popham**

**Returning to an old DA site
all welcome,**

Come and watch “those magnificent men (and women) in their flying machines”. And maybe have a snack in the on site café.

Directions.

From B/stoke exit A303 signposted Overton turn right under A303 1st turn right.
From Andover take Overton exit at T junction turn right & immediately left.

In both cases continue until you see the yellow DA signs

SO21 3BD, MR 185/529439
N51° 11.497 W1° 14.813

Site opens at 1.00pm

For further details of this meet only please ring
01252 683711
or on site
07709 091973



**Thursday 29th July
to
Monday 2nd Aug**



**Bruce Arms Public House
Easton Royal
nr Pewsey. Wiltshire**

**4 day meet at this
New Site for Loddon DA**

Within easy reach of the big shopping outlet in Swindon. And Salisbury Plain Bar meals available in the Bruce Arms

Site opens at 1.00pm

Directions

The site is on the B3087 between Burbage and Pewsey. For further directions please see BSB 173 96

N51° 20.914 W1° 43.026

For further details of this meet only please ring 01252 683711
or on site 07709 091973

BRUCE ARMS MEET

Please Note

Stewards John & Avril would like to point out that this meet is being held on the field opposite the Bruce Arms and not on the campsite. Be sure to look out for the yellow DA signs



Easter at Overton.

Children busy decorating eggs and The senior “jockeys” taking part in one of the “horse races”

WOMEN'S REVENGE

'Cash, cheque or charge?' I asked, after folding items the woman wished to purchase as she fumbled for her purse, I noticed a remote control for a television set in her bag. 'So, do you always carry your TV remote?' I asked. 'No,' she replied, 'but my husband refused to come shopping with me, and I figured this was the most evil thing I could do to him legally.'