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Events Held:

21st August - 3rd Skilled Driver and Parish Teams - Thank you very much to Karen and Joan for judging & scribing plus all our stewards & helpers. Thank you to Dave Gallichan and his crew for building the courses.

11th September - With the unfortunate cancellation of Le Trec, a World Cup Event was held - we would like to thank Dave and John for Building the Course, Karen for judging and Catherine for scribing. This event was enjoyed by everyone taking part.

Future Events:

1st October - National Carriage Driving Championships - Addington Manor - Good Luck to our members that are traveling to compete at this event.

9th October - Field Event - to be held at the Club Field, St Lawrence Main Road - Start at 10am
Entry forms are available from the canteen and on the website.

Entries close 27th September

16th October - Drive - to leave from Fairlight, St Lawrence prompt at 11:30am. Hosted by Fleur White.
Please contact Fleur if you have a large horse box and will be attending as she will need to organise parking.

22nd October - Bowling Evening - to be held at Jersey Bowl, 7:30pm. *****Please note this change of date *****
Full details enclosed, if you would like to attend then please complete and return the form by **15th October**.
For people that have booked to attend the bowling evening, please arrive at Jersey Bowl, St Peter at 7:15pm ready for bowling to commence at 7:30pm.

23rd October - Breezing and Best Brass - to be held at Samares Manor

30th October - World Cup Event, half day at Les Marais Indoor Centre

This event will be run under the same conditions as the recent event at the club field. For further information, please speak to Tara Hill.

Entry forms available from the website & canteen.

Entries close 5th October ** Please note that if there are insufficient entries, this event will be cancelled **

12th November - Annual Dinner - to be held at the Red Rose Restaurant.

For our 40th Year we would like to celebrate by making this Annual Dinner an optional 'Dress to impress' evening. You are invited to wear cocktail dresses and evening suits but this is optional.

Menu enclosed, please send numbers and payment to Catherine Peters by 2nd November to The Studio, La Cavalerie, Mont Cochon, St Helier, JE2 3JB. (Please make cheques payable to JHDS)

14th November - AGM - To be held at Grainville Sports Pavillion, St Saviour to start prompt at 8pm.

Further details to follow in next newsletter

Missing Club Flag

At a recent show our Club Flag was taken down and was not returned. If you have the flag or know of its whereabouts, please return it as soon as possible.

Annual Trophies

If you have an Annual trophy, please ensure they are returned to Shirley Le Marquand cleaned and engraved by the **30th October**. If trophies are returned un-cleaned or after the closing date a **£5 fee will be levied**.

Wanted

Our club Rice horsebox trailer requires some new wheels. If you have some spare wheels or know someone that may be able to help, please contact John Vibert or Ian Le Marquand.

Treasurer

It is with regret that our Treasurer, Phil Rondel has advised us that he will be retiring from the role of Treasurer after the AGM in November. If you would like to take on this role or know of someone that might, please contact Ian Le Marquand on 07797 710 667.

New Members

We would like to welcome Kath Bisson as a New driving member, we look forward to seeing you at our future events.

Congratulations

To Posy Biles for her recent success at the Royal London Show. Posy qualified for the Royal London Show at our Ruby Show held in July.

Congratulations to Claire Ahier on her recent wedding.

To Ellen Littlechild on her recent success in the UK at the Carriage driving trials.

Condolences

Our thoughts are with the Quenault family after the recent loss of Faye.

Thank You

To Pete Gouedart who attended to the wasps nest at the club field.

Jim Vautier

In August we said goodbye to Jim
Members will all have special memories of him
His enthusiasm for our club we will always remember
As forty years ago he was a founder member.
It was Flight that he drove at our shows
And together they breezed many rows
For the Horse Driving Society played a large part in his life
Alongside his family and Irene his wife.
When someone says "Did you know Jim"
It is in his brown suit and bowler that we think of him.

Robert & Beryl Vautier would like to thank all members for their kind words, wishes and to those who took part in the guard of honour at Jim Vautier's funeral. This meant a lot to the Vautier family.