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War historian: 'I've been full and fair'

THE author of the newly-released *Official History of the Falklands Campaign* has assured Islanders, "I have made every effort to tell the story fully and fairly."

Sir Lawrence Freedman's book, which was released on Tuesday, is the first comprehensive history of the 1982 war and has created a stir in the British and Argentine press.

The two volumes reveal that some of the British task force ships carried nuclear weapons during the war, confirms the valuable help given to Britain by the United States and Chile, examines controversial military actions such as the sinking of the Argentine cruiser *Belgrano* and *HMS Sheffield*, discusses the tensions over media reporting, and exposes the British Government's secret talks with Argentina over the transfer of titular sovereignty in return for a long lease-back period of continuing British rule.

Professor Freedman this week told *Penguin News* he knew there would be a lot of press interest in the book, "...and that some of the stories - nuclear weapons, *Belgrano*, Chile - were likely to make headlines."

However, he was annoyed that the first story, in the *Mail on Sunday*, was so wrong, "...for example, on what I say about sovereignty or that this book was in some ways tied to Tony Blair -

I was originally approached to write the book under John Major."

To Professor Freedman 'Official History' is an awkward title, "...because people assume that this must mean you are speaking for the government, although it only means that I was commissioned by the government and had complete access to archives.

"Because there was a strict embargo on interviews I was unable to counter the inaccurate early stories. I hope that now people are able to read the book they can judge for themselves its quality and conclusions."

He said from early on he believed that, in writing the official history, the best way to deal with the most controversial questions, "...was to stay close to the evidence and avoid too much speculation or editorialising."

Professor Freedman disagreed that there seemed to be a contradiction in his apparent conclusion that the British government had no prior knowledge of the planned invasion, yet the RAF appeared to be saying the previous year that they could not defend the Falkland Islands against Argentine aggression.

He argued, "There is no contradiction. The military believed that the Falklands were essentially indefensible. When the

question was put this is how they replied." The question however, Professor Freedman said, was hypothetical. "My book confirms that the government only really understood what was underway on March 31, 1982, although there was a growing recognition that they could face a serious problem some time in 1982."

The historian said the secret talks held by then Foreign Office (FCO) minister Nicholas Ridley, while seeming to confirm suspicions Islanders had of 'double dealing' by the FCO, in fact showed the British resolve that Islanders' wishes were paramount.

He said, "It is true that the FCO felt that any attempt to work out a deal with the Argentines had to be covert, because otherwise this would be denounced as a betrayal. But Ridley always made clear to the Argentines that he had to get Islander approval."

"The government view was that the Islanders must not be coerced into an agreement. They had to come to accept a deal themselves, without prompting. However they never were going to do so."

"Whether they would have taken a different view if the government had been more explicit about its interests and concerns I do not know, but my impression is that Islanders would at least have preferred a more honest approach." *Continued on page 3*

Mail investigation

APPARENT "violation" of mail en route to the Falklands and elsewhere via Mill Hill in the United Kingdom is being investigated by police.

The Royal Falkland Islands Police have been asked to assist Ministry of Defence police in a widespread investigation into thefts of mail from within the system at the United Kingdom end.

According to a statement released by police this week, a person has been arrested on suspicion of theft of mail and, "...the investigation is progressing well," however, "it would not be appropriate to comment any further at this stage due to the ongoing investigation. Detectives from both forces are in constant contact."

Postmaster Moira Eccles confirmed that any apparent mail irregularities discovered by postal staff in Stanley are reported back to Royal Mail for clarification and possible investigation. "Royal Mail confirms that any security issues are treated seriously and investigated fully by their security team."

Mrs Eccles said customers who suspect that they may have mail missing are advised to contact the sender, "...especially if it involves credit cards or correspondence from their overseas bank accounts as the sender is the person who has the facts about when and where an item entered the mail system."

When questioned by *Penguin News* yesterday afternoon, a spokesperson for the Ministry of Defence's UK press office said she was unaware of the investigation and therefore felt unable to comment, however she hoped to be able to do so in the very near future.

Competition images capture Islands' beauty

THE winners have been announced in the Photographic Competition run by the Falkland Islands Tourist Board.

The international panel of judges made their final decision on Tuesday and chose an image captured on Carcass Island by Italian photographer Ciaccio Andrea for the top prize, a return flight to the Falklands from London.

A selection of the photographs submitted for the competition will be on show - such as this image (right) which won the Commander of British Forces, Commodore Ian Moncrieff, the top prize in the military section - at the Jetty Visitor's Centre for a week, beginning tomorrow (Saturday).

More coverage of the competition on centre pages.



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Comment by Managing Editor, Jenny Cockwell

LATE last week, a caller to the office, although phoning for the nice reason of commending Rob Burnett's editorial, provoked a debate with me by imploring, "Penguin News must always act as opposition to government."

I could see his point, after all this column has often carried my (and my predecessor's) complaints about the existence of GPC and the way it creates the perception that councillors are, irritatingly, always in agreement.

As their decisions and debates take place behind closed doors, it's easy to believe they all feel the same on every issue, something I know for a fact is not true.

But it's nigh on impossible to know individual councillors' stances on issues and this creates a feeling of unaccountability. Therefore the media must try its damndest to challenge and question the decisions taken - and the reasoning behind decisions.

However that doesn't mean we should always act as the opposition for opposition's sake.

The remit of *Penguin News* is to report with accuracy and without bias. I know we sometimes fall down on both counts, but this is what we strive to achieve.

Press in the UK (and of course, in most of the world) have the advantage of being able to take a political stance in favour or against the government.

Penguin News is not so fortunate: being the only newspaper in the Falklands, were we to attack the government on every issue, we would lose credibility and then cease to be an essential tool for the community.

The Falklands is too small a place for the kind of continuous confrontational journalism my caller last week was demanding. Yes, there are times for confrontation (July 99 springs to mind) but balanced reporting is essential. We must be free to give praise when due but equally to attack when due.

I do believe our readers (and those on the receiving end) would soon grow tired were we to attack the government on everything for the very sake of it.

It's vital we are not seen as a government mouthpiece, but at the same time it is not our sole purpose to act as political opposition to FIG.

Our aim must be to strike a balance without compromising integrity.

Book-keeping course for absolute beginners

The Training Centre would like to announce a two day course "Absolute beginners book-keeping and an introduction to accounts" which will be run by Mandy McLeod and Gordon Ewing on 13 & 14 July 2005.

Aims: To introduce good book keeping practice and basic accounts for the small business, office and the home.

Objectives: Upon completion of the course participants will have gained skills in basic book keeping and 'paper trail management', as well as an understanding of why we need to keep accounts and who they are for. They will achieve this by:

- Knowing how to set up a simple system of paper trail management.
- By understanding the purpose of different documents and how they should be recorded and filed.
- Setting up and working a Cash Analysis Book.
- Creating a Cash Flow.
- Understanding the importance of reconciliation with statements.

Methodology / Format:

A small amount of theory by way of introduction to the purpose and benefits of good book-keeping, but mainly hands on learning with each participant working through exercises to create a working cash analysis book and a cash flow.

Level / previous knowledge needed: ABSOLUTELY NONE – but bring a simple calculator.

Summary of content:

Participants will:

- Set up a book keeping system ensuring a good 'paper trail'.
- Record entries of income and expenditure into a Cash Analysis Book.
- Create a Cash Flow for monitoring and control of the business or home income and expenditure.

Anyone interested in attending this "Computer for absolute beginners" course should contact **Anva Harris** on telephone 27133, fax 27137, email address aharris.training@sec.gov.fk to reserve a place. The cost for non-Government personnel is £50.

Lord Triesman's sovereignty assurance

TWO councillors have returned from engagements overseas which included a meeting with the new Falklands minister, Lord Triesman.

Mike Summers travelled to the UK and Channel Islands in June while John Birmingham headed to the UK, US and Canada.

Both men, along with councillor Stephen Luxton and the Falklands representative to the UK, Sukey Cameron, met the new Foreign Office Minister with responsibility for the Falklands, Lord Triesman. Councillor Summers said the meeting was "cordial" and largely a "getting to know you" session.

He said they talked extensively about Argentine issues. "...briefing the Minister on the current position and possible developments." He said Lord Triesman assured that, "...under his management there would be no change to the content or the tone of messages to Argentina on sovereignty. It is not for discussion."

Councillor Birmingham said Lord Triesman is keen to visit the Falklands and his office is looking to organise a date in the future. He described the minister as "very supportive" and "well aware of the issues and difficulties we face."

Also discussed during the meeting were economic development, developments in the fishing industry, oil exploration, and the upcoming Official History of the Falklands War.

Councillors Birmingham and Luxton then headed to New York for the meeting of the Committee on Decolonisation - as reported in *Penguin News* in recent weeks - and to Washington for a meeting at the State Department which followed on from previous briefings.

The representatives of the State Department, Councillor Birmingham said, "...listened with interest but made no comments about the Falklands and the events of the last year."

Meanwhile, Councillor Summers attended the Commonwealth Parliamentary Association British and Mediterranean Islands Regional Conference which he said was "well attended and well organised by the Jersey Branch."

The Conference opened on Monday, June 13, with welcoming speeches by Sir Philip Bailhache, the Bailiff of Jersey, and Lieutenant Governor, Air Chief

Marshal John Cheshire of the RAF, who has been to the Falklands a few times since 1982.

Councillor Summers was asked to respond to the welcoming speeches on behalf of the guests and he chaired a session that afternoon entitled "Facing up to the problems caused by an ageing society".

During the Regional AGM on the Tuesday afternoon, Councillor Summers briefed the meeting on current developments in the Falklands, including the relationship with Argentina, and he, "...asked for support on the issue of self determination."

He asked participants at the meeting to reiterate their commitment to the defence of the, "...inalienable right to self-determination of all non-independent territories, including the people of the Falkland Islands and Gibraltar..."

Councillor Summers said there was "wholehearted support" for the Falklands from all countries and the Region is to write to Foreign Minister Jack Straw on the matter.

After his visit to the US, Councillor Birmingham headed to Ottawa, Canada where he had meetings with the provincial tourism section of the government and individuals involved at a national level.

When asked what relevance this meeting had, he said, "There are similarities in that they have a large farming community which is finding it difficult to maintain its income level. Their priority is to push for more tourists to go to outlying areas; farming holidays is a growing sector of the market."

Councillor Birmingham also met with the Canadian Minister for Fisheries and other fishing officials with whom he discussed illegal fishing on the high seas.

The main purpose of his visit to Canada, he said, was to "maintain links" established during a visit by Canadian parliamentarians earlier this year: "It's very important to keep our finger-hold in this very large country, if not on an official level, certainly amongst fellow parliamentarians."

His visit to Canada culminated in a small dinner hosted by the MPs who visited earlier in the year, along with some other parliamentarians, "...who were interested in listening to the issues and difficulties the Falklands face at the moment."

Argentine landing rumour 'nonsense'

A RUMOUR that an unauthorised landing had been made on the Falklands by a group of Argentines has been rubbished by the Governor.

Penguin News learned of the rumour when a member of the public telephoned to say he believed an illegal landing had been made on the Islands by a group of "Argen-

tine surveyors" who were then removed by British special forces.

Penguin News contacted His Excellency the Governor, Mr Howard Pearce, who said the rumour was "news to me!"

He commented, "I have no idea what may have given rise to this particular rumour, but it's nonsense."

War history author: 'I've been full and fair'

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He continued, "During Ridley's visit in 1980 nobody knew whether they were discussing vague ideas of a real prospect. The Islanders should take comfort from the fact that while many were unhappy with the impact of the Falklands on broader relations with Latin America, the position that the Islanders' wishes were paramount was never challenged."

Professor Freedman visited the Falklands approximately five years ago. He said that during that visit he was "struck forcefully" that "the big difference between now and then is that the Falklands are viable and have a long-term future."

"That was hardly the case in 1982 with a weak economy and a declining population. Of course the events of 1982 changed British attitudes towards the Falklands. If it hadn't been possible to organise the task force to expel the Argentines, Ridley might have considered himself vindicated."

Professor Freedman is sure Islanders, like many other readers, "will have quibbles, believe I've got things wrong or wish I'd stated things differently," and added, "Even with such a long book I am aware of how much I had to leave out."

Tarmac surface still an option for MPA road?

ROADS Engineer Bob Hancox hosted a trip for the public to view the MPA road last Thursday after its current state had attracted criticism and concern at the recent public meeting

Members of the public met Bob in Stanley although many decided not to proceed as he said, "the road was still partially frozen and they felt that we would not get a realistic view."

Bob said the initial discussion was related to the nature of the capping material being used, but talks quickly turned to, "...what the majority were really concerned about, which was the sealing of the road.

"Various options were put forward from spray and chip through asphalt to concrete with the merits and costs of each being considered."

Gold for Biggs as Bisley competition continues

THE Falkland Islands Defence Force (FIDF) team is shooting well at the Bisley competitions, according to their Commanding Officer, Major Peter Biggs.

In the International Gun Match, Private Daniel Biggs achieved a gold medal while Corporal Ian Betis achieved bronze.

Major Biggs said the newest team members, Dustin Gilson-Clarke and Geoff Loftus, are, "shooting very well, considering it is their first time."

The team spent four days this

However he said he hopes Islanders appreciate, "...that I have made every effort to tell the story fully and fairly."

He added, "In the end the history of the Falkland Islands and the events of 1982 makes for a quite extraordinary story and it was a privilege to be given the chance to write it."

Meanwhile the Argentine government is considering taking legal action over Professor Freedman's book which it says is, "based exclusively on British sources."

Following the launching of the book, the Argentine Foreign Ministry released a statement complaining that it is, "conceived from the British perspective."

The statement goes on to say that the Argentine government has begun an "in depth" study of the book and that they will, "...analyse the events described and adopt the legal and diplomatic measures which are pertinent so as to preserve the Republic of Argentina's position regarding the question of the Islas Malvinas."

The statement ends with the ministry reaffirming what it calls its, "legitimate sovereignty rights" over the Falklands, South Georgia, the South Sandwich Islands and surrounding waters. *P/N/MP*

John Allan, who went on the trip said, " Bob answered all our questions very well" and that much of the discussion was about the viability of laying a tarmac surface. He said, "The consensus of opinion is that it's got to be tarmaced."

He went on to say Mr Hancox confirmed that, contrary to popular belief, tarmac can be laid on the current road surface and, "we have the plant and equipment and the manpower to do it."

Councillor Roger Edwards was also present and promised to put the subject on the agenda for the next PWD committee meeting and to raise the matter with the Director of Public Works.

However, according to Bob, Councillor Edwards did, "note his concern over the cost to FIG which would be very high for any of the options."

week shooting in the Army Rifle Association competition and will move on to the Territorial Army competition today.

Major Biggs said this year's competition seems to have attracted more entries than previous years and therefore the standard of shooting has been raised.

Of the FIDF's performance he commented, "Overall it's going well; the guys are shooting well.

I'm very pleased with the way they're going, we just need a bit of good luck to win more medals."

Winter wedding for Mandy and Simon



Above: Mandy and Simon with Caitlin and Brendan

A WHITE wedding at the weekend has banished the winter blues for a Stanley couple.

Mandy McRae and Simon Ford were married before family and friends in Christ Church Cathedral on Saturday.

Mandy wore a beautiful ivory and silk chiffon dress from the UK, accentuated by a lace coat and train made by Christine Mitchell.

Her bridesmaids, Sarah Halford, Sarah Faria and Cara Ford, all wore midnight blue outfits, and youngest bridesmaid, Mandy's daughter Caitlin, wore an ivory and silk dress with a fur-lined cloak and sleeves. Sarah Halford and Cara both travelled from the United Kingdom for the occasion.

Simon's brother Darrel was his

best man and the pair wore charcoal suits with burgundy shirts. Simon and Mandy's son Brendan was page boy and he wore black trousers, burgundy waistcoat and cream shirt.

Mother of the bride, Linda McRae, wore a purple trouser suit while Simon's mum Cherry Robson wore an ivory white trouser suit. His father's partner, Dolly Morrison, wore a spice coloured suit.

After the wedding ceremony, the couple had photographs taken in Mandy's parent's garden before heading to Malvina House Hotel for a family meal. Their happy day was rounded off with a reception and dance in the Falkland Islands Defence Force Drill Hall.

Notice from the Customs and Immigration Department

The Public is notified that for a period of three months commencing Thursday, 04 July 2005, the Customs and Immigration Department will be closed every Thursday in order to manage more effectively its administrative workload and to allow for local training to be undertaken.

The Department will however attend to urgent cases, for which an appointment can be arranged by telephoning us on 27340.

Public hours in respect of all other days of the normal working week remain as: 08.00 to 12.00 and 13.15 to 16.30

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Remembering Jim Stevens 1930 - 2005

By the family of the late Jim Stevens

IT IS with sadness that we report the death of former *Penguin News* Editor James 'Jim' Stevens on June 18.

Jim was born in Ipswich on July 22, 1930 and moved to Surrey at some stage where he later remembered being bombed during the war. An incendiary bomb actually landed by the family air-raid shelter in their back yard. Later in the war he remembered sitting reading, when a doodle bug flew over and its engine stopped. It landed close enough for the explosion to bring masonry down in the house.

After school Jim decided on a profession in journalism and started his career by joining the *East Anglian Daily Times* in Ipswich. It was during this period that he met Kate, after being involved in a motorbike accident and being treated in the hospital where she worked. Jim's career took him from the provincial newspapers to Fleet Street which, using a football analogy, would be like from the Vauxhall Conference to the Premiership. Once Jim started work in London the family moved to a small village in Kent and he commuted to London daily. It was a great environment to live in, deep in the Kentish countryside surrounded by cherry and apple orchards, copses, woodland and fields of cows, sheep and corn.

It was probably from their father that his eldest daughter and son got their wanderlust which has led to the former settling in Crete and the latter doing the same in the Falklands. Jim was a very proud Brit and was determined the family would enjoy the sights and sounds of their native land. As many families went to the nearest sea side for their holiday, Jim would have planned a three week study of some part of the British Isles. As a family, over five years, we must have studied every muddy, wind swept field from Lands End to the Isle of Sky.

Jim eventually realised that although the British Isles were beautiful the weather wasn't. The next phase of his holiday master plan was to camp throughout most of Europe. He would load up the car and go for it, reaching places like Yugoslavia, Morocco, Portugal, Bulgaria and Corsica.

Today with all the motorways it's a doddle but in the sixties you didn't see that many other cars from the



UK once you left the beaten track.

As retirement age approached Jim and Kate decided to move to Essex closer to their only child who had remained in UK. Although life continued much as before, the mechanics of commuting to London from their new home was hard work with Kate having to drive to London after midnight to collect Jim because there were no trains home at that time of night.

It must have been at this point that Jim thought perhaps editing the *Penguin News*, where you could walk to work in five minutes, would be appealing even though the financial rewards weren't that great. This of course started a four year association where anyone looking back can see the difference that Jim's knowledge brought to this publication.

Jim and Kate took to Falkland life and often made the trip out to see their son and family at Port Sussex Farm, before the roads came to that area. They also visited many places island-wide.

Like many before them, Kate and Jim got bitten by the Falkland bug and would often reminisce about the people they had met and the things that they had done. Of course working in the Islands opens the door to South America and Jim was able to feed his travelling hunger by visiting Chile and Peru although I'm sure Kate was glad that by this time Jim was content to sleep in a comfortable hotel bed and eat hotel food (we think).

Jim was a hard worker and a good provider. Someone who would take a risk and do something out of the ordinary. He will be sorely missed by all his family and friends.

FOGL granted licence extension

FALKLAND Oil and Gas Limited (FOGL) has been granted a two year extension to its exploration licences held jointly with Hardman Resources, subject to them fulfilling certain requirements.

The licence, which is split into two phases, will now run to 2010 and requires FOGL to collect 2D and 3D seismic data in the first phase, and then commits them to the drilling of two wells in the second.

FOGL has already begun collecting the 4000 kilometers of 2D seismic data and they expect to begin the 3D survey later this year.

A spokesperson for the joint venture said that the aim of the work

is to "define and prioritise 20 prospects for drilling across all of FOGL's licence areas and to develop a multi-well drilling programme, targeted to begin in 2007."

John Armstrong, Executive Chairman of FOGL said, "We would like to thank the Falkland Islands Government for this extension. We believe negotiations were helped by the fact that we have consistently exceeded the requirements of our licences to date.

"The additional flexibility afforded by the extensions will help us to introduce new parties to the project and maximise shareholder value."

Your questions answered

Send your questions to *Penguin News*, Ross Road, Stanley; Fax 22238; pnews@horizon.co.fk

Q WOULD the Attorney General please advise what legislation governs the standard and quality of motor and domestic fuels imported and sold in the Falkland Islands, and if so, is that standard and quality independently monitored. Who is this independent body?

Stanley Services Ltd have been awarded a monopoly on the import and sale of certain petroleum products in the Falkland Islands, including Motor and Domestic fuels, does this allow it to introduce into those products any additives? Should this be the case are Stanley Services Ltd obliged to advise the public that it is carrying out such a process?

A Attorney General David Lang provided the following response

The Sale of Goods Act 1979 of the United Kingdom applies in the Falkland Islands under the Law of Contract Ordinance. Under the 1979 Act, on the sale of goods (and "goods" includes fuel) there are a number of implied terms (which cannot usually be excluded in a sale to a retail consumer).

One of these implied terms is a condition that goods supplied in the course of business will be of satisfactory quality. To be of satisfactory quality, goods must meet the standard that a reasonable person would regard as satisfactory taking into account any description under which they were sold and all relevant circumstances.

In my view "relevant circumstances" might include the time of year at which the fuel was sold, or at which it is reasonable to expect it might be used. "Satisfactory quality" includes fitness for all the purposes for which goods of the kind

in question (in this case fuel) are commonly supplied.

There is nothing preventing Stanley Services adding additives to fuel it imports before selling it to consumers, nor is it required to inform consumers it has done so. Stanley Services will of course be liable under the implied condition of satisfactory quality if any additive contained in the fuel does damage to the customers' property (including cars, boilers etc) whether or not Stanley Services Limited themselves put in the additive. (Some additives may have been added by the overseas fuel company at the time of refining. An obvious example is lead compounds or substitutes for them).

It is possible that Stanley Services Limited could be liable in some circumstances if it failed to add a substance to fuel it imports which it reasonably ought to have done.

Q WHAT is the rate for announcements broadcast on FIBS' What's On Guide? Is a discount offered to charities? Would FIBS consider advertising charitable events for free?

A Our thanks to Corina Bishop of the Falkland Islands Broadcasting Station for this response.

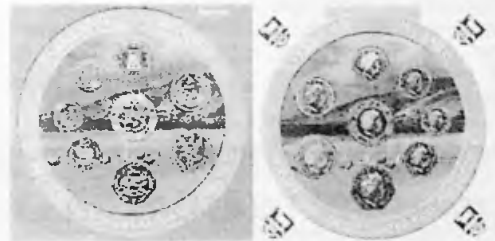
The current rates for advertising on FIBS are as follows:

What's on Guide - £3 per read (max 60 words). Job Shop - £3 per read (max 60 words). Announcements - £3 per read (30 words or less) £6 per read (60 words or less) £10 per read (100 words or less).

Those rates were approved by the Standing Finance Committee on July 30 2004.

To the best of my knowledge we have always advertised charity events for free and there are no plans for this to change.

Public Notice from the Treasury: Coin Sets



Brilliant uncirculated 2004 dated coin sets are available from the Treasury, Philatelic Bureau, Standard Chartered Bank and Falkland Collectibles at the reduced price of £11.50 per set (previously £16.00).

The sets were commissioned to commemorate the 30th Anniversary of the first issue of Falkland Island coinage. The sets are attractively packaged and include, along with all existing coins, the new £2 coin based on the millennium design which was put into circulation last year.

These special sets of legal tender coins make ideal gifts for family and friends at home or overseas.



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- All submissions must be signed, however letters can be printed with name and address withheld if absolutely necessary.

SAMA Wales granted charity status

THE South Atlantic Medal Association Wales Branch (SAMA Wales), the regional branch of SAMA 82, has just been awarded Charity Status.

The branch, which was only formed two years ago following the successful veterans Pilgrimage in 2002, has come on in leaps and bounds thanks to having many supporters in Wales and in the Falkland Islands.

This recognition will help us aid veterans and families even more in the future. We pride ourselves on giving 100% commitment and now I feel we have been rewarded with becoming a registered charity.

SAMA Wales stress that it is a branch of SAMA 82 and not, as some rumours have suggested, a rival! It fully supports SAMA 82 and SAMA FI. They encourage communication and would like all

Islanders to visit and contribute to their website www.samawales.com or email samawales@btinternet.com.

If any one has any questions regarding SAMA Wales then please contact them via their website where they will be glad to help in anyway.

Our branch is deeply indebted to the Islanders for their continued support. We owe it to everyone to use Charitable Status to its maximum potential. The registration number is 1109747.

I am of course available for any questions you may have. I subscribe online to *Penguin News* and follow the news from the Falklands with much interest.

Good luck and I hope the weather isn't too bad.
Andy 'Curly' Jones
Secretary/Treasurer
SAMA Wales

Bully - lost in translation or excuse?

I WAS interested to hear that the potential reason for the Argentines becoming so enraged at the Committee on Decolonisation meeting last week centred on the interpretation of the translation for the word "bully".

It is true that no straightforward word exists in Spanish for this term - to the extent that recently I read an article in a Spanish magazine about the rising prevalence of "bullying" in schools there, and the word they used was "bully": that is, the English word.

I asked a Spanish schoolteacher why no word in her own language existed for it, but although she could understand what it meant she could give me no Spanish word to

encapsulate the meaning.

I refer to this simply to point out that there must have been members of the Argentine delegation who spoke good English and yet might have wondered about the use of an incendiary term like "maton" - enough, at least, for one of them to look at the English original for clarification.

They might simply not have known what a "bully" was - like my Spanish teacher - or alternatively, they might have thought it was a fine excuse to spit the dummy out... to use another fine English expression.

Janet Robertson-Pompert
Stanley

Online solution for public debate?

I WAS simultaneously both cheered and saddened by last week's excellent editorial: cheered. I suppose, to find a personal view shared by someone else and saddened to discover that as far as public meetings go, nothing very much seems to have changed since I last attended one some years ago.

I gave up going to public meetings because it seemed to me that while they pretend to show a healthy democratic process in action, in fact their structure makes them at worst something of a sham and at best very one-sided affairs, geared for confrontation and concealment rather than for real communication. The poor public attendance at these meetings seems to suggest that others share similar views.

There is, unfortunately, a general public perception that the more we hear about the need for "open government", the harder it is to discover where, when and by whom our government's decisions are actually made. The opening up of committee meetings, with the attendant banning of speech by the public and the disappearance of all the really interesting debate - "the juicy bits" - into the private parts of the agenda, has only served to increase this frustration.

The suggestions for the improvement of public meetings made in your editorial are good ones and would make some difference, but probably not enough either to convince the missing participants that they should return or attract a wider audience to public meetings. If public debate is to be put truly at the centre of our democratic process and to involve more people than the hardy perennials who currently appear each month in the town hall refreshment room, more radical solutions may be needed. To fail to search for a mechanism for an on-going and meaningful dialogue between government and governed is to run the risk that the former will become increasingly isolated and the latter permanently and disastrously disaffected.

With the help of the available technology this need not be too difficult to achieve. We have a small and identifiable population with a very high degree of access to computers and some kind of electronic forum, hosted perhaps on the FIG website, would seem easy enough to set up. Access could be limited by password to whatever groups of participants might seem desirable: let's say FI residents or persons on the electoral roll.

With such a system, voters in Camp and Stanley could make their views known to councillors on an equal basis and at any convenient time, without the constraints and fears of public speaking. Councillors too, besides having the advantage of access to the feelings and thoughts of a much wider cross-section of the electorate, would receive some degree of extra protection from unwelcome out-of-hours telephone calls or ambushes in the West Store. Such behaviour might still be tolerated from the small percentage of the population not yet "on line" but any other offenders could simply be told to "post it on the web site".

With very little editorial management of the site by anybody, government could use it to introduce specific themes for discussion, or to give any relevant information. Frequently recurring topics could be properly debated at length, fresh topics introduced or straw polls taken on specific issues, without anyone having to call time, go out in the rain or miss their favourite TV programme.

Our councillors seem recently to have given the thumbs down to the idea of a constitutionally established parliamentary opposition in the Falklands in favour of what is termed "a consensual approach" to government. I'm not sure I agree with this view, but I would be much happier about it if I knew precisely where, when and by what process eight rather different individuals cast aside those differences to achieve consensus so frequently. I have asked people to explain how this works, but they all seem to feel equally in the dark... like mushrooms, some might say.

At the moment it seems we simply have to hope and assume that the process involves careful research followed by an airing of possibly differing views, including those of the majority of the electorate and the ultimate triumph of good sense and reason. On the other hand, it might all be done by smoke and mirrors or the flip of a coin.

Clearly it would be confidence-building and much more truly democratic, if the Falkland Islands electorate not only knew what the process was by which their government shaped its policy, but had some means of contributing equally and directly to it. Public meetings in their present form just don't come near to providing this.
John Fowler
Stanley

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Stevely letter: uneducated whining Great steps taken in apprenticeships

ALAN STEVELY, I guess you are one of those uneducated couch slouches who has nothing better to do than whine about things you don't even seem to know anything about.

For your information, we do not live off the back of the British taxpayer. Britain only spends money on the British Forces stationed here and as this is one of the best training grounds in the world for British Forces and the fact Britain has to pay these soldiers no matter where they are living, shows just how committed the British people are to keeping their military personnel trained to the highest standards.

The vast majority of those forces like it here because it gives them valuable experience. That is something maybe you should do some time - come and visit us if you have the guts.

I am a fifth generation born and bred Falkland Islander, British and proud to be so. I wonder how you would react if we suggested that Germany should have been given Britain at the end of the Second World War. I bet you would not be enjoying the right of self determination and democracy that you have now.

That is how we feel about the bloody Argentines; they came here and turned our country upside down in 1982 and they still continue to bully us. Is that the kind of people you personally would like to live with?

Our economy is very much a self sustaining one and indeed our people have provided millions of pounds to the British Forces at Mount Pleasant since 1982 and continue to do so in the form of housing for married service couples, the provision of a swimming pool, etc. That is the commitment we have pledged to our fellow British people as a way of saying thank you for what they have done for us. We're proud and privi-

leged to have them protect our British Sovereign Right.

It's funny how generations of people can soon forget the finer details of things. You obviously won't remember the money we Falkland people donated to the war effort during the Second World War. We paid for ten Spitfires then and many of our young men and women served and gave their lives in that effort.

It is people like you that are the ones who are so lacking in knowledge and I strongly recommend you start learning the real facts about us and who we really are. It is easy for the likes of you to write such rubbish when you probably know so little about the realities of our situation.

You are probably not even aware that the vast majority of our new found wealth since 1982 is being siphoned out of the country by your own people, many who have come here to make a financial killing. So you see quite a lot of our revenue gained is in fact finding its way right back to Britain.

Just for the record, the cost to the British tax payer, as you put it, is only for the provision of the military service operating here and is about 1% of the United Kingdom's annual military expenditure - money that Britain would spend anyway no matter where they are operating their forces from. I also bet that you do not enjoy the closeness of your British garrison stationed near you like we do here.

Every time I see a Tornado jet flying just metres above my head, I proudly tell anyone near me, "That is total freedom." Do you have the same patriotic feeling when the RAF fly that close to you?

The truth is we are more British than the British and a hell of a lot friendlier than you seem to be.

Robin Goodwin
Proud Falkland Islander

IN RESPONSE to the article entitled "Shortage of Tradespeople forecast for the Falklands" in your edition of June 24, 2005, the Training Unit would like to point out that great steps have been taken over the last twelve months with regard to apprenticeships for the various trades and things are not as gloomy as this article would suggest.

Since July 2004, thanks to a very positive response from the private sector, two new apprentice carpenters, one apprentice plumber and one apprentice electrician have joined the Apprenticeship Scheme and it is hoped to fill some vacancies within Government in the near future as four school leavers have expressed an interest in apprenticeships.

One young Falkland Islander is also currently studying for an Apprenticeship as an Electrician at Chichester College and is shortly to undertake a short work placement with a private sector company before returning to college and another, an Apprentice Aircraft Engineer, is undertaking a degree at the City of Bristol College.

In addition, one individual has recently successfully completed his apprenticeship as an electrician and has taken up employment in the private sector, another is about to be signed off as a qualified Painter/Decorator, and two Apprentice Carpenters and one Electrician/Refrigeration Engineer are due to complete their apprenticeships shortly.

A considerable amount of

MPA road like a 'trip down memory lane'

I HAD the pleasure of having to drive out along the MPA "road" over the weekend.

What a trip down memory lane: the last time I drove on a clay track like that, I was heading to Goose Green in the late 1980's.

public relations work has been conducted at the Community School and in the community in general by the Apprentice Scheme Co-ordinator, Marcus Morrison, in an attempt to attract more people into apprenticeships and moves are afoot to expand apprenticeships into new areas.

All new apprentices are taking International Vocational Qualifications (IVQs) locally and several mature people who are experienced in the trades but are not formally qualified will be offered the opportunity to take formal qualifications locally later this year.

A number of courses for Handymen will also be run over the next few months. Whilst this will not turn them into tradesmen, it will help them to develop their skills in a number of areas such as carpentry and benchwork, basic plumbing, mechanics, bricklaying, concreting, fencing and welding.

One of the problems facing the Training Unit is the shortage of qualified assessors to assess apprentices and others wishing to undertake IVQs. We are hoping to run more assessor training over the next few months but as assessing is very time-consuming, not everyone who is in full time employment has the time to assess.

Unlike the United Kingdom, we do not have the luxury of employing full time assessors. This combined with budget cuts and staff shortages has made it somewhat of an uphill struggle.

Eileen Davies, Training and Development Manager
Training Unit, Stanley

The only difference this time was that we had banks on either side of the road back then which must be a little safer than the ditches we have now!

T A Clarke
Stanley

PUBLIC NOTICE

THE PLANNING ORDINANCE 1991

NOTICE OF PLANNING APPLICATIONS RECEIVED

Notice is hereby given that the following applications for planning permission have been received:

Application No / Address / Description / Developer

- 48/05/DP Land rear of 15 Brandon Road, Stanley. Detailed plans for erection of dwelling - Mr & Mrs R Rodgers
- 67/05/P Murray Heights, Stanley. Extension to dog kennels - Mr A Jaffray
- 68/05/P Gypsy Cove Car Park, Stanley. Siting of bus used as tea rooms - Mrs P Blyth
- 69/05/PB 14 Hansen Hill, Stanley. Erection of dwelling - Mr N Middleton
- 70/05/PB 4 Felton Court, Stanley. Erection of garage - Mr & Mrs K Bonner
- 71/05/P Land south of Murray Heights Mobile Home Park, Stanley. Outline application for erection of dwelling - Mrs D Turner
- 72/05/PB 10 Hansen Hill, Stanley. Erection of dwelling - Miss C Cotter
- 74/05/P 5 Moody Street, Stanley. Outline application for extensions to existing house, erection of dwelling to north of existing and provision of driveways to both - Mr M Rendell
- 75/05/PB K2 Mini-Mart, Plots 5 & 6 Lookout Industrial Estate, Stanley. Extension to K2 Mini-Mart - Kelper Stores Ltd
- 76/05/P 2 Allardyce Street, Stanley. Omission of approved link between houses to create two separate dwellings - Mr G Dixon
- 77/05/PB South east barge, FIPASS, Stanley. Erection of timber frame enclosure to house fish tank - CFL Fortuna Fish Farming Ltd
- 78/05/P 34 and 36 Ross Road, Stanley. Outline application for demolition of outbuildings and extension to shop and flat, also provision of twelve off-street parking spaces - The Gift Shop Ltd
- 79/05/PB 46 John Street, Stanley. Extension and alteration to guest house - Mr B Miller (Millers Ltd)
- 80/05/PB Stanley Arms, John Biscoe Road, Stanley. Erection of shed for storage - Kelper Stores Ltd.

The next Planning & Building Committee meeting at which these applications will be considered is due to be held on Thursday, 14th July 2005 in the Liberation Room, Secretariat, commencing at 9.00 a.m. Members of the Public may attend to observe the workings of the Committee.

Rockhopper prepare for stock flotation

ROCKHOPPER Exploration Limited, the UK based company founded in early 2004 with the aim of exploring for oil and gas in the Falklands, has announced a raft of new board appointments before its flotation on the AIM (Alternative Investment Market) next month the *Financial Times* reported on Monday.

Former finance director of EasyJet, Chris Walton, joins as a non-executive director with chairmanship of the audit committee.

Also joining the board are co-founder Sam Moody who becomes managing director; Keith Williams, exploration director; Peter Dixon-Clarke, finance director; Dave Bodecott, consultant to the board; and John Cowle who becomes non-executive director and chair of the

remuneration committee.

Executive chairman Pierre Jungels said, "We want to show the market that Rockhopper is a serious company with a serious board with very strong corporate governance standards."

The company are planning exploration and the flotation is designed to bring in funds to help with this. They have also recently been awarded two more licences in the North Falklands Basin which were previously held by Shell, bringing the company's total licences in the area up to four.

Mr Jungels added, "It's a hugely prospective area. It has all the aspects of the North Sea in 1965."

Rockhopper believe they will find reservoirs below the area previously explored by Shell.

Fixmas Craft Fair at MPA this Saturday

WITH midwinter now passed, the 'Fixmas' theme continues this weekend at Mount Pleasant with the Fixmas Craft Fair.

The Fair, which is being held on Saturday, July 2 between 11am and 3pm near the bottom NAAFI, will be packed with stalls selling locally produced items including art work, jewellery, quilting, cakes and much more.

There will also be a chance to try your hand at some of the more fun stalls such as toy tombola and 'guess the number of sweets'.

Quality second hand clothing,

books and toys will also be available to buy, so there will be plenty to do for the whole family.

The format of the Fair will be similar to previous events and stalls are still available free of charge to those wishing to sell locally produced goods.

For further details please contact the Civil Military Liaison Officer, John Maskell-Bott on 22293 or 21871 or turn up on Saturday and pick up an original work of art, some handmade jewellery or replenish your family's wardrobe!

Live internet coverage for Island Games

THE NatWest Island Games being held in Shetland this month will mark a technological breakthrough as, for the first time, live pictures will be available over the Internet.

This is due to the involvement of the Scottish Media Group (SMG) which is to provide the host broadcasting service and means that coverage of the opening and closing ceremonies, as well as some of the competitions, will be transmitted as they happen.

SMG will offer a free 'pool' feed to visiting television crews whilst a Media Centre is being established within the Clickimin Leisure Complex, staffed by experts in the field of IT and news provision. EventScotland and SportScotland are working in partnership with the organising committee and Katrina Bush of SportScotland is to manage the Media Centre.

Brian Partington, vice-chairman of the International Island Games Association, said: "This is a new concept for the NatWest Island Games with the profile of the event being taken to an even higher level."

SMG Broadcast and Event Solutions will have around 38 staff

working on its Games coverage, enabling people from our 24 member islands across the world to watch a sports meeting taking place - in some cases - many thousands of miles away. It is undoubtedly a major step forward for the Games itself and should lead to some excellent publicity for our hosts in Shetland."

With a population of 23,000 Shetland is the smallest to stage the gathering, as well as being the first Scottish island to do so. Orkney and the Western Isles will add to the representation from Scotland. The latter are competing for the first time following their acceptance, at Guernsey in 2003, as a member of the Games community.

The Shetland NatWest Island Games begin on July 9 with the closing ceremony six days later.

For more information on the Falklands' involvement in the Games, log on to www.horizon.co.uk/fioga. From the FIOGA website you can access daily reports, photos and press releases. The Shetland Island Games website can be accessed on www.shetland2005.info.

Swasie honoured by Queen with MBE

A CHARITY fundraiser who has pushed himself more than 32,400 in his wheelchair over the last seven years, is to be honoured by the Queen with an MBE.

Swasie Turner, who has visited the Falklands a number of times as part of his charity efforts, has dedicated his award to his late wife, Marjorie,

who died from cancer only five months after Swasie himself lost a leg after being run over while serving with the Merseyside police. As well as pushing himself across the Falklands, Swasie has also completed a John O'Groats to Land's End push, climbed Ben Nevis and completed the London Marathon.

What's on at the Brasserie for July?

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News from Executive Council's June 23 meeting

Land disposal criteria decided Measures recommended for biosecurity

THE policy for the disposal of government land in Stanley has been decided upon.

It was agreed by Executive Council that, without prejudice to cases involving special circumstances, the following policies should be adopted:

- Tenders will ordinarily be sought for the purchase of FIG land, but negotiations may be entered into where there is likely to be only one interested purchaser of commercial or residential land.

- Disposal of land for commercial development will be by lease for a maximum period of 99 years. This will enable FIG to exercise effective control over the use of the land.

- Disposal of land for commercial development must be linked to a specific development

proposal. A price of £40,000, subject to annual increase in line with the retail price index per acre, will be charged. Building licences will be required and will impose strict conditions:

- Disposals will not be made if their effect is merely to add to the land bank of the purchaser.
- Rents payable under leases will be subject to review in line with the retail price index.

- Incidental open space alongside residential property will only be sold to the neighbouring owner where the land has no amenity value and represents an unacceptable maintenance burden for FIG

Where such land creates an infill plot for development, the sale price will be £25,000 per acre subject to annual increase in line with the retail price index.

No-interest Kids Zone loan agreed

EXECUTIVE Councillors have granted an interest-free loan to Stanley Kids Zone (SKZ), to fund initial start-up costs of the new childcare facility.

SKZ presented a business plan to Executive Council, along with the associated operational arrangements, together with a request for a grant or interest free loan to assist with start-up costs.

His Excellency the Governor, Mr Howard Pearce, reported, "Members of Executive Council were impressed by the quality and comprehensiveness of the business plan, and agreed that an interest-free loan of £5,710, repayable by August 31, 2006, should be offered to SKZ to fund initial start-up costs."

Law examined after SSL fuel problems

THE difficulties with fuel supplied by Stanley Services in recent weeks is to be taken up with the company.

His Excellency the Governor reported, "Members expressed serious concern at the problems which had been encountered. While recognising that under current legislation FIG's legal powers were very limited, Executive Council instructed that the matter should be taken up urgently with

Stanley Services." ExCo also instructed that a paper should be submitted without delay to a future meeting of Executive Council recommending legislation which would provide additional legal powers to the government in such circumstances.

"Meanwhile, members of the public will be aware from the media of action which Stanley Services are now taking to address the problem."

Frying Pan quarry continues for another year

PERMISSION to work the quarry at the Frying Pan, near Mount Pleasant has been granted for another year to Gordon Forbes Construction (Falklands) Ltd.

Executive Council agreed the year's permission, upon the recommendation of the Planning and Building Committee.

Executive Council also agreed

that an additional condition should be added to the planning consent given for three housing units to the back of 17 Ross Road West.

This additional condition, His Excellency the Governor explained, "...requires the removal of the existing Portakabin on the property before any of the new houses are occupied."

A WORKING group set up to action recommendations made by biosecurity experts earlier this year has presented a report to Executive Council.

The Biosecurity Working Group made seven recommendations to Members asking for approval to implement them. "...when resources are available."

The group met on May 6 to discuss ways to improve biosecurity matters within the Falklands.

In their report, they recommended that importation of meat and meat products should be permitted from any EU approved abattoir. "All such consignments of meat/meat products would have to be accompanied by appropriate certification from the official body within the country of export stating that the product meets the animal and public health requirements for export to the EU.

Also recommended is that importation of dairy and dairy products should be permitted from any EU approved processing plant. However many Chilean plants that supply the Falklands with UHT milk and other dairy products are not EU approved.

In this case, the Working Group suggests, the Senior Veterinary Officer should make up an "approved" list of dairy and dairy product suppliers in Chile from which importers in the Falklands can import these products without the need for an import permit.

For products, such as proc-

essed meat products, made in countries such as Chile but not in EU-approved establishments, the group recommended that some of these products be allowed into the Falklands provided they come from an "approved" source. The approved list of manufacturers would be drawn up by the Senior Veterinary Officer and updated as and when necessary.

Low risk fruit and vegetables, the Working Group recommended, should be allowed into the Falklands without the need for the importer to apply for an import permit for each consignment. The importer could apply for an annual import permit for such products.

With regard to ballast water, identified by biosecurity consultants as a possible source of risk, the group suggests that customs - and possibly fishery - officers, begin to record ballast water exchange records for ships visiting Falklands waters.

The highlighting of biosecurity issues in the annual Ports and Harbours information pack is also recommended. These packs are distributed to all vessels entering Falkland Islands waters.

Finally the group recommended that all second-hand (used) vehicles and farm and other equipment should be, "...thoroughly cleaned and disinfected prior to being exported. All such vehicles and equipment should be accompanied by an official certificate saying that the cleaning has been properly carried out."

Revised laws to be published electronically

PROPOSALS for the future publication of the Revised Edition of the Laws of the Falkland Islands have been considered by Executive Councillors.

"This is an important project," His Excellency the Governor said, "the purpose of which is to ensure that an up-to-date statement of the laws of the Falkland Islands is available to members of the public, legal practitioners and public servants."

A formal proposal had been received from Blackhall Publishing to publish the revised laws in elec-

tronic format with effect from July 1, 2005. Executive Council was satisfied with Blackhall Publishing's proposal, and agreed that it should be accepted.

Councillors also agreed that with effect from July 1, 2005 the Attorney General should be appointed as Law Revision Commissioner.

Mr Pearce explained, "The function of the Commissioner will be to oversee the preparation and publication of the Revised Edition of Laws and to ensure that it is kept up to date."

Talisman production licence assigned to Desire

APPROVAL has been given to the assignment of offshore production licence PL005 from Talisman Energy AB to Desire Petroleum plc.

The licence covers Tranche F, comprising some 1599 sq km to the north of the Falkland Islands. The assignment will take effect from 25 November this year.

Also decided by Executive

Council this month was that environmental impact assessments and environmental impact statements prepared in connection with the drilling of exploration wells should in future be published in the Gazette, in order to give an opportunity for public comment before consideration by Executive Council.

Breathtaking beauty captured on film for Tourist Board's photographic contest

A STUNNING image of kelp gulls in flight over Carcass Island has secured the top prize in an international photographic competition organised by the Tourist Board.

The shot, captured by Ciaccio Andrea, has won the Italian Photographer a return flight to the Falklands from London, a prize donated by Morrison Construction (Falklands) Ltd.

Over three hundred entries were received from around the world, a response a spokesperson the Tourist Board described as "fantastic". Many of the short-listed entries were from local photographers.

The spokesperson said the Tourist Board office thoroughly enjoyed being involved with the competition from start to finish. "Entries flooded in during the last few weeks leading up to the closing date for this year's competition, with packages originating from all corners of the globe, making the daily task of opening the mail a really interesting one. The mail box in the Post Office was very often too small to hold all the packages in from the last flight!"

The concept for the Tourist Board to host an international photographic competition came about for several reasons, the spokesperson said. "Our primary aim at the Tourist Board is to raise the profile of the Falkland Islands internationally and we are constantly working at making people overseas aware of the outstanding wildlife and breathtaking scenery that the Falkland Islands has to offer visitors."

Another reason for holding such a competition is that international visitors take thousands of photographs of our islands that are rarely seen locally. Additionally, hosting a photographic competition would provide a prime opportunity to showcase images both locally and internationally as well as gaining vital media coverage.

The majority of sponsorship was sought from internationally known brands within the photographic industry, "in order to provide a high level of credibility to the competition."

In addition to the flight sponsored by Morrison Ltd for the overall winner, prizes were sponsored by *Practical Photography*, Lowepro and Kodak.



Above: Kelp Gulls in flight over Carcass Island

Practical Photography, Lowepro and Kodak.

The Tourist Board spokesperson said, "Individual thanks must also go to Andy Rouse and Georgina Strange for their professional expertise and to Andrew James and his team at *Practical Photography Magazine* for their overall sponsorship of the competition and for their technical expertise and input throughout."

The photos were distributed to the judges located around the world to enable them to deliberate and cogitate on the entries for each category and to decide who the winners would be. "The fascinating aspect for the Tourist Board was viewing all the images as they arrived at the office, and seeing some of the 'regular' views through fresh eyes, as some of the photographers saw them, and in some cases, from slightly different angles."

"It is interesting to note that our visitors that take photographs only have such a short space of time in order to do so, whereas those of us that live here have such wonderful opportunities to take some superb shots."

But decisions had to be made, and the winners have now been agreed. There were six categories: Landscape, Wildlife, People, Any image taken by Military Personnel in the Falklands, Stanley, and Under 16's (any image taken in the Falkland Islands).

The spokesperson said the judges were extremely impressed with the number of entries received and wanted special mention to be made regarding the entries in the Under 16's category. "Some imaginative photographs were submitted and the judges particularly enjoyed viewing the images of the young photographers."

"The largest and most popular category for entries was, naturally the wildlife category, and as you would expect, there were numerous photographs of penguins, but also, some less common species featured in the entries, and some delightful images ensued."

The first task for the judges was to narrow down the short-list, then to decide upon the winner and the runner up for each category. After this, a decision had to be made for the overall winner of the competition, an honour which eventually went to Ciaccio Andrea of Italy.

Commenting on the photographic contest, Editor of *Practical Photography*, Andrew James, said, "Judging competitions is always a tough but enjoyable undertaking and this was no exception."

"As I expected, the diverse images that people entered were an interesting reflection of the life and landscape of the Falklands Islands. I saw everything from leaping lambs to sleeping penguins and enjoyed looking at each and every one."

He added, "Of course, photography (like any form of art) is an intensely personal thing which makes ranking individual pictures almost impossible. To the winners, congratulations, you clearly caught the judges' eyes. To those who entered but didn't win a prize, please continue to use your camera to record the world around you."

"It's not really about what we think of your pictures... it's more important what you think."

The Falkland Islands Tourist Board thanked all the sponsors of this year's Falklands Photographic Competition - *Practical Photography*, Andy Rouse, Wild Arena, Morrison (Falklands) Ltd, Georgina Strange, Kodak, Lowepro, Energise FI Ltd, Falklands Conservation and Saddle Computers. "We would also like to thank our judges for the amount of time they committed to their task and for their invaluable input."

The spokesperson added, "Finally, and in particular, special thanks must go to all those people who entered this year's Falklands Photographic Competition, for sending their carefully wrapped packages, in many cases half-way across the globe, and for providing the organisers with their intriguing personal views of the Falkland Islands."

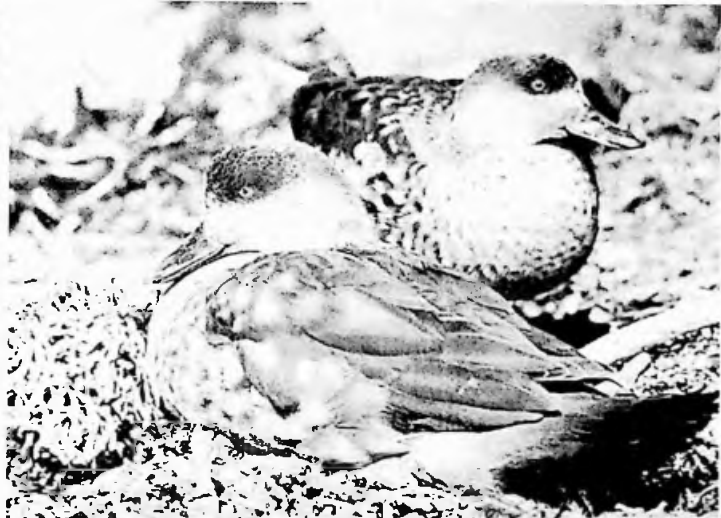
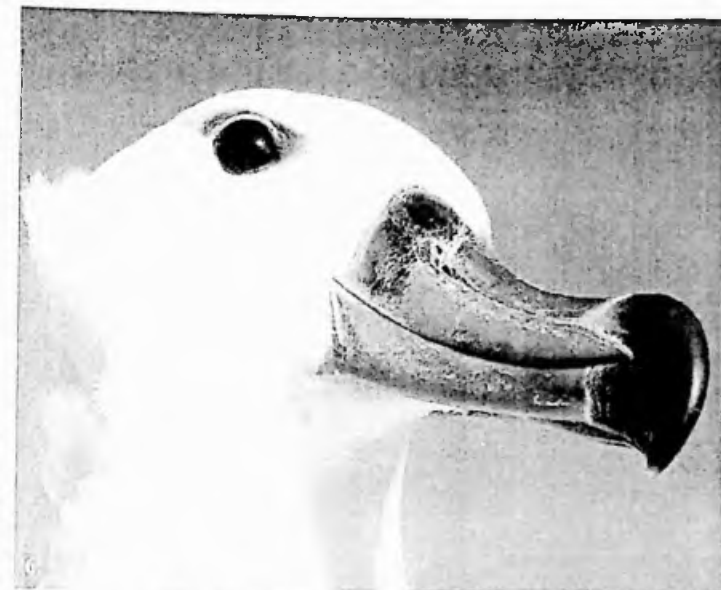
● A selection of images from this year's competition will be exhibited in the Jetty Visitors Centre from Saturday, July 2 to Sunday, July 10 between 12 and 3 pm.



1. Category 6 winner, an image of a whale at sea by Carole Pole-Evans of Saunders Island; 2. 'Gentoo heads to their left' by Alex Jones, from the UK; 3. Category 1 winner, 'Person on white sand beach' by Ruth Mackay from the UK; 4. Category 2 runner up, 'Two seal pups heads close together' by Dr Dorit Engl, from Austria; 5. Patagonian Crested Duck by Tim Mason, Falkland Islands; 6. 'Young Albatross Head from side view' by Kim Chater of New Island.



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Overall Winner
Photographer: Ciaccio Andrea, Italy
Prize: Return flight to the Falkland Islands from London
Sponsor of prize: Morrison (Falklands) Ltd
Image: Kelp Gulls in flight over Carcass

Category 5: Stanley Winner
Photographer: Peter Francis, UK
Prize: Lowepro Nature Trekker AWII Back Pack
Sponsor of prize: Lowepro
Image: Bright colours of Stanley Runner Up: Mark Spicer, Falkland Islands

Category 1: Landscape Winner
Photographer: Ruth Mackay, UK
Prize: Kodak Easy Share DX7740 Camera
Sponsor of prize: Kodak
Image: Walking the white sand beach
Runner Up: Pamela Harrison, UK

Category 6: Under 16s, any image taken in the Falklands Winner
Photographer: Carole Pole-Evans, Falkland Islands
Prize: Digital Camera
Sponsor of prize: Falkland Islands Tourist Board
Image: Whale at sea

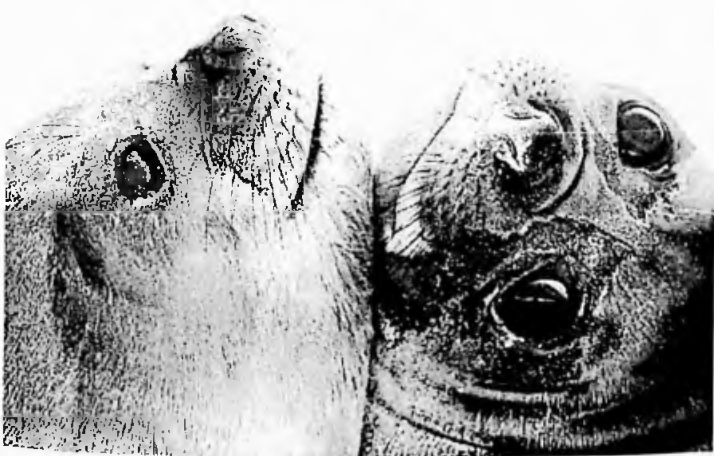
Category 2: Wildlife Winner
Photographer: Ciaccio Andrea, Italy
Runner Up: Dr Dorit Engl, Austria

Highly Commended: Helen McKay, Falkland Islands, Lucinda Lowe, Falkland Islands, Samantha McCormick, Falkland Islands

Category 3: People Winner
Photographer: Michael John Hattersley, Falkland Islands
Prize: Signed, framed print by Georgina Strange
Sponsor of prize: Georgina Strange
Image: Girl at Minefield Sign
Runner Up: Kim Herringe, Australia

All runners-up receive a prize, full details are available from the Falkland Islands Tourist Board. The runners-up and Highly Commended prizes include: 1 day workshop in the UK with Andy Rouse, Lowepro Nature Trekker Backpack, Signed Wildlife Photographers Year Book, HP Photosmart Printers, Falklands Conservation Annual Membership, Falklands Conservation Fleece, Practical Photography annual subscriptions, Andreas Butz Falkland Islands Book.

Category 4: Any image taken by Military Personnel in the Falkland Islands Winner
Photographer: Commander Ian Moncrieff, MPA
Prize: Lowepro Nature Trekker AWII Back Pack
Sponsor of prize: Lowepro
Image: Seal's head in water
Runner Up: Emma Phillip, MPA





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2 July - 8 July 2005

TIDES AROUND THE ISLANDS

DATE	0247	1.33	Sunrise 0757	Sunset 1554	Moonrise 0800	Moonset 1430
JULY 02	0247	1.33	Sunrise 0757	Sunset 1554	Moonrise 0800	Moonset 1430
SAT	0802	0.78	Moonrise 1430	Moonset 0619	0.36	1.36
	1435	1.54	06	0619	1.36	0.82
	2119	0.45	06	0619	1.36	1.68
	Sunrise 0758		WED	1116	0.82	1.68
	Sunset 1552			1723	1.68	
	Moonrise 0432		Sunrise 0756	Sunset 1555		
	Moonset 1238		Sunrise 0756	Sunset 1555		
03	0354	1.32	Moonrise 0846	Moonset 1531		
SUN	0855	0.83	Moonrise 1531	Moonset 0701	0.31	0.31
	1523	1.60	07	0011	0.31	0.31
	2208	0.40	07	0011	0.31	0.31
	Sunrise 0758		THUR	0656	1.36	1.36
	Sunset 1553			1156	0.79	0.79
	Moonrise 0549		Sunrise 0756	Sunset 1556		
	Moonset 1305		Sunrise 0756	Sunset 1556		
04	0450	1.33	Moonrise 0919	Moonset 1640		
MON	0946	0.85	Moonrise 1640	Moonset 0049	0.32	0.32
	1605	1.64	08	0049	0.32	0.32
	2252	0.35	FRI	0729	1.34	1.34
	Sunrise 0757			1733	0.75	0.75
	Sunset 1553			1834	1.64	1.64
	Moonrise 0700		Sunrise 0755	Sunset 1557		
	Moonset 1341		Moonrise 0943	Moonset 1753		
05	0538	1.35				
TUES	1034	0.84				
	1645	1.67				
	2333	0.32				

The times and heights of high and low tides (in metres) at Stanley. Time given is FMT.

Add 1 hour for Stanley Summertime

For Camp, make the following changes:

Fox Bay + 2 hr 30m

Roy Cove + 3 hrs 30m

Port Howard + 3hrs 19m

Teal Inlet + 3 hrs 30m

Sea Lion Is + 1 hr 15m

Port Stephens + 3hrs 15m

Hill Cove + 4hrs

Berkeley Sound + 1 hr

11m

Port San Carlos + 2 hr

55m

Darwin Harbour - 56m

(See www.michaelstevens.horizon.co.fk for tide charts)

CLUBS AND CONTACTS

CHURCH SERVICES

CATHEDRAL SUNDAY:
8am Holy Communion (BCP) 10am Morning Service & Junior Church
7pm Evening Service
Tel: 21100/Fax 21342, The Deanery, 17 Ross Road, Stanley

TABERNACLE - Barrack Street (free church)
Sunday Services 10.00am and 7.00pm
Family Service second Sunday morning of the month.
Communion first Sunday morning and third Sunday evening of the month
Midweek Bible Study Tuesday 7.30pm at 2 Drury Street

St. MARY'S SUNDAY: 10am (MPA 6.30pm).
Week days: 9am
St. CUTHBERT'S (MPA) SUN: 10.30am All-age Worship
6.30pm Holy Mass
Mon: 07.00am Mass

Other activities will be posted as and when they are arranged

BAHAI FAITH

For information on meetings please ring Margo Smallwood on 21031 or check our website: www.horizon.co.fk/bahai_falklands

HOSPITAL PHARMACY

Monday to Friday mornings 10.00am - 12.15pm; Mon, Tue, Thu and Fri afternoons 14.30 - 17.00; Weds afternoons 13.30 - 15.30

MUSEUM

Monday - Friday 09.30 - 12.00 & 13.30 to 16.00; Saturday & Sunday 14.00 - 16.00. Tel: 27428

TREASURY

Monday - Friday Tel: 27143 8am - 12 noon

LIBRARY

Monday - Friday 08.45 - 12.00 and 13.30 - 17.45; Saturday 10am - 12 noon, 14.00 - 17.00pm Tel: 27147

VETERINARY DEPARTMENT

Consultation hours: Phone 27366
Mon Wed Fri 8.30am - 9.30am; 1.00pm - 2.00pm, 4.00pm - 4.30pm, Tues Thurs 1.00pm - 2.00pm.

Consultations by appointment only.

BADMINTON CLUB Mondays 7 - 9 Thursdays 7 - 9pm Trudi Clarke, Tel: 21131

SQUASH CLUB Thursdays 5-9pm Contact Roger Spink Tel: 21128

NETBALL CLUB Tuesdays 6-7pm. All are welcome Contact Daphne Arthur Almond Tel: 22038

THE FI GUN CLUB New members welcome Contact: Graham Didlick on 22282 or Steve Dent on 22021

F.I. RIFLE ASSOCIATION Contact Secretary G Goodwin 21246

CRICKET ASSOCIATION New junior and senior players welcome, contact Roger Diggle 21716

STANLEY GOLF CLUB Competitions on Sunday at 8.45 am. Contact Graeme Hay on 22555 www.horizon.co.fk/golf

ASTHMA SUPPORT GROUP - Meets second Tuesday of every third month in Day Centre at 5pm Contact G. France on 21624

FALKLAND ISLANDS RED CROSS New members welcome. Contact Keith Biles, Tel. 21897 (Chairman); Elizabeth Marrow 21921 (Secretary); Jean Diggle 21716 (Treasurer)

GUILD OF SPINNERS, WEAVERS & HANDICRAFTS Meetings on Monday evening at 7.30pm and Thursdays 1.30 - 3.30pm. Contact M Smallwood 21031

CANCER SUPPORT & AWARENESS TRUST - Contact Theresa Lang (Chairman) 21235 Alison Ward (Secretary) 21851, Derek Howatt (Trustee) 21385, Mrs Shiralee Collins 21579

FIODA Chairman - Geoff Pring, tel 21786 Secretary - Richard Fogerty, tel 21343 Treasurer - Alison Inglis, tel 22817

DIABETES SUPPORT GROUP Holds meetings quarterly - for further details contact Chairman Sharon Middleton on 21393

STANLEY SWIMMING CLUB Coaching Tuesdays 4-5pm, Fridays 4-5pm

STANLEY SUB-AQUA CLUB - Contact David McLeod Phone: 20836 (day), 20843 (home)

THE ROYAL BRITISH LEGION - FALKLAND ISLANDS BRANCH Meets on the 1st Monday of every month at the Hillside Mess at 7.45pm. Contacts: Chairman Michael Stevens (21936)/Secretary Bruce Wilks (22438), Treasurer Richard Morrison (22316)

STANLEY SHORT MAT BOWLS CLUB Friday 6.00 - 8.00pm. Contact Greta Skene 21488

JELLY TOTS CLUB meets Tuesday 1.30 - 3.30pm and Thursday 10-11.30am in the Parish Hall. All parents and carers with children aged 0 - 5 years are welcome. For more information contact: Zoe Crockford - 22694 Chairperson, Michelle King - 21784 Treasurer, Wendy Luxton - 21882, Secretary, Sue Wilks - 22438. Alison Roose - 22955

THE SHACK YOUTH CLUB - Open every Thursday night. School years 3/4 5.15pm to 6.45pm School years 5/6 7.00pm to 8.30pm. Friday night School years 7/8/9/ 30 to 9.00. Any queries or information contact Stevie or Katie Burston phone/fax 21677

SHORT TENNIS CLUB - Sunday 3 - 5pm Contact Gordon Lennie Tel. 21667 or Steve Pointing on 21616 for further details

KARATE CLUB Wed 6-7pm and Sat 11-12am. Contact Jan on 22441

AA BASED ALCOHOL AWARENESS GROUP Thursdays 7.30pm - 8.30pm KEMH Day Centre, All Welcome

DANCE GROUP SCOTTISH/LOCAL Wednesday evenings 7.30pm-9pm Infant & Junior School Hall.

HAND CHIME GROUP - Wednesday evenings at the Parish Hall 7 - 8.30pm. For more information contact Bronwen Douse on 21675

TABLE TENNIS CLUB - Sunday 3 - 5pm. Contact Michael Stevens on 21936 for more details

Emergency Radio Frequencies

The Public are advised that in the event of an emergency where no other form of communication are available, that the Royal Falkland Islands Police maintain a 24 hour listening watch on the following frequencies.

VHF 2 metre Band

- 147.725 (Duplex - 0.6) ... Pebble Island repeater
- 146.625 Stanley, Alice, Port Howard & Pebble link
- 147.825 (Duplex - 0.6) ... Mount Alice repeater
- 146.675 ... Port Howard

Marine Band

- 156.800 Channel 16 (Stanley area)
- 2.182 MHz HF

In the event that communications fail on all the above frequencies then the RFP may be contacted direct on 153.650 (duplex + 1.6). It is unlikely that this frequency will be functional from West Falkland.

It must be stressed that calling the Royal Falkland Islands Police on any of these frequencies must only be done in the event of an emergency

STANLEY LEISURE CENTRE			
Telephone 27291/27285 Fax 27284 e-mail admin.leisure@stg.gov.fk for bookings and enquiries			
Opening Schedule Commencing Saturday 2 nd JULY 2005			
Swimming Pool	SATURDAY 2 nd JULY 2005		Sports Hall / Squash Courts
Canoeing	10.00-11.00	Public	Public
Public	11.00-12.00	Public	Public
Public	12.00-13.00	Junior Activities	Public
Public	13.00-16.00	Public	Public
Adults	16.00-18.00	Public	Public
Between 11.00-12.00 Luci Aerobics in Court 1			
CLUBS ON TODAY			
TABLE TENNIS CLUB 10.00 AM - 11.00 AM			
SUNDAY 3 rd JULY 2005			
Public	11.00-12.00	Junior Activities	Public
Public	12.00-17.00	Public	Public
Adults	17.00-19.00	Public	Public
CLUBS ON TODAY			
TABLE TENNIS CLUB (FITTA) 3.00 PM - 5.00 PM SHORT TENNIS CLUB 3.00 PM - 5.00 PM			
MONDAY 4 th JULY 2005			
Closed for Cleaning	09.00-16.00	Public	Public
S.L.C. Swim School	16.00-17.00	Public	Public
Public - (2 Lanes Adults Swims)	17.00-19.00	Public	Public
Aquarobics	19.00-20.00	Public	Public
Adults	20.00-21.00	Public	Public
CLUBS ON TODAY			
S.L.C. SWIM SCHOOL 4.00 PM - 5.00 PM BADMINTON CLUB 7.00 PM - 8.00 PM			
TUESDAY 5 th JULY 2005			
School	09.00-10.00	Public	Public
OAP - Physio. Adults, Parents & Toddlers	10.00-11.00	Public	Public
Closed	11.00-12.00	Public	Public
Lanes (Adults)	12.00-13.00	Public	Public
Closed	13.00-15.00	School	Public
School	15.00-16.00	Public	Public
Stanley Swimming Club	16.00-17.00	Public	Public
Public	17.00-19.00	Public	Public
Ladies Hour	19.00-20.00	Public	Public
Private Hire	20.00-21.00	Public	Public
CLUBS ON TODAY			
STANLEY SWIMMING CLUB 4.00 PM - 5.00 PM NETBALL CLUB 6.00 PM - 7.00 PM LADIES S-A-SIDE 7.00 PM - 8.00 PM			
WEDNESDAY 6 th JULY 2005			
School	09.00-11.00	Public	Public
Closed	11.00-12.00	Public	Public
Lanes (Adults) (2 Lanes Swim Club)	12.00-13.00	Public	Public
Closed	13.00-14.00	Public	Public
School	14.00-16.00	Public	Public
S.L.C. Swim School	16.00-17.00	Public	Public
Public	17.00-19.00	Public	Public
Adults	19.00-21.00	Public	Public
CLUBS ON TODAY			
S.L.C. SWIM SCHOOL 4.00 PM - 5.00 PM			
THURSDAY 7 th JULY 2005			
School	09.00-10.00	Public	Public
OAP - Physio. Adults, Parents & Toddlers	10.00-11.00	Public	Public
Closed	11.00-12.00	Public	Public
Lanes (Adults)	12.00-13.00	Public	Public
Closed	13.00-14.00	Public	Public
School	14.00-16.00	Public	Public
S.L.C. Swim School	16.00-17.00	Public	Public
Public - (2 Lanes Adults Swims)	17.00-19.00	Public	Public
Aquarobics	19.00-20.00	Public	Public
Adults	20.00-21.00	Public	Public
Between 17.00-18.00 Luci Circuits in Court 1			
CLUBS ON TODAY			
S.L.C. SWIM SCHOOL 4.00 PM - 4.45 PM / HOCKEY CLUB 6-7 PM / SQUASH CLUB 6-8 PM / BADMINTON CLUB 7-8 PM			
FRIDAY 8 th JULY 2005			
School	09.00-10.00	School	Public
Closed	10.00-11.00	Public	Public
School	11.00-12.00	Public	Public
Lanes (Adults) (2 Lanes Swim Club)	12.00-13.00	Public	Public
Closed	13.00-15.00	School	Public
School	15.00-16.00	Public	Public
Stanley Swimming Club	16.00-17.00	Public	Public
Public	17.00-19.00	Public	Public
Adults	19.00-20.00	Public	Public
CLUBS ON TODAY			
STANLEY SWIMMING CLUB 4.00 PM - 5.00 PM			

Saturday 2nd July

8.30 ROOM 785
 8.40 TAZ-MANIA (New)
 9.00 YOKO! JAKAMOKO!
 TOTO Pre-school fun
 9.10 BRITISH AND IRISH LIONS
 TOUR 2005 The second Test be-
 tween New Zealand and the British
 and Irish Lions at the Westpac Sta-
 dium in Wellington
 11.00 BATMAN BEGINS: BEHIND
 THE MASK Dani Behr meets the
 stars of the Batman prequel in Hol-
 lywood, including the Dark Knight
 himself, Christian Bale, Michael
 Caine and Katie Holmes. She also
 gets the lowdown from Liam Neeson,
 Morgan Freeman, Gary Oldman and
 director Christopher Nolan. Plus
 scenes from the UK premiere.
 11.25 CARTOON TIME
 11.30 THE BEST OF NO GIRLS
 ALLOWED
 11.50 CARTOON TIME
 12.00 A QUESTION OF SPORTSue
 Barker hosts the sports quiz, with
 team captains Ally McCoist and
 Matt Dawson. Alongside Ally is
 Wales's Grand Slam winning coach
 Mike Ruddock and Britain's most
 successful woman golfer Laura
 Davies. Joining Matt is former
 snooker world champion Dennis
 Taylor and Britain's greatest ever
 Olympian, Steve Redgrave.
 12.30 THE BOX OFFICE BOYS
 1.00 NEWS
 1.05 MOVIE PRESENTATION:
 HONEY I BLEW UP THE KID
 (1992) Comedy sequel starring Rick
 Moranis, Marcia Strassman, Robert
 Oliveri, Daniel Shalikar, Joshua
 Shalikar and Lloyd Bridges
 2.30 GRANDSTANDSue Barker is
 at Wimbledon's world-famous Cen-
 tre Court to present live coverage of
 the ladies' final of the third Grand
 Slam tournament of the tennis year
 5.00 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER
 5.15 LIVE 8For those not lucky
 enough to have won tickets to Live
 8 the disappointment should be short-
 lived as Jonathan Ross kick-starts
 coverage of the world's biggest rock
 concert in London's Hyde Park
 10.30 NEWS AND BFBS
 WEATHER REPORT
 10.50 THERE'S SOMETHING
 ABOUT GERI Welcome to the world
 of one of the UK's most high-pro-
 file pop stars, Geri Halliwell
 12.00 BIG BROTHER Highlights
 from the previous 24 hours in the
 Big Brother house 2/7
 12.45[am] NEWS 24

Sunday 3rd July

8.30 ROOM 785 Starting with: PO-
 TATOES AND DRAGONS
 8.40 BEST OF FRIENDS
 9.10 STINGRAY
 9.35 SABRINA THE TEENAGE
 WITCH
 10.00 NEWS 24 SUNDAY
 11.00 THE HEAVEN AND EARTH
 SHOW
 12.00 HOLLYOAKS OMNIBUS
 2.00 THE SIMPSONS
 2.20 CARTOON TIME
 2.30 WIMBLEDON 2005
 7.25 CARTOON TIME
 7.35 TFI CYPRUS
 7.45 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER
 REPORT
 8.05 FRASIER American sitcom
 about a Seattle-based radio psychia-
 trist
 8.25 WILLIAM AND MARY Comedy
 drama series
 9.15 24 4.00am-5.00am: It's not
 looking good for CTU. They can't
 track where the warhead is going
 9.55 WHAT'S THE PROBLEM?
 WITH ANNE ROBINSON Followed by:
 BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 10.30 MONARCHY Aengla Land:
 Dr David Starkey presents a history

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of the British monarchy down the
 ages and explores the relationship
 between the people and their kings
 and queens from 400 to 1400 AD
 11.20 THE NEXT MEGAQUAKE
 Series exploring topical scientific
 issues
 12.10 [am] BIG BROTHER
 1.00 [am] NEWS 24

Monday 4th July

7.00 BREAKFAST
 10.15 ROOM 785
 10.30 MAKE AND DO
 10.40 RAZZLEDAZZLE
 11.00 STRUTTING OUR STUFF
 Documentary series
 11.30 THIS MORNING
 1.30 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER
 REPORT
 2.10 EMMERDALE
 2.55 A PLACE IN THE SUN
 3.45 ROOM 785
 4.00 NOAH AND SASKIA Chil-
 dren's drama series
 4.25 THE STABLES
 4.50 GALIDOR: DEFENDER OF
 THE OUTER DIMENSION Sci-fi
 drama series
 5.15 WHO WANTS TO BE A MIL-
 LIONAIRE
 6.05 CORONATION STREET
 6.50 CREATURE COMFORTS
 7.00 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER
 REPORT
 7.30 EASTENDERS
 8.00 THE BILL
 8.45 WILL AND GRACE US sit-
 com about two roommates
 9.10 WAKING THE DEAD Begin-
 ning another two-part story in the
 police drama series. Starring Trevor
 Eve, Sue Johnston, Holly Aird, Wil
 Johnson and Claire Goose
 10.10 THE ROBINSONS Sitcom
 Followed by: BFBS WEATHER
 REPORT
 10.40 8 OUT OF 10 CATS Hosted
 by Jimmy Carr
 11.05 GRAND PRIX HIGHLIGHTS
 Highlights of the French Grand Prix
 from Magny Cours
 11.55 BIG BROTHER
 12.45[am] NEWS 24

Tuesday 5th July

7.00 BREAKFAST
 10.15 ROOM 785
 10.30 MAKE AND DO
 10.40 RAZZLEDAZZLE
 11.00 MY BEST FRIEND (New)
 Audrey Hepburn
 11.30 THIS MORNING
 1.30 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER
 REPORT
 1.10 HEARTBEAT
 2.55 A PLACE IN THE SUN Series
 on holiday homes abroad
 3.45 ROOM 785
 3.55 50/50 (New)
 4.25 THE FUGITIVES

4.50 GRANGE HILL Children's
 drama series
 5.15 TIME TEAM (New)
 6.05 CORONATION STREET
 6.30 BFBS REPORTS
 7.00 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER
 REPORT
 7.30 EASTENDERS
 8.00 THE BILL
 8.45 THE GOSPEL TRUTH? Could
 the origins of Gospel Music be white?
 9.35 NIP/TUCK
 10.20 THE MONASTERY (New)
 Documentary series in which five
 men searching for meaning in their
 lives spend 40 days in the Benedic-
 tine monastery of Worth Abbey in
 Sussex Followed by: BFBS
 WEATHER REPORT
 11.20 THE TRUTH ABOUT Docu-
 mentary about the ultimate diva,
 ex-Supreme and singing legend Diana
 Ross
 12.10[am] BIG BROTHER
 12.50[am] NEWS 24

Wednesday 6th July

7.00 BREAKFAST
 10.15 ROOM 785
 10.30 MAKE AND DO
 10.40 RAZZLEDAZZLE
 11.00 STRUTTING OUR STUFF
 Documentary series
 11.30 THIS MORNING
 1.30 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER
 REPORT
 2.10 EMMERDALE
 2.55 A PLACE IN THE SUN
 3.45 ROOM 785
 4.05 TINY AND MR DUK'S HUGE
 SHOW
 4.30 GIRLS IN LOVE
 4.55 COMBAT CLUB
 5.20 AIRLINE USA Docusoap about
 the passengers and staff of South-
 west Airlines
 5.45 MY WIFE AND KIDS Cool
 comedy
 6.05 CORONATION STREET
 6.50 CREATURE COMFORTS
 7.00 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER
 REPORT
 7.30 BUFFY THE VAMPIRE
 SLAYER
 8.10 DEEP JUNGLE
 9.00 DESPERATE HOUSEWIVES
 9.40 FINGERSMITH (New) Crime
 drama set in 1860s London. Starring
 Rupert Evans, Sally Hawkins, Elaine
 Cassidy and Imelda Staunton
 Followed by: BFBS WEATHER RE-
 PORT
 10.45 MAKE ME A SUPERMODEL
 (New) International model and ac-
 tress Rachel Hunter fronts a major
 new series to find the next new
 supermodel.
 11.30 AFTER THEY WERE FA-
 MOUS (New) Today's programme
 looks up the crime fighters of yester-
 year
 11.55 BIG BROTHER

12.35[am] NEWS 24

Thursday 7th July

7.00 BREAKFAST
 10.15 ROOM 785
 10.30 MAKE AND DO
 10.40 RAZZLEDAZZLE
 11.00 SEVEN NATURAL WON-
 DERS
 11.30 THIS MORNING
 1.30 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER
 REPORT
 2.10 HEARTBEAT
 2.55 A PLACE IN THE SUN
 3.45 ROOM 785
 4.10 PLANET COOK
 4.30 REALLY WILD SHOW
 4.55 GRANGE HILL Children's
 drama series
 5.25 ENTERPRISE
 6.05 CORONATION STREET
 6.50 CREATURE COMFORTS
 7.00 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER
 REPORT
 7.30 EASTENDERS
 8.00 HOLBY CITY
 9.00 LIFE BEGINS With Caroline
 Quentin, Alexander Armstrong,
 Danny Webb, Ace-Destiny Ryan,
 Abby Ford and Frank Finlay
 9.50 RAMSAY'S KITCHEN
 NIGHTMARES The venue for to-
 night's fourth programme is La Rivi-
 era Followed by: BFBS WEATHER
 REPORT
 10.40 DERREN BROWN: TRICK
 OF THE MIND
 11.05 MONKEY DUST Animated
 comedy series written by Harry
 Thompson and Shaun Pye
 11.35 BADDIE! AND SKINNER
 UNPLANNED
 12.00 BIG BROTHER
 12.45 [am] NEWS 24

Friday 8th July

7.00 BREAKFAST
 10.15 ROOM 785
 10.30 MAKE AND DO
 10.40 RAZZLEDAZZLE
 11.00 SMALL TOWN GARDENS
 11.30 THIS MORNING
 1.30 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER
 REPORT
 2.10 EMMERDALE
 2.55 A PLACE IN THE SUN
 3.45 ROOM 785
 3.55 ATOMIC BETTY
 4.20 BIG BANG
 4.35 THE WEEK ON
 NEWSROUND
 4.55 MY PARENTS ARE ALIENS
 Freaky family drama series
 5.15 THE GADGET SHOW (New)
 5.40 THE CITY GARDENER (New)
 6.05 CORONATION STREET
 6.30 BFBS REPORTS
 7.00 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER
 REPORT
 7.30 EASTENDERS
 8.00 RETURN OF THE CHIEF
 8.25 THE INSPECTOR LYNLEY
 MYSTERIES Drama series about
 upper-crust DI Thomas Lynley and
 working class DS Barbara Havers.
 Starring Nathaniel Parker, Sharon
 Small, Roger Allam, John Standing,
 Clive Merrison and Richard Henders
 9.55 THE KEITH BARRET SHOW
 10.25 ER Drama series set in the
 busy emergency room of a Chicago
 hospital Followed by: BFBS
 WEATHER REPORT
 11.10 BIG BROTHER
 11.35 WAGING THE WAR OF
 THE WORLDS A look at the new
 Steven Spielberg sci-fi blockbuster
 War of the Worlds starring Tom
 Cruise
 12.00 BIG BROTHER
 12.30am] NEWS 24

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Your programmes - F.I.B.S.

Weekly schedule of programmes - as updated by FIBS

SATURDAY

5:00 IRN News & Childrens Corner
6:00 Weather, Flights, Ranges, Announcements, Job Shop & What's on Guide
6:17 The Archers
6:30 News Review
7:00 In Concert
8:00 Feature Presentation
8:30 Weather, Flights & The Fusion with Stacy

10:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm
SUNDAY
5:00 IRN News & Chaplains Choice with Paul Sweeting
5:30 Classical Interlude with Kathy Biles
6:00 Weather, Flights, Ranges, Announcements, Job Shop & What's on Guide
6:15 Short Story
6:30 Feature Presentation
7:00 Sunday Evening Service
8:00 Slow Jams with Jack to include Weather & Flights at 8:30
10:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

MONDAY
7:00 IRN News & Breakfast Show with Ken (530mw & 88.3fm)
9:00 KTV Radio Nova
10:00 IRN News & Lifestyle with Liz to include
12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
12:30 Calling The Falklands (repeat)
1:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

4:00 IRN News & People's Jukebox
5:00 IRN News followed by Jukebox
6:00 IRN News & The Archers
6:15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop followed by Country Crossroads
7:00 Comedy presentation
7:30 Music feature
8:30 Weather, Flights & The Vinyl Frontier with Myriam
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

TUESDAY
7:00 IRN News & Breakfast Show with Ken (530mw & 88.3fm)
9:00 KTV Radio Nova
10:00 IRN News & Lifestyle with Liz to include
12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
12:30 One To One
1:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

4:00 IRN News & People's Jukebox
5:00 IRN News followed by Jukebox
6:00 IRN News & The Archers
6:15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop followed by Calling The Falklands
6:45 Simply Classical
7:45 Folk Music Show
8:30 Weather, Flights & 80's and 90's with Sheena
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

WEDNESDAY

7:00 IRN News & Breakfast Show with Ken (530mw & 88.3fm)
9:00 KTV Radio Nova
10:00 IRN News & Lifestyle with Liz to include

12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
12:30 Calling The Falklands (repeat)
1:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm
4:00 IRN News & People's Jukebox
5:00 IRN News followed by Jukebox
6:00 IRN News & The Archers
6:15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop followed by The Best Of with Jock
7:30 Drama Presentation
8:30 Weather, Flights & FIBS Chart Show

10:00 BFBS/96.5 & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm
THURSDAY
7:00 IRN News & Breakfast Show with Ken (530mw & 88.3fm)
9:00 KTV Radio Nova
10:00 IRN News & Lifestyle with Liz to include

12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
1:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm
4:00 IRN News & People's Jukebox
5:00 IRN News followed by Jukebox
6:00 IRN News & The Archers
6:15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop followed by Soul, Blues & Rock 'n' Roll with Liz

7:30 Feature Presentation
8:00 Pot Luck with Myriam to include Weather & Flights at 8:30
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

FRIDAY
7:00 IRN News & Breakfast Show with Ken (530mw & 88.3fm)
9:00 KTV Radio Nova
10:00 IRN News & Lifestyle with Liz to include
12:15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop

12:30 Caught In The Net/Camp Matters
1:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm
4:00 IRN News & People's Jukebox
5:00 IRN News followed by Jukebox
6:00 IRN News & The Archers
6:15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop followed by The Information Hour to include
Calling The Falklands
One To One (repeat)
Conservation Conversations (repeat)
Caught In The Net/Camp Matters (repeat)

7:30 Non-Stop Country Hour
8:30 Weather, Flights & Leather and Lace with Tansy
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

Any changes will be broadcast on FIBS.



98.5 FM:

SATURDAY 0000 Groove Collective PT 2 0100 The Box 0300 Cox & Bumfrey 0500 Early Riser 0700 Forces Finest PT 1 0800 Saturday Breakfast 1000 The Score 1300 Forces Finest 1500 Cox & Bumfrey 1700 Ministry Of Sound 1900 David Rodigan 2100 Club Culture 2300 The Box PT 1

SUNDAY 0000 The Box PT 2 0100 Chill Out Room 0300 Sim Courtie 0500 Groove Collective 0700 UK Sunday Breakfast 1000 Sim Courtie 1200 Access all Areas 1400 Airplay UK 1700 The Source 1900 The Rock Show 2100 Up from the Underground 2300 Chill Out Room PT 1
MONDAY 0000 Chill Out Room PT 2 0100 Forces Finest 0300 BFBS Greatest Hits 0400 Early Riser 0700 Hermina Graham 1000 Heidi Secker 1300 Nick Steele 1600 Hatch & Duffus 1800 BFBS



550 MW:

SATURDAY 0000 Classic weekend breakfast 0200 Today 0300 The Lions in New Zealand 0500 The news quiz 0530 Masters of the quiz 0600 News/Allinson's albums 0700 Sport on Five 1400 Rockola 1500 The Classic rock show 1600 Raven 'n' the blues 1700 Late night live 2000 Up all night

SUNDAY 0000 Classic weekend breakfast 0200 Weekend woman's hour 0300 Sunday Worship 0350 A point of view 0400 Broadcasting House 0500 World weather/Archers Omnibus 0618 Seven days 0700 BFG on Sunday 0800 Sport on Five 1400 The BFBS Radio 2 Comedy Hour 1500 News/The Archers 1515 A view from 1530 The Reverend Al Green 1600 Home truths 1700 Late night live 2000 Up all night

MONDAY 0000 Morning Reports 0030 Wake up to money 0100 Today 0400 News/Gold with Dave Windsor 0600 BFBS Radio 2 news 0610 Glen Mansell 0830 Richard Astbury 1100 BFBS Today 1115 The Archers 1130 The Museum of everything 1200 PM 1300 The Six o'clock News 1330 Classic Rock 1430 Sport on five 1700 Late night live 1900 Up all night
TUESDAY 0000 Morning Reports 0030 Wake up to money 0100 Today 0400

Greatest Hits 1900 UK Top 40 2200 Late Show with Lisa Davis

TUESDAY 0000 UK Late Show 0100 David Rodigan 0300 Greatest Hits 0400 Early Riser 0700 Hermina Graham 1000 Heidi Secker 1300 Mick Steele 1600 Hatch & Duffus 1800 BFBS Greatest Hits 1900 Evening Show 2200 Late Show with Lisa Davis

WEDNESDAY 0000 UK Late Show 0100 Club Culture 0300 - 0000 As of Tuesday

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- FIBS 88.3 FM in Stanley area, 96.5 FM, 102FM Mount Maria and 530 MW Island wide.
- BFBS1 96.5 FM Island wide and 98.5 MPA.
- BFBS2 550 MW Island wide.

Falkland Islands Defence Force Routine Orders

Thursday 7 July 2005



1900hrs Combat Fitness Test
Bounty test - weight including rifle 20 kilograms

Phoenix Cinema Schedule - 2 July - 8 July 2005

Weekday show starts - 20:00

Saturday shows starts - 1st Performance 09:30 2nd Performance 14:00 3rd Performance 20:00

Sunday shows starts - 1st Performance 13:00 2nd Performance 17:00 3rd Performance 20:00

Saturday 2 July	Sunday 3 July	Monday 4 July	Tuesday 5 July	Wednesday 6 July	Thursday 7 July	Friday 8 July
POOH'S HEFFALUMP MOVIE	KINGDOM OF HEAVEN	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED
HITCHHIKER'S GUIDETO THE GALAXY	MONSTER-IN-LAW	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED
FLIGHT OF THE PHOENIX	STAR WARS REVENGE OF THE SITH	STAR WARS REVENGE OF THE SITH	xXx 2: THE NEXT LEVEL	KINGDOM OF HEAVEN	STAR WARS REVENGE OF THE SITH	THE WEDDING DATE

THE WEDDING DATE (12A) 89 mins. Rom Com. Debra Messing, Dermot Mulroney

xXx 2: THE NEXT LEVEL (12A) 101 mins. Action Sc. Ice Cube, Samuel L Jackson

HITCHHIKER'S GUIDE TO THE GALAXY (PG) 108 mins. Sci-Fi/Com

Martin Freeman, Sam Rockwell

STAR WARS: REVENGE OF THE SITH (12A) 139 mins. Sci-Fi Act. Ewan McGregor, Hayden Christensen

KINGDOM OF HEAVEN (15) 144 mins. Drama Orlando Bloom, Liam Neeson

MONSTER-IN-LAW (12A) 101 mins. Comedy Jennifer Lopez, Jane Fonda



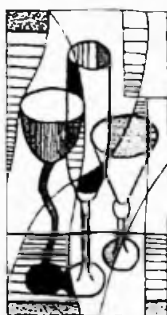
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*New Stock Just Arrived on the Marianne Danica
In Store Soon!*

Capstan Gift Shop

Gift packed Wine Glasses,
Flutes & Goblets with
matching Bowls & Vases
Candles with a difference
funny Coasters, Money Jars & Mugs
Hot Wheat Pillows, Bottle Warmers,
new Piggin range
& new Jewellery



Food Hall

New in West Store...
Weight Watchers Cereals
Baxters Relishes & Chutneys
Waitrose Perfectly Balanced
Cooking Sauces
Foxes Savoury Biscuits
A selection of new Pizzas
Diet Coke with Lime
& loads more

Back in Stock...

Ever popular South African goods
Crisps, Chocolates, Biscuits
& Curry Powders



Homecare

New Ranges in Store...
Crockery & Glassware
Coasters & Tablemats
Chrome & Acrylic Bathroom ware
ie. Towel Rails, Toilet Roll Holders etc.

Back in Stock...

Washing Machines, Tumble Dryers,
Microwaves, 3 Piece Suites,
Mirror Tiles, Rifle Slings & Sights



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A new selection of
Trainers & T-Shirts



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Videos, DVDs, Books & Magazines
Excellent DVD Horse Racing game
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CSE stars entertain in Iraq



Leah Newman, Jo Guest and Razor Ruddock with members of the British Forces in Iraq.

FOR the first time ever, British celebrities have been entertaining the troops in Baghdad.

Top glamour models, Leah Newman and Jo Guest, travelled with 'I'm a Celebrity' and ex Premiership football star Neil 'Razor' Ruddock on a morale boosting trip to Iraq organised by Combined Services Entertainment. They visited British troops all over the territory including Baghdad, Basrah, Shaiba and Al Amarah.

With the mercury hitting 45 degrees most days, Jo - who visited the Falklands earlier this year - and Leah got temperatures soaring even higher as they posed for hundreds of pictures with delighted troops and signed autographs.

They judged beauty contests,

dance competitions and a belly sliding competition, which involved the fittest, best looking young private, a long plastic sheet, some Swarfega, fairy liquid and water. The longest slide was rewarded with a candlelit dinner with Jo and Leah.

Neil Ruddock took part in some lively Q and A sessions - fielding questions from troops about football and entertaining them with stories from his premiership playing days. He said "I had no idea what to expect but was blown away by the job that the British troops are doing in Iraq. It was a pleasure and privilege to visit them and witness the important work that they carry out. I genuinely can't wait to go back again!"

Enter the Commonwealth Vision Awards

THE prestigious Commonwealth Vision Awards entered its fifth year in June, with the launch of the 2005 competition on the theme: "Health and Vitality - the Commonwealth Challenge".

The theme highlights the relevance of health, as illustrated in the United Nations Millennium Development Goals (MDGs), adopted in 2000 and endorsed by 191 countries, which set out the goals to be achieved by 2015.

The eight MDGs set out a commitment to reduce poverty and tackle ill-health, lack of education, gender inequality, lack of access to clean water and environmental degradation. Three of the eight, namely reducing child mortality, improving maternal health and combating HIV/AIDS, malaria and other diseases relate directly to health. This is of particular relevance to the Commonwealth, as two thirds of the 40 million people living with HIV/AIDS are Commonwealth citizens and nine of the most heavily infected countries are in the Commonwealth. In addition, seven Commonwealth countries are among the 20 countries with the highest maternal mortality rate and 60 per cent of maternal deaths are in Commonwealth countries.

The theme's reference to vitality also captures the spirit of the XVIII Commonwealth Games, due to be held in Melbourne, Australia from 15-26 March 2006. This is the Commonwealth's most high-profile and spectacular event, in which it is anticipated that some 4500 elite athletes from 71 countries and territories will participate.

The Commonwealth Vision Awards, jointly organised by the Royal Commonwealth Society and the Commonwealth Broadcasting Association, recognise excellence in the making of a short film on a Commonwealth theme. Broadcasters and independent filmmakers across the five regions of the Commonwealth are invited to submit initial entries by providing a written scenario based on the chosen theme for 2005.

Thereafter, up to fifteen applicants will be short-listed by an independent selection panel and awarded £1,000 each to assist in the production of the finished film, which is to be between 30-90 seconds in length.

Judging of the short-listed films will take place in October and the awards announced and presented at a Gala Awards Ceremony. The winner will receive £2,500 and a trophy, and other awards will be made.

The initiative is supported by the Commonwealth Secretariat, the Commonwealth Foundation, the British Council, the UK Foreign and Commonwealth Office and the BBC World Service. An application form and brochure can be obtained by emailing VisionAwards@resint.org, or by fax +44 (0) 20 7930 9705 or by writing to: Ms Alice Kawoya, Project Manager, The Commonwealth Vision Awards, c/o The Royal Commonwealth Society, 18 Northumberland Avenue, London WC2N 5BJ, United Kingdom. Applications may also be made online at www.resint.org/vision.

The closing date for applications is Friday 29 July 2005.

WWII 60TH ANNIVERSARY COMMEMORATION

The 60th Anniversary of the end of the Second World War will be commemorated in the United Kingdom on Sunday 10 July at a morning service in Westminster Abbey, a lunch for veterans at Buckingham Palace, and an afternoon event on Horseguards Parade.

The Falkland Islands Branch of the Royal British Legion is planning to mark this important anniversary on the same day, 10 July.

A Service of Commemoration will be held at Christchurch Cathedral at 10am, conducted by the Reverend Paul Sweeting and other clergy; at which His Excellency The Governor, Mr Howard Pearce, the Commander British Forces, Commodore Ian Moncrieff RN, and, most importantly, the veterans themselves will be present. This will be followed by a public reception hosted by The Governor at the FIDF Hall from 11am to 12.30pm, to which all members of the Falkland Islands community are invited. The Governor will then host a lunch for veterans at Government House, at which attendance will be by invitation only. It will be appropriate for medals and decorations to be worn to these events.

While the Royal British Legion is aware of several veterans who participated in World War II, whether in the Falklands or other theatres of war, it is important that everybody who did so receives an invitation to take part in these events. The Legion therefore requests all those who served in World War II, in whatever theatre, and anybody who would like more information, to contact Michael Stevens (Chairman of the Falkland Islands Branch of the Royal British Legion) by Wednesday 6 July.

Telephone. 21936 or email on michaelstevens@horizon.co.fk



The Royal British Legion
Caring and campaigning for our ex-Service community

General Practice

with Jo Wilkinson from the Pathology lab at KEMH

Blood transfusion: 'the long rocky road'

MOST of us are aware that in some instances we may need to have a blood transfusion.

This is particularly true if we have suffered severe blood loss or if we have a disease that affects our bone marrow, blood cells or clotting capabilities.

Transfusions in the clinical world are commonplace today but this has not always been the case. In fact it has been a very long rocky road on which we are still travelling.

Until the discovery of blood circulation in 1616 by William Harvey, the concept of using blood in a therapeutic way was unheard of. In fact the ancient Greeks thought that arteries were filled with air.

After Harvey's discovery there was a frenzy of experiments involving the infusion of various substances into the circulation.

The first successful animal transfusion took place in 1665 when blood from the carotid artery of one dog was transferred to another dog. In 1667 Mr Richard Lower transfused "a mildly melancholy insane man" with lambs blood and he was described as being much better afterwards.

Lower later performed similar experiments until he was charged with murder after his fourth failed attempt.

In the 1700's Nuck and Cantwell stated that transfusion would be invaluable in severe blood loss and in the 1800's Blundell noted that blood does not lose vital properties when it is passed through transfusion equipment.

Blundell later used the concepts to try and save women who had suffered severe blood loss after giving birth. He had a 50% success rate which even by today's standards is quite good.

However, because blood physiology was poorly understood at this time, fatalities as a result of the transfusion were beginning to increase. It became known as a haz-



ardous disreputable procedure only to be used in desperation.

Before it could be used as a therapeutic measure there were certain problems that had to be resolved.

In 1901, when Mr Karl Landsteiner discovered the presence of specific agglutinogens on the surface of red cells the problem of incompatible blood transfusions could be avoided. These agglutinogens later were renamed A, B, AB and O.

Later in 1940 Mr Landsteiner and Mr Weiner confirmed the presence of the Rhesus (Rh) blood group, which also plays an important part in blood transfusion reactions and in still born babies.

There were a great many advances during the first and second World Wars because the demand for blood transfusions increased. During this time storage procedures were perfected.

By chance it was discovered that by placing the donated blood in the fridge it lasted longer. In addition to this it was realised that

sodium citrate added to the donated blood could prevent clots formation in the recipient.

Of course we are all aware of the risk of infection that surrounds blood transfusions made very public in the 1980's with the discovery of Gay-related immunodeficiency disease (GRID), later renamed as AIDS (Acquired Immunodeficiency Syndrome).

It became a worry when Haemophiliacs that were given Factor VIII (a major protein required for the clotting process) in order to prevent a bleeding crisis, started to show signs of AIDS. As a result, in 1986, HIV testing became compulsory.

It has always been known that transfusions carry a risk of infection but unless the donor was physically and obviously ill there was no way of telling who was carrying infectious pathogens.

Generally the problems surrounding transfusions have been resolved although the infectious risk is still a big problem today.

All blood donors who donate blood are now screened for a variety of pathogens in order to minimise risk to the recipient. These include Hepatitis B and C, HIV, Cytomegalovirus, Human parvovirus, Treponema (syphilis), Malaria, and Chagas disease. Scientists are still working on tests for other diseases like Creutzfeldt Jakob Disease.

Transfusions are an essential part of medical therapy thus scientists will continue to try and decrease the related risks.

In the UK, the National Blood Services requires around 10,000 units of blood per day in order to fulfil the demand of the hospitals. However, only 5% of the British population are registered blood donors and current stock levels are now said to be critical.

Until we are able to manufacture blood there is no other way of replacing these levels unless people step forward and "do something amazing".

PUBLIC NOTICE VACANCY

Applications are invited to fill the post of Administrative Officer in the Customs and Immigration Department.

The post involves providing secretarial, clerical and administrative support to the Collector of Customs and his staff.

In addition to normal clerical duties, the successful candidate will be required to maintain the Department's expenditure and revenue votes and to assist with the processing of visas, passports, immigration permits and the maintenance of all computer and manual record keeping.

This post would suit a mature person with a good secretarial/clerical background, preferably with several years' experience of FIG office procedures.

A good standard of education is required, with GCSE passes in Maths and English, plus good keyboard skills. Computer literacy with a knowledge of invoicing and statistical databases is also required.

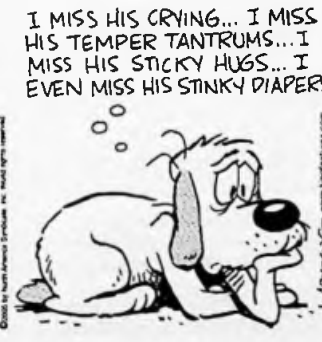
Salary is in Grade F which commences at £15,492 per annum.

All new entrants to Government service will be required to contribute 5% of basic pensionable salary to the Falkland Islands Pension scheme.

FIG will make contributions on the employee's behalf at the rate of 10% of basic pensionable salary.

Further information can be obtained from Mr Robert King, Collector of Customs, on telephone number 27340.

Application forms and job descriptions are available from the Human Resources Department, Secretariat, and completed forms should be returned to that department by Friday 1st July 2005.



Fisheries Department

Catch for week 25, ending June 21, 2005

Licence type	Number of Licences	
	Eligible W/ending 21/06/05	Fishing W/ending 21/06/05
Total	6	3
E	2	-
L	2	1
W	2	2

Catch by species (Tonnes)

	All vessels	Total
Loligo mt	0	0
Illex mt	0	0
Martialia mt	0	0
Hake mt	10	10
Blue W. mt	0	0
Hoki mt	10	10
Kingclip mt	3	3
Toothfish mt	16	16
Red Cod mt	4	4
Ray mt	4	4
Other mt	8	8
Total	55	55

Shipping activity from June 20 to 27

IN BERKELEY Sound this week were the reefers *Vega* and *Asiatic*, and the trawler *In Sung 205* which came in for transhipping on June 23 from Port William where she had been on June 22.

Tamar FI remained on the East Jetty while *Marianne Danica* arrived on June 24 to discharge and load cargo.

At FIPASS, the *Elqui* remained under arrest, while the *CFL Gambler* and departed on June 21. Longliner *Koryo Maru 11* also arrived at FIPASS on June 27.

In Port William, the longliner *In Sung 1* called in on June 22 for stores. Meanwhile, the *RFA Grey Rover* left Port William on June 21.

FALKLAND ISLANDS DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION

The Falkland Islands Development Corporation is seeking Tenderers for the following works at 19 Davis Street.

Tender 1.

Exterior:

- Repair as necessary foundation piles under the house.
- Supply and replace all roof cladding on the house
- To repair and make good any wood under the existing exterior cladding.
- Supply and replace all exterior walls with new cladding.
- To check all existing joists and repair as necessary.
- To supply and fit insulation to the roof and walls of the house.
- Replace and repair all guttering.
- Replace existing back porch.
- Repairs and make good all windows in the house.
- To repair all leaks and make good of the existing front porch.

Interior:

- To supply and make good stair banister.
- To repair as necessary all ceiling joists.
- To supply and fit new kitchen and bathroom tiles.

Tender 2.

To supply and decorate the whole interior of the house at 19 Davis Street

Tender 3.

To check all electrical wiring and replace where necessary.

Tender 4.

To check all plumbing and replace where necessary. Supply and fit new bath.

Tender 5.

To fix and tidy up existing fences and make good of the overgrown gardens and trees.

The Falkland Islands Development Corporation reserves the right to reject any of the above tenders received. For viewing and further information, please contact Charlene Rowland at FIDC on 27211 or email: Charlene@fidc.co.fk during normal office hours. Tenders marked "19 Davis Street" should reach the General Manager no later than 1500 hrs on 15th July 2005.

Wool report - week ending June 24

by Neil Judd, Department of Agriculture

WOOL prices for fleece wool lots increased in value at sales in Australia last week for all micron categories except 28 micron

Price rises continued to build on increases observed over the last month or so and leave some micron categories up almost 10% in value over the same period.

Price increases, as shown in the attached micron price guide, have accumulated largely in response to currency relationships between the £UK and the Australian \$ Un fortunately, as also shown below, prices generally remain at levels considerably below those achieved 12 months ago for many micron categories.

In New Zealand the market tone was described as "weaker", however, once again, currency rates would work to hold-up wool prices when expressed in terms of p/kg clean.

Ten buyers purchased 62% of the Australian offering with a broad spread of demand exhibited

In Australia 88.4% of the 27,791 bale offering was sold. Included in the offering were 2,815 bales of crossbred wool of which 87.7% was sold

Auctions continue next week in Australia where approximately 50,000 bales of wool will be offered

for sale. Other countries are already in mid-year selling recess.

Note:

*Exchange rates used to convert wool prices into pence per kg clean basis. Australian \$2.35 per £ sterling compared to \$2.37 per £ sterling previous week.

*Information derived from AWEX market report and Wool Record Weekly

*Values based on average auction floor prices from Australian Eastern markets.

*Prices quoted correspond to average gross auction prices. It should be remembered that no selling or freight costs have been deducted from the stated prices.

*MPG prices designated with an "n" indicate that insufficient wool in the particular micron range was traded to determine a firm MPG quote.

Growers are strongly advised to seek assistance in evaluating offers for wool where only nominal prices are given.

Any woolgrower with a question regarding the wool industry, or requiring assistance to determine the merit of any wool price offer, is urged to contact Neil Judd at the Department of Agriculture on telephone 27355 or on email njudd@doa.gov.fk

Week ending	Pence per kilogram clean for each micron category.											
	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	28	30	32
10/01/2002	553n	493	366	294	297	288	283	266	272	208	199	185
13/12/2002	533n	484	456	451	446	437n	431n	407n	369n	265	217	201n
10/01/2003	557n	494	470	463	458	451	444	412n	373n	271	228	210n
04/07/2003	443n	406	409	411	414n	415n	405n	384n	351n	252n	213	191n
12/12/2003	397n	380	366	362	351	336	325	295n	272n	218n	187n	167n
09/01/2004	409n	392	380	369	356	337	326	295n	274n	215	187	161n
02/07/2004	421n	390	352	339	323	310	281n	266n	253n	211n	188n	169n
17/12/2004	395	368	327	306	295	282	269n	233n	218n	186n	168n	154n
14/01/2005	411n	383	341	316	307	297	284	244n	225	194n	176n	160n
21/01/2005	417n	389	342	316	305	297	285n	247n	227n	195n	177n	161n
28/01/2005	418	389	341	317	303	294	282n	245n	227n	194n	177n	163n
04/02/2005	417	389	343	316	303	294	282	246n	226n	194n	177n	163n
11/02/2005	430	397	351	323	309	299	289n	248n	229n	198	183n	167n
18/02/2005	419	383	340	313	298	290n	277n	244n	225n	191	176	163n
25/02/2005	416	378	335	309	295	286	273	242	222	189	175	162
04/03/2005	411	378	337	312	295	286	270	242n	223n	187	174	164n
11/03/2005	407	371	329	305	288	282	268	240n	221n	185	170	161
18/03/2005	411	380	335	310	293	287	272n	244n	225n	187n	171n	163n
25/03/2005	416	391	337	313	296	289	274n	245n	226n	188n	173n	164n
08/04/2005	414	387	337	313	298	290	273n	244n	224n	189	174	164n
15/04/2005	413	382	336	310	295	287	270	245n	225n	189	175	164
22/04/2005	408	376	330	303	290	284	269n	242n	223n	187	174	163n
29/04/2005	411	379	334	306	293	287	271n	243n	223n	188	174	164n
06/05/2005	416	381	334	304	293	288	273	246	228	187	174	164
13/05/2005	425	383	336	309	296	291	274n	248n	229n	190	176	164
20/05/2005	427	388	341	316	303	298	276n	251n	233n	194	178	167n
27/05/2005	421n	381	338	313	304	300	281n	255n	233n	196	178	167
03/06/2005	418	376	336	313	303	300	282n	256n	234n	197	180	167n
10/06/2005	417	377	335	313	303	302	285n	258n	236n	197	182	168n
17/06/2005	408	370	330	312	303	302	285n	260n	237n	197	182n	169n
micron	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	28	30	32
24/06/2005	411	371	333	318	312	310	287	263	238	195	183	170
Weekly change	3	1	3	6	9	8	2	3	1	-2	1	1
Year Ago	420	390	353	341	324	315	284	263	252	212	187	169



on share prices

At close of business Monday, June 27, 2005

Desire Petroleum plc	39.25p	-4.25p
Falkland Oil and Gas plc	120.5p	+1p
Falkland Islands Holdings plc	47.5p	nil
Falkland Gold and Minerals Ltd	34.75p	nil
Standard Chartered PLC	101.1p	(-20p)

South Georgia Fisheries: Catch Figures Week ending June 24, 2005

Species	Max No. of Vessels	Total Catch	Total Effort
Toothfish	8	274 tonnes	753,904 hooks
Krill (trawl)	7	3549 tonnes	372 trawls

Stanley Darts Club

Results for June 27

Mens Total BOC	
Gary Hewitt	71
Tooty Ford	69
Len Ford	66
Colin Smith	60
Russel Smith	53
James Lang	52
Graeme Hay	52
Alan Bonner	48
Johnny Ford	47
Peter Goss	46
Joe Joseph	42
Jimmy Curtis	40
Tooty Morrison	39
Teddy Summers	39
Steve Watt	37
Kevin Clapp	36
Geoff Greenough	35
Rag Macaskill	35
Dale McCormick	33
Angus Macaskill	30
Willie Robson	29
Melvin Clifton	28
Tony Courtney	28
Boy Miranda	27
Shane Blackley	27
Jim Parke	26
Tony McLaren	25
Michael Summers	25
Wayne McCormick	24
Ian Betts	24
Martin Plato	24
David Ford	24
Paul Anderson	22
Neville Hayward	22
William Whitney	21
Kevin McLaren	21
Neil Clifton	21
Willy Harvey	20
Paul Chapman	20
Albert Sackett	20
Tyrone Whitney	19
Chris Simm	18
Leon Mitchell	18
Keith Dickson	18
Owen Betts	18
Paul Smith	18
Morris Blackley	18
James Greenland	17
Roy Goss	17
Lewis Morrison	17
Alli Jacobsen	17
Michael Goss	17

Mens Legs	
Gary Hewitt	32
James Lang	30
Johnny Ford	30
Rag Macaskill	29
Graeme Hay	29
Kevin Clapp	27
Tooty Ford	27
Len Ford	26
Tooty Morrison	26
Peter Goss	26
Colin Smith	26
Steve Watt	24
Paul Chapman	23
Alan Bonner	23
Teddy Summers	23
Boy Miranda	23
Tony Courtney	23
Paul Anderson	23
Geoff Greenough	22
Jimmy Curtis	21
Joe Joseph	21
David Ford	20
Willie Robson	20
Alli Jacobsen	20
Leon Mitchell	20
Russel Smith	19
Terry Bonner	19
Neville Hayward	19
Morris Blackley	19

Ladies Legs	
Maggie Goss	26
Cathy Jacobsen	19
Tara Heathman	19
Sheila Harvey	18
Joan Middleton	18
Nora Smith	17
Pat Prarlett	16
Ally Ford	15
Ann Murphy	15
Maisey Crowie	14
Jenny McKay	14
Avril Bonner	14
Jenny Smith	14
Natalie Smith	13
Sibby Summers	12
Jane Clement	12
Hazel Collins	12
Ellen Ferguson	11
Jeanet Miller	11
Jan Parke	11
Gail Miller	10
Corina Bishop	9
Wendy Roberts	9
Rowena Summers	9
Heather Smith	9
Julie Ford	8
Monica Umburn	8
Teresa Clifton	8
Sheila Stewart	8

Ladies 140's	
Jenny McKay	5
Cathy Jacobsen	4
Heather Smith	3
Nora Smith	3
Teresa Clifton	3
Cherry Robson	2
Maggie Goss	2
Jane Clement	2
Sibby Summers	2
Tara Heathman	2

Ladies Total BOC	
Maggie Goss	43
Sheila Harvey	20
Jane Clement	18
Cathy Jacobsen	18
Jenny McKay	16
Joan Middleton	16
Nora Smith	16
Tara Heathman	15
Dylis Short	14
Maisey Crowie	13
Jan Parke	13
Heather Smith	13
Teresa Clifton	13
Natalie Smith	12
Gail Miller	12
Wendy Roberts	11
Candy Blackley	11
Ally Ford	10
Sibby Summers	9
Corina Bishop	9
Avril Bonner	9
Cherry Robson	9
Pat Prarlett	9
Hazel Collins	8
Rowena Summers	8
Jenny Smith	8
Jeanet Miller	7
Sheila Stewart	7
Heather McKay	6
Ann Murphy	6
Michele Evans	6
Caroline Villegas	5
Julie Ford	5
Lisa Jaffray	5
Tamara Lang	5
Ellen Ferguson	5
Natalie Finn	4
Sue Whitney	4
Odi Bonner	4
Marj Adams	4
Tanzi Jacobsen	4

Men 140's	
Gary Hewitt	15
Colin Smith	13
Len Ford	8
Tooty Ford	8
Rag Macaskill	8
Russel Smith	7
Angus Macaskill	6
Shane Blackley	6
Steve Watt	6
Graeme Hay	6
Dale McCormick	6
Johnny Ford	6
Alan Bonner	5
James Lang	5
Peter Goss	5
Joe Joseph	5
Teddy Summers	5
Willy Harvey	5

Darts results are kindly supplied by Mark Pollard and Ali Bonner

Most Individual points in a single game (men)	T Ford	11
Most Points On BOC Tornados v's		43
Victory Scuds		
Highest Mens Finish	Kevin Clapp	170
Individual Team with Most Points On BOC Tornados		34
Most Individual points in a single game (women)	Maggie Goss	6
Highest Ladies Finish	Sheila Harvey	107

Otto's Outlaws	vs	Pale Maidens	Globe Tavern
Spearchuckers	vs	Rose B	Stanley Arms
Men at Arms	vs	Tornados	Rose Bar
Deano's	vs	Snowmen	Narrows Bar

Team knockout quarter finals to be played on Thursday, July 7.

Send your reports or results to Penguin News, Ross Road, Stanley; Fax 22238; email pnews@horizon.co.fk



Falklands Gun Club news

A FULL weekend of shooting faced club members this weekend as Island Games competitors got that last minute practice in and others caught up on missing shoots from previous weeks.

The first shoot for the day was a 50 bird down the line. Steve Dent and Jo Joseph took first and second respectively, with Jon Butler unable to carry on his previous excellent form. Shooters then took on a 50 round sporting shoot. Again Steve Dent took top honours with Jon Butler just missing out on first by a few targets. Jo Joseph took third place with Gary Clement retiring early in the shoot.

Last shoot for the day was a single barrel shoot, in this discipline shooters shoot the same targets as in DTL but with only a single shell in the barrels. It was a step too far for Steve and Joe and Jon Butler finally took top honours coming out overall first.

It would appear that the off the range practice using the DryFire system bought with funding kindly donated by the FIC and affiliated companies, has helped Steve in the down time between previous shoots.

Sunday saw the first chance to 'play' with the new skeet layout which is now finally in place. Not brilliant results but we are sure to improve with practice.

A 50 round sporting shoot was

the order of the day and with Ralph Jarvis and Gary Clement advising club shooters a very challenging layout was put on.

FGC have only in the past shot single targets, two shots at each target, for the first time this week club shooters faced simultaneous and 'report' birds. Regular shooters found the going tough with Roy Jarvis taking first very closely followed by Gary Clement who showed form of old. Graham Didlick came in third. Steve Dent and Jo Joseph took equal fourth with Jon Butler again failing to equal previous form only hitting 15 from the 50 placed. We are sure that Jon will regain this form in the next month while the team are away.

Graham Didlick and Steve Dent head off to the UK and the Island Games in Shetland on Saturday. Both will spend some time at the National Clay Shooting Centre in Bisley with some instruction in both UT and ABT, disciplines shot at the Island Games but not available locally.

Steve will continue after the Island Games and get some Skeet practice in and also compete in the British Open Skeet Championships. The club wishes them both the best of luck.

Club shooting carries on while the team are away in the UK, for details please contact Jon Butler on (w) 27222 for more information.

Tourist Accommodation Improvement Grants

Would you like to promote the Falklands as a first class tourist destination by providing good quality tourist accommodation?

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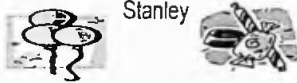
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Signature of applicant (Jeanette Miller)

Sponsored Darts Marathon in aid of Stanley Kids Zone 10.am-8.pm Saturday 9th July in the Stanley Arms followed by music, hot supper and raffle (extension of hours applied for). Raffle tickets and evening tickets can be obtained from the Pod Gift Shop, Stanley Arms, Speedwell Store and Shorty's Diner. Anyone wishing to play in the marathon will be more than welcome and sponsorship forms can be obtained from Jan Parke (Courts & Registry). Please come along and support this worthy cause. EVERY LITTLE HELPS!! Thank You.

Bridge results: 1st Sharon Halford and Walter Felton 2nd Joan Middleton and Rosemarie King Booby Freda Alazia and Joyce Allan

PUBLIC NOTICE
FALKLAND ISLANDS GOVERNMENT COMMITTEES
ACCESS TO INFORMATION
Please note that the following committee meeting will be open for public attendance during the forthcoming week:
Agricultural Advisory Committee - Monday 4th July at 2.00pm in the Department of Agriculture Library.
Members of the public can attend but not speak at Committee meetings.
Copies of the Agenda and Reports can be seen in the Secretariat at least three working days before the date of the meeting.

SUSAN WHITLEY MEMORIAL ART AND CRAFT EXHIBITION 2005

The annual Susan Whitley memorial Art and Craft Exhibition will be held at The Falkland Islands Community School and Stanley Infant Junior School on Saturday 9th July and Sunday 10th July from 2.00 to 4.00pm and Monday 11th July 2005 from 10.00am - 3.00pm
Parents, friends and the general public are all invited to view work exhibited by pupils from schools both in Stanley and Camp.
Please note the Exhibition will be a two-centre event.

PERSONAL



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Happy 6th birthday Matthew
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The Camp Education annual fund raising dance will be held in the F.I.D.F. Hall on Friday the 15th July

We have listened to your requests over the last few years so Come and enjoy a more traditional Falkland Island dance, with dances like the Palais glide, Boston two step, Circassian circle, Barn dance and many more, with good country music to dance to. There will even be a few novelty dances throughout the evening. A fully licensed bar will be in operation, so regrettably no under 18's will be allowed. So come to the F.I.D.F. Hall for what promises to be a great night out and the best dance of the year £ 4.00 on the door, and dance from 9pm to 1 am. Sorry no admittance after 11pm

Sgt Tom Whistler of the Royal Falkland Islands Police would like to say a personal "thank you" to the following people who very kindly gave of their time to help with the RFIP Probationer's Course: Jenny and Adam Cockwell, Nick and Ali Watson, Andrea and Mick Owen and Sam and Joe from the EOD

The Department of Agriculture will be hosting two days of discussions during Farmers Week on Wednesday 13th and Thursday 14th July in the FIDF Drill Hall and Training Room starting at 8.30am. Anyone with an interest in farming in the Falkland Islands is cordially invited. The programme will include presentations, workshops and demonstrations on a wide range of topics. Morning tea/coffee will be provided. Anyone wanting a detailed programme of events or more information should contact Sian Ferguson at the Department of Agriculture on 27355 or email sferguson@doa.gov.fk

Edward
Good-luck in school. Lots of love from Phil, Sandra and Emily.

A **BIG, BIG** thank you to all who contributed to the success of the Swimming Club's cake stall on the 25th, either by buying, selling, baking or making donations.



Welcome home Payback time.
Hope you had a great 40th Sharon (Nice knees) Love xxx



Happy Birthday to Samantha on the 1st and Fiona on the 9th. Enjoy your party! Love from Mum and Dad x

The Football Club would like to say a huge thank you to the following for all their generosity in making it possible for us to send our team to the Islands Games: Stanley Services, FIFL Pools, FIG, VT Communications, British International, Globe Tavern, Warrack Design, SSA, Conservation, Nick Watson, FIDF and last but not least everybody that came to our fund-raising events. Thank you all



Falkland Islands Museum & National Trust

The Museum & National Trust Children's Club "PastFinders" has places for new members. Come and learn about the Falkland Islands history and traditions in a fun and informal way, with outings to historical sites, boating and camping trips.

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Application Forms should be returned to the Administration Manager cathy.cranfield@ascension.gov.ac by email or on fax number +247 6152 by no later than Friday, 15 July 2005.

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APPLICATION FOR NATURALISATION

Notice is hereby given that Alison Catherine LITTLE (Nee HERRING) is applying to his Excellency the Governor for naturalisation. Any person who knows of any reason why naturalisation should not be granted is invited to send a written and signed statement of the facts to the Immigration Officer, Customs & Immigration Department, Stanley no later than 22 July 2005

APPLICATIONS FOR PERMANENT RESIDENCE

Notice is hereby given that Catherine Dawn WILLIAMS has applied through the Principal Immigration Officer to be granted a Permanent Residence Permit by the Governor

Any person who knows of any reason why this permit should not be granted should send a written and signed statement of the facts, giving grounds for their objection, to the Immigration Officer, Customs & Immigration Department, Stanley by 22 July 2005

ACCESS OF PUBLIC INFORMATION EXECUTIVE COUNCIL PAPERS

The following Executive Council papers were considered at the meeting of Executive Council held on 23 June 2005 are available for viewing, during normal working hours in the Clerk of Councils Office, Gilbert House, Stanley.

Paper Title	No:
FLH Budget 2005/06	No: 160/05
FLH Overdraft Facility	No: 161/05
Environmental Impact Assessments. Publication	No: 159/05
Biosecurity Report Priority for Implementation of Recommendations	No: 166/05
Extension to Quarry at the Frying Pan (134/97/R05)	No: 146/05
Amendment to Outline Planning Permission 17/04	No: 147/05
Replacement of Hill Cove Helicopter Refueling Facility update	No: 148/05
Disposal of FIG Land in Stanley	No: 112/05

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The St Helenian Emergency Relief Fund would like to thank the Fighting Pigs Band for allowing the use of the Trough for a fundraiser on Saturday 25th June. They would also like to thank the Fighting Pigs and the Platonics for providing the music and the public for coming along to support. The total raised was £553 made up of £474 on the door and £59 on the raffle. Thank you.

SHACK CLOSURE
We would like to remind all parents, guardians and all users of the Shack that the Shack will be closed from 07th July 05 until 04th August 05 as whilst we are away necessary work will be carried out to the interior of the building. We are sorry for the closure and hope to see you all again in August.
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Falklands' support for bombed London

FLAGS are flying at half-mast in the Falklands Islands after a series of bomb attacks yesterday rocked central London.

Four blasts tore through trains and a bus during London's busy rush hour, killing as many as forty people and injuring hundreds.

Prime Minister Tony Blair branded the attacks, which police suspect to be the work of terrorists, "barbaric".

Falklands Governor, Howard Pearce, sent a message of support to the Foreign and Commonwealth Office with a request that it be conveyed to Her Majesty The Queen.

In it Mr Pearce expressed the deep shock and outrage felt by Islanders at the attacks on London.

He said, "On behalf of all Falkland Islanders I convey our sympathy to those who have suffered injury or trauma as a result of these events and our deepest condolences to the families of those who have lost their lives.

"While we may be many thousands of miles away in distance, we feel very close to all

Londoners in spirit, and we know that they will respond with courage and fortitude."

After learning of the attacks, *Penguin News* contacted the Falkland Islands Government Office in London. FIG representative, Sukey Cameron, said three of her staff had managed to get to the office while one had been forced to return home after the transport system shut down.

Ms Cameron said she only learned of the attacks when she arrived at work: "I knew something was wrong as it took me two hours to do a half hour journey, but we were told that was just because the Northern Line was down.

"First rumours were that the tube had suffered a 'power surge' which had caused an explosion at Kings Cross, we then heard about the bus being blown up in Russell Square and then the other explosions, fatalities and injuries."

She said none of her staff had left Falkland House but through the morning, "...we could hear the constant sound of sirens and

helicopters around us but now there is just an eerie silence as there is no traffic moving at all"

Ms Cameron and her team were unsure if they would be able to get home last night due to the closure of the public transport system. However, she added, "...we are in a much better position than most as we do, of course, have the flat (above the office) that we can use if needs be."

Ms Cameron said she and her team were grateful for, "...all the kind messages we have been getting from our friends and colleagues in the Islands - it's nice to know that people are thinking of us."

Legislative Councillor Jan Cheek was at a private business meeting in the Foreign and Commonwealth Office (FCO) when news of the attacks broke.

She said security in the building was immediately tightened: "we were asked not to use mobile phones and had to be escorted if we wanted to visit the lavatory - that sort of thing."

She described the city as she left the FCO: "Armed police and

police vehicles were swarming around Whitehall and the surrounding area.

"All the buses are gone - I guess they have been recalled to their depots to be checked - and all the underground stations are closed."

When *Penguin News* contacted Mrs Cheek, she had just arrived at her hotel, having walked the seven-mile distance from the Falkland Islands Government Office near St James' Park. She said there were many people on the streets: "Most seemed pretty determined not to be scared of being out on the streets and lots were trying to figure out how to get home."

It was announced yesterday that a joint churches service of prayer will take place in Christ Church Cathedral tonight at 5.15pm.

His Excellency the Governor will attend this service, described by the Reverend Paul Sweeting as, "... a simple service to pray for all those affected."

He added, "Everyone is welcome, from any church or none."

Boys run, row and cycle for veterans' charity

FOUR boys who spent hours on exercise machines in an effort to raise money for the Falklands branch of the South Atlantic Medal Association (SAMA82) have handed over a cheque to the charity's Chairman.

The boys from the Falkland Islands Community School decided to fundraise for the charity by recreating the epic yomp British Forces endured in 1982, through running, rowing and biking the equivalent distance as that from Port San Carlos to Stanley in the gym at Stanley Leisure Centre.

Lucas Berntsen, Keiran Morrison, Tristan Giudicelli-Smith and Aaron Clarke collected £228.01 through sponsorship from their families and friends. They handed over a cheque to the Chairman of SAMA82's Falklands branch, Mr Gary Clement, on Wednesday.

Mr Clement praised the boy's efforts saying, "For youngsters to pick SAMA82 as their chosen charity is really nice as, obviously, they didn't live through the conflict."

A number of people have embarked on fundraising efforts



Above: Keiran Morrison, Tristan Giudicelli-Smith and Lucas Berntsen present the cheque to SAMA82's Gary Clement. Missing from the picture is Aaron Clarke.

for SAMA82 in recent weeks, possibly motivated by the proposed pilgrimage of veterans planned for 2007, the 25th anniversary of the Falklands War.

Mr Clement said he was grateful to all who have donated

money to the charity.

From collections taken on Liberation Day, Christ Church Cathedral donated £280.18 and the Globe Tavern donated £310; the Victory Bar donated £145 raised through a pool competition.

Fishing investigation

THE owners and captain of the longliner *In Sung 66* face charges related to alleged illegal fishing in the Falkland Islands Conservation Zone.

A Fisheries Department spokesperson confirmed the *In Sung 66* entered port on Monday following a request to assist with the enquiry. The court hearing will begin at 2pm today.

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Comment by Managing Editor, Jenny Cockwell

THE world's media has had no shortage of material for headlines this week with the G8 summit and its accompanying protests/concerts/arrests, the award of the 2012 Olympics to London and the commemorations marking the 60th anniversary of the end of World War Two. Then, yesterday morning, we awoke to reports of the shocking attacks on London.

As I write this column only minutes after learning of the bombings, I feel ill-equipped to comment - particularly as we are not yet sure of the levels of deaths and casualties. Our thoughts are unquestionably with the people of London, who mere hours before the attacks were celebrating their successful Olympic bid.

And so to the other stories of this week. Whether or not Live8 and its aim of Making Poverty History will deliver remains to be seen - the cynic in me can't help believing a few concerts and placards can't touch ingrained corruption - but it has certainly been a history-making seven days.

It has also been a week for marking history, namely the Second World War. Our day of remembrance, along with the UK, is on Sunday and it presents an ideal opportunity to take stock: I can't help feeling we need to.

Over the past few days I've read a number of accounts from the war - not only of servicemen but of nurses, teachers and children of Britain in 1945. Their sense of joy at being alive is striking, with an awareness of just how lucky they are to have survived six years of war and, incredibly, a lack of bitterness about how ghastly those years had been.

To my mind, this contrasts sharply with the outlook on life the children of the 60s, 70s, 80s and 90s now seem to hold.

Now, while I would never wish the terror of war upon anyone, that gratitude to be alive so evident in the 40s and 50s has faded in later generations. The goals of today are no longer about living a fulfilling life, but about gaining more - whether it be money, celebrity or any other trapping of modern life.

At the risk of sounding middle-aged and sensible, this 'me me me' outlook seems to stem from a general lack of discipline and care for others in today's western world. The awareness of others which war and its associated hardships brings seems to have been eroded more and more with every subsequent generation.

This isn't something to which the Falklands are immune, as Frances Douse's letter this week sadly testifies. In the past young Islanders have been renowned for their mature and respectful attitude to their schooling and to life in general. However, the level of pride in themselves and respect for others seems to have dropped to an all time low.

So how, short of bringing back conscription, can this discipline and self-respect be recovered?

Perhaps the answer lies in next week's news story - sport.

It's heartening to see how many Falklands men, women and children are heading to Shetland ready for the Island Games. Admittedly, most are not expected to get past the first round of competition but the self-discipline their training has demanded of them is bound to have an effect.

We should build on this. Instead of taking their troubles out on teachers, parents, or any other unsuspecting person, sport provides the perfect way for youngsters to get rid of teenage angst.

So with London set to host the Olympics surely it's the perfect time to kick off (if you'll pardon the rather poor pun) a movement to encourage our youngsters to take up sport. What better goal than representing the Falklands in 2012?

AT THE risk of provoking the wrath of the nation, I regret to announce an increase in the cover price of *Penguin News*, effective the beginning of next month.

Due to a significant increase in printing costs - and with a further increase forecast - we have been forced to raise the price to £1 from the August 5 edition.

As always, a silver lining exists: online subscriptions are available for only £45 a year, an option a number of our readers, both locally and overseas, have already taken up.

Not only is it a more cost effective alternative to the printed version of *PN* but it's in full colour.

SUSAN WHITLEY MEMORIAL ART AND CRAFT EXHIBITION 2005

The annual Susan Whitley memorial Art and Craft Exhibition will be held at The Falkland Islands Community School and Stanley Infant Junior School on Saturday 9th July and Sunday 10th July from 2.00 to 4.00pm and Monday 11th July 2005 from 10.00am - 3.00pm. Parents, friends and the general public are all invited to view work exhibited by pupils from schools both in Stanley and Camp. Please note the Exhibition will be a two-centre event.

Briley: 'heroes unrecognised by History'

THE author of the new official history of the Falklands War says he feels "genuinely uncomfortable" that many incidents of heroism displayed by Islanders and others during the campaign are barely discussed in his book.

Professor Lawrence Freedman was responding to an article written by *Mercopress* correspondent Harold Briley which accused the war author of doing Islanders a disservice, "by his paucity of recognition in what is billed as an 'Official History'."

Mr Briley this week wrote, "It is puzzling why, in a two-volume, 1,100-page history, after seven years of research, such an experienced military historian and analyst as Professor Freedman appears to give such little weight to the impressive contribution of the Islanders, several of whom braved death or injury in action and possibly harsh treatment as spies."

"For example, he omits to mention that two men who carried and used arms in the ferocious close-combat battle for Mount Longdon - former Police Chief Terry Peck and air service engineer Vernon Steen - were awarded medals for bravery or that Mrs Trudi Morrison (now Trudi McPhee) won a military commendation from the Task Force Commander in Chief. All three get only summary mention, unworthy of their courageous actions."

Mr Briley said he suspected many Falkland Islanders will be disappointed, "...with an Official History which is so lacking in acknowledgement of their trauma, their defiance and their very real opposition to the Argentine invaders and their invaluable help to the Task Force."

On Wednesday Professor Freedman told *Penguin News* he was "somewhat surprised" by the tone of Mr Briley's remarks because, "...elsewhere he has written enthusiastically about the book."

However, he added, "...he has a point and it is one that concerns me, but the concern goes beyond the Islanders."

He explained, "If you read the many accounts of the campaign and the many battles fought you become aware of numerous incidents of heroism, many of them gaining medal citations, and hardly any of them are discussed in detail in my book."

"There are numerous people who in this sense would have good reason to feel slighted. I genuinely feel uncomfortable about this and have done so throughout the project."

In the book, Professor Freedman said, he does, "...mention the relevant incidents and people, try to put them in context, and I hope take nothing away from the experiences of the Islanders (particularly those stuck at Goose Green)." He added that many of the comments on the role of the Argentines as occupiers came from his interviews with Islanders.

Professor Freedman said the problem stemmed from the fact the book was "top down history."

He explained, "My task, as I explain in the introduction, was to describe the policy-making processes and the command decisions. I had neither the space nor the remit to provide a decent description of all events on the ground. The book was twice the size the publishers were expecting as it was."

"It is always striking after a book is published that people are full of ideas about what should have been put in but have fewer about what could have been left out."

He said he hoped Falkland Islanders "understand the limits of what I set out to do and could do," and added, "I would also hope that they find the book interesting for what it tells them about how their predicament was viewed in London, not only in 1982 but over the whole of the period covered."

Director of Health gets to know the Falklands

THE new Director of Health has taken up her post at the King Edward VII Memorial Hospital.

Originally from Stirling in Scotland, Nikki Osborne (right) has recently been living in Shropshire and is accompanied in the Islands by her husband Simon Jackson and their two year old son, James.

Ms Osborne said she applied for her job for a number of reasons. Firstly, the sense of "adventure" in coming to the Falklands appealed to her. She was also keen to live and work in the same area which, she said, "...is becoming increasingly difficult in the UK."

The post also appealed to her, "...from a management point of view," Ms Osborne said, as it deals with all health services offered in the Islands, from dentistry and accident and emergency to social welfare.

Asked whether she had any plans or ideas she wished to implement within the Health Service, Ms Osborne said she wanted to spend some time "...getting to know the place first."

She added, "I think it would be wrong to make any assumptions yet,



but I'm sure there will be opportunities to develop."

Ms Osborne was also impressed by the wide variety of services available here in the Falklands saying, "I've heard lots and lots of positive things about the standard and breadth of services offered."

She is currently part way through a ten day programme to enable her to meet all staff in both internal and external departments of the Health Service and said, "I'm really looking forward to working with everybody."

Seventh year for Falklands at Royal Show



Above: (Left to right) Melissa McKinley, Beccy and Critta Lee and Sukey Cameron. Below: The Falklands Stand

FOR the seventh year, the Falkland Islands have been represented at the premier agricultural show in the UK, the Royal Agricultural Show at Stoneleigh in Warwickshire.

As usual, the stand, which was located in the International Village along with twenty-three other countries, attracted a large number of visitors.

Staffed by Sukey Cameron and Melissa McKinley from FIGO, they were assisted on the first two days by Henry Boughton, who lives part of the year at Hill Cove, and then by Falklands farmer Critta Lee and his doctor wife Beccy, for the last two days.

The stand profiled some of the Islands' rural diversification initia-



tives and business opportunities, and provided general information about the Falklands.

Farmers week programme of events

FARMERS will be heading in to Stanley next week for a full programme of events laid on for Farmers Week.

The Rural Business Association (RBA) Annual General Meeting starts the proceedings on Monday afternoon followed by an Environmental Planning meeting about disposal of rubbish, and a meeting about wool warehouse operation for the coming season with ByronMcKay Port Services.

The Falkland Islands Government Taxation Department begin the day on Tuesday with a short presentation and a question and answer session, followed by a talk on Camp road expansion and maintenance by Bob Hancox.

The morning concludes with meetings with councillors and the Governor.

In the afternoon, the Falkland Islands Meat Company (FIMCo) will hold a review of last season and provide information for next season before the Falkland Islands Development Corporation (FIDC) concludes the day's events with a look at the schemes on offer at the moment.

Wednesday and Thursday will both be hosted by the Department of Agriculture (DoA) and include a wide variety of presentations and meetings with lunch provided on

Wednesday by the DoA and on Thursday by FIMCo.

Friday morning will begin with a short meeting with Karin Vogel, a representative for the Chilean agricultural supplies company Covepa. The Falkland Islands Tourist Board will also host a meeting on Friday outlining tourism opportunities for Camp residents, followed by meetings with Island Shipping and Civil Aviation.

The morning concludes with an 'End of week round up' meeting before a lunch at the KEMH with a chance to meet Nikki Osborne, the new Director of Health Services. Lastly, there will be fire training at Stanley Airport on Friday afternoon which brings the week to a close.

The social programme for the week begins with the RBA Farmers Week Party in the Narrows Bar. There will be a buffet and drinks at Hillside Camp on Tuesday and a reception at Government House on Wednesday with both events being by invitation only.

An exhibition of Sven Gillsater's photographs will open at the Jetty Visitor's Centre on Friday and the week will finish with the Camp Education fundraising dance in the FIDF Hall on Friday night.

FIDF 'put up a good show' at Bisley

NATURAL shot, Private Daniel Biggs of the Falkland Islands Defence Force (FIDF) has outshone his team mates at this year's Bisley Skill at Arms competitions.

Over the past week the FIDF team has competed in the Territorial Army Rifle Association and the National Rifle Association competitions.

Officer Commanding FIDF, Major Peter Biggs, said the competition standard was higher this year than previous years.

Seven hundred and forty-six people qualified for the Queen's Medal Territorial Army 50. Private Biggs qualified for the final and gained 34th position in a field of around 230 competitors. He earned a medal for his efforts and can wear the TA 50 badge on his uniform.

He also achieved second place in the Wise pistol competition, a class for soldiers with less than five years service.

These achievements are extraordinary, especially considering Private Biggs has been unable to do any training for the event while he has been attending university in Australia.

The next set of competitions were part of the National Rifle Association combat championships. FIDF achieved a number of bronze bars in an assortment of events

with Major Biggs, Captain Derek Clarke, Captain Andy Brownlee, Corporal Ian Betts, Privates Dustin Clarke and Daniel Biggs all collecting prizes.

The team also entered the Metheun Cup, an interservice competition with international team categories. Major Biggs said he was unsure of the FIDF's final placing as the team had to leave Bisley before the results were collated, however he said the team had "put up a good show and we improved on our score from last year."

Overall, he said the FIDF contingent performed "extremely well."

He said this year's competitions were tough, "...as we only had one day's practice before they started, with people having various commitments and coming from far and wide."

However he was "really quite pleased" with how they had done.

Assault case adjourned

GARY MCGILL appeared in court on Wednesday, charged with common assault.

He entered no plea to the charge and the case was adjourned for two weeks.

He is alleged to have assaulted his former partner.

Mr McGill was granted conditional bail.

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Seabird progress 'very good news'

THE Fisheries Committee meeting held last Friday morning began with the annual review of the Falkland Islands National Plan of Action for Seabirds (FI-NPOA-S).

Oliver Yates, Project Leader for the Agreement on the Conservation of Albatross and Petrels (ACAP) and Fisheries Scientist Paul Brickley gave the presentation which outlined the aims of the programme, problems faced, progress achieved and plans for the future.

The aim of the plan is to reduce the number of sea bird fatalities caused by the fishery operating in the Falkland Islands Conservation Zone.

"Very good news," was how Paul Brickley described the progress made so far with the scheme. The longliner bird fatality rate from the season 2002/2003 of 0.011 per 1000 hooks set or 80 estimated killed was nearly halved with the rate for 2003/2004 only 0.005 with only 45 estimated deaths.

The results for the trawler survey were even more impressive with estimated fatalities plummeting from 1,529 over 2003/2004 to only 128 in 2004/2005.

These impressive trawler results were mainly due to the introduction of stream lines, indeed 70% of the kills still occurring in 2003/2004 were recorded before the lines were put out.

Despite these encouraging results, the team were keen to stress that there were still shortfalls in the plan that needed addressing.

Firstly, the fatality numbers were only an estimate based on birds actually seen killed and do not include those that simply die out of sight of the observers who struggle to achieve 100% observation on longliners. There is no estimate at all for the loligo fishery.

Criteria for the prosecution of 'runaways'

FOLLOWING a recent high profile incident in which an unattended vehicle ended up in Stanley harbour, *Penguin News* contacted the Royal Falkland Island Police to establish what legislation existed regarding such incidents.

Inspector Len McGill said, "Our records show that no person has been prosecuted in the last twenty years, for failing to quit a vehicle, that is switch off the engine and set the handbrake. There have however been a few incidents where vehicles have run away when the handbrake has not been set.

"On May 29, 2003 the Attorney General issued a Prosecuting Policy in Road Traffic cases. This was as a result of a view, fairly widely held among councillors

Secondly, it is vital that the stream lines are used correctly for the system to work, and thirdly, there had been a delay on the publication of the offal management report which is key in reducing bird deaths.

As for the future direction of the plan, the NPOA team were keen to get the input of Fisheries Department observers to aid data collection. A leaflet for ship's captains detailing the plan and its practical implications was discussed and is now ready for distribution.

The reduction of the discard of offal is also one of the long term aims of the plan, as is the discussion of the scheme with other fishing nations. Oliver Yates of ACAP, said that although the Falklands are world leaders in this field, "It negates everything we do if it's ignored in the rest of the world."

However, Director of Fisheries John Barton said the issue of sea bird deaths, "...isn't something which is greatly in discussion (with Argentine fishing authorities)."

Also discussed at the meeting was the Fisheries (Conservation and Management) Bill 2005.

The Bill is now on its seventh draft after various minor details were questioned by the Foreign and Commonwealth Office and required amendments. The Bill will now be considered at a special meeting of Executive Council sometime in early August.

Lastly, the Marine Farming Bill 2005 was also discussed. It was decided by the committee that it was not in a position to be put before Executive Council until certain issues relating to the Bill were resolved.

The next meeting of the Fisheries Committee scheduled for Tuesday, July 26.

that some incidents have been prosecuted which ought not to have been.

"They were referring to what might be considered trivial motoring offences. In such incidents no prosecution will be undertaken unless there are additional offences disclosed such as excess alcohol, excess speed or recklessness, invalid or no insurance, drivers licence, vehicle license etc, major vehicle defects, damage to other property or injury to persons."

Inspector McGill said every incident is considered on an individual basis and that since May 2003 this policy has been adhered to. He added, "The incident that you refer to did not reach the criteria for prosecution under the above policy."

Louise joins the ranks of Falklands professionals

THE Falklands can now boast an English teacher among its young professionals.

Louise McLeod has achieved her Post Graduate Certificate of Education after training in Carlisle.

Louise went to university in Twickenham before embarking on her post graduate teaching degree.

She has worked in the Falklands at the Community School as part of her training.

Louise begins work at a school in Carlisle in September and plans to gain experience in the UK before eventually returning to the Falklands when a job opportunity arises.

'Year of the Sea' Artwork praised



A STUDENT at the Falkland Islands Community School (FICS), has been awarded first prize for her watercolour painting entitled 'Jhelum' in the Museum's 'Year of the Sea 2005' exhibition.

FICS students were asked to contribute work for the exhibition and members of the public then voted for their favourite with Jane Goss coming out on top.

Mrs Simpson, art teacher at FICS who organised her students' contribution to the exhibition and provided the prizes said she was pleased the public had taken such an interest in the students' work. She added, "Apart from the Susan Whitley annual show, I think this is the first time students from FICS have par-

ticipated in a public exhibition in my 18 years at the school."

Second place was awarded jointly to Ashley Wylie and Craig Thain, and third was won by Tegen Montgomerie.

Jamie Curtis, Dion Betts, Saul Zuvic, Nathan Elliot and Helen Davies were all awarded Highly Commended.

Bridie Webster, Nadia Arkhipkina, Jane Clarke, Kelly Fiddes, Eva Velasquez, Delen Montgomerie, Andrea Sylvester-Peters, David Barton, Tamara Minnell, Pamela D'Avino, Vicki Collier, Danielle Caswell and Collette Thomas were Commended for their work.

Business as usual for Standard Wool

STANDARD WOOL from Punta Arenas is looking ahead to a full year's work in spite of the blaze which razed its wool deposits and equipment in February 2004.

Carlos Calisto, Standard Wool General Manager told the Punta Arenas press that the company is involved in the final stages of discussions with the insurance company and should be collecting the policy cheque in the coming weeks.

"We're currently in the demolition process of the area destroyed by the fire and in two to three weeks we expect to begin working in the new plant with a team of specialists we are in the process of selecting." Building the new plant and deposits is scheduled for the end of next September.

Mr Calisto also revealed that the idea of moving the company to Argentine Patagonia has been abandoned, "...it's definite we're staying and rebuilding in Punta Arenas.

"The new plant, with basically the same industrial processing equipment, should be running by April/May 2006," said Mr Calisto.

Standard Wool has continued in the business by shipping local wool to Montevideo, Uruguay, where it is processed and eventually exported.

"Our volume of operation hasn't suffered that much and in Montevideo we have access to virtually the same productive capacity we had in our plant in Punta Arenas," said Mr Calisto. *.../MP*

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'Good progress' for Pasture Improvement

THE Agricultural Advisory Committee met this week to discuss issues as varied as cattle, rock phosphate and the Pasture Improvement Programme.

The meeting heard that Lafonia has been declared free of tuberculosis which, Director of Minerals and Agriculture, Phyl Rendell, said was, "...a credit to the work of vet Sue Harvey."

Senior Veterinary Officer Steve Pointing said that although some farms had been tested for the disease many times, others had not been tested at all.

Worries about tuberculosis and other diseases lead the committee to decide a programme of testing or culling should be developed by next February. This is crucial if the Islands are to attain disease free status.

The issue of some farms stockpiling rock phosphate was also discussed.

Phyl Rendell said that under the rules of the Pasture Improvement Programme, the accumulation of materials is not allowed and that farms which had stocks of rock phosphate would have to use their existing supply before being allowed any more. If any farm did not comply with this by June of next year, it would no longer be allowed to participate in the programme.

Jimmy Forster told the meeting that there have been stockpiles of the material on some farms for a number of years and that some of it is now unrecoverable.

Senior Agricultural Advisor Neil Judd said that although there is a good demand for rock phosphate, "...there are still a number of farmers who don't recognise its value." Mr Judd felt that although it is not a massive issue, it is something that needs "tidying up".

Reviewing the Pasture Improvement Programme itself, Mrs Rendell said it had, "...made good progress despite a late start."

BAS close to choosing winning station design

A COMPETITION to design an Antarctic research station, intended to be built on a 150 metre thick floating ice shelf and capable of being moved, is now in the final stages.

British Antarctic Survey (BAS) launched the competition with the Royal Institute of British Architects (RIBA) in June 2004 in order to find a design for the new BAS research station at Halley.

When first launched, over 80 designers expressed an interest in the project. From those, six were chosen to submit concept ideas and then three were commissioned by BAS to develop their concepts.

A spokesperson for BAS said, "The Jury Panel and technical advisory team have a difficult choice to select just one from three stunning solutions."

The most important considera-

The programme did not begin until September as some issues had to be revisited and new parameters set. There were also difficulties with the weather with a dry spell before Christmas and excessive rain afterwards which damaged fodder crops.

Despite these setbacks, Mrs Rendell described it as, "...a useful season during which farmers learned a lot."

Mrs Rendell says farmers are now, "very much in the driving seat" with an emphasis now more on managed grazing and moving away from high-risk fodder crops.

The number of farms to apply to take part in the programme has now risen to 56 and Mrs Rendell said that the inclusion of improving sheep genetics in the scheme has attracted more interest. She added that more farms have also been applying for help with labour costs which she says is "healthy" and, "...will add growth to the amount of work available in the camp." £165,000 for pasture improvement was rolled over to this year's budget.

A problem relating to the costs of testing wool samples was also addressed during the meeting.

The committee agreed that batching wool samples into lots of 650 test should provide labour use efficiency for the department. Because of this, the committee decided that farmers who are prepared to take part in a batching method should be offered wool testing services at £2 per sample tested for micron, and at £3 per sample when tested for both yield and micron.

They further agreed that farmers who are unwilling to use the batching of wool samples method should continue being charged the current outlined rates detailed in the Department of Agriculture's Farm Management Handbook.

Up to four thousand tests of this nature are undertaken by the department each year. (FIBS)

tion with any of the designs will be its ability to, "...withstand Antarctica's extreme environment.

"Each scheme is elevated above the ice to avoid burial by snow; and is capable of being relocated inland periodically as the ice shelf flows towards the sea."

The winner of the competition will be announced at the Royal Institute of British Architects in London on Tuesday July 19.

The spokesperson added, "In addition to the huge engineering and technical challenges posed by building on a floating ice shelf, each team has demonstrated their creative and aesthetic expertise to design a stimulating living and working environment that is safe, comfortable and sensitive to BAS requirements for energy efficiency and protection of Antarctica's pristine environment."



Memories of World War II

WORLD War II was one of the most terrible events in human history.

It began with an attempt by German forces to bomb the people into submission. Night after night the enemy rockets, referred to as 'doodle-bugs', were launched at Britain, and enemy planes attempted to eliminate the British air force.

I was seventeen years old, living in New York City, and I well remember how we admired the courage of the British people, standing firm in the face of those terrible attacks.

They failed, of course, and gradually increasing numbers of allies worldwide were able to foil the enemy forces and then launch their own attacks.

The entrance of the United States into the conflict at the end of 1941 brought welcome support to the British in Europe, and extended the war in the Pacific. Italian forces on the side of Germany prolonged

the European war, while Japanese forces in the Pacific supported the Germans and Italians and made further problems for the Allies.

By the time war ended, sixty years ago, millions of people had been killed and many millions more injured.

Since that time there have been wars, but not a major world war. Some of the countries that fought against one another are now firm friends. For example, Germany, Italy and Japan now have cordial relations with the western powers.

War is a terrible thing. People are injured or killed; their property is destroyed. Yet, as we have just noted, some countries have already shown that it can be eliminated.

Maybe if we help one another to focus on peace, we can go the rest of the way and remove it altogether. Why not!

John Leonard, Stanley

Mount Pleasant road a 'national disgrace'

AS TWICE weekly user of the 'greasy clay track' (apart from a few nice tarmac bits) between Stanley and MPA I am embarrassed by it - it's a national disgrace!

This route connects over 80% of the Islands' population and a lot of business and tourists use it.

Nobody suggests surfacing it all in one go! All it needs and justifies is tarring one side over, say five to six years.

Plenty of poorer countries have better roads than us and plenty start with sealing one side, and then later, when affordable and with sufficient traffic, they do the other side.

We have the plant, local practical expertise, and more nearby if needed (Chile). What we do not need are any EU or Brussels trained bureaucrats involved.

All we need is the political will to get on with it.

Those with the practical knowledge say much of it can be done by 'tar spray and chip' - but on a proper base, it may be does not need all three to four inches or tarmac.

Apparently Fitzroy Ridge is 'tar and chip' - and that has lasted 20 years!

Tim Miller
Stanley

'Falklandsadvertiser' site continues to help charity

FUNDS continue to be raised for charity via Susie Hansen's website www.falklandsadvertiser.co.uk, with this month's proceeds going to Camp Education and Stanley House.

Tickets as always are £1 and all proceeds raised will be divided between the two organisations.

Tickets can be bought from Susie Hansen and from Falkland Farmers and they will also be available during Farmers Week.

Susie said she was grateful to the generous sponsors of this month's prizes on offer, which are two nights' self catering for two people at Cobb's Cottage on Bleaker Island, a quarter of beef, a chocolate cake, fresh vegetables, wine, tablemats, a makeup set, and a food hamper.

More details can be found on www.falklandsadvertiser.co.uk.

Susie advises anyone having

trouble logging onto the site to, "...just make sure you type Falklands with the 's' (all in lower case) and also .co.uk (not .fk)."

In the August prize draw all donations will be going to the Stephen Jaffray Memorial Fund. Susie said, "If anyone would like to donate something for that raffle please contact me."

She added, "Also 50% of fees from all adverts placed on www.falklandsadvertiser.co.uk between July 25 and August 25 will be donated to the Stephen Jaffray fund."

"Thanks to everyone who has supported the site and all the fund raising for local charities. You can also now send Falkland Island e-mail post cards from the advertiser site. Just go to the main page and click the link to Falkland Postcards."

No engine fire on Air Atlanta 747 flight

A MILITARY spokesman has confirmed that the Air Atlanta 747 aircraft that left the Falklands last Saturday bound for the UK, "...did not catch fire."

Responding to rumours circulating around the Islands this week, Command Secretary Alan Nisbet stated that instead the plane had suffered an "engine surge" and needed repairing before it could be serviceable and ready to fly.

Passengers on the flight were delayed for two days on Ascension Island before Air Atlanta diverted another aircraft from Florida to complete the journey to the UK.

Mr Nisbet said that it was his understanding that it was this aircraft that will continue the airbridge service. He was however unable to confirm whether the stricken aircraft was still on Ascension Island or had returned to the UK.

May Queen: 'wake up, Stanley'

MY FAMILY and I have lived in the Falkland Islands for two years and we are now back in Scotland.

I must say that in some ways I have thoroughly enjoyed my time in the Islands and feel that it was an amazing experience. But on the other hand, part of me is very angry at some of the things I experienced.

The behaviour and attitude of some of the students in the Community School is appalling. They have no respect for the teachers, their peers or even themselves.

A lot of the younger students walk around the school thinking that they are better than others and constantly try to put others down by being vindictive and hurtful.

As soon as you enter the school, a label is placed on you and, no matter how hard it can be at times, you have to live with it. Rumours spread, you're gossiped about and friends are taken away from you. This isn't how a school should be.

When I was crowned Queen at the May Ball this year, I didn't

expect it at all, but afterwards I got so much criticism and trouble from other students, some of whom were not even there! I was told that the Ball had obviously been fixed. I didn't deserve it as I wore an 'evening gown'. I wasn't a Benny and, at one point, I had stones thrown at me. This isn't fair and has to stop.

Not all the blame should be put on these students but also on some of the parents. Don't they realise that many of their children are out drunk and smoking on Friday and Saturday nights until the early hours of the morning? This includes students from the age of ten up to sixteen and older, therefore they are breaking the law.

I never planned from an early stage to write this letter but I personally believe that many other students feel the same way as I do, and I think it is time for something to be done about it before anyone gets seriously hurt.

Frances Douse (16)
Scotland

Tributes to the late Marj McPhee

I LEARNED about the death of my dear friend Marj McPhee with great sadness, and her passing means that I have now lost both of the people who were my Churchwardens during my time as Rector of the Cathedral.

Les Halliday and Marj McPhee were very loyal and supportive co-workers, and their friendship and encouragement were valued by both myself, and by my wife Christine. No one could have wanted for more loyal and hard-working church leaders. When the Archbishop of Canterbury visited the islands in 1992 he told me privately that I was very fortunate to have such Churchwardens.

I ONLY met Marj on two occasions and the first of those was in 1993, when I returned "home" with my wife Mary, to visit my father and family.

We were invited around to her place for a meal and a chat with her and Owen and other friends who popped in to see them.

The second time was in 1996, when I returned home for my father's funeral. Once again I was

Marj was indomitable: she was always found where the need was the greatest. She was kind and thoughtful – and her patience was clearly evident when she taught me (successfully!) to spin.

When I returned for a brief visit to the Falkland Islands in 2001 almost the first thing she asked me was if I was intending to come to the spinning group on Tuesday night. I suspect that her motive was so that she would be able to check me out to see if I had kept up with the skill.

I continue to remember Owen and the family in my prayers.

Thank you Marj; may you rest in peace.

Canon Dr. Stephen Palmer, UK

invited around for a meal. This time Owen got out the accordion and we had a dance in the front-room! I know that Marj wrote to several people in New Zealand, and we shall all miss hearing from her, with all the news from "home".

It was a privilege to have known her and I'm sure she will be missed by many.

Arnold Betts, New Zealand

Argentine petitions for drop of claim

HERE in Argentina, I'm working to gather signatures to send to Congress to request that Argentina abandons the reclaiming of sovereignty over your land.

It is going to be a hard work, but I want to get at least 35,000 people to sign.

We are perfectly aware that our politicians are corrupts and useless and therefore they have no idea what it means to be a people as you are in your own right.

We are sure to be persecuted for this enterprise but we know it's necessary because we're sure that people will support from here 'The Autodetermination Rights of the Falkland Islands Citizens.'

The war was a tragedy for you when your lands were invaded by Argentine troops. We know they burned, destroyed and raped your land, they injured your peace and your souls.

So, my friends and I ask for your forgiveness; we would like to try to repair some of that pain and damage.

God Bless the new free land and its people.

Ariel Corridor, Argentina

Corrie fans: 'get a life'

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J Knight, Fox Bay



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Islanders have given their all

The following letter is in reply to Robin Goodwin's submission last week.

I JUST felt I had to write in reply, (from my sick bed in Exeter, Devon) when, in the *Penguin News* of July 1, I read your wonderful letter. You covered so much that needed to be said, loud and clear for the whole world to hear. Well done!

We, from those beautiful South Atlantic islands, the *British* Falkland Islands, have always given everything, and *never* asked for anything in return until 1982.

Reference your comments on the WWII; we still have loved ones posted as missing from World War II.

In order for us to contribute to the buying of the Spitfires, we, the families who had no money, willingly gave up a portion of our ration coupons so that additional money could be raised through the Red Cross to buy them, while we went without our meagre portions of butter, sugar, milk or whatever, for that week or so.

But buy them we did, and when they flew into the Battle of Britain, it was with the words 'Falkland Islands' emblazoned proudly under the cockpits.

The *Mr* Stevelys of today make me sick; they think they know it all but in truth know darned all.

It would have been better for him if he had kept his mouth shut

and his pen away from paper but as with all aspects of life, there is always a 'dick-know-it-all' lurking around somewhere with their hurtful, uncalled for and totally foundation-less remarks, that cause needless stress and pain.

To all of us (fourth, fifth and even sixth generation) of true blue Falklands-born people, I say keep the red, white and blue flying over us. *Always* be proud of your heritage and your British ancestors and never let it be said otherwise.

Question: Are you proud to be British? – Yes!

Question: Are you proud to be a Falkland Islander? – Yes!

Always remember what the war did for us during 1982 and the price it cost. And I am not now talking about the monetary costs!
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Wilson Logistics re-brands

WILSON Logistics Group a Southampton-based freight company used by many Falkland Islanders has taken an important step in integrating into TNT by changing its name to TNT Freight Management.

The Wilson Logistics Group was acquired by TNT in August 2004, adding a complete and globally standardised freight service offer and leading e-services to its express and logistics portfolio.

The company says customers are increasingly demanding complete end-to-end logistics solutions with total supply chain visibility. "TNT Freight Management has the competence to supply and combine freight services, information management and added value into integrated solutions."

"As part of the Logistics division, TNT Freight Management supports TNT's

capacity to offer customers one partner to solve their supply chain challenges worldwide."

The integration of Wilson into the TNT Logistics division is well on its way. The new brand is expected to bring benefits to the former Wilson organisation. "The name TNT, a strong and global brand, will give higher visibility and credibility worldwide. It will emphasise our joint service offer and help us in customer contacts," says Jeff Hoogesteger, MD TNT Freight Management.

The new profile will be evident in a new TNT look for all communications from signs and business cards to invoices and web design.

The change mainly refers to the brand, corporate identity and company name. In all other respects the company remains the same: the people, services, expertise and values as well as addresses.

An average month of weather

JUNE'S mean temperatures were just above average for the month, with the rainfall being the lowest recorded since records began at MPA

Sunshine was well above average while the mean wind speed was exactly average.

The mean maximum temperature for the month was 4.4C against the average of 4.2C. The highest recorded maximum temperature was 9.6C on the 5th. The lowest maximum -1.9C was recorded on the 19th.

The mean minimum temperature was 0.3C against the average of 0.4C. The lowest minimum temperature was -6.1C recorded on the 14th. There were 11 nights with air frost and 20 nights with a ground frost.

Rainfall was well below average with 23.1mm against the average of 58.1 mm, making June 2005 the driest on record at MPA. The highest daily total of 44 mm

fell on the 9th. There were 14 days with 0.1 mm or more and 9 days with 1.0 mm or more. There were five instances of fog during the month.

Snow or sleet fell on 15 days during the month while there were only three instances of hail during the month.

Total sunshine for the month was 81.4 hours, well above the long term average of 61.1 hours. The sunniest day was the 13th with 7.4 hours. Which was the sunniest for a single day in June since records began at MPA.

The mean wind speed for the month was 13.4 knots, equalling the average of 13.4 knots for June. There were three days with gales (34 knots or more over a ten minute mean) during the month.

The highest gust recorded was 49 knots on the 12th. Gusts exceeding 33 knots occurred on 13 days.

Sue Whitley Memorial Exhibition this weekend

SCHOOL children will be putting the finishing touches to their artwork for the annual Sue Whitley Memorial Art and Craft Exhibition which takes place this weekend.

The exhibition will be held both in the Falkland Islands Community School with displays in the first and ground floor streets and in adjoining classrooms and also in the Infant and Junior School where displays will be in the entrance foyer and new extension.

It will be open on Saturday and Sunday afternoons from 2 - 4pm and on Monday from 10am - 3pm.

Susan Whitley was the home economics teacher at the Senior School who was killed during the shelling of Stanley during the Falk-

lands War. She is buried on Sea Lion Island.

Her husband Steve, and Susan's family, established the Susan Whitley Trust Fun with donations from the people of Llandrindod Wells in Wales. Susan's home town.

The trust aims to advance the education of children and young people of school age resident in the Falkland Islands by the provision of annual prizes to reward endeavour in the fields of art, craft, home economics and domestic science in the Infant/Junior, Community and Camp schools

The first exhibition was held in 1984; each year an overall winner is selected from senior pupils to hold the Spinning Wheel Trophy for the year.

Flyaway raffle win for Romeo

FIVE pounds spent on raffle tickets turned out to be a very wise investment for one Stanley pensioner last week.

Romeo Pauloni won the top prize of a return flight to the UK in this year's flyaway raffle organised by the Guides Association

Romeo's wife Hilary said the couple were really pleased with their win and that they "never expected it."

Mrs Pauloni said she managed to "pull the wool" over her husband's eyes as she told him she thought he had won a cake and a bottle of whiskey; he was therefore rather surprised, she said, to see a cheque for £1,200 land in his hands.

She described her husband's good fortune as "a good win" and said the money would "certainly come in handy" when the couple decide to go on holiday.

The flyaway raffle draw took place during the Guides Association bazaar and coffee morning held on Saturday at the Guide Headquarters in the Beauchene Complex.

The event raised over £1,300 which will go towards sending two Guides and a leader to the international camp near Guildford in the UK later this month.

Guide Commissioner, Jane Cotter commented, "Many thanks to all our supporters. We are grateful to those who sell raffle tickets in town and Camp and to all of you who generously sort out your cupboards to fill our stall, bake cakes and provide prizes.

"And many thanks to those of you who came on the day to buy things. None of this would be possible without all your help."



Above: Guides Terri-Sue Clifford and Derri Yon and leader Helga Burroughs sort through sale items; Below: Visitors enjoy the coffees, teas and cakes on offer; Bottom: Bernice Hewitt puts her artistic skills to good use and paints a design on Michaela Clifford's face.





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TIDES AROUND THE ISLANDS

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Moonrise	1001		1537 0.71	
Moonset	1906		2200 1.35	
10	0200	0.39	Sunrise 0752	
SUN	0831	1.30	Sunset 1602	
	1342	0.70	Moonrise 1045	
	1948	1.55	Moonset 2354	
Sunrise	0754		14 0417 0.63	
Sunset	1559		THUR 1043 1.28	
Moonrise	1014		1635 0.71	
Moonset	2018		2300 1.28	
11	0234	0.44	Sunrise 0751	
MON	0901	1.28	Sunset 1603	
	1416	0.69	Moonrise 1056	
	2027	1.49	Moonset	
Sunrise	0753		15 0459 0.71	
Sunset	1600		FRI 1131 1.30	
Moonrise	1025		1745 0.69	
Moonset	2129		Sunrise 0750	
12	0306	0.50	Sunset 1604	
TUES	0930	1.27	Moonrise 1109	
	1454	0.70	Moonset 0111	
	2109	1.42		

(See www.michaelstevens.horizon.co.fk for tide charts)

STANLEY LEISURE CENTRE

Telephone 27291/27285 Fax 27284 e-mail admin.leisure@scn.gov.fk for bookings and enquires

Opening Schedule Commencing Saturday 9th JULY 2005

Swimming Pool	SATURDAY 9 th JULY 2005		Sports Hall / Squash Courts
Canoing	10:00-11:00	Public	
Public	11:00-13:00	Public	
Private Hire	13:00-14:00	Public	
Public	14:00-16:00	Public	
Adults	16:00-18:00	Public	
Between 11:00-12:00 Ludic Aerobics in Court 1 / 12:00-13:00 Junior Activities			
CLUBS ON TODAY			
TABLE TENNIS CLUB 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM			
SUNDAY 10 th JULY 2005			
Public	11:00-17:00	Public	
Adults	17:00-19:00	Public	
Between 11:00-12:00 Junior Activities			
CLUBS ON TODAY			
TABLE TENNIS CLUB (FITTA) 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM SHORT TENNIS CLUB 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM			
MONDAY 11 th JULY 2005			
Closed	09:00-11:00	School	
Camp Education	11:00-12:00	School	
Lanes (Adults)(2 Lanes Swm Club)	12:00-13:00	Public	
OAP - Physio. Adults, Parents & Toddlers	13:00-15:00	School	
Closed	15:00-16:00	School	
S.L.C. Swm School	16:00-17:00	Public	
Public - (2 Lanes Adults Swims)	17:15-19:00	Public	
Aquarobics	19:00-20:00	Public	
Adults	20:00-21:00	Public	
CLUBS ON TODAY			
S.L.C. SWIM SCHOOL 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM BADMINTON CLUB 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM			
TUESDAY 12 th JULY 2005			
Closed	09:00-11:00	Public	
Camp Education	11:00-12:00	School	
Lanes (Adults)	12:00-13:00	Public	
OAP - Physio. Adults, Parents & Toddlers	13:00-15:00	School	
Stanley Swimming Club	16:00-17:00	Public	
Public	17:00-19:00	Public	
Ladies Hour	19:00-20:00	Public	
Private Hire	20:00-21:00	Public	
CLUBS ON TODAY			
STANLEY SWIMMING CLUB 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM NETBALL CLUB 8:00 PM - 7:00 PM LADIES 5-A-SIDE 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM			
WEDNESDAY 13 th JULY 2005			
Closed	09:00-11:00	Public	
Camp Education	11:00-12:00	Public	
Lanes (Adults)(2 Lanes Swm Club)	12:00-13:00	Public	
OAP - Physio. Adults, Parents & Toddlers	13:00-15:00	School	
Closed	15:00-16:00	School	
S.L.C. Swm School	16:00-17:00	Public	
Public	17:00-19:00	Public	
Private Hire	19:00-20:00	Public	
Adults	20:00-21:00	Public	
CLUBS ON TODAY			
S.L.C. SWIM SCHOOL 4:00 PM - 4:45 PM VOLLEYBALL CLUB 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM CRICKET CLUB 8:00 PM - 9:00 PM			
THURSDAY 14 th JULY 2005			
Closed for Cleaning	09:00-11:00	School	
Camp Education	11:00-12:00	Public	
Closed for Cleaning	12:00-13:00	Public	
Closed for Cleaning	13:00-15:00	School	
Closed for Cleaning	15:00-16:00	Public	
S.L.C. Swm School	16:00-17:00	Public	
Public - (2 Lanes Adults Swims)	17:00-19:00	Public	
Aquarobics	19:00-20:00	Public	
Adults	20:00-21:00	Public	
Between 17:00-18:00 Ludic Circuits in Court 1			
CLUBS ON TODAY			
S.L.C. SWIM SCHOOL 4:00 PM - 4:45 PM / HOCKEY CLUB 6:30 PM / SQUASH CLUB 6:30 PM / BADMINTON CLUB 7:00 PM			
FRIDAY 15 th JULY 2005			
Closed	09:00-10:00	School	
OAP - Physio. Adults, Parents & Toddlers	10:00-12:00	School	
Lanes (Adults)(2 Lanes Swm Club)	12:00-13:00	Public	
OAP - Physio. Adults, Parents & Toddlers	13:00-16:00	School	
Stanley Swimming Club	16:00-17:00	Public	
Public	17:00-19:00	Public	
Adults	19:00-20:00	Public	
CLUBS ON TODAY			
STANLEY SWIMMING CLUB 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM			

CLUBS AND CONTACTS

CHURCH SERVICES

CATHEDRAL
SUNDAY
 8am Holy Communion (BCP) 10am Morning Service & Junior Church
 7pm Evening Service
 Tel: 21100/Fax 21842, The Deanery, 17 Ross Road, Stanley
 Rector - Rev Paul Sweeting.

TABERNACLE - Barrack Street (free church)
 Sunday Services 10.00am and 7.00pm.
 Family Service second Sunday morning of the month.
 Communion first Sunday morning and third Sunday evening of the month
 Midweek Bible Study Tuesday 7.30pm at 2 Drury Street

St. MARY'S
 SUNDAY: 10am (MPA 6.30pm).
 Week days: 9am

St. CUTHBERT'S (MPA)
 SUN: 10.30am All-age Worship
 Every 2nd Sun Communion
 6.30pm Holy Mass
 Mon: 07.00am Mass
 Other activities will be posted as and when they are arranged

BAHA'I FAITH

For information on meetings please ring Margo Smallwood on 21031 or check our website: www.horizon.co.fk/bahai_falklands

HOSPITAL PHARMACY

Monday to Friday mornings 10.00am - 12.15pm: Mon, Tue, Thu and Fri afternoons 14.30 - 17.00: Weds afternoons 13.30 - 15.30

MUSEUM

Monday - Friday 09.30 - 12.00 & 13.30 to 16.00: Saturday & Sunday 14.00 - 16.00. Tel: 27428

TREASURY

Monday - Friday Tel: 27143 8am - 12 noon

LIBRARY

Monday - Friday 08.45 - 12.00 and 13.30 - 17.45: Saturday 10am - 12 noon: 14.00 - 17.00pm Tel: 27147

VETERINARY DEPARTMENT

Consultation hours: Phone 27366
 Mon Wed Fri 8.30am - 9.30am: 1.00pm - 2.00pm: 4.00pm - 4.30pm: Tues Thurs 1.00pm - 2.00pm
Consultations by appointment only.

BADMINTON CLUB Mondays 7 - 9 Thursdays 7 - 9pm Trudi Clarke, Tel:21131

SQUASH CLUB Thursdays 5-9pm Contact Roger Spink Tel 21128

NETBALL CLUB Tuesdays 6-7pm, All are welcome Contact Daphne Arthur Almond Tel: 22038

THE FI GUN CLUB New members welcome Contact: Graham Didlick on 22282 or Steve Dent on 22021

F.I. RIFLE ASSOCIATION Contact Secretary G Goodwin 21246

CRICKET ASSOCIATION New junior and senior players welcome, contact Roger Diggle 21716

STANLEY GOLF CLUB Competitions on Sunday at 8.45 am. Contact Graeme Hay on 22555 www.horizon.co.fk/golf

ASTHMA SUPPORT GROUP - Meets second Tuesday of every third month in Day Centre at 5pm Contact G. France on 21624

FALKLAND ISLANDS RED CROSS New members welcome Contact Keith Biles, Tel. 21897 (Chairman); Elizabeth Marrow 21921 (Secretary); Jean Diggle 21716 (Treasurer)

GUILD OF SPINNERS, WEAVERS & HANDICRAFTS Meetings on Monday evening at 7.30pm and Thursdays 1.30 - 3.30pm Contact M Smallwood 21031

CANCER SUPPORT & AWARENESS TRUST - Contact Theresa Lang (Chairman) 21235 Alison Ward (Secretary) 21851, Derek Howatt (Trustee) 21385, Mrs Shiralee Collins 21579

FIODA Chairman - Geoff Pring, tel 21786 Secretary - Richard Fogerty, tel 21343 Treasurer - Alison Inglis, tel. 22817

DIABETES SUPPORT GROUP Holds meetings quarterly - for further details contact Chairman Sharon Middleton on 21393

STANLEY SWIMMING CLUB Coaching Tuesdays 4-5pm, Fridays 4-5pm

STANLEY SUB-AQUA CLUB - Contact David McLeod Phone: 20836 (day), 20843 (home)

THE ROYAL BRITISH LEGION - FALKLAND ISLANDS BRANCH Meets on the first Monday of every month at the Hillside Mess at 7.45pm Contacts: Chairman Michael Stevens (21936)/Secretary Bruce Wilks (22438), Treasurer Richard Morrison (22316)

STANLEY SHORT MAT BOWLS CLUB Friday 6.00 - 8.00pm Contact Greta Skene 21488

JELLY TOTS CLUB meets Tuesday 1.30 - 3.30pm and Thursday 10-11.30am in the Parish Hall. All parents and carers with children aged 0 - 5 years are welcome. For more information contact: Zoe Crockford - 22694 Chairperson, Michelle King - 21784 Treasurer, Wendy Luxton - 21882, Secretary, Sue Wilks - 22438, Alison Roose - 22955

THE SHACK YOUTH CLUB - Open every Thursday night. School years 3/4 5.15pm to 6.45pm School years 5/6 7.00pm to 8.30pm Friday night School years 7/8/9/10 9.00-9.00 Any queries or information contact Stevie or Katie Burston phone/fax 21677

SHORT TENNIS CLUB - Sunday 3 - 5pm. Contact Gordon Lennie Tel. 21667 or Steve Pointing on 21616 for further details

KARATE CLUB Wed 6-7pm and Sat 11-12a.m. Contact Jan on 22441

AA BASED ALCOHOL AWARENESS GROUP Thursdays 7.30pm - 8.30pm KEMH Day Centre. All Welcome

DANCE GROUP SCOTTISH/LOCAL Wednesday evenings 7.30pm-9pm Infant & Junior School Hall

HAND CHIME GROUP - Wednesday evenings at the Parish Hall 7 - 8.30pm. For more information contact Bronwen Douse on 21675

TABLE TENNIS CLUB - Sunday 3 - 5pm. Contact Michael Stevens on 21936 for more details

Emergency Radio Frequencies

The Public are advised that in the event of an emergency where no other form of communication are available, that the Royal Falkland Islands Police maintain a 24 hour listening watch on the following frequencies

VHF 2 metre Band
 147.725 (Duplex - 0.6) ... Pebble Island repeater
 146.625 - Stanley, Alice, Port Howard & Pebble link
 147.825 (Duplex - 0.6) ... Mount Alice repeater
 146.675 - Port Howard

Marine Band
 156.800 - Channel 16 (Stanley area)
 2.182 MHz HF

In the event that communications fail on all the above frequencies then the RFIIP may be contacted direct on 153.650 (duplex + 1.6). It is unlikely that this frequency will be functional from West Falkland

It must be stressed that calling the Royal Falkland Islands Police on any of these frequencies must only be done in the event of an emergency

Saturday 9th July

8.30 ROOM 785
 8.40 TAZ-MANIA
 9.00 YOKO! JAKAMOKO! TOTOC
 9.10 BRITISH AND IRISH LIONS TOUR 2005 The third and final Test between New Zealand and the British and Irish Lions at Eden Park in Auckland
 11.00 THE SIMPSONS
 11.25 CARTOON TIME
 11.30 THE BEST OF NO GIRLS ALLOWED
 11.50 SUPER SPIDERS Documentary
 12.30 A QUESTION OF SPORT Sue Barker hosts the sports quiz, with team captains Ally McCoist and Matt Dawson. Ally is joined by former world champion boxer Barry McGuigan and the captain of England women's football team, Faye White. Alongside Matt is the New Zealand rugby league star Leslie Vainikolo and the footballer with the most Premiership appearances, Gary Speed
 1.00 NEWS
 1.10 GRANDSTAND There's top sporting action in this afternoon's edition of *Grandstand*, including live golf and horse racing. There is also the latest news from the Lions' tour in the wake of today's third and final Test in Auckland, as well as all the reaction to Wednesday's Olympic bid announcement in Singapore
 6.10 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER
 6.20 WITH A LITTLE HELP FROM MY FRIENDS (New)
 7.10 THE O.C. The Distance: New series of the American drama series set in the wealthy coastal community of Orange County
 7.50 CASUALTY
 8.40 MOVIE PRESENTATION: MESSAGE IN A BOTTLE (1999) Romantic drama
 10.45 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 11.05 JOSS STONE HITS NEW YORK
 11.55 BIG BROTHER
 12.35[am] NEWS 24

Sunday 10th July

8.30 HOLLYOAKS OMNIBUS
 10.30 NEWS 24 SUNDAY
 11.30 VJ DAY SERVICE The start of coverage of a day of ceremonial events, attended by veterans and their families, to commemorate the 60th anniversary of the end of the Second World War.
 12.30 WILD WEST COUNTRY
 12.40 CD: UK
 1.30 THE SIMPSONS
 1.55 GRAND PRIX Live coverage of the British Grand Prix from Silverstone
 3.40 VJ DAY COMMEMORATIONS FOR THE END OF WORLD WAR TWO An event remembering the sacrifice and celebrating the victory, held on Horse Guards Parade in front of 12,000 veterans of both the Armed Forces and civilian services, who suffered and fought through the Second World War. Following this, the standards of veterans' organisations are borne along The Mall to Buckingham Palace, where the Royal Family make their traditional appearance on the balcony to view a flypast of aircraft which took part in the struggles in the skies above the UK and across the world. The day culminates in a poppy drop from the Battle Of Britain Memorial Flight's Lancaster, escorted by Spitfire and Hurricane
 6.20 WILD SCOTLAND
 6.30 ROLF ON ART - AFRICA SPECIAL

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OPENING HOURS
 MONDAY TO FRIDAY
 1.30PM TO 6PM
 SATURDAY BY APPOINTMENT

7.00 DOCTOR WHO
 7.45 TFI CYPRUS
 7.55 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 8.15 FRASIER American sitcom
 8.35 DOC MARTIN (New) Comedy drama series about an eminent surgeon who develops a phobia to blood and has to retrain as a GP. Starring Martin Clunes, Caroline Catz, Stewart Wright, Ian McNeice, Stephanie Cole and Joe Absolom
 9.25 24 5.00am-6.00am: Time's ticking away, and CTU still haven't located the stolen warhead Followed by: BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 10.10 MONARCHY Dr David Starkey presents a complete history of the British monarchy down the ages
 11.00 TV AFRICA Ekow Eshun goes on a journey to discover modern Africa through its television
 12.00 BIG BROTHER
 12.50 [am] NEWS 24

Monday 11th July

7.00 BREAKFAST
 10.15 ROOM 785
 10.30 MAKE AND DO
 10.40 RAZZLEDAZZLE
 11.00 ELEPHANT DIARIES (New)
 11.30 THIS MORNING
 1.30 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 2.10 EMMERDALE
 2.55 A PLACE IN THE SUN
 3.45 ROOM 785
 4.00 SMART AFRICA
 4.30 BEST OF FRIENDS: AFRICA
 4.55 GALIDOR: DEFENDER OF THE OUTER DIMENSION
 5.15 THE CROCODILE HUNTER DIARIES (New) Steve Irwin reveals what went on behind the scenes of *Croc Live*
 5.40 THE KING OF QUEENS (New) Sitcom
 6.05 CORONATION STREET
 6.50 CREATURE COMFORTS
 7.00 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 7.30 EASTENDERS
 8.00 THE BILL
 8.45 GELDOF IN AFRICA (New) Life in Africa has always been a battle against nature, climate and geography
 9.15 WAKING THE DEAD Anger Management: (Part two). Concluding another two-part story in the police drama series. Starring Trevor Eve, Sue Johnston, Holly Aird, Wil Johnson and Claire Goose
 10.15 THE ROBINSONS Sitcom Followed by: BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 10.50 8 OUT OF 10 CATS

11.15 CHUBBY CHASERS Looking at a world where men adore big beautiful women - a place where fat is not just acceptable, it is desirable
 12.00 BIG BROTHER
 12.50[am] NEWS 24

Tuesday 12th July

7.00 BREAKFAST
 10.15 ROOM 785
 10.30 MAKE AND DO
 10.40 RAZZLEDAZZLE
 11.00 ELEPHANT DIARIES
 11.30 THIS MORNING
 1.30 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 2.10 HEARTBEAT
 2.55 A PLACE IN THE SUN The Apennines
 3.45 ROOM 785
 3.55 50/50
 4.25 BEST OF FRIENDS: AFRICA
 4.50 GRANGE HILL Children's drama series set in a comprehensive school
 5.15 TIME TEAM
 6.05 CORONATION STREET
 6.30 BFBS REPORTS
 7.00 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 7.30 EASTENDERS
 8.00 THE BILL
 8.45 DOCTOR WHO: THE ULTIMATE GUIDE
 9.35 NIP/TUCK Followed by: BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 10.20 THE MONASTERY Documentary series
 11.20 STAR SCANDALS WITH JOHNNY VAUGHAN
 12.10[am] BIG BROTHER
 12.55[am] NEWS 24

Wednesday 13th July

7.00 BREAKFAST
 10.15 ROOM 785
 10.30 MAKE AND DO
 10.40 RAZZLEDAZZLE
 11.00 ELEPHANT DIARIES
 11.30 THIS MORNING
 1.30 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 2.10 EMMERDALE
 2.55 A PLACE IN THE SUN
 3.45 ROOM 785
 4.00 TINY AND MR DUK'S HUGE SHOW
 4.25 BEST OF FRIENDS: AFRICA
 4.55 COMBAT CLUB
 5.20 AIRLINE USA Docusoap about the passengers and staff of Southwest Airlines
 5.45 MY WIFE AND KIDS Cool comedy
 6.05 CORONATION STREET
 6.50 CREATURE COMFORTS
 7.00 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT

7.30 BUFFY THE VAMPIRE SLAYER
 8.10 DEEP JUNGLE
 9.00 DESPERATE HOUSEWIVES
 9.40 FINGERSMITH Crime drama set in 1860s London. Starring Rupert Evans, Sally Hawkins, Elaine Cassidy and Imelda Staunton Followed by: BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 10.45 MAKE ME A SUPERMODEL Model and actress Rachel Hunter fronts a series which aims to find a potential new supermodel
 11.30 AFTER THEY WERE FAMOUS
 11.55 BIG BROTHER
 12.35[am] NEWS 24

Thursday 14th July

7.00 BREAKFAST
 10.15 ROOM 785
 10.30 MAKE AND DO
 10.40 RAZZLEDAZZLE
 11.00 ELEPHANT DIARIES
 11.30 THIS MORNING
 1.30 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 2.10 HEARTBEAT
 2.55 A PLACE IN THE SUN
 3.45 ROOM 785
 4.10 PLANET COOK
 4.30 BEST OF FRIENDS: AFRICA
 4.55 GRANGE HILL
 5.20 ENTERPRISE
 6.05 CORONATION STREET
 6.50 CREATURE COMFORTS
 7.00 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 7.30 EASTENDERS
 8.00 HOLBY CITY
 9.00 LIFE BEGINS
 9.45 RAMSAY'S KITCHEN NIGHTMARES Followed by: BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 10.35 ONE LIFE FASHIONED IN AFRICA Documentary about Sudanese supermodel Alek Wek
 11.15 BADDIEL AND SKINNER UNPLANNED
 11.40 BIG BROTHER
 12.25[am] BRITISH OPEN GOLF HIGHLIGHTS
 1.05 [am] NEWS 24

Friday 15th July

7.00 BREAKFAST
 10.15 ROOM 785
 10.30 MAKE AND DO
 10.40 RAZZLEDAZZLE
 11.00 ELEPHANT DIARIES
 11.30 THIS MORNING
 1.30 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 2.10 EMMERDALE
 2.55 A PLACE IN THE SUN
 3.45 ROOM 785
 3.55 ATOMIC BETTY
 4.15 THE BIG BANG
 4.30 THE WEEK ON NEWSROUND
 4.50 BEST OF FRIENDS: AFRICA
 5.15 THE GADGET SHOW
 5.40 THE CITY GARDENER
 6.05 CORONATION STREET
 6.30 BFBS REPORTS
 7.00 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 7.30 EASTENDERS
 8.00 RETURN OF THE CHEF
 8.25 THE INSPECTOR LYNLEY MYSTERIES
 9.55 THE KUMARS AT NO 42 (New)
 10.25 ER Drama series Followed by: BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 11.10 BIG BROTHER
 11.35 BRITISH OPEN GOLF HIGHLIGHTS
 12.30[am] BIG BROTHER
 1.00[am] NEWS 24

Billings correct at time of going to press but subject to change until actual transmission. Time into BFBS Radio/Television for up-dates.

Your programmes - F.I.B.S.

Weekly schedule of programmes - as updated by FIBS

SATURDAY

5:00 IRN News & Childrens Corner
6:00 Weather, Flights, Ranges, Announcements, Job Shop & What's on Guide
6:17 The Archers
6:30 News Review
7:00 In Concert
8:00 Feature Presentation
8:30 Weather, Flights & The Fusion with Stacy
10:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

SUNDAY

5:00 IRN News & Chaplains Choice with Paul Sweeting
5:30 Classical Interlude with Kathy Biles
6:00 Weather, Flights, Ranges, Announcements, Job Shop & What's on Guide
6:15 Short Story
6:30 Feature Presentation
7:00 Sunday Evening Service
8:00 Slow Jams with Jock to include Weather & Flights at 8:30
10:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

MONDAY

7:00 IRN News & Breakfast Show with Ken (530mw & 88.3fm)
9:00 KTV Radio Nova
10:00 IRN News & Lifestyle with Liz to include
12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
12:30 Calling The Falklands (repeat)
1:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

4:00 IRN News & People's Jukebox
5:00 IRN News followed by Jukebox
6:00 IRN News & The Archers
6:15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop followed by Country Crossroads
7:00 Comedy presentation
7:30 Music feature
8:30 Weather, Flights & The Vinyl Frontier with Myriam
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

TUESDAY

7:00 IRN News & Breakfast Show with Ken (530mw & 88.3fm)
9:00 KTV Radio Nova
10:00 IRN News & Lifestyle with Liz to include
12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
12:30 One To One
1:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

4:00 IRN News & People's Jukebox
5:00 IRN News followed by Jukebox
6:00 IRN News & The Archers
6:15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop followed by Calling The Falklands
6:45 Simply Classical
7:45 Folk Music Show
8:30 Weather, Flights & 80's and 90's with Sheena
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

WEDNESDAY

7:00 IRN News & Breakfast Show with Ken (530mw & 88.3fm)
9:00 KTV Radio Nova
10:00 IRN News & Lifestyle with Liz to include:

12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
12:30 Calling The Falklands (repeat)
1:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm
4:00 IRN News & People's Jukebox
5:00 IRN News followed by Jukebox
6:00 IRN News & The Archers
6:15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop followed by The Best Of with Jock
7:30 Drama Presentation
8:30 Weather, Flights & FIBS Chart Show
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

THURSDAY

7:00 IRN News & Breakfast Show with Ken (530mw & 88.3fm)
9:00 KTV Radio Nova
10:00 IRN News & Lifestyle with Liz to include

12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
1:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm
4:00 IRN News & People's Jukebox
5:00 IRN News followed by Jukebox
6:00 IRN News & The Archers
6:15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop followed by Soul, Blues & Rock 'n' Roll with Liz
7:30 Feature Presentation
8:00 Pot Luck with Myriam to include Weather & Flights at 8:30
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

FRIDAY

7:00 IRN News & Breakfast Show with Ken (530mw & 88.3fm)
9:00 KTV Radio Nova
10:00 IRN News & Lifestyle with Liz to include

12:15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
12:30 Caught In The Net/Camp Matters
1:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm
4:00 IRN News & People's Jukebox
5:00 IRN News followed by Jukebox
6:00 IRN News & The Archers
6:15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop followed by The Information Hour to include
Calling The Falklands
One To One (repeat)
Conservation Conversations (repeat)
Caught In The Net/Camp Matters (repeat)
7:30 Non-Stop Country Hour
8:30 Weather, Flights & Leather and Lace with Tansy
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

Any changes will be broadcast on FIBS.



98.5 FM:
SATURDAY 0000 Groove Collective PT 2 0100 The Box 0300 Cox & Bumfrey 0500 Early Riser 0700 Forces Finest PT 1 0800 Saturday Breakfast 1000 The Score 1300 Forces Finest 1500 Cox & Bumfrey 1700 Ministry Of Sound 1900 David Rodigan 2100 Club Culture 2300 The Box PT 1
SUNDAY 0000 The Box PT 2 0100 Chill Out Room 0300 Sim Courtie 0500 Groove Collective 0700 UK Sunday Breakfast 1000 Sim Courtie 1200 Access all Areas 1400 Airplay UK 1700 The Source 1900 The Rock Show 2100 Up from the Underground 2300 Chill Out Room PT1
MONDAY 0000 Chill Out Room PT 2 0100 Forces Finest 0300 BFBS Greatest Hits 0400 Early Riser 0700 Hermina Graham 1000 Heidi Secker 1300 Nick Steele 1600 Hatch & Duffus 1800 BFBS

Greatest Hits 1900 UK Top 40 2200 Late Show with Lisa Davis
TUESDAY 0000 UK Late Show 0100 David Rodigan 0300 Greatest Hits 0400 Early Riser 0700 Hermina Graham 1000 Heidi Secker 1300 Mick Steele 1600 Hatch & Duffus 1800 BFBS Greatest Hits 1900 Evening Show 2200 Late Show with Lisa Davis
WEDNESDAY 0000 UK Late Show 0100 Club Culture 0300 - 0000 As of Tuesday
THURSDAY 0000 UK Late Show 0100 The Rock Show 0300 - 1600 As of Tuesday 1600 Hatch & Duffus 1800 BFBS Greatest Hits 1900 UK Evening Show 2200 Late Show with Lisa Davis
FRIDAY 0000 UK Late Show 0100 Up from the Underground 0300 BFBS Greatest Hits 0400 Early Riser 0700 Hermina Graham 1000 Heidi Secker 1300 Nick Steele 1600 Hatch & Duffus 1800 BFBS Greatest Hits 1900 Friday Dance 2100 Ministry Of Sound 2300 The Groove Collective



550 MW:
SATURDAY 0000 Classic weekend breakfast 0200 Today 0300 The lions in New Zealand 0500 The news quiz 0530 All the worlds a stage 0600 News/Allinson's albums 0700 Sport on Five 1400 Rockola 1500 The Classic rock show 1600 Raven n' the blues 1700 Late night live 2000 Up all night
SUNDAY 0000 Classic weekend breakfast 0200 Weekend woman's hour 0300 Sunday Worship 0350 A point of view 0400 The Archers Omnibus 0520 Veteran's Service from Westminster Abbey 0700 BFG on Sunday 0800 Sport on Five 1400 The BFBS Radio 2 Comedy Hour 1500 News/The Archers 1515 A view from 1530 Supreme girl power! 1600 Home truths 1700 Late night live 2000 Up all Night
MONDAY 0000 Morning Reports 0030 Wake up to money 0100 Today 0400 News/Gold with Dave Windsor 0600 BFBS Radio 2 news 0610 Glen Mansell 0830 Richard Astbury 1100 BFBS Today 1115 The Archers 1130 The Museum of everything 1200 PM 1300 The Six o'clock News 1330 Classic Rock 1430 Sport on five 1700 Late night live 1900 Up all Night
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- FIBS 88.3 FM in Stanley area, 96.5 FM, 102FM Mount Maria and 530 MW Island wide.
- BFBS1 96.5 FM Island wide and 98.5 MPA.
- BFBS2 550 MW Island wide.

Falkland Islands Defence Force Routine Orders



Sunday 10 July
Reception to celebrate the Anniversary of the end of WWII
1100hrs FIDF Club
Dress: Combats
Thursday 14 July
1900hrs Advanced Combat Fitness Test (Bounty Test)
Dress: Combats (CEFO and 20kg including rifle)

Adverts - adverts@fibs.gov.fk Requests - requests@fibs.gov.fk
Tel: 27277 Fax: 27279

Phoenix Cinema Schedule - 9 July - 15 July 2005

Weekday show starts - 20:00

Saturday shows starts - 1st Performance 09:30 2nd Performance 14:00 3rd Performance 20:00

Sunday shows starts - 1st Performance 13:00 2nd Performance 17:00 3rd Performance 20:00

Saturday 9 July	Sunday 10 July	Monday 11 July	Tuesday 12 July	Wednesday 13 July	Thursday 14 July	Friday 15 July
THE PACIFIER	KINGDOM OF HEAVEN	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED
STAR WARS: REVENGE OF THE SITH	MONSTER-IN-LAW	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED
MONSTER-IN-LAW	HOUSE OF WAX	HOUSE OF WAX	HITCHHIKER'S GUIDE TO THE GALAXY	STAR WARS: REVENGE OF THE SITH	HOUSE OF WAX	xX2: THE NEXT LEVEL

xX2: THE NEXT LEVEL (12A) 101 mins. Action Sc. Ice Cube, Samuel L Jackson
HITCHHIKER'S GUIDE TO THE GALAXY (PG) 108 mins. Sci-Fi/Com Martin Freeman, Sam Rockwell
STAR WARS: REVENGE OF THE SITH (12A) 139 mins. Sci-Fi Act. Ewan

McGregor, Hayden Christensen
MONSTER-IN-LAW (12A) 101 mins. Comedy Jennifer Lopez, Jane Fonda
HOUSE OF WAX (15) 112 mins. Horror. Elisha Cuthbert, Chad Michael Murray



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ISLAND GAMES – SHETLANDS 9-15 JULY – DAILY DETAILS OF FALKLANDS COMPETITORS

DAY/DATE	EVENT	TIME	COMPETITORS	VENUE
SATURDAY 9 th July	OPENING CEREMONY	1800 – 2100		CLICKIMIN ARENA
SUNDAY 10 th July				
Clay Shooting	Team Sporting	0900 – 1200	Saul Pitahuga/Graham Didlick or Steve Dent	Blackgaet, Tingwall
Football	Game 1	5.00pm	Falklands v Shetland	Gilbertson Park
MONDAY 11 th July				
Clay Shooting	Automatic Ball Trap	0900 – 1200	Saul Pitahuga Graham Didlick	Blackgaet, Tingwall
Swimming	100m Breaststroke	1000	Edward Freer	Clickimin Complex
Swimming	200m Freestyle	1000	Donna Triggs	Clickimin Complex
TUESDAY 12 th July				
Badminton	Mens Singles	0900 onwards	Ben Watson	Anderson High School - Brae
Golf	Day 1	0900 – 1800	Kevin Clapp/Steve Vincent Peter Bagley/Rod Tuckwood	Whalsay
Clay shooting	Individual Sporting	0900 – 1200	Steve Dent	Blackgaet, Tingwall
	Individual ABT	1300 – 1700	Saul Pitahuga Graham Didlick	Blackgaet, Tingwall
Swimming	100m Backstroke	1000 onwards	Donna Triggs	Clickimin Complex
	50m Breaststroke	1000 onwards	Edward Freer	Clickimin Complex
	50m Butterfly	1000 onwards	Hannah Arthur-Almond	Clickimin Complex
	200m Freestyle	1000 onwards	Thomas Burston	Clickimin Complex
Table Tennis	Mens singles qualifiers	0900 – 1600	Lucas Biggs	Sandwick sports hall
Football	Game 2	6.00pm	Falklands v Saaremaa	Strom
WEDNESDAY 13 th July				
Golf	Day 2	0900 – 1800	Kevin Clapp/Peter Bagley Steve Vincent/Rod Tuckwood	Dale
Clay shooting	Individual ABT Day 2	0900 onwards	Saul Pitahuga Graham Didlick	Blackgaet, Tingwall
Swimming	100m Freestyle	1000 onwards	Edward Freer Thomas Burston	Clickimin Complex
	50m Freestyle	1000 onwards	Hannah Arthur-Almond Donna Triggs	Clickimin Complex
Football	Game 3	6.00pm	Falklands v Isle of Man	Boddam
THURSDAY 14 th July				
Clay Shooting	Individual UT Day 1	0900	Steve Dent/Graham Didlick	Blackgaet, Tingwall
Badminton	Mixed doubles	0900	Ben Watson/Anna Luxton	Anderson High School – Brae
Swimming	4 x 25m Individual Relay	1000 onwards	Thomas Burston	Clickimin Complex
	100m Freestyle	1000 onwards	Donna Triggs	Clickimin Complex
	50m Freestyle	1000 onwards	Edward Freer	Clickimin Complex
	50m Backstroke	1000 onwards	Hannah Arthur-Almond Donna Triggs	Clickimin Complex
Golf	Day 3	0900 – 1800	Steve Vincent/Rod Tuckwood Peter Bagley/Kevin Clapp	Whalsay
Table Tennis	Singles to Quarter-Finals	0900 – 1630	Lucas Biggs	Sandwick Sports Hall
Football	Game 4	6.00pm	Aland v Falklands	Sandwick
FRIDAY 15 th July				
Clay Shooting	Individual UT Day 2	0900	Steve Dent/Graham Didlick	Blackgaet, Tingwall
Golf	Day 4	0900	Peter Bagley/Kevin Clapp Rod Tuckwood/Steve Vincent	Dale
Table Tennis	Semi-Finals & Finals – All competitions	0900 – 1700		Sandwick Sports Hall
Football	Group Play-off games	To be advised		To be advised
CLOSING CEREMONY		2030 – 2130		Gilbertson Park

General Practice

KEMH opens new residents ward

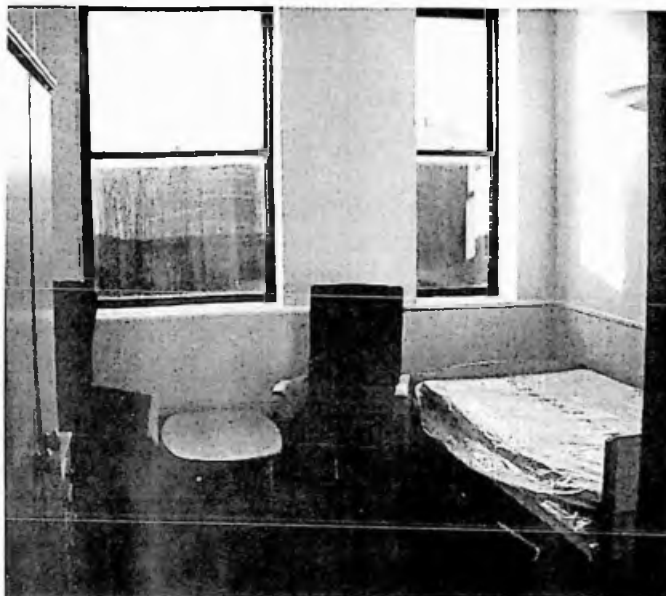
LONG term residents in the King Edward VII Memorial Hospital will this week be moving in to refurbished accommodation that, according to Hospital Administrator Candy Blackley, "has been converted so that longer term residents may be able to have a room of their own."

The new rooms have been converted from what was the maternity ward although there is no trace left of that now. There is now a plush nurses station, a specialised shower that allows wheelchair access, and of course, the new bedrooms.

The whole of the new ward has been freshly painted and had new carpets laid to make for a very homely environment.

As well as being spacious and light, each room has its own en suite bathroom to give some much needed privacy and make living as comfortable as possible for the long term residents.

Mrs Blackley was keen to stress her gratitude to the staff of Morrison (Falklands) Ltd, and the Public Works Department who carried out the work. "The hospital staff want the people working on site to know how appreciative they are of the hard work and care that they have shown during this part of the conversion.



Above: The first of the converted rooms to be ready for occupation

"The work has been finished to an exceptionally high standard and carried out with as little disruption as is feasible given the size of the project."

The first resident will move in this week and the rest will follow as soon as some minor parts of the work is completed on each room and they are connected to the wa-

ter supply.

Mrs Blackley is clearly very pleased with the result of the work on the new ward and wished to express her thanks that it had been made possible. "The staff are also grateful," she said, "for the support of the community and government in funding this much needed facility."

**Vacancy
Head Teacher
Ascension Island,
South Atlantic**

The Ascension Island Government is seeking to appoint a Head Teacher to lead the development of education on Ascension

- Areas of responsibility will include
- o Nursery education
 - o Managing the island's school, which serves all children on Ascension Island up to GCSE level and has an accompaniment of 14 teachers;
 - o Providing pastoral care for a small group of students studying A levels in the UK
 - o Adult education, day release and evening classes;
 - o Making best use of the Learning Resource Centre.

The successful candidate will be develop and implement an education strategy forging strong links with the local community and ensuring high academic standards.

He or she will be a qualified head teacher and will have been a head or deputy head of a school at some time in the recent past and would have shown commitment to aspiring to the Headlamp Course. A thorough and current understanding of the requirements of the UK National Curriculum for England and Wales core subjects and special needs is essential. The successful candidate will need to demonstrate the capability of leading a change programme to achieve higher levels of performance

This post therefore calls for someone with excellent leadership and communication skills combined with a flexible approach to getting things done. He or she must be versatile with a good sense of humour and be able to remain calm under pressure. Experience of having worked overseas before would be an advantage

The salary for the post is circa £47k and will be subject to local tax and depend on qualifications and experience

Benefits include a return flight at mid tour, rent free accommodation and a car. There is also an opportunity to bring a personal car for which government will pay up to 381 cubic feet for the loading and freight charges to Ascension

Free medical and dental treatment is available on island and referrals are sent to the UK for private treatment. Free education is available from nursery to children up to 16 years.

A 2-year contract will be offered and the successful candidate will be expected to take up post in January 2006. A job description and application form is available on our website www.ascension-island.gov.ac

Further information can also be obtained from the Head Teacher at Two Boats School on telephone /fax number (00 247) 6155 or by emailing david.higgins@ascension.gov.ac

Application forms should be returned to the Administration Manager cathy.cranfield@ascension.gov.ac by email or on fax number +247 6152 by no later than Friday, 15 July 2005.

Recipes for the Falkland Islands

Lamb and Winter Vegetable Stew

Ingredients

- 2 tablespoons vegetable oil
- 1 pound lamb stew meat, cubed
- 2 cups beef stock
- 1 cup red wine
- 2 cloves garlic, minced
- 1 tablespoon chopped fresh thyme
- 1/4 teaspoon salt
- 1/4 teaspoon black pepper
- 1 bay leaf
- 2 cups pumpkin - peeled, seeded and sliced
- 1 cup peeled, sliced parsnips
- 1 cup peeled, chopped potatoes

- 1 cup sliced celery
- 1 medium onion, thinly sliced
- 1/2 cup sour cream
- 3 tablespoons all-purpose flour

Directions

Heat the oil in a large saucepan, and brown the lamb meat on all sides. Drain fat, and stir in the beef broth and wine. Season with garlic, thyme, salt, pepper, and bay leaf.

Bring the mixture to a boil. Reduce heat, cover, and simmer 20 minutes.

Mix in the squash, parsnips, sweet potatoes, celery, and onion.

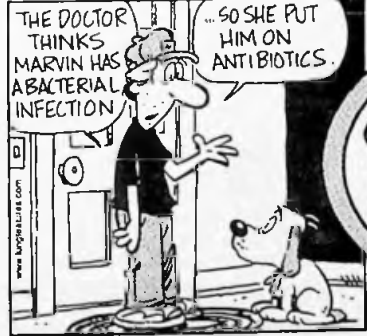
Bring to a boil, then reduce heat and simmer 30 minutes, or until the vegetables are tender.

In a small bowl, blend the sour cream and flour. Gradually stir in 1/2 cup of the hot stew mixture.

Stir the sour cream mixture into the saucepan.

Remove the bay leaf, and continue to cook and stir until thickened.

Serves 6.



Fisheries Department

Catch for week 26, ending June 28, 2005

Licence type	Number of Licences	
	Eligible W/ending 28/06/05	Fishing W/ending 28/06/05
Total	6	2
E	2	-
L	2	2
W	2	-

Catch by species (Tonnes)

	All vessels	Total
Loligo mt	0	0
Illex mt	0	0
Martialia mt	0	0
Hake mt	0	0
Blue W. mt	0	0
Hoki mt	0	0
Kingclip mt	0	0
Toothfish mt	24	24
Red Cod mt	0	0
Rav mt	1	1
Other mt	2	2
Total	27	27

Shipping activity from June 27 to July 3

THE reefers *Asiatic*, *Baltijas Cels* and *Cooler Bay* were all in Berkeley Sound during the week, along with trawlers *Feolent* and *Acamar*.

Tamar FI and *Marianne Danica* both visited the East Jetty with cargo while the *St Brandan* visited FIPASS.

Longliners *Koryo Maru II*, *Argos Helena*, *Argos Georgia* and *In Sung 66* all berthed at FIPASS and the

Elqui remains alongside.

The trawler *Puente Ladeira* also visited FIPASS.

Port William was visited by the *RFA Grey Rover* on June 29 and 30 while tanker *Centaurus* anchored on July 2.

Only one trawler visited Port William over the week, the *Petrel*.

South Georgia Fisheries: Catch Figures Week ending July 1, 2005

Species	Max No. of Vessels	Total Catch	Total Effort
Toothfish	7	198 tonnes	529,552 hooks
Krill (trawl)	5	4086 tonnes	215 trawls

FALKLAND ISLANDS DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION

The Falkland Islands Development Corporation is seeking Tenders for the following works at 19 Davis Street.

Tender 1.

Exterior:

- Repair as necessary foundation piles under the house.
- Supply and replace all roof cladding on the house.
- To repair and make good any wood under the existing exterior cladding.
- Supply and replace all exterior walls with new cladding.
- To check all existing joists and repair as necessary.
- To supply and fit insulation to the roof and walls of the house.
- Replace and repair all guttering.
- Replace existing back porch.
- Repairs and make good all windows in the house.
- To repair all leaks and make good of the existing front porch.

Interior:

- To supply and make good stair banister.
- To repair as necessary all ceiling joists.
- To supply and fit new kitchen and bathroom tiles.

Tender 2.

To supply and decorate the whole interior of the house at 19 Davis Street.

Tender 3.

To check all electrical wiring and replace where necessary.

Tender 4.

To check all plumbing and replace where necessary. Supply and fit new bath.

Tender 5.

To fix and tidy up existing fences and make good of the overgrown gardens and trees.

The Falkland Islands Development Corporation reserves the right to reject any of the above tenders received. For viewing and further information, please contact Charlene Rowland at FIDC on 27211 or email: Charlene@fidc.co.fk during normal office hours.

Tenders marked "19 Davis Street" should reach the General Manager no later than 1500 hrs on 15th July 2005

Wool report - week ending July 1

by Neil Judd, Department of Agriculture

WOOL prices for fleece wool lots between 18 and 30 micron were firm in value (up 1 to 5 p/kg clean) at sales in Australia last week. As shown in the attached "Micron Price Guide". Prices now represent significant premiums over those being achieved several months ago, but generally remain below levels of 12 months ago for most fleece wool categories.

In New Zealand crossbred wool in the 32 to 36 micron range gained 2%.

Ten buyers purchased almost 60% of the Australian offering. In a positive sign for Falkland Islands farmers, buyers/ wool processors of potential importance to Islands farmers remained very active in the markets. For example, Modiano, Chargeurs and Dewavrin purchased almost 6,600 bales between them last week. For the complete selling season in Australia, Chargeurs purchased 126,856 bales, Modiano 112,956 bales and Dewavrin 101,474 bales of wool. They were among the top seven wool buyers by volume in Australia last year.

In Australia 88.7% of the 46,016 bale offering was sold. Included in the offering were 4,945 bales of crossbred wool of which 91.1% was sold.

Auctions continue next week in Australia (first sale of the new

season) where approximately 65,000 bales of wool will be offered for sale.

Note:

*Exchange rates used to convert wool prices into pence per kg clean basis, Australian \$2.36 per 1£ sterling compared to \$2.35 per 1£ sterling previous week.

*Information derived from AWEX market report and Wool Record Weekly.

*Values based on average auction floor prices from Australian Eastern markets.

*Prices quoted correspond to average gross auction prices. It should be remembered that no selling or freight costs have been deducted from the stated prices.

*MPG prices designated with an "n" indicate that insufficient wool in the particular micron range was traded to determine a firm MPG quote.

Growers are strongly advised to seek assistance in evaluating offers for wool where only nominal prices are given.

Any woolgrower with a question regarding the wool industry, or requiring assistance to determine the merit of any wool price offer, is urged to contact Neil Judd at the Department of Agriculture on telephone 27355 or on email njudd@doa.gov.fk.

Week ending	Pence per kilogram clean for each micron category.											
	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	28	30	32
10/01/2002	552	403	306	294	293	288	283	266	232	208	199	185
13/12/2002	553n	484	456	451	446	437n	431n	407n	369n	265	217	201n
10/01/2003	557n	494	470	463	458	451	445	412n	375n	271	228	210n
04/07/2003	443n	408	409	411	414n	413n	405n	384n	351n	232n	213	201n
12/12/2003	397n	380	366	362	351	336	325	296n	272n	218n	187n	167n
09/01/2004	409n	392	380	369	356	337	326	295n	274n	215	187	161n
02/07/2004	421n	390	352	339	323	310	281n	266n	253n	211n	188n	169n
17/12/2004	395	368	327	306	295	282	269n	233n	218n	186n	168n	154n
14/01/2005	411n	383	341	316	307	297	284	244n	225	194n	176n	160n
29/01/2005	417n	389	342	316	305	297	285n	247n	227n	195n	177n	161n
28/01/2005	418	389	341	317	303	294	282n	245n	227n	194n	177n	163n
04/02/2005	417	389	343	316	303	294	282	246n	226n	194n	177n	163n
19/02/2005	430	397	351	323	309	299	289n	248n	229n	198	183n	167n
18/02/2005	419	383	340	313	298	290n	277n	244n	225n	191	176	163n
25/02/2005	416	378	335	309	295	286	273	242	222	189	175	162
04/03/2005	411	378	337	312	295	286	270	242n	223n	187	174	164n
11/03/2005	407	371	329	305	288	282	268	240n	221n	185	170	161
18/03/2005	411	380	335	310	293	287	272n	244n	225n	187n	171n	163n
25/03/2005	416	391	337	313	296	289	274n	245n	226n	188n	173n	164n
08/04/2005	414	387	337	313	298	290	273n	244n	224n	189	174	164n
15/04/2005	413	382	336	310	295	287	270	245n	225n	189	175	164
22/04/2005	408	376	330	303	290	284	269n	242n	223n	187	174	163n
29/04/2005	411	379	334	306	293	287	271n	243n	225n	188	174	164n
06/05/2005	416	381	334	304	293	288	273	246	228	187	174	164
13/05/2005	425	383	336	309	296	291	274n	248n	229n	190	176	164
20/05/2005	427	388	341	316	303	298	276n	251n	233n	194	178	167n
27/05/2005	421n	381	338	313	304	300	281n	255n	234n	196	178	167
03/06/2005	418	376	336	313	303	300	282n	256n	233n	197	180	167n
10/06/2005	417	377	335	313	303	302	285n	258n	236n	197	182	168n
17/06/2005	408	370	330	312	303	302	285n	260n	237n	197	182n	169n
24/06/2005	411	371	333	318	312	310	287n	263n	238n	195	183	170n
micron	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	28	30	32
01/07/2005	412	373	336	322	317	313	288n	266n	240n	197	185	169n
Weekly change	1	2	3	4	5	3	1	3	2	2	2	-1
Price Year ago	421	390	352	339	323	310	281	266	253	211	188	169



on share prices

At close of business Monday, July 4, 2005

Desire Petroleum plc	36.00p	(-3.25p)
Falkland Oil and Gas plc	115.20p	(-5.30p)
Falkland Islands Holdings plc	462.50p	(-12.50p)
Falkland Gold and Minerals Ltd	32.50p	(-2.25p)
Standard Chartered PLC	1045p	(+34p)

Stanley Darts Club results for July 4

Mens Total BOC	League Position	pts	igs	Ladies Total BOC	
Tooty Ford	Tornado's	33	149	Maggie Goss	45
Gary Hewitt	Rose B	31	138	Sheila Harvey	21
Len Ford	Snowmen	26	116	Nora Smith	21
Colin Smith	Otto's Outlaws	26	110	Jane Clement	20
Graeme Hay	Narrower	26	110	Cathy Jacobsen	19
Alan Bonner	Misfits	24	110	Jenny McKay	19
Russel Smith	Kelpers	21	108	Joan Middleton	18
James Lang	Rose Missiles	19	94	Tara Heathman	16
Johny Ford	Pale Maidens	17	90	Heather Smith	15
Peter Goss	Men at Arms	16	97	Teresa Clifton	15
Jimmy Curtis	Stray Dogs	15	92	Dvlis Shorr	14
Joe Joseph	Deanos	15	87	Maisey Crowie	13
Teddy Summers	Victory Scuds	15	84	Jan Parke	13
Steve Watt	Penguins	14	84	Natalie Smith	13
Tooty Morrison	Victory Spiders	13	76	Gail Miller	13
Rag Macaskill	Vic Spear Chickers	11	78	Wendy Roberts	12
Geoff Greenough	Last Orders	11	75	Candy Blackley	11
Kevin Clapp	Rose Mixers	7	72	Sibby Summers	11
Dale McCormick	Busty Babes	7	66	Ally Ford	10
Tony Courtney	Armed and Dangerous	7	65	Pat Pratlatt	10
Boy Miranda	Maid's at Arms	7	62	Jenny Smith	10
Shane Blackley	Globe Goonies	4	52	Corina Bishop	9
Angus MacCaskill	Highbury Babes	2	52	Avril Bonner	9
Willie Robson	Spice Burgers	2	38	Cherry Robson	9
Jim Parke	FLDart Fingers	0	37	Hazel Collins	9
Melvin Clifton				Rowena Summers	8
Michael Summers				Sheila Stewart	8
Neville Hayward				Michele Evans	8
Tony McLaren				Jeanet Miller	7
David Ford				Ann Murphv	7
Willy Harvey				Tamara Lang	7
Wayne McCormick				Heather McKay	6
Ian Betts				Caroline Villegas	5
Martin Plato				Julie Ford	5
Kevin McLaren				Usa Jaffray	5
Neil Clifton				Ellen Ferguson	5
Paul Anderson					
William Whitney					
Paul Chapman					
Leon Mitchell					
Michael Goss					
Albert Sackett					
Chris Simm					
Owen Betts					
Alli Jacobsen					
Richard Bonner					
Mark Pollard					
Tyrone Whitney					
Keith Dickson					
Paul Smith					
Lewis Morrison					
Michael Goss					

Men Most Individual points	
In a single game	T Ford 11
Most Individual points	
In a single game	Maggie Goss 6
Most Points On BOC	
Tornadoes vs	43
Highest Mens Finish	
Kevin Clapp	170
Highest Ladies Finish	
Nora Smith	112
Individual Team with	
Most Points On BOC	
Tornadoes	34
Bull Finish	
12 People With 1 Each	

Men 140's	
Gary Hewitt	15
Colin Smith	15
Rag Macaskill	9
Len Ford	8
Tooty Ford	8
Steve Watt	8
Russel Smith	7
Shane Blackley	7
Graeme Hay	7
Dale McCormick	7
Johny Ford	7
Willy Harvey	7
Angus MacCaskill	6
Alan Bonner	6
James Lang	5
Peter Goss	5
Joe Joseph	5
Teddy Summers	5

Ladies Legs	
Maggie Goss	28
Jane Clement	13
Joan Middleton	12
Sheila Harvey	10
Jenny McKay	9
Hazel Collins	8
Cathy Jacobsen	7
Nora Smith	7
Natalie Smith	6
Jan Parke	6
Tara Heathman	6
Pat Pratlatt	6
Heather Smith	6
Wendy Roberts	5
Candy Blackley	5
Avril Bonner	5

Ladies 140's	
Jenny McKay	5
Cathy Jacobsen	4
Heather Smith	3
Nora Smith	3
Teresa Clifton	3
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Maggie Goss	2
Jane Clement	2
Sibby Summers	2
Tara Heathman	2

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Deano's	9	6
Armed and Dang	5	10
Victory Scuds	6	9
Spiceburgers	2	13
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Tornado's	14	1
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Rose B	14	1
Highbury Babes	4	11
Last Orders	14	1
Snowmen	11	4
Otto's Outlaws	9	6
Busty Babes		
Pale Maidens		
Penguins		
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STANLEY DAIRY

Expressions of Interest



FALKLAND ISLANDS DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION

Stanley Dairy has a turnover of just under £100K and supplied the local market with fresh milk and eggs. There are development opportunities in expanding milk sales to the local market, cruise vessels and military base as well as potential to introduce new products such as cheese, butter and yoghurts.

Expressions of Interest are sought from parties interested in undertaking the long-term development of Stanley Dairy through:

- Purchase
- Lease
- 'share-farming'

It is essential that interested parties have at least 5 years successful track record of running a small dairy operation. This opportunity will be ideal for an energetic dairy manager who is seeking the opportunity to put their ideas into practice and financially benefit from their success.

Full details are available on: www.dairy.horizon.co.fk
 To discuss your plans please contact Julian Morris (julianmorris@fidc.co.fk) or Fiona Didlick (fdidlick@fidc.co.fk) tele: + 27211.

Tourist Accommodation Improvement Grants



FALKLAND ISLANDS DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION

Would you like to promote the Falklands as a first class tourist destination by providing good quality tourist accommodation?

FIDC has a new grant scheme that can assist with the cost of converting or upgrading accommodation for tourists in Stanley and Camp. Funding is available on the basis of bids, which should be submitted by Friday 22 July 2005.

For more details and an application form please contact Charlene Rowland at FIDC.

Tel: 27211 Fax: 27210
 Email: charlene@fidc.co.fk

South American news provided by

MERCOPRESS**United Kingdom lifts ban on sale of spares to Argentine Navy**

THE United Kingdom has lifted the ban on the sale of Rolls Royce spares to the Argentine Navy vessels, according to reports in the Buenos Aires newspaper, *Ambito Financiero*.

The decision was communicated by Rolls Royce representatives to Argentine Admiral Jorge Godoy during his recent visit to Britain for the 200 anniversary commemoration of Admiral Nelson's victory in Trafalgar.

The ban on spares has been effective since the 1982 South Atlantic conflict.

Ambito recalls that Britain has been a historical supplier of the Argentine Navy including two cruisers currently on service, *Hercules* and

Santisima Trinidad, plus attack and anti submarine helicopters.

The Buenos Aires daily also points out that according to Sir Lawrence Freedman's book, "The Official History of the Falklands' Campaign," prior to the conflict in 1981, Britain offered Argentina the sale of an aircraft carrier (*HMS Hermes*) to replace the aging *25 de Mayo* and VTOL aircraft.

Buenos Aires British Embassy Naval attaché Captain Julian James Mitchell and his Argentine counterpart in London, Rear Admiral Walter Allara went on a tour of British naval bases. The purpose of the invitation was to convince the Argentines of the purchase but allegedly R/A Allara, who also hap-

pened to belong to Naval Intelligence, gathered as much information as possible about the Royal Navy's capability and readiness.

R/A Allara was later named commander of the Argentine Surface Fleet and was responsible for sea actions during the 1982 conflict.

Argentina is not known to have purchased major naval equipment since 1982. On the contrary during the ten years of President Carlos Menem the military budget was drastically and consistently reduced.

However with the coming of President Kirchner and the economy relatively stabilized, his Defence minister Jose Pampuro has promised to increase the defence budget.

Last February Mr Pampuro visited the Spanish IZAR shipyards in El Ferrol where he stated Argentina's interest in purchasing five patrol corvettes which were to be jointly built with the Argentine naval industry. IZAR yards have built frigates for the Spanish, Norwegian and United States navies.

President Kirchner at the time also reopened the Manuel Domecq Garcia yard which at one time was capable of building and repairing conventional submarines.

France has tempted the Argentine Navy with landing craft vessels which are currently being decommissioned by their Navy.

Tropical storm Cindy causes crude oil to reach 61 US dollars a barrel

CRUDE oil prices rose, close to \$61 a barrel in New York, as Tropical Storm Cindy in the Gulf of Mexico disrupted the arrival of shipments to the United States.

Bloomberg reports that the Louisiana Offshore Oil Port, the biggest US oil import terminal, stopped unloading cargoes from tankers yesterday because of the approach of the storm.

The storm was forecast to make landfall on Wednesday night or early Thursday, the National Hurricane

Center said. Prices rose to a record last week following concern that surging fuel demand may outpace supply this year.

"Any storm in the Gulf of Mexico, especially this early in the season, makes us nervous," said Michael Fitzpatrick, vice president of risk management with Fimat USA in New York. "Memories are still fresh. It was storms last year that helped get us in the current situation."

Crude oil for August delivery

rose \$1, or 1.7 percent, to \$59.75 a barrel at 12.44 pm on the New York Mercantile Exchange yesterday. Futures touched \$60.95 a barrel on June 27, the highest since trading began in 1983. Prices are up 51 percent from a year ago.

Hurricane Ivan in September damaged production platforms and pipelines in the Gulf. Ivan cut a total of 43.8 million barrels of oil production and 172.3 billion cubic feet of natural gas output, according to

the Minerals Management Service in June. States along the Gulf receive more than half of US oil imports and are home to 50 percent of the nation's refining capacity.

The Atlantic Ocean hurricane season was forecast to be more active than normal this year, with as many as five major hurricanes, officials at the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration said last month. The season lasts from June through November.

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Notice from the Customs and Immigration Department

The Public is notified that for a period of three months commencing Thursday, 04 July 2005, the Customs and Immigration Department will be closed every Thursday in order to manage more effectively its administrative workload and to allow for local training to be undertaken.

The Department will however attend to urgent cases, for which an appointment can be arranged by telephoning us on 27340.

Public hours in respect of all other days of the normal working week remain as:
 08.00 to 12.00 and 13.15 to 16.30
 Any inconvenience caused by this change in our public hours is sincerely regretted.

Proposals for the Operation of Lookout Lodge

The Falklands Islands Government wishes to see continued use of Lookout Lodge to meet the accommodation needs of residents needing low cost accommodation as well as short-term and seasonal workers in the Falkland Islands and is seeking costed proposals from the private sector that will achieve this aim.

Proposals should be aimed at maximising use and providing low cost accommodation at a similar standard to that currently offered and may include improvements to facilities.

It is envisaged that all aspects, including letting and raising and recovering charges for occupancy would be undertaken wholly by the successful bidder.

Contract commencement would be on 01 November 2005. The initial period of contract will be three years.

Proposals, marked 'Lookout Lodge' must reach the Chairman, Tender Board, Secretariat, Stanley by 4.30pm on Friday 19th August 2005.

Persons or organisations interested in obtaining more information with a view to submitting proposals should contact Glen Williams on Tel 27193 or via email gwilliams@pwd.gov.fk

The Falklands Islands Government is not obliged to accept any proposal and submissions are made on that premise.

CUSTOMER CARE ASSISTANT REQUIRED TO WORK AT THE KELPER STORES.

Duties will include, dealing with customers, stock presentation, handling and recording money. Hours will include evenings, weekends and Public Holidays

Applicants should be over eighteen years of age, have a good employment record and be capable of working without supervision

Please Contact **Mhari** on 22270 or pop into one of our stores for an Application Form.



PERSONAL



Happy 9th Birthday Princess
 With lots of Love Mum, Dad, Bradley, Roxi and Phil



Especially for my hero (and toy boy!) Matt
 Happy 19th Birthday!
 Thank you for everything you have done for me. I love you with all my heart! See you next week!
 With all my love, Your Angel xxx



Mummy and Daddy wish to thank Dr Cheema and all the staff at KEMII who helped me to arrive safely on 29th June. They also want to thank Jackie and Mandy for teaching them what to do afterwards, also all the nice people who have sent me lots of cards and presents
Kamran Ibrahim-Holland



Happy 5th Anniversary Dom!
 With lots of love from Mike
 xxx

Mandy and Simon would like to thank every one who made their day such a great one and brought cards and gifts. Special thanks must go to Pam Budd for the great decorations and the lovely flowers, John, Marcus and Jeremy for driving, Sara and Cara for travelling so far to be bridesmaids Danel for being best man, Brian for the beautiful cake, Sian and Ian for being fairly suitable ushers. Mums and Dads for all their help in all sorts of ways, a huge thanks to Christine for the bridesmaids dresses and for putting up with all the comments about pins every where but most of us made it without being stuck. Thanks to Gary for doing photos and John for video Sarah Caitlin and Brendan you were a great help and looked lovely. Glynis and Arlette for makeup and Michelle Tanya and Michelle for hair. Miriam made it a great dance and we don't think many left without sore feet. Thank you to all those who helped behind the bar and everyone who helped with food, Malvina for the buffet and last but by no means least to Paul Sweeting for a great and very funny service. There are so many others that deserve thanks but there are too many to name but thanks also to Bev and Roy McGill for all sorts of shopping.

Bumper Bazaar - 2nd July 2005
 Held in the Guides Headquarters
 Unclaimed Raffle ticket numbers
 Yellow 791 & 844
 Orange 90 & 209
 Green 356 & 437
 Pink 827 & 921
 Blue 3 8, & 16
 Please phone Rosie King on 21451 to arrange collection

The Flyaway Raffle 1st prize was won by ticket number 17026 (£1,100), 2nd prize of £150 was won by ticket number 10808 and 3rd prize of £100 by ticket number 12897

'Guess the money in the seal money box' was won by Michelle Tonner

The raffle for the Scooby Doo cake (kindly made and donated by Susan Knipe) was won by Jack Ford

The Governor's Cup

The Governors Cup Darts Competition is to be played in the FIDF Drill Hall on Saturday July 16, 2005.

Doors will open at 6.30pm with the first games starting at 7.15pm

£2 on the door.

Licensed bar in operation

Entry lists are in the Entertainment Centre at the West Store or contact the Chairman of the Stanley Darts Club, Willie Harvey on 21772 for more information.

The lists will be with Sibby until 5pm on Thursday, July 14. MPA entrants welcome.

POSTPONED FIREWORKS - CATHEDRAL MID WINTER FAYRE

The Fireworks Display that was postponed from the recent Mid Winter Fayre will now take place at 7.00 p.m. this Sunday - on the Cathedral Green, as usual (weather permitting!)

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FALKLAND ISLANDS GOVERNMENT VACANCIES

Reserve Police Constables Royal Falkland Islands Police

Requirements

Candidates must be over 18 years of age, able bodied, willing to work unsocial hours and preferably have a full clean driving licence. Must undergo a fitness test.

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Further info: Sgt Tom Whistler Telephone 27222

Clerk – Public Works Department

Requirements

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Further info: Mrs Trudi Lee, PWD Office Telephone 27193

Medical Officer – Health Services Department (Job-Share Opportunity)

Requirements

Fully accredited General Practitioner registered with the UK General Medical Council, with Obstetric experience ATLS or equivalent trained. Applicants must be willing to work on a job-share basis working 40% of the rota, including on-call commitments.

Salary: Grade A/A1 ranging from £35,946 to £66,402 p.a. on a pro-rata basis.

Further info: Dr R Diggle, Chief Medical Officer, KEMH Tel: 28035

The closing date for applications for all of the above posts is
Friday 15th July 2005

Job Descriptions and application forms for the above positions can be obtained from the Human Resources Department – telephone 27246, fax 27212 or e-mail drobotson@sec.gov.fk

Note: All new entrants to Government service (permanent positions) will be required to contribute 5% of basic pensionable salary to the Falkland Islands Pension scheme. FIG will make contributions on the employee's behalf at the rate of 10% of basic pensionable salary.

Stanley Kids Zone wish to invite applications from experienced Child Care professionals to run and manage the Day Nursery which is due to open on 1st September 2005.

Although it is not essential that you are qualified it is essential that you would be prepared to become so. The successful applicant will support modern childcare management practices and adopt a child centred approach. Experience in supervising staff and in book keeping would be an advantage. Please apply in writing attaching a current CV to PO Box 452, Stanley, to arrive no later than 12 noon on Friday 8th July 2005.

FLH has a vacancy for a Wool Presser for the 2005/06 shearing season in Goose Green and North Arm, beginning on or about the 26th Sept through to the end of Feb approx. Further details may be had by contacting the General Manager FLH, and applications should reach him no later than Friday 22nd July 2005.

The Public Works Department are pleased to announce that they will be offering an apprenticeship in carpentry and joinery in September 2005. If you are interested and would like to know more, then why not contact George Burroughs on 27178 and arrange an informal meeting.

APPLICATIONS FOR PERMANENT RESIDENCE

Notice is hereby given that **Catherine Dawn WILLIAMS** has applied through the Principal Immigration Officer to be granted a Permanent Residence Permit by the Governor.

Any person who knows of any reason why this permit should not be granted should send a written and signed statement of the facts, giving grounds for their objection, to the Immigration Officer, Customs & Immigration Department, Stanley by 22 July 2005.

PUBLIC NOTICE FALKLAND ISLANDS GOVERNMENT COMMITTEES ACCESS TO INFORMATION

Please note that the following committee meetings will be open for public attendance during the forthcoming week:

- Environmental Committee - Wednesday 13th July at 09.00 a.m. in the Agriculture Department Library.
- Housing Committee - Wednesday 13th July at 1.30 p.m. in Gilbert House.
- Public Works Department Committee - Wednesday 13th July at 1.30 p.m. in the Public Works Department Conference Room.
- Planning & Building Committee - Thursday 14th July at 09.00 a.m. in the Agriculture Department Library.
- Stanley Lands Committee - Thursday 14th July at 1.30 p.m. in Gilbert House.

Members of the public can attend but not speak at Committee meetings. Copies of the Agenda and Reports can be seen in the Secretariat at least three working days before the date of the meeting.

The Public Works Department invites suitably qualified or experienced builders to quote for the re-covering and associated small works to the Furniture Store Roof at Ross Road, Stanley. It should be noted that it is a condition of this contract that the works be undertaken during October 2005.

A copy of the specification and scope of works are available from the Maintenance Manager's Office at PWD. Completed quotations are required to be submitted to the General Office of the Public Works Department by 0900hrs on the 8th August 2005.

The Falkland Islands Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest of any quotation.

The Public Works Department will be contracting out limited amounts of Camp road construction in the forthcoming season.

Would any contractors who may be interested in tendering for this type of work please write to the Director of Public Works informing him of their interest. All letters of interest should be received by the Director of Public Works on or before 20th July 05.

The Falkland Islands Committee of the Shackleton Scholarship Fund have pleasure in inviting members of the community to view a collection of photographs of the Falkland Islands taken in the late 1960's by Sven Gillsater.

The photographs will be on display at the Jetty Centre from 15 July until 29 July 2005, from 12pm – 3pm, Tuesdays until Sundays. The exhibition celebrates the Tenth Anniversary of the Fund.

Stanley Nursery School are holding a Bazaar at the Nursery School on Saturday 9th July from 2pm - 4pm. Any donations are much appreciated. Please come along, all are welcome. Contact Pearl at work on 21477 or at home on 22819.

The Royal Falkland Islands Police and Joint Service EOD would like to remind people that in areas designated as out of bounds there is still a potential for unexploded ordnance and people are advised not to enter these areas.

The Bread Shop will be closed on Saturday 9th July for stock taking and essential maintenance. Any inconvenience to our customers is regretted.

The Registrar General wishes to inform all electors that the Electoral Ordinance (Title 30.1) has provision for electors to vote by other means than in person. These options are Proxy/Postal and Postal Proxy voting.

Should electors wish to vote by proxy/postal proxy or postal they should contact the Registrar General for more information or an application form.

These options are available to persons who feel they wish to vote but may be otherwise engaged on election day.

For further information or guidance please contact the Registrar General on telephone number 27272 or fax 27270 or by writing to the Registrar General Town Hall Stanley JC Rowland, Registrar General.

From Stanley Services Ltd

We would like to let all our customers know that we will continue to offer a Consolidated Freight Service to the Falkland Islands.

Wilson's Logistics have now changed to TNT Freight Management Ltd. Address and telephone numbers remain unchanged. Email address is now as follows diane.webb@uk.tntfreight.com. For further information on this services please contact us on 22622.

From Stanley Services Ltd

The next Argos order will close on 13th July, with goods due to arrive in the Islands in September. We would like to take this opportunity to assure customers that we will be continuing to offer the Argos catalogue service. Further details can be obtained by contacting our office on telephone 22622.

FROM THE TRAINING CENTRE:

With reference to advertisement on the book-keeping course to be held on 13 & 14 July 2005 that appeared last week PN on 1 July. Please note that the trainer for this course is Mandy McLeod. There was a misprint in the final paragraph of the advertisement. This is not a computer based book-keeping course. Sorry about the confusion in the first place.

The Camp Education annual fund raising dance will be held in the F.I.D.F. Hall on Friday the 15th July.

We have listened to your requests over the last few years so... Come and enjoy a more traditional Falkland Island dance, with dances like the Palais glide, Boston two step, Circassian circle.

Barn dance and many more, with good country music to dance to. There will even be a few novelty dances throughout the evening.

A fully licensed bar will be in operation, so regrettable no under 18's will be allowed.

So come to the F.I.D.F. Hall for what promises to be a great night out and the best dance of the year.

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Highs and lows in Shetland Games



Above: (left) Footballer Daniel Biggs keeps the ball in while (right) clay pigeon shooter Steve Dent lines up a shot.

THE Falkland Islands team achieved what has been described as "the biggest shock in Island Games football history" with its 2-1 victory over Saaremaa on Tuesday.

This victory, the highlight so far of the Falklands' efforts in the Island Games in Shetland, reflected a strict fitness regime embarked on by the team over the past seven months.

The win came only two days after they lost their first match 4-0 to the host island. Before the Games, the Falklands were considered the poorest team in the ten-island football competition and they were expected to lose to the team from Saaremaa, an Estonian island in the Baltic Sea, which boasts a population of around 40,000 people.

However, their ranking improved on Tuesday, thanks to the goals scored by Martyn Clarke and Wayne Clement and some magnificent saves from goalie Chris Gilbert.

Team manager Chris Clarke chose to play some of his second string players in the next match, against the gold-medal favourites Isle of Man. This left the team with a somewhat shaky defence and resulted in a loss of 9-0.

Thursday's fixture, however, was much more even. Sadly, luck was not on the Falklands team's side and they lost to Aland 2-1. This morning they play-off for 9th and 10th place against Orkney.

The swimming team - Donna Triggs, Thomas Burston, Hannah Arthur-Almond and Edward Freer - has performed well with all four swimmers achieving personal bests in the pool.

Hannah and Edward both won heats; Edward also broke Ben Pointing's 2001 record in the 100m breaststroke while Donna knocked a mas-



sive 22 seconds off the previous Falklands 200m freestyle record.

Swimming team manager, Pam Freer, said she was "highly delighted" by the times, which were a result of the "dedication and training put in by all four swimmers prior to leaving the Falklands."

Chairman of the Falkland Islands Overseas Games Association (FIOGA), Patrick Watts commented, "...the Falklands are slowly closing the gap on the faster swimmers in the Island Games."

Shooting is traditionally the Falklands' strongest sport, particularly pistol and full-bore rifle events. However, owing to the stringent UK gun laws, Shetland was unable to host these two events, leaving only clay pigeon shooting open to the Falklands competitors.

In the team event, Graham Didlick, Saul Pitaluga and Steve Dent finished ninth of fifteen islands and Saul missed a medal shoot-off by just two clays in the Individual ABT shoot, held over two days. His final score of 90 from a possible of 125 saw him finish in eighth place.

Patrick commented, "Once again, Saul has proved to be up there with the best in the clay pigeon events."

Falklands golfers had a torrid time on the Whalsey and Dale golf courses, although their second round scores showed considerable improvement over the first day's returns.

At Dale, Kevin Clapp, who has played in six Island Games competitions, produced a credible 85, having parred the last three holes. Rod Tuckwood recovered from his treble figure score the previous day with a 91, having birdied the 16th. Peter Bagley, with the best of the first day's scores,

returned to the club house with 93, but, according to Patrick, Steve Vincent had a day he will wish to forget. A run of 13 - 8 - 14 over three holes added up to a final score of 119.

Only the best three scores of the day count towards the team medals. Going into the third round, the Falklands were off the bottom rung, with St Helena holding that position.

In table tennis, teenager Lucas Biggs nervously took to the table on Tuesday in his first-ever international event. Patrick reported, "His nervousness was apparent in his first game as he went down 4-11, 3-11, 2-11 to Bengt Klindqvist of Aland. In his next pool game, Lucas picked up his game and began playing to the best of his ability before losing 5-11, 8-11, 7-11 to Roger Hookey of the Isle of Wight." In his final group game Lucas was edged out in three sets by Dylan De Silva of Orkney 6-11, 3-11, 7-11.

Having just seriously taken up the sport six months ago, Patrick said, "Lucas can feel proud of his performance, and is now looking ahead to the Island Games of 2007 in Rhodes."

Ben Watson surprised even his closest friends by winning six points in the first round of badminton singles. He went down 15-2, 15-4 to a player from the Faroe Islands.

Patrick reported, "Ben, who only entered the tournament for a bit of fun, was so taken by the atmosphere and support, that he now plans to train seriously for the 2007 Games."

● *Penguin News* hopes to publish final results and more photographs from the Games next week.

Silence for London

FALKLAND ISLANDERS observed two minutes' silence yesterday, a week to the day after the attacks on Londoners by suicide bombers.

The guns on Victory Green were fired by members of the Falkland Islands Defence Force to mark the beginning and end of the silence.

Millions of people across Europe and the rest of the world joined Britons in the silence.

Reuters reported that thousands of workers in London left their offices to stand in the street. Taxis and buses pulled off the road and financial markets paused to remember the dead. The staff of the Falkland Islands Government's London Office took part in the silence, joining hundreds of people who gathered outside New Scotland Yard and the London Underground Headquarters for the silence.

A book of condolence has been opened in the Falkland Islands for the people of London. Anyone wishing to sign the book can do so in the lobby of the Government House offices between 8am and 12.15pm and 1.30pm and 4.30pm.

Alvarez for Foreign Ministry?

CARLOS ALVAREZ, former Argentine vice-president of the ousted De la Rúa administration has been hinted as the candidate to replace Rafael Bielsa in Foreign Affairs if he manages to be elected Deputy for Buenos Aires.

Joaquin Morales Solá, one of Argentina's most prestigious political analysts put forward Mr. Alvarez's name in his weekly *La Nacion* column, although President Kirchner's cabinet chief Alberto Fernández said "ministerial changes" would not be taking place until the results of the coming October mid-term elections were clear.

Mr Morales Solá wrote that Mr Alvarez has received no formal offering but has been invited to prepare for the Foreign Affairs job.

Foreign Minister Rafael Bielsa said yesterday he would be happy to be succeeded by former vice-president Alvarez, even though he has no confirmation that this might happen. Alvarez, Mr Bielsa said, "is a great guy, with a very interesting way of thinking." MP

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Comment by Deputy Editor, Sharon Jaffray

FARMER'S week is upon us once again, however Stanley's landlords, shopkeepers and restaurateurs are not rubbing their hands with glee at the thought of the 'good eggs from the Camp' flocking to their establishment keen to spend their savings as in the good old days. Indeed, if it wasn't for the line up of clay covered vehicles parked outside the Chamber of Commerce announcing that some of the East Falkland farmers had slithered their way into town, I doubt if many would be aware that the annual discussions are taking place.

Gone are the days of the Town Hall refreshment room being packed with fresh faced young farmers and their spouses oozing energy and enthusiasm for the challenges and hard work ahead that would bring just financial reward. A steady wool price meant that many of the wives could well afford to drift off into their own world of planning outfits for the Government House drinks party in the morning session of meetings and slip off to buy them in the afternoon.

In the good old days when wool prices were at a peak the week was a social whirl where the farmers were wine and dined by businesses keen to make a good impression and ensure that they were remembered when proceeds from wool sales were going into machinery and materials for development. (There was of course a reverse situation when wool prices dropped, and subsidies were introduced. Farmers didn't tend to socialise too much during this period for fear of being accused of "p****ng up the tax-payers money.")

This year there are some of the same faces attending the meetings. Twenty years on I hope they will forgive me for saying they are not quite so fresh faced and maybe not exactly bouncing about with enthusiasm (although that could be because a night in the Narrows Bar takes its toll more than it used to!). In its place there is a dogged determination that the fall in wool prices, resulting in a 40% drop in income for many over the last two years, and the seemingly endless list of logistical problems can be overcome so they can stay in farming and maintain a way of life that many hold dear.

The week didn't get off to a particularly auspicious start with the Rural Business Association (RBA) Annual General Meeting being rescheduled because there were not enough people to form a quorum and two other scheduled meetings for the afternoon being cancelled.

Day two held some interesting discussions about taxation, camp roads and there was a full line up of councillors to answer questions. Transport and in particular wool movements were high on the list of topics discussed as was the recent fuel waxing problems experienced by farmers. Its not a lot of fun being miles from anywhere without an operational generator or vehicle.

However, you wouldn't still be in farming if you didn't have the resilience to get through the lumpy bits - or the sense of humour to have a bit of a chuckle when, just hours after being firmly reassured that the fuel situation was well in hand and bang in the middle of FIMCo's very polished presentation, there was a power cut - the cause? Fuel waxing.

HAPPY holidays....It's the little things that are so enjoyable at first when you leave the Falklands for a while.

You can do your hair and it stays nice all day; drive for hours and hours without having to get out and scrape clay off the vehicle to see out; shop all day and still not see every item available to you; sit in the sun and read a newspaper or bask on a beach with a long glass of Bacardi and diet coke and watch people with bigger bums than yours pass by....yes, well there seems to be a lot less of them since this last burst of over-indulgence.

This type of easy-to-please euphoria lasts about three weeks maximum for me and then I start to see things from a slightly different angle. I get fed up doing my hair everyday, at least when it blows a howling gale straight off the sea I can pretend I've done my hair and the wind just wrecked it. The lovely Tarmac surfaces are great but why does everyone else on the road have a burning desire to be at their destination yesterday? Shopping is fun but they never seem to have my size in the really nice things plus there is a limit to how many times you step aside and apologise for being in the way of a) giggling girls who are dropping clothing all over the floor and not picking it up and b) the dreaded buggy brigade who seem to only travel as the crow flies and do not alter their course one iota for man nor beast. Meanwhile the bees seem to like Bacardi too and the newspapers aren't a patch on *Penguin News*.....

It's for all these reasons and lots more (sensible ones) besides that holidays are a necessity not an ill-afforded luxury.

Maybe councillors should bear this in mind if the economy ever gets to the stage that they consider returning the travel credits to £1 per day.

There is nothing like going away to make you appreciate what you have at home, sweet home.

News from Farmer's Week

Camp roads and maintenance

CULVERTS which were expected to have a 25 year life expectancy are in a poor state after only 12 years and urgently need replacing. Roads Engineer Bob Hancox told farmers at a meeting to discuss camp roads and maintenance.

Mr Hancox said that some new plastic pipes are to be trialed this year and that creek crossings would be upgraded in their entirety as culverts were changed. He said this would inevitably cause some disruption to road users but every effort would be made to keep it to a minimum.

There is a total of 700 km of unsurfaced road now in use on East and West Falkland.

On the subject of the MPA road surface, Mr Hancox said there was no-one more aware of the condition than himself. "We look at it incessantly to determine when we should roll grade etc." The inevitable question of sealing the surface was raised, with Mr Hancox agreeing that it was cost effective in the long term and much safer for users, however he described the capital cost as "enormous."

One farmer suggested that a hose pipe and broom at the Sapper Hill turn off would be advantageous so

that drivers could clear windows before entering the town. He said that although most people paid a visit to the jet wash on arrival there was still a short journey through town when visibility was diminished.

Myles Lee from Port Howard on West Falkland asked if people living on the West who can operate the machinery necessary for road maintenance could undertake the work. Mr Lee said just the flights and accommodation fees paid for operators from Stanley to do the work would cover the wages of those living on the West who are able to do the work.

Councillor Norma Edwards said that with a fitter and foreman now on the West to oversee plant it should now be easier to subcontract to West Falkland people. Mr Hancox and Mr Lee agreed to meet at a later date to discuss the possibilities.

Concern was expressed over the current state of Hell's Kitchen in the San Carlos area. Mr Hancox said he would continue to talk to those directly involved, adding that it was on a list of urgent jobs to be carried out as soon as there is a dry spell.

Praise and criticism for the Tax Office

THE break down of specific columns in farm accounts requested by the Tax Office are costing farmers in accountant fees, representatives from the department heard on Tuesday.

Farmers said letters which "demand" a breakdown of a column can involve a lot of work by their accountant incurring ill afforded additional costs when often an enquiry about a single item would be sufficient.

Senior Taxation Officer Tanya Lee explained that enquiries about single items have often resulted in a string of lengthy correspondence which could be overcome with an immediate, complete column breakdown.

Ms Lee added that letters asking for further information are not

intended to sound threatening or to "put the frighteners" on anyone.

East Falkland farmer Nick Pitaluga paid tribute to the Tax Department saying they displayed "far greater efficiencies" than many other departments but added, "the public face needs a bit of work on it."

Couples who are both working on the farm can split the profits as a partnership whether the business is owned by one or both people the group heard, however, an indication of the percentage split must be made before the end of the financial year.

Taxation Officer Ken Eccles said that this was an area that farmers did not tend to take advantage of and could be of possible benefit to them.

Improved transportation for beef animals?

THE subject of an improved transportation service for beef from West Falkland was discussed.

The present situation is that only a few animals can be shipped in horse boxes at a time on *MV Tamar* unless there are more than 20 that require shifting.

It was felt that the ideal situation would involve holding and handling areas on both East and West Falklands. Councillor Roger Edwards said that it should not be a problem on the West as Fox Bay East already has holding paddocks and "hugely expensive" cattle yards established.

Other farmers said that on the

East a jetty at New Haven would be needed to make a drop of point and considered the possibility of the Brenton Loch cattle yards being utilised.

Chairman of the Rural Business Association (RBA) Paul Robertson said that the transportation of cattle was an issue that beef producers need to address.

Also discussed was the possibility of *MV Tamar* operating solely in Falkland Sound with the building in the Gimmer Ground at Brenton Loch being used as a warehouse on the East. Fox Bay already has a large warehouse.

Farmers seek licence to kill

THE shooting of Turkey Vultures and Striated Caracara (Johnny Rook) as pest control was discussed at length at the Environmental Committee meeting on Wednesday.

Applications for licences to shoot the birds have been submitted by various farmers who felt they were acting as pests by attacking sheep and penguin rookeries.

Environmental Planning Officer Dominique Giudicelli told the committee that the body was only empowered to grant licences for the killing of Johnny Rooks and not Turkey Vultures which, under current legislation, are protected birds. Any licence to shoot Turkey Vultures would therefore have to be put before Executive Council (ExCo).

Concern was expressed by members of the committee at the numbers of birds some farmers were requesting licence to kill. Director of Falklands Conservation, Grant Munro, was especially worried by one request for a licence to kill between 200 and 300 Turkey Vultures. He felt that rather than being a sensible number with the aim of controlling the birds, this number represented an attempt to circumnavigate the law and effectively allow the farmer to shoot birds as he saw fit.

The committee felt strongly that when ExCo considered the matter they should give full consideration to the rights of farmers as well as protection of the birds.

Quantity will drive things forward



Shaded areas indicate the Falkland Islands Meat Company's sheep suppliers to date

A HEARTENING message delivered to farmers by Falkland Islands Meat Company General Manager John Ferguson is that the quality of sheep being supplied to the abattoir is improving.

During a presentation at the Rural Business Association Farmer's Week meetings on Tuesday, Mr Ferguson said the amount of sheep rejected as not suitable for slaughter in the last export season was only half that of the previous season. There had also been a 35% increase in animals supplied by privately owned farms.

Mr Ferguson said the company now has customers in five countries, with seven new customers being sourced in the last year. In the first two years exports were only made to Britain.

"Quantity is what will drive things forward," stressed Mr Ferguson. "There is no sales power in 3,000 lambs," (a similar amount to what a large butchers shop in UK would sell); he added that 14,000

Mr Munro said, "Without agreement of people in camp, the legislation won't function."

The issue of the Murrell road was also discussed. Environmental Planning Officer, Dominique Giudicelli said there had been "some movement" on the matter. A draft management plan for the area affected by the road will be undertaken shortly and put before the September meeting of ExCo with construction work scheduled to begin in November. The management plan will focus on the impact the expected rise in visitor numbers will have on the area, especially fish numbers.

Concern about large markings on elephant seals as part of a research project was also raised at the meeting.

A number of tourists who had visited Sea Lion Island had complained that the animals had been marked with dye which allows identification of individual Elephant Seals. Mr Munro told the meeting that the current markings used are in fact, "the least obtrusive method from the animal's perspective."

Julian Morris, General Manager of the Falkland Islands Development Corporation (FIDC) stressed that the future lies in cooperation between the tourism operator on the Island and the research team with the aim of "informing and educating" the tourists who visited this "key Falklands asset."

Business links 'hampered' by road

THE cost of sealing the Mount Pleasant Road would be between "ten and sixteen million pounds," Director of Public Works (PWD), Manfred Keenleyside told a meeting of the Public Works Committee on Wednesday.

These figures are based on an estimate made by Morrison (Falklands) Ltd in 2001 which assumed use of PWD plant with a small amount of new machinery. Mr Hancox said although the estimate was undertaken four years ago, the costs would be very similar today, adding, a, "Huge amount of work has been done on various options of costing."

Jimmy Moffatt, speaking on behalf of the Chamber of Commerce said, "I really think the only option is to look for a permanent option rather than temporary - we're talking about the major spine road of the Falklands." Mr Moffatt went on to say that business links between Stanley and MPA were starting to flourish but were being constantly hampered by the state of the road.

Councillor Mike Summers said, "There isn't anyone who wouldn't like it done, the issue is, how is going to be funded? Unless you increase the capital spend of £5 million per year, it isn't possible to do it."

Mr Summers added that something would have to be taken out of the capital plan before the MPA road could be added. The other option Mr Summers raised was whether the money should be taken from the consolidated fund.

Mr Moffatt said, "We've got a road that doesn't work in winter." Mr Hancox rejected this by saying, "It is still operational - if you slow down."

The Committee Chairman, Councillor Roger Edwards, said whatever the current state of the road, "obviously a lot of people are concerned" and it was important to get all the various options and costings "down on paper" so the implications can be examined.

Also at the meeting there was a general progress report of works being undertaken by the Public Works Department. The Town Hall works are very nearly finished with, "just some minor works to complete," according to Mr



Above: Sign displayed at the Sappers Hill junction this week.

Keenleyside, who added that the project, "will come in under budget."

Mr Hancox confirmed the appointment of Mr Chris Davies to the post of Technician Engineer within the department. Mr Hancox said Mr Davies is, "fitting nicely into the section and is rapidly learning the systems and procedures."

Mr Hancox outlined major operations planned for the forthcoming year which include a replacement bridge at Little Chartres, similar to Boxer Bridge (which divides Stanley Harbour at the Canache) but on a smaller scale. Although PWD have never undertaken such a task in the Islands before, Mr Hancox was confident that the expertise was available within the department and that the bridge was, "designed to be built in the middle of nowhere by people without specific skills."

The Sapper Hill road will also be rebuilt and surfaced and urgent repair work will be carried out at Stanley Airport.

With such a full programme of work this year, Mr Hancox said he estimated the level of staff within the department would have to be increased from the current 24 to 42 for the summer. Mr Hancox added however, "I have concerns as to whether we can find this number of skilled people." He said that PWD cannot compete with some other employers, most notably the Mount Pleasant based contractors and other private sector employers.

There was concern expressed among committee members that PWD employees were being headhunted, particularly by contractors based at Mount Pleasant.

Further legislation to protect customers?

A DIRECTOR of Stanley Services Ltd (SSL), Councillor Mike Summers, has advised farmers to take a sample of fuel and send it for testing if in any doubt as to the quality of the product.

Otherwise, he said, complaints become merely a "whinge."

One East Falkland farmer said it was the fact that diesel had been sold as "winterised" that was particularly annoying. He said although fuel waxing has occurred in the past this was the first time to his knowledge that health and safety had been jeopardised with ambulances stopping and damage to property. He added "it was poor planning in advance."

Councillor Jan Cheek said Ex-

ecutive Council had taken the subject on board last month and the Attorney General had been tasked to see if further legislation was needed to protect the customer. She added that, at the time, "Stanley Services did appear to be in denial."

Petrol is not going to get any cheaper, said Councillor Summers in reply to a question referring to "unrealistic petrol prices." He explained that SSL cannot acquire petrol in bulk, that it is shipped in ISO containers which are expensive and there are a lot of health and safety issues involved.

He added that the company would be willing to deregulate petrol if anyone thinks they can get it cheaper.

Veterans gather to mark 60 years since the end WWII

THE sixtieth anniversary of the end of World War Two has been marked by Falkland Islanders.

While in the UK a series of events took place to mark the occasion, on Sunday veterans of the war living in the Falklands were joined by residents and military representatives at Stanley's Christ Church Cathedral for a service of commemoration then later at the Falkland Islands Defence Force Hall for a civic reception.

During the reception, a Power Point presentation, organised by Mr Michael Stevens, Chairman of the Royal British Legion, played a number of images of Islanders during the war, to the accompaniment of distinctive music from the era.

The veterans were later hosted by His Excellency the Governor and his wife for lunch at Government House.

During the cathedral service, the Reverend Paul Sweeting read 'A Veteran's Tale', the story of one man's war.

Aidan Toase served with the Royal Marines in the Second World War and his story took listeners into one of its most famous battles, the Battle of the River Plate. He married an Islander and lived for many years in the Falklands. Aidan was aboard *HMS Exeter* in December 1939, and below, with his kind permission, is his account which was read during the service.



Above: (left) Veteran Nick Hadden and his wife Sheila flanked by friends in the FIDF Club; (right) Aidan Toase in a photograph taken before the war, probably in 1939.

"On the morning of December 13, 1939 I was keeping the morning watch, my particular job was to keep the lookouts awake and doing their job. I was a junior lieutenant in the Royal Marines and was second in command of the Royal Marine Detachment. Humphrey Woods was the Captain of Marines and at action stations he was in charge of B turret, manned by the Royal Marines.

"I had tried to get charge of the turret myself a few weeks earlier, but Captain Woods was not having any and I had to remain with my lookouts.

"At about 0600 the *Graf Spee* was sighted well down on the horizon and the bugler sounded 'Action Stations' over the tannoy. I remember my heart went well down into my boots as everyone was hurrying to his position.

"Very soon two great clouds of fire and smoke burst from the enemy as he fired his first broadside and about a minute later a line of shells landed in the sea about 300 yards short. The next enemy broadside was correct for range but fell about 300 yards astern. Thereafter we were receiving our punishment but managed to get within gun range of the *Graf Spee* and scored several hits.

"B turret was hit by an 11 inch shell and everyone in front of the breeches were killed including Captain Woods. Splinters from this shell cut all communications so the ship's captain, Captain Bell, came aft to fight the ship from the after control position.

"Very soon both A and Y turrets were put out of action because their electrical supplies were cut off, so Captain Bell said within my hearing, 'I'm going to ram the...' Captain Bell went on to say, 'It will be the end of us but it will sink him too.' So off we set.

"Fortunately the electricians managed to get Y turret working again so we turned away and carried on firing with Y turret.

"Lookouts were no longer required so I went to look at B turret. There was some burning debris on top of one gun loading tray and immediately under it a naked charge ready for loading into the gun. It looked a nasty situation so I removed the charge by chucking it overboard and put out the fire.

"Marine Russel was badly injured but was rallying some leaderless crew and putting them to work. When we got back to Stanley Marine Russel was taken into the hospital and appeared to be making a good recovery. However, he needed a minor operation, and died under the anaesthetic. He was buried with full military honours in Stanley.

"During the battle, people just



worked under their leaders and got on with the job: no panic. Panic is liable to start if men are left leaderless by the leaders being killed or wounded.

"While we were taking our punishment, Commodore Harwood in the *Ajax* and the *Achilles* were scoring hits on the *Graf Spee* from the disengaged side.

"It was clear that the *Graf Spee* was trying to get into Montevideo so Commodore Harwood signalled us to report the state of the ship and then ordered us to go back to Stanley. *Ajax* and *Achilles* followed the *Graf Spee* until she was interned in Montevideo and waited outside for reinforcements in case she tried to get away.

"That evening we buried about 50 of the ships company at sea.

"I well remember our reception in Stanley. Nothing was too much for people to do for us. Many were taken into peoples' homes. In the Falkland Islands, the removal of a threat of a raid by the German pocket battleships was a great relief.

"It took about six weeks to get the ship seaworthy. We had a lot of steel plating sent up from the whaling station in South Georgia. I had a very happy time in Stanley as I made the acquaintance of a young lady called Cora Newing. Whenever I could get ashore I would seek her out and she would provide a horse and we would go out to the lighthouse or some other beauty spot."

In the piece read out in the Cathedral service, Aidan then told of his postings away to the Mediterranean, and his involvement with Malta and the invasions of Sicily and Italy. Meanwhile Cora had travelled to the UK to be part of the Maren's, the Royal Marines branch of the Wrens.

Aidan was sent home in time for Christmas 1944, so met Cora for the first time after a five year break. The couple were married by Aidan's father, who was a priest, one week after he got home.

Aidan and Cora celebrated their diamond wedding on 30 December, 2004.

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- To supply and fit insulation to the roof and walls of the house
- Replace and repair all guttering.
- Replace existing back porch.
- Repairs and make good all windows in the house
- To repair all leaks and make good of the existing front porch.

Interior

- To supply and make good stair banister.
- To repair as necessary all ceiling joists
- To supply and fit new kitchen and bathroom tiles.

Tender 2.

To supply and decorate the whole interior of the house at 19 Davis Street.

Tender 3.

To check all electrical wiring and replace where necessary.

Tender 4.

To check all plumbing and replace where necessary. Supply and fit new bath.

Tender 5.

To fix and tidy up existing fences and make good of the overgrown gardens and trees.

The Falkland Islands Development Corporation reserves the right to reject any of the above tenders received. For viewing and further information, please contact Charlene Rowland at FIDC on 27211 or email: Charlene@fidc.co.fk during normal office hours.

Tenders marked "19 Davis Street" should reach the General Manager no later than 1500 hrs on 15th July 2005.

Stanley ladies swap compacts for cam cream



Above: Jane, Sarah, Hattie and Ann brace themselves for their section attack.

By Sarah Davies

ONE of the more dangerous effects of excessive drinking is the loss of self-control.

Nowhere is this more clearly demonstrated than in Jane Clement's bidding £170 for a day out with the Roulement Infantry Company at an auction held in aid of the South Atlantic Medal Association (SAMA82) last month. (This woman's married to a Royal Marine, for heaven's sake.)

The result was four excited women arriving at Mount Pleasant ready to experience the RIC's naked aggression.

Having smeared cam cream over perfectly applied Estée Lauder foundation, we headed to the firing range where we were issued with SA80 rifles and live ammunition. Ann Murphy and Hattie Lee's marksmanship skills were so excellent that they scored 51 hits out of 40. This made us wonder whether men of the

Queen's Lancashire Regiment were chosen for their meltingly beautiful looks rather than 'O' level arithmetic.

For lunch we were given ration packs and treated to an outdoor cookery demonstration by L/Cpl Hudson. We picked up several tips such as you can make tea and shave in the water used to heat your boil-in-the-bag.

After our delicious picnic we tried out the pistols. Jane got the highest score. The only way to deal with Jane's gloating was by beating her so I tried Method Shooting. This involved visualising the target as all the ex-boyfriends who dumped me for thin blondes. Despite this I failed to beat Jane's 18/20 and would advise Gary to keep the gun cupboard locked.

Next the RIC had arranged a battle for us. We launched a section attack from a landing craft. We four trained killers nervously waited for

the order to progress. More truthfully, we nervously waited for the order to sprint which was somewhere near impossible for us unfit women in our very late 30's carrying full webbing and a rifle.

Our guides strolled effortlessly while we fell over trip wires and ran into flares. We were to take two positions - which may not sound much for an Essex girl - but we had to reload our weapons, tie shoe laces and do something called "re-org". Lobbing a grenade high into the air, Ann watched to see it land three feet away and we heard the order, "I think we'd better duck!"

All four of us had a fantastic day and would like to give our warmest thanks to Cpt Craig Rogers, Lt Guy Selway, Sgt Adam Diver, Cpl Glen Denton, Cpl Nigel Coupe, Cpl Mac McLeary and L/Cpl Lee Hudson and the rest of the team for their generous hospitality in support of SAMA '82.

Falklands at Calgary oil conference



INTEREST in the Falklands at the biggest worldwide oil exploration conference was down this year, however this has been attributed to increased use of the Mineral Resources Department's website.

The American Association of Petroleum Geologists (AAPG) Conference is an annual event held in North America. This year's event took place in Calgary, Canada last month and the Falklands were represented by Councillor Stephen Luxton, Director of Minerals and Agriculture Phyl Rendell, Oil Statistics Manager Alex Blake and Phil Richards and Bob Gatliff from British Geological Survey.

Councillor Luxton said the event was well attended with over 7000 delegates though there seemed to be less interest in the Falklands stand than in some previous years. "As always though, it was a handful of very good contacts that made the event worth attending, rather than the total number of people visiting the stand, as the majority of visitors only have a casual interest in the Falklands."

He said the emphasis on the Falkland Islands Government's activity at the conference has changed, "...from marketing to potential new license holders over the last few years, to now mainly providing information on the farm-in opportunities available with existing license-holders who are well advanced in their seismic exploration programmes."

He added that the "excellent and comprehensive" Mineral Resources website www.falklands-oil.com has also reduced the number of personal enquiries, "...as many interested companies can now access much of the information they require on-line."

The North American AAPG is believed to be the biggest worldwide oil exploration conference and attracts delegates from virtually every sector of onshore and offshore minerals worldwide.

Councillor Luxton said many companies have very large and elaborate stands there promoting their products, "but for us the main interest is in making contacts with 'new venture' exploration managers of oil and gas companies, and providing them with information which they may then pursue to either a license application or a farm-in with an existing license holder."

He said a number of "useful contacts" were made during the conference.

In Sung 66: owners and captain fined for illegal fishing

THE owners and captain of a Korean fishing vessel have been fined for illegal fishing in Falklands waters.

On Friday, July 8, guilty pleas were received from the Insung Corporation, as the owner of the *In Sung 66*, and ship's master, Yo Yong Sop (39), to charges of using a fishing boat between June 23 and 25 in contravention of the Fisheries (Conservation and Management) Ordinance 1986.

Principal Crown Counsel, Melanie Chilton, told the court a report was received by the Fishery Patrol Vessel *Sigma* on June 25 from *CFL Gambler* that it had found fishing gear on the boundary of the Falklands zone to the southeast of the Islands.

A second set of gear was found approximately one mile inside the zone. The *In Sung 66* was approximately one and half miles outside of the zone at the time.

The vessel was requested to sail to Stanley for an investigation into its fishing activity and the captain fully complied.

The In Sung Corporation provided Vessel Monitoring System (VMS) records which showed that

on June 23 the *In Sung 66* was in the Falkland Islands zone. Ms Chilton said the ship's log book was at "significant variance" for this date.

Lawyer Kevin Kilmartin represented the *In Sung 66*'s owners and captain in court. He said the captain had only taken command of the ship on June 9 and had headed to the Scotia Ridge region (outside the zone) to fish. He said several fishing lines were shot in the area on June 25 and when he shot 'line number 15' he believed it was outside the zone, on the edge.

Mr Kilmartin said the captain would not have set a line inside the zone for a number of reasons:

- He was not permitted to do so by the In Sung Corporation - "they have a strict policy of not violating other countries zones...and enforce this with a strict penalty."
- A licenced vessel, the *CFL Gambler*, was in the vicinity and as such, to protect licenced catch, "...would have reported any perceived infringement of the zone."
- The *In Sung 66* is fitted with VMS.

Mr Kilmartin reminded the Magistrate the captain of the *In*

Sung 66 had fully complied with the investigation into illegal fishing and the vessel owners had provided VMS data which showed the ship was in the zone on June 23. Guilty pleas were entered as soon as possible to the offences.

He described the In Sung Corporation as a "reputable company" which is involved in a number of different fisheries in the Falkland Islands and South Georgia and has long standing business relationships with Falkland Islands companies.

He said the captain was very sorry for the offence and "anxious as to what this may do to his future career."

In issuing fines to the two parties, the Senior Magistrate, Mrs Clare Faulds, said she had taken into account the guilty pleas and cooperation from the company and master.

She said that while the offence seemed to fall into a category of "lesser cases", the captain had however decided to take the risk of fishing so close to the boundary.

She fined the In Sung Corporation £7,500 and the master £500.

The fishing gear retrieved from the area was forfeited.



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'Lip service' to anti-bullying

IT WAS with sadness but no great surprise that I read Frances Douse's account of her experience at the FICS.

The verbal and physical abuse she describes falls clearly into the category of bullying. Sadly, many children and young adults who become bullies during their school days go on to repeat this despicable pattern of behaviour on the work place.

Bullying can take many forms, ranging from the overt confrontational approach encountered by Frances to more subtle, insidious and indirect methods of victimisation.

Bullies feel empowered by their actions which frequently evoke profound and long lasting effects on their targets. Those who have been bullied may find themselves suffering from mental and physical health problems, from lack of self esteem and self confidence and from an overriding feeling of despair.

Earlier this year following an internal FIG investigation, the (then) Director of Health and Social Services was found guilty of three counts of bullying KEMH's Senior Dental Officer.

The results of the enquiry were

only made known to the parties involved on the day the Director left the Islands, despite the complaint being lodged with the Department of Human Resources some four months previously.

The lack of expediency in dealing with the serious issue and the fact that no action was taken whilst the perpetrator was still in post suggests that FIG merely pays lip service to its anti-bullying policy. In so doing it gives credence to a culture of bullying which is clearly as prevalent at Senior Management level as it is amongst school children. This is truly shameful.

It takes immense courage to stand up to a bully and to seek redress through the appropriate channels. Frances obviously felt unable to confront the issue whilst still at school, hence her retrospective letter to *Penguin News*.

FIG's failure to deal effectively and timeously with a proven case of bullying will hardly encourage other victims to step forward. Frances' plea for 'something to be done about it' has already fallen on deaf ears.

Anne Johnston
Stanley

Allegations 'fully and properly investigated'

The following letter is in response to Ms Johnston's letter (above) MR FYFE alleged a course of bullying over a period of over three years which, if substantiated, would have constituted gross misconduct on the part of the former Director of Health.

Mrs Faulds (Senior Magistrate) was appointed on December 1 last by the Chief Executive to investigate Mr Fyfe's complaint and started work immediately.

Mr Fyfe was asked by Mrs Faulds to provide information as to his allegations and in mid-January sent Mrs Faulds forty pages of details and identified ten witnesses.

The former Director of Health responded to this document by the end of January, substantially denying Mr Fyfe's allegations.

Mrs Faulds, therefore, had to interview the witnesses and reach her own conclusions in relation to the allegations.

The investigation had, of course, to be fitted in with her duties as Senior Magistrate and the availability of the witnesses. She was not able to deliver her report until May 11.

This was, I believe, received by the Chief Executive on May 12, a Thursday. The former Director of Health left the Islands on the following Tuesday.

While Mrs Faulds found three of Mr Fyfe's allegations of bullying proved, she said in her report that those instances were fairly mild. There was, therefore, no question of gross misconduct on the former Director of Health's part.

In that situation, FIG's written policy is to promote a reconciliation between the parties to the complaint. In view of the former Director's imminent departure FIG could not do this. All it could do was to send the parties a copy of Mrs Faulds' report. That was done.

FIG certainly does not pay lip service to its anti-bullying policy. Serious allegations have to be and are fully and properly investigated.

FIG accepts that this should be done as quickly as it can be, but haste must yield to fairness and thoroughness.

D G Lang QC
Attorney General

Islanders: 'get your facts right, Mr Stevely'

WOULD the author of the "Glorified Mutton Farmers" (V17 PN) make known his current location and relationship to the Falkland Islands - as we are sure there are several "Mutton Farmers" who would love to meet him.

After his letter in the *Penguin News*, we emailed him to point out a few facts that he seemed to be missing. We know of several other Falkland Islanders who also replied

to him and like ourselves have yet to receive a reply.

We are sure that if he has nothing better to do than get his facts wrong and insult people we very much doubt he knows anything about, he could at least have the common decency to reply to our emails.

Falkland Islanders - Colin Patterson-Smith, Glenda and Peter McGill, Shirley Hirtle

RIC gives Port San Carlos memorial a facelift

THE Roulement Infantry Company turned their hands to a spot of DIY this week at Port San Carlos.

A party of five lead by Capt Andy Witherell headed up to Port San Carlos to renovate the 3 Commando Brigade Air Squadron Memorial.

The project came about after a patrol visited the memorial and found it to be in dire need of a facelift. The Lancastrian soldiers set about sourcing the materials and a plan was put in place to rebuild the stone memorial, replace the fence, fit a new plaque and also a spot of landscaping.

The team was made up of soldiers with a background in building and joinery.

Pte Jason Middleton made excellent use of his bricklaying skills in rebuilding the stone cairn; he also extended the memorial to allow wreaths to be laid on a stone shelf.



The soldiers thoroughly enjoyed the project and are very happy with the result. Sgt Darren Morris said, "It is nice to get out and do something different, it has been interesting to learn about the background of the men who this memorial is dedicated to".

The team would also like to thank Mr and Mrs Smith of Smylies farm for their hospitality during their stay.

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Vocation training has progressed

I HAVE to agree with Eileen Davis, regarding progress in vocational training.

It's very interesting that steps are being taken to train Handymen in the basics of mechanics, plumbing, carpentry, bricklaying, etc. I dare say such courses didn't exist some years ago save for the occasional professional brought down to the Islands to show folk how to do drystone walling, etc.

Richard Cockwell's comment (June 24, 2005 edition) that not every youngster is cut out to be an academic is nothing new. Cast your minds back to when you were of school age; a typical classroom was (and still is) a mixture of abilities and skills. Some kids are destined for great things and a sparkly glittering career, other kids are not so inclined and will take pot luck in wherever they find themselves working.

The chances for adults to be able to train is very important: I always hated the 'fact' that a person had to be of school leaving age to gain an apprenticeship, only to squander the whole thing, ie: getting bored and leaving to do something else OR completing their time and going off to do something different. To be an adult, it seemed impossible to get training in any trade.

I was lucky to get an apprenticeship as a plumber: I was 23 years old at the time and accepted the wage terms without question. I had actually put in for four different trades in the hope of getting one - either that or carry on in my old job and get nowhere fast.

So, make sure adults can get a fair chance at training, and even do

Parents, take responsibility for your children

I FIND it a little shameful that a fifteen-year-old has to send a wake-up call to the Falklands about our youths, and to air our dirty linen in public.

I would like to add to Frances' letter with an announcement: 'Welcome to the year 2005.'

This community is no longer the cosy society of yesteryear. Many things have changed: we have television, the internet for good and bad, working mothers, and a different set of demographics which will be clear to anyone who reads the next set of census statistics.

The major problem is that the 'old' community, and that includes councillors, are either unaware of these changes, or have chosen to ignore them, and sweep under the carpet what is directly under their noses. As everyone knows by experience, ignoring problems does not make them go away.

One would have to deaf, dumb and blind, or never have been on the streets of Stanley on a weekend around 11/12 pm, not to have seen what is happening in this community.

Children as young as nine years old are on the streets of Stanley at this time, many of them drinking, some drunk and many smoking. Weekend 'binge-drinking' is the norm for these children and, in my

opinion, we have a potentially volatile situation on our hands. Any number, up to a group from thirty to eighty children can be gathered about the John Street/Philomel junction at these times. Even in England, that would be called a 'mob'.

Underage sex amongst peers happens, as does underage sex with 'adults', probably alcohol related. I, as a teacher, am aware of this, as must be the police and the hospital.

The police have to 'mop up' the streets, and teachers have to cope with hung-over, tired pupils - not a lot of learning takes place under these conditions. The police and teachers have to deal with the consequences of this behaviour but we are the second line troops.

The primary carers - the legal, primary carers are the parents. Where are the parents of a nine year old when their child is on the streets late at night? Where do the parents imagine that child is or wonder what he is doing? Do they think their children are playing tidywinks?

If parents do not know where or care where their nine, ten or eleven year old child is at 11.30pm at night then they are not fit parents and need classes in parenting.

Veronica Fowler, Stanley

Don't worry dear parents: I totally agree that GCSEs are good for you, they certainly open up some job prospects early on in life: but actually, how many of you have GCSEs? Are you happy in your jobs?

That's the end of my letter, take from it what you will. The fact remains though, job satisfaction is very important.

We must spend a good third of our adult lives working. I think that the chances on offer for further education are great, for any age. This has to be the most positive thing to arise in recent years. I hope this will always be the case.

The Islands are full of practical people, for them to get the chance to qualify in something is true progress.

Rob Wilkinson, Stanley

For youngsters, are GCSEs the be all and end all? Most trades are not 'rocket science'. Just a basic understanding of maths and english is usually enough; further education can be had at evening classes. It's much better to get your GCSEs in the first place but don't swallow the myth that "without GCSEs you will surely get NOWHERE in life." Common sense and a keenness to learn are enough.

I will let you into a secret, all you people about to leave school, there are quite a few adults around here who left school with "nothing" and they now occupy some highly paid jobs.

Anger cannot be measured in size or capacity and affects us all in different ways. Pride in the face of adversity is one of the qualities that us Brits have in abundance and this has certainly been highlighted by the people of London in the last few days as the victims, emergency services, the public and the politicians, right across the political spectrum, have stood together and defied these ruthless bastards.

It never ceases to amaze me how some bigoted reporters always ask the question, "Would the youth of today cope?" We Falkland Islanders know full well that the youth of any generation can cope when the chips are down. It has always been the youth of the nation that has had to cope regardless of the time in history and we only have to look back to 1982 when a bunch of bullies, whatever the translation meant then or now, were stopped by the youth of that decade and if or when history were to repeat itself they would be more than capable of doing so again.

I'm proud to be the offspring of Londoners. One of my great grandfathers first came to the Falklands as a paying immigrant in 1842. My Grandfather Allan arrived here from London in 1877. I grew up on tales of life in London.

When I first visited that city in 1952 all five family addresses that I visited in the east end had been razed to the ground by the Luftwaffe Blitz. I just sat and cried. Seeing I was distressed an old cockney taxi driver stopped and asked if I needed help. When I told him why I was upset he told me that he had been overseas in the army for most of the war and found the same situation on his return: no home, no family. His advice was that time is a good healer, it had helped him and he thought that I would find the same. How right he was. The wounds do heal in time but you never forget, and until the bunch of bullies that orchestrate these atrocities are brought to justice we as individuals and as a nation have got to be vigilant at all times.

John Robert Allan Stanley

Horrific and cowardly acts

THIS week I had fully intended, through the media of *Penguin News*, to launch a public campaign to have that disgusting MPA / Stanley road sealed with a permanent surface such as concrete or tarmac.

However, the events of Thursday, July 7 have taken over from this, by comparison, rather mundane subject.

The horrific cowardly terrorist attacks carried out on our mother country's capital, in the city of London, has turned my thoughts to disbelief, anger, and pride. Disbelief that the faceless perpetrators had actually carried out what we had long feared was their ambition.

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It was also highlighted by the magnificent turn out in London on Sunday when the people turned out in their thousands together with our Sovereign and her family, to commemorate the ending of World War II, to honour the veterans of those terrible times who paraded with such pride and dignity.

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Road to Mount Pleasant resembles 'war zone'

OOPS Mr Hancox, I refer to the article in the July 1, edition of *Penguin News*, which gave an account of a visit to the MPA road which you hosted.

By the state of it now, 10th July, it resembles more of a 'war zone' than an all weather road.

Previous to the road being constructed between Mount Pleasant and Darwin/Goose Green, the old clay track was many times better

than this pot-holed, clay quagmire, which some people have the gall to call an all weather road.

With its deep open ditch on either side, it is a serious accident just waiting to happen, but then of course it won't be the state of the road, it'll be the driver. It's time FIG got their perspectives/priorities into the correct order.

B Peck Stanley



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Darts day boosts Kids Zone fund



Above: The Directors of Stanley Kids Zone and event organiser Jan Parke receive the cheque from Jo Ellick of Cable and Wireless while darts players and Terry and Odette from the Stanley Arms look on.

THE proposed new nursery for Stanley has had its coffers boosted, following fundraising efforts at the weekend with a day of darts, dancing and a raffle at the Stanley Arms.

The day's events, organised by Jan Parke in aid of Stanley Kids Zone, kicked off at 10am on Saturday with a sponsored darts throw. The darts players kept going all the way till 8pm with scorers meticulously recording every dart thrown.

A strong Stanley Kids Zone supporter, Mrs Parke, said that visitors were frequent throughout the day and most were "usually persuaded to part with their dosh to buy some more raffle tickets!"

By 8pm when they finally hung up their darts, 19,090 had been thrown to reach a final score of 319,434 which included nine 180 throws.

After this tremendous effort, everyone sat down to a meal prepared by the Stanley Arms which according to Jan, "...went down a

treat and was followed by a few well earned beverages and some great music."

The draw for the raffle was also held with Andrew Newman, a Director of Stanley Kids Zone, serving as compere for the event.

Cable and Wireless Customer Services Manager Jo Ellick was also at the event and presented Kids Zone with a sponsorship cheque for £500 as part of their support for young people in education. Mrs Parke described the donation as "fantastic".

After the raffle the evening continued with dancing to the tunes of DJ-KJ.

Six hundred and sixty two pounds was raised from the raffle but the total raised is not yet known as a lot of sponsorship money has yet to be collected.

Mrs Parke described the amount raised so far as "magnificent" and said the money will be "...well spent on equipment and toys to get things up and running."

Thirty get creative - and support Guides



Pictured above: Sue Gyford, Karen Lee and Iris Dickson turn their hand to felting; Below: Christine Mitchell shows the gathering a landscape scene created on felt by Rosemary Wilkinson.

THE Falkland Islands Guiding Association has benefited from a fund-raiser held last Sunday which differed from the usual bazaar or dance.

The Falklands Wool Centre hosted a felting workshop in the Parish Hall with the aim of not only raising money for the Guides but also as a way to pass on this wool-based skill to a new generation of felters.

Christine Mitchell ran a demonstration explaining how the process worked and showcasing some of the results that can be achieved.

Karen Lee of the Falklands Wool Centre said that the idea of this first workshop was to show how it could be done at home without any specialist equipment: "There are many different ways to make felt but in this class we were doing felt in a bowl, so that it only used things you had in the kitchen."

Karen said that the Wool Centre hopes to hold further workshops in the future so this first workshop concentrated on the basics. "It was definitely a beginners class but there were some amazing results," she said.

Fiona Didlick was also present and held a demonstration on how to laminate felt to other materials.

Linda McRae and Ruth Taylor from the Guiding Association also helped out as according to Karen, "they are accomplished felters and



so were of great assistance to all."

At the end of the workshop nearly 30 people had got to grips with the process which Karen describes as a "huge achievement."

Not everything ran smoothly though as amidst the excitement of the felting, the group were oblivious to the hot water urn (crucial to the felting process) producing sufficient amounts of steam to set the smoke alarms off in the Hall.

The group were soon joined by the Fire and Rescue Department and Church Warden Keith Biles who were placated with tea and cake.

The felters would like to thank them for turning out so rapidly and apologise for the false alarm which Karen described as, "all very embarrassing!"

Bazaar success means new bikes for Stanley Nursery



ABOVE: Pearl Simmonds and her helpers - Isla Livermore and Gladys Pennisi and Barbara Minto - man the cake stall at Stanley Nursery's fund raising bazaar on Saturday.

The event raised £204.90, which Pearl said was "more than what I expected."

The money will be used to buy new bicycles for the more than thirty children who visit the nursery.

Around 50 people visited the bazaar which also had raffles and bric a brac on offer. Two raffle tickets remain unclaimed: blue 93 and 94. Please call Pearl at the nursery to claim the prizes.

Governor's Cup

The Governors Cup Darts Competition is to be played in the FIDF Drill Hall on Saturday July 16, 2005.

Doors will open at 6.30pm with the first games starting at 7.15pm £2 on the door.

Licensed bar in operation

Entry lists are in the

Entertainment Centre at the West Store or contact the Chairman of the Stanley Darts Club, Willie Harvey on 21772 for more information.

The lists will be with Sibby until 5pm on Thursday, July 14.

MPA entrants welcome.

Artist John wins Spinning Wheel Trophy at Sue Whitley exhibition

THE standard of the work in this year's Susan Whitley Memorial Art and Craft Exhibition has been roundly praised by the Headteachers of the Infant and Junior School and Community School (FICS) and by the Camp Education Supervisor.

Year 10 student John Didlick was awarded the top prize, the Spinning Wheel Trophy, at the exhibition, which is held annually in memory of Susan Whitley, the Home Economics teacher at the Senior School who was killed during the shelling of Stanley in the 1982 Falklands War.

John Farrow, Headteacher of the Infant and Junior School said he never fails to be proud of and impressed by the high quality art and craft work produced each year, and added, "This year, in my eyes, is the best I have seen." He said the exhibition always impresses him on two levels.

"Firstly, there is the overall ef-

fect of the combined displays. Secondly, on closer examination, there is the sheer quality exhibited in so many individual pieces of work.

"The immense variety of media used shows the breadth of artistic experience the children encounter in the Infant and Junior School. The splendid displays, from Pre-School through to Year 6, indicate the time, expertise and effort that both staff and children put into their work."

Mr Farrow was also pleased with the reaction of members of the public to the exhibition and said, "It is particularly rewarding to receive so many positive comments from parents, families and friends."

Alan Purvis, Headteacher of FICS was also impressed with the quality of work and said, "The standard, as usual, was very high and we are grateful to the judges for all their hard work."

Mr Purvis echoed Mr Farrow's

words about the feedback from the public saying, "There was an excellent turnout of visitors on both Saturday and Sunday."

"All three departments had very interesting displays and it was good to see a wide variety of cooking and textiles on show this year."

Camp Education Supervisor Richard Fogerty was keen to stress the amount of work the students put in to the work they display, and the part played by teachers and parents.

He said, "None of this would be possible without the hard work of staff and parents who encourage the students and then find themselves with the task of getting the exhibits to Stanley, undamaged."

"By land or air, Land Rover or FIGAS, the pieces come in from all points of the Islands to be put on display. It is not unusual for a parent to be asked to find items such as cereal packets, cotton reels or some

tape so that a model, or something equally exotic, can be completed for exhibition."

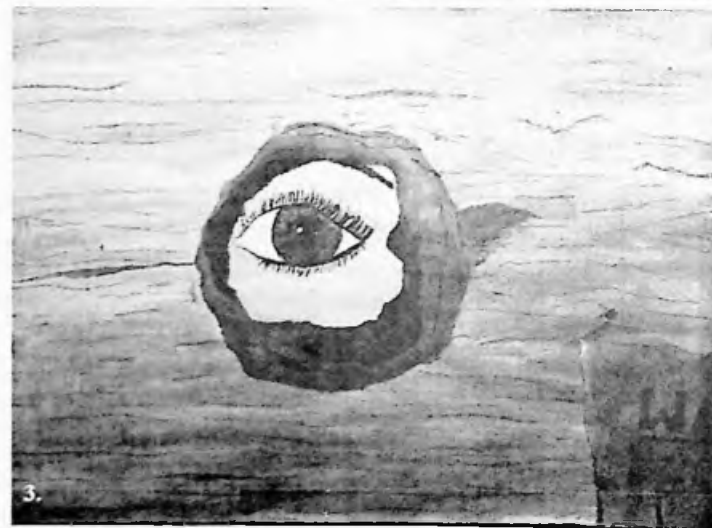
Mr Fogerty clearly felt the judges had a difficult task as he said, "Judges always comment on the variety of work from the Camp students, a delight to see, but horrendously difficult to judge."

"The shrinking numbers in the Camp seem to in no way diminish the quantity or, more importantly, the quality of the work on display."

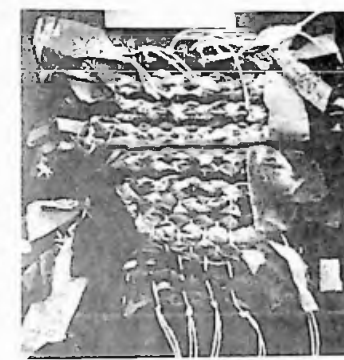
He added, "The number of highly commended awards bears testimony to the high standard of the work produced by our students and Camp Education is very grateful to Tim Stenning, Ray Felstgead and Lorraine McGill for taking on the daunting role of judges."

Lastly, Richard added, "Congratulations, and a big thank you to all involved!"

Full list of results on Page 12



1. An African scene by Jack Ford from Year 1; 2. 'Going with the wind', by Marcus Porter; 3. 'Seen through a gap' by Tegen Montgomery; 4. A piece from John Didlick's Spinning Wheel Trophy-winning collection - an illustration inspired by a line in Nirvana's *In Bloom* - "Sell the Kids for Food." 5. Tiger mask by Echo Goodwin; 6. Pharaoh by Dale Evans of South Harbour; 7. Penguin cake by Tom Howe; 8. Landscape by Sonia Arkhipkina; 9. Cross stitch by Kelly-Marie Stevens; 10. Mask by Rachel Marsh of Fox Bay; 11. Year 5 framed portraits; 12. Winning jungle collage by Main Point's Matthew Hansen; 13. Art work by Matias Mery; 14. Daniel Clarke's material weaving; 15. Teryn Joshua's Moody Brook landscape.





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TIDES AROUND THE ISLANDS

JULY			Sunrise 0746	The times and heights of high and low tides (in metres) at Stanley. Time given is FMT. <i>Add 1 hour for Stanley Summertime</i>
16	0013	1.23	Sunset 1609	
SAT	0549	0.78	Moonrise 1321	
	1226	1.35	Moonset 0644	
	1901	0.62	20 0509	
Sunrise	0749		WED 1000	
Sunset	1606		1614	
Moonrise	1126		2302	
Moonset	0232		0744	
17	0136	1.21	Sunset 1611	
SUN	0649	0.85	Moonrise 1438	
	1325	1.42	Moonset 0746	
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Sunrise	0748		THUR 1053	
Sunset	1607		1706	
Moonrise	1150		2352	
Moonset	0358		0743	
18	0301	1.23	Sunset 11612	
MON	0755	0.89	Moonset 1611	
	1423	1.52	Moonrise 0829	
	2113	0.36	22 0639	
Sunrise	0747		FRI 1142	
Sunset	1608		1759	
Moonrise	1226		Sunrise 0742	
Moonset	0552		Sunset 1613	
19	0412	1.28	Moonrise 1748	
TUES	0901	0.89	Moonset 0858	
	1519	1.64		
	2208	0.22		

(See www.michaelstevens.horizon.co.uk for tide charts)

STANLEY LEISURE CENTRE

Telephone 27281/27285 Fax 27284 e-mail admin.leisure@sec.gov.fk for bookings and enquires
Opening Schedule Commencing Saturday 16th JULY 2005

Swimming Pool		Sports Hall / Squash Courts	
SATURDAY 16th JULY 2005			
Canoeing	10:00-11:00		Public
Public	11:00-18:00		Public
Adults	16:00-18:00		Public
Between 11:00-12:00 Luci Aerobics in Court 1 / 12:00-13:00 Junior Activities			
CLUBS ON TODAY			
TABLE TENNIS CLUB 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM			
SUNDAY 17th JULY 2005			
Public	11:00-17:00		Public
Adults	17:00-19:00		Public
Between 11:00-12:00 Junior Activities			
CLUBS ON TODAY			
TABLE TENNIS CLUB (PTTA) 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM / SHORT TENNIS CLUB 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM			
MONDAY 18th JULY 2005			
School	09:00-10:00		School
OAP - Physio, Adults, Parents & Toddlers	10:00-12:00		School
Lanes (Adults) (2 Lanes Swim Club)	12:00-13:00		Public
OAP - Physio, Adults, Parents & Toddlers	13:00-15:00		Public
Closed	15:00-18:00		Public
S.L.C. Swim School	16:00-17:00		Public
Public - (2 Lanes Adults Swims)	17:15-19:00		Public
Aquarobics	19:00-20:00		Public
Adults	20:00-21:00		Public
CLUBS ON TODAY			
S.L.C. SWIM SCHOOL 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM / BADMINTON CLUB 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM			
TUESDAY 19th JULY 2005			
School	09:00-10:00		School
OAP - Physio, Adults, Parents & Toddlers	10:00-12:00		Public
Lanes (Adults)	12:00-13:00		Public
OAP - Physio, Adults, Parents & Toddlers	13:00-16:00		School
Stanley Swimming Club	16:00-17:00		Public
Public	17:00-19:00		Public
Ladies Hour	19:00-20:00		Public
Private Hire	20:00-21:00		Public
CLUBS ON TODAY			
STANLEY SWIMMING CLUB 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM / NETBALL CLUB 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM / LADIES S.A. SIDE 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM			
WEDNESDAY 20th JULY 2005			
School	09:00-10:00		School
OAP - Physio, Adults, Parents & Toddlers	10:00-11:00		School
OAP - Physio, Adults, Parents & Toddlers	11:00-12:00		Public
Lanes (Adults) (2 Lanes Swim Club)	12:00-13:00		Public
OAP - Physio, Adults, Parents & Toddlers	13:00-15:00		School
Closed	15:00-16:00		School
S.L.C. Swim School	16:00-17:00		Public
Public	17:00-19:00		Public
Adults	19:00-21:00		Public
CLUBS ON TODAY			
S.L.C. SWIM SCHOOL 4:00 PM - 4:45 PM / VOLLEYBALL CLUB 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM / CRICKET CLUB 8:00 PM - 9:00 PM			
THURSDAY 21st JULY 2005			
Closed for Cleaning	09:00-10:00		School
Closed for Cleaning	10:00-11:00		Public
Closed for Cleaning	11:00-12:00		School
Closed for Cleaning	12:00-13:00		Public
Closed for Cleaning	13:00-16:00		School
S.L.C. Swim School	16:00-17:00		Public
Public - (2 Lanes Adults Swims)	17:00-19:00		Public
Aquarobics	19:00-20:00		Public
Adults	20:00-21:00		Public
Between 17:00-18:00 Luci Circuits in Court 1			
CLUBS ON TODAY			
S.L.C. SWIM SCHOOL 4:00 PM - 4:45 PM / HOCKEY CLUB 6:30 PM / SQUASH CLUB 8:30 PM / BADMINTON CLUB 7:30 PM			
FRIDAY 22nd JULY 2005			
School	09:00-10:00		School
OAP - Physio, Adults, Parents & Toddlers	10:00-12:00		School
Lanes (Adults) (2 Lanes Swim Club)	12:00-13:00		Public
OAP - Physio, Adults, Parents & Toddlers	13:00-16:00		School
Stanley Swimming Club	16:00-17:00		Public
Public	17:00-19:00		Public
Adults	19:00-20:00		Public
CLUBS ON TODAY			
STANLEY SWIMMING CLUB 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM			

CLUBS AND CONTACTS

CHURCH SERVICES

CATHEDRAL.
SUNDAY:
8am Holy Communion (BCP) 10am Morning Service & Junior Church 7pm Evening Service
Tel: 21100/Fax: 21842, The Deanery, 17 Ross Road, Stanley
Rector - Rev Paul Sweeting.
TABERNACLE - Barrack Street (free church)
Sunday Services 10.00am and 7.00pm. Family Service second Sunday morning of the month
Communion first Sunday morning and third Sunday evening of the month
Midweek Bible Study Tuesday 7.30pm at 2 Drury Street
ST. MARY'S
SUNDAY 10am (MPA 6.30pm). Week days 9am
St. CUTHBERT'S (MPA)
SUN 10.30am All-age Worship Every 2nd Sun Communion 6.30pm Holy Mass Mon-07:00am Mass
Other activities will be posted as and when they are arranged

BAAHA' FAITH

For information on meetings please ring Margo Smallwood on 21031 or check our website: www.horizon.co.fk/bahai_falklands
HOSPITAL PHARMACY
Monday to Friday mornings 10.00am - 12.15pm. Mon, Tue, Thu and Fri afternoons 14.30 - 17.00; Weds afternoons 13.30 - 15.30

MUSEUM

Monday - Friday 09.30 - 12.00 & 13.30 to 16.00. Saturday & Sunday 14.00 - 16.00. Tel: 27428

TREASURY

Monday - Friday Tel: 27143 8am - 12 noon

LIBRARY

Monday - Friday 08.45 - 12.00 and 13.30 - 17.45. Saturday 10am - 12 noon: 14.00 - 17.00pm Tel: 27147

VETERINARY DEPARTMENT

Consultation hours: Phone 27366
Mon Wed Fri 8.30am - 9.30am; 1.00pm - 2.00pm; 4.00pm - 4.30pm; Tues Thurs 1.00pm - 2.00pm.
Consultations by appointment only

BADMINTON CLUB Mondays 7 - 9 Thursdays 7 - 9am Trudi Clarke, Tel: 21131
SQUASH CLUB Thursdays 5-9pm Contact Roger Spink Tel: 21128

NETBALL CLUB Tuesdays 6-7pm. All are welcome Contact Daphne Arthur Almond Tel: 22038

THE FI GUN CLUB New members welcome Contact: Graham Didlick on 22282 or Steve Dent on 22021

F.I. RIFLE ASSOCIATION Contact Secretary G Goodwin 21246

CRICKET ASSOCIATION New junior and senior players welcome, contact Roger Diggle 21716

STANLEY GOLF CLUB Competitions on Sunday at 8.45 am. Contact Graeme Hay on 22555 www.horizon.co.fk/golf

ASTHMA SUPPORT GROUP - Meets second Tuesday of every third month in Day Centre at 5pm. Contact G. France on 21624

FALKLAND ISLANDS RED CROSS New members welcome. Contact Keith Biles, Tel: 21897 (Chairman); Elizabeth Marrow 21921 (Secretary); Jean Diggle 21716 (Treasurer)

GUILD OF SPINNERS, WEAVERS & HANDICRAFTS Meetings on Monday evening at 7.30pm and Thursdays 1.30 - 3.30pm. Contact M Smallwood 21031

CANCER SUPPORT & AWARENESS TRUST - Contact Theresa Lang (Chairman) 21235 Alison Ward (Secretary) 21851, Derek Howatt (Trustee) 21385, Mrs Shiralee Collins 21579

FLODA Chairman - Geoff Pring, tel 21786 Secretary - Richard Fogerty, tel 21343 Treasurer - Alison Inglis, tel 22817

DIABETES SUPPORT GROUP Holds meetings quarterly - for further details contact Chairman Sharon Middleton on 21393

STANLEY SWIMMING CLUB Coaching Tuesdays 4-5pm. Fridays 4-5pm

STANLEY SUB-AQUA CLUB - Contact David McLeod Phone: 20836 (day), 20843 (home)

THE ROYAL BRITISH LEGION - FALKLAND ISLANDS BRANCH Meets on the first Monday of every month at the Hillside Mess at 7.45pm. Contact's Chairman Michael Stevens (21936)/Secretary Bruce Wilks (22438), Treasurer Richard Morrison (22316)

STANLEY SHORT MAT BOWLS CLUB Friday 6.00 - 8.00pm. Contact Greta Skene 21488

JELLY TOTS CLUB meets Tuesday 1.30 - 3.30pm and Thursday 10-11.30am in the Parish Hall. All parents and carers with children aged 0 - 5 years are welcome.

For more information contact: Zoe Crockford - 22694 Chairperson, Michelle King - 21784 Treasurer, Wendy Luxton - 21882, Secretary, Sue Wilks - 22438, Alison Roose - 22955

THE SHACK YOUTH CLUB - Open every Thursday night. School years 3/4 5.15pm to 6.45pm. School years 5/6 7.00pm to 8.30pm. Friday night School years 7/8/9/7.30 to 9.00. Any queries or information contact Stevie or Katie Burston phone/fax 21677

SHORT TENNIS CLUB - Sunday 3 - 5pm. Contact Gordon Lennie Tel. 21667 or Steve Pointing on 21616 for further details

KARATE CLUB Wed 6-7pm and Sat 11-12am. Contact Jan on 22441

AA BASED ALCOHOL AWARENESS GROUP Thursdays 7.30pm - 8.30pm

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DANCE GROUP SCOTTISH/LOCAL Wednesday evenings 7.30pm - 9pm Infant & Junior School Hall

HAND CHIME GROUP - Wednesday evenings at the Parish Hall 7 - 8.30pm. For more information contact Bronwen Douse on 21675

TABLE TENNIS CLUB - Sunday 3 - 5pm. Contact Michael Stevens on 21936 for more details

Emergency Radio Frequencies

The Public are advised that in the event of an emergency where no other form of communication are available, that the Royal Falkland Islands Police maintain a 24 hour listening watch on the following frequencies.

VHF 2 metre Band

147.725 (Duplex - 0.6) ... Pebble Island repeater
146.625 Stanley, Alice, Port Howard & Pebble link
147.825 (Duplex - 0.6) ... Mount Alice repeater
146.675 ... Port Howard

Marine Band

156.800 ... Channel 16 (Stanley area)
2.182 MHz HF

In the event that communications fail on all the above frequencies then the RFIIP may be contacted direct on 153.650 (duplex + 1.6). It is unlikely that this frequency will be functional from West Falkland.

It must be stressed that calling the Royal Falkland Islands Police on any of these frequencies must only be done in the event of an emergency

Saturday 16th July

8.30 ROOM 785
 8.40 TAZ-MANIA Taz is drawn into a family argument
 9.00 SHORT CHANGE
 9.30 CAPTAIN SCARLET AND THE MYSTERONS
 10.00 THE SATURDAY SHOW
 11.30 THE BEST OF NO GIRLS ALLOWED
 11.50 HARRY POTTER AT THE CASTLE: THE QUEST FOR THE ULTIMATE HARRY POTTER FAN
 12.30 QUESTION OF SPORT
 1.00 NEWS
 1.10 GRANDSTAND The afternoon's sporting action comes live from St Andrews, where coverage of The Open continues.
 6.25 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER
 6.35 WITH A LITTLE HELP FROM MY FRIENDS
 7.25 THE O.C. The Way We Were:
 8.05 CASUALTY
 8.55 MOVIE PRESENTATION: GET OVER IT Starring Kirsten Dunst, Ben Foster, Melissa Sagemiller, Sisqo, Shane West and Colin Hanks.
 10.15 AMIR KHAN: PROFESSIONAL DEBUT Jim Rosenthal presents coverage of Amir Khan's professional debut from the Bolton Arena on the undercard of the big British Heavyweight clash between Matt Skelton and Danny Williams.
 12.10[am] BIG BROTHER
 12.50[am] BRITISH OPEN GOLF HIGHLIGHTS (Including BFBS Weather Report) Highlights coverage of the 134th Open from St Andrews.
 1.50[am] NEWS 24

Sunday 17th July

8.30 ROOM 785
 8.40 STUPID (New) Madcap fantasy comedy.
 9.10 STINGRAY
 9.35 HARRY POTTER AT THE CASTLE: MAGIC AT MIDNIGHT Stephen Mulhern presents a live programme from Edinburgh Castle celebrating the launch of the latest Harry Potter book, Harry Potter and the Half-Blood Prince.
 10.00 NEWS 24 SUNDAY
 11.00 THE HEAVEN AND EARTH SHOW
 12.00 GROUND FORCE
 12.30 CD: UK
 1.20 HOLLYOAKS OMNIBUS
 3.20 MONSTER JAM UK
 3.45 OLIVER BEEN
 4.05 ONE TREE HILL
 4.45 THE SIMPSONS
 5.05 WORLD RALLY CHAMPIONSHIP
 6.00 TOP GEAR
 7.00 DOCTOR WHO The Parting of the Ways
 7.45 TFI CYPRUS Ideas for days out in Cyprus. A BFBS Production.
 7.55 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 8.15 FRASIER
 8.35 DOC MARTIN Gentlemen Prefer: Comedy drama series about a GP who relocates to the sleepy Cornish hamlet of Portwenn.
 9.25 24
 6.00am-7.00am: Time's up. Has CTU averted another global disaster? And will Jack pay the price for some extraordinary risk-taking? A heart-stopping finale. Followed by: BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 10.10 WHAT'S THE PROBLEM? WITH ANNE ROBINSON
 10.40 MONARCHY

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 12.00 BIG BROTHER
 1.20 [am] NEWS 24

Monday 18th July

7.00 BREAKFAST
 10.15 ROOM 785
 10.30 MAKE AND DO Followed by: BOBINOGS
 10.40 RAZZLEDAZZLE
 11.00 ANIMAL PARK - WILD IN AFRICA (New)
 11.30 THIS MORNING
 1.30 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 2.10 EMMERDALE
 2.55 A PLACE IN THE SUN
 3.45 ROOM 785
 4.00 REALLY WILD SHOW
 4.30 THE STABLES
 4.55 GALIDOR DEFENDER OF THE OUTER DIMENSION Sci-fi drama series
 5.15 THE CROCODILE HUNTER DIARIES
 5.40 THE KING OF QUEENS Sitcom about a working-class man making what he can of family life.
 6.05 CORONATION STREET
 6.50 CREATURE COMFORTS
 7.00 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 7.30 EASTENDERS
 8.00 THE BILL
 8.45 GELDOF IN AFRICA
 9.15 WAKING THE DEAD The Hardest Word: (Part One). Beginning another two-part story in the police drama series.
 10.15 THE ROBINSONS Sitcom about a divorced man living in a housing association flat to the embarrassment of his well-to-do family. Followed by BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 10.508 OUT OF 10 CAT
 11.15 LIFE AFTER FOOTBALL Alan Hansen finds out what happens when footballers' playing careers finish.
 12.00 BIG BROTHER
 12.40[am] NEWS 24

Tuesday 19th July

7.00 BREAKFAST
 10.15 ROOM 785
 10.30 MAKE AND DO Followed by: BOBINOGS
 10.40 RAZZLEDAZZLE
 11.00 MY BEST FRIEND Mick Jagger.
 11.30 THIS MORNING
 1.30 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 2.10 HEARTBEAT

2.55 GRAND DESIGNS ABROAD (New)
 3.45 ROOM 785
 3.55 50/50
 4.25 BLUE PETER
 4.50 GRANGE HILL
 5.15 TIME TEAM The Bombers in the Marsh
 6.05 CORONATION STREET
 6.30 BFBS REPORTS
 7.00 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 7.30 EASTENDERS
 8.00 THE BILL
 8.45 REAL NO 1 LADIES DETECTIVE AGENCY
 9.45 NIP/TUCK Followed by: BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 10.35 THE MONASTERY: Documentary series in which five men searching for meaning in their lives spend 40 days in the Benedictine monastery of Worth Abbey in Sussex.
 11.35 HOLLYWOOD GREATS (New) Tom Cruise
 12.15[am] BIG BROTHER
 12.55[am] NEWS 24

Wednesday 20th July

7.00 BREAKFAST
 10.15 ROOM 785
 10.30 MAKE AND DO Followed by: BOBINOGS
 10.40 RAZZLEDAZZLE
 11.00 ANIMAL PARK - WILD IN AFRICA
 11.30 THIS MORNING
 1.30 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 2.10 EMMERDALE
 2.55 GRAND DESIGNS ABROAD
 3.45 ROOM 785
 4.05 TINY AND MR DUK'S HUGE SHOW
 4.30 GIRLS IN LOVE
 4.55 COMBAT CLUB
 5.20 AIRLINE USA
 5.45 MY WIFE AND KIDS
 6.05 CORONATION STREET
 6.30 AFRICAN SCHOOL (New)
 7.00 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 7.30 BUFFY THE VAMPIRE SLAYER
 8.10 PIONEER HOUSE (New)
 9.00 DESPERATE HOUSEWIVES
 9.40 FINGERSMITH Crime drama set in 1860s London, based on Sarah Waters's award-winning novel. Followed by: BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 10.45 MAKE ME A SUPERMODEL Model and actress Rachel Hunter fronts a series whose purpose is to find a potential new supermodel.
 11.30 LATER... AFRICA

12.40[am] BIG BROTHER
 1.20[am] NEWS 24

Thursday 21st July

7.00 BREAKFAST
 10.15 ROOM 785
 10.30 MAKE AND DO Followed by: BOBINOGS
 10.40 RAZZLEDAZZLE
 11.00 EVEN NATURAL WONDERS
 11.30 THIS MORNING
 1.30 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 2.10 HEARTBEAT
 2.55 GRAND DESIGNS ABROAD
 3.45 ROOM 785
 4.10 PLANET COOK
 4.30 BLUE PETER
 5.00 GRANGE HILL
 5.25 ENTERPRISE
 6.05 CORONATION STREET
 6.50 CREATURE COMFORTS
 7.00 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 7.30 EASTENDERS
 8.00 HOLBY CITY
 9.00 LIFE BEGINS
 9.45 RAMSAY'S KITCHEN NIGHTMARES Followed by BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 10.35 DERREN BROWN TRICK OF THE MIND
 11.00 MONKEY DUST
 11.30 BADDIE AND SKINNER UNPLANNED
 11.55 BIG BROTHER
 12.35[am] THE ASHES 1st TEST HIGHLIGHTS - DAY 1
 1.00 [am] NEWS 24

Friday 22nd July

7.00 BREAKFAST
 10.15 ROOM 785
 10.30 MAKE AND DO Followed by: BOBINOGS
 10.40 RAZZLEDAZZLE
 11.00 WILD IN AFRICA: ANIMAL PARK
 11.30 THIS MORNING
 1.30 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 2.10 EMMERDALE
 2.55 GRAND DESIGNS ABROAD
 3.45 ROOM 785
 3.55 ATOMIC BETTY
 4.20 THE BIG BANG
 4.35 WEEK ON NEWSROUND
 4.55 MY PARENTS ARE ALIENS
 5.15 THE GADGET SHOW
 5.40 THE CITY GARDENER
 6.05 CORONATION STREET
 6.30 BFBS REPORTS
 7.00 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 7.30 EASTENDERS
 8.00 RETURN OF THE CHIEF
 8.25 QUEEN EYE FOR THE STRAIGHT GUY (New)
 Brand new series. Carson, Ted, Thom, Kyan and Jai are the Fab Five, an elite team of gay men who, each week, launch a mission to transform a style-deficient and culture-deprived straight man from drab to fab.
 9.10 ARCHANGEL (New)
 Two-part drama
 10.10 THE KUMARS AT NO 42
 10.40 ER Followed by: BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 11.25 BIG BROTHER
 11.50 SNOW PATROL - IN PROFILE In-depth profile of Northern Irish alternative pop rockers Snow Patrol.
 12.15[am] BIG BROTHER
 12.40[am] NEWS 24

Billings correct at time of going to press but subject to change until actual transmission. Tune into BFBS Radio/Television for up-dates.

Your programmes - F.I.B.S.

Weekly schedule of programmes - as updated by FIBS

SATURDAY

5:00 IRN News & Childrens Corner
6:00 Weather, Flights, Ranges, Announcements, Job Shop & What's on Guide
6:17 The Archers
6:30 News Review
7:00 In Concert
8:00 Feature Presentation
8:30 Weather, Flights & The Fusion with Stacy
10:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

SUNDAY

5:00 IRN News & Chaplains Choice with Paul Sweeting
5:30 Classical Interlude with Kathy Biles
6:00 Weather, Flights, Ranges, Announcements, Job Shop & What's on Guide
6:15 Short Story
6:30 Feature Presentation
7:00 Sunday Evening Service
8:00 Slow Jams with Jock to include Weather & Flights at 8:30
10:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

MONDAY

7:00 IRN News & Breakfast Show with Ken (530mw & 88.3fm)
9:00 KTV Radio Nova
10:00 IRN News & Lifestyle with Liz to include
12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
12:30 Calling The Falklands (repeat)
1:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm
4:00 IRN News & People's Jukebox
5:00 IRN News followed by Jukebox
6:00 IRN News & The Archers
6:15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop followed by Country Crossroads
7:00 Comedy presentation
7:30 Music feature
8:30 Weather, Flights & The Vinyl Frontier with Myriam
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

TUESDAY

7:00 IRN News & Breakfast Show with Ken (530mw & 88.3fm)
9:00 KTV Radio Nova
10:00 IRN News & Lifestyle with Liz to include
12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
12:30 One To One
1:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm
4:00 IRN News & People's Jukebox
5:00 IRN News followed by Jukebox
6:00 IRN News & The Archers
6:15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop followed by Calling The Falklands
6:45 Simply Classical
7:45 Folk Music Show
8:30 Weather, Flights & 80's and 90's with Sheena
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

WEDNESDAY

7:00 IRN News & Breakfast Show with Ken (530mw & 88.3fm)
9:00 KTV Radio Nova
10:00 IRN News & Lifestyle with Liz to include
12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
12:30 Calling The Falklands (repeat)
1:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm
4:00 IRN News & People's Jukebox
5:00 IRN News followed by Jukebox
6:00 IRN News & The Archers
6:15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop followed by The Best Of... with Jock
7:30 Drama Presentation
8:30 Weather, Flights & FIBS Chart Show
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

THURSDAY

7:00 IRN News & Breakfast Show with Ken (530mw & 88.3fm)
9:00 KTV Radio Nova
10:00 IRN News & Lifestyle with Liz to include
12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
1:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm
4:00 IRN News & People's Jukebox
5:00 IRN News followed by Jukebox
6:00 IRN News & The Archers
6:15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop followed by Soul, Blues & Rock 'n' Roll with Liz
7:30 Feature Presentation
8:00 Pot Luck with Myriam to include Weather & Flights at 8:30
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

FRIDAY

7:00 IRN News & Breakfast Show with Ken (530mw & 88.3fm)
9:00 KTV Radio Nova
10:00 IRN News & Lifestyle with Liz to include
12:15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
12:30 Caught In The Net/Camp Matters
1:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm
4:00 IRN News & People's Jukebox
5:00 IRN News followed by Jukebox
6:00 IRN News & The Archers
6:15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop followed by The Information Hour to include
Calling The Falklands
One To One (repeat)
Conservation Conversations (repeat)
Caught In The Net/Camp Matters (repeat)
7:30 Non-Stop Country Hour
8:30 Weather, Flights & Leather and Lace with Tansy
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

Any changes will be broadcast on FIBS.

BFBS radio

98.5 FM:

SATURDAY 0000 Groove Collective PT 2 0100 The Box 0300 Cox & Bumfrey 0500 Early Riser 0700 Forces Finest PT 1 0800 Saturday Breakfast 1000 The Score 1300 Forces Finest 1500 Cox & Bumfrey 1700 Ministry Of Sound 1900 David Rodigan 2100 Club Culture 2300 The Box PT 1
SUNDAY 0000 The Box PT 2 0100 Chill Out Room 0300 Sim Courtie 0500 Groove Collective 0700 UK Sunday Breakfast 1000 Sim Courtie 1200 Access all Areas 1400 Airplay UK 1700 The Source 1900 The Rock Show 2100 Up from the Underground 2300 Chill Out Room PT 1
MONDAY 0000 Chill Out Room PT 2 0100 Forces Finest 0300 BFBS Greatest Hits 0400 Early Riser 0700 Hermina Graham 1000 Heidi Secker 1300 Nick Steele 1600 Hatch & Duffus 1800 BFBS

Greatest Hits 1900 UK Top 40 2200 Late Show with Lisa Davis
TUESDAY 0000 UK Late Show 0100 David Rodigan 0300 Greatest Hits 0400 Early Riser 0700 Hermina Graham 1000 Heidi Secker 1300 Mick Steele 1600 Hatch & Duffus 1800 BFBS Greatest Hits 1900 Evening Show 2200 Late Show with Lisa Davis
WEDNESDAY 0000 UK Late Show 0100 Club Culture 0300 - 0000 As of Tuesday
THURSDAY 0000 UK Late Show 0100 The Rock Show 0300 - 1600 As of Tuesday 1600 Hatch & Duffus 1800 BFBS Greatest Hits 1900 UK Evening Show 2200 Late Show with Lisa Davis
FRIDAY 0000 UK Late Show 0100 Up from the Underground 0300 BFBS Greatest Hits 0400 Early Riser 0700 Hermina Graham 1000 Heidi Secker 1300 Nick Steele 1600 Hatch & Duffus 1800 BFBS Greatest Hits 1900 Friday Dance 2100 Ministry Of Sound 2300 The Groove Collective

BFBS radio²

550 MW:

SATURDAY 0000 Classic weekend breakfast 0200 Today 0400 Home Truths 0500 The Now Show 0530 Music in Airforce Blue 0600 News/Allinson's albums 0700 Sport on Five 1400 Rockola 1500 The Classic rock show 1600 Raven 'n' the blues 1700 Late night live 2000 Up all night
SUNDAY 0000 Classic weekend breakfast 0200 Weekend woman's hour 0300 Sunday Worship 0350 A point of view 0400 Broadcasting House 0520 Seven Days 0700 BFG on Sunday 0800 Sport on Five 1400 The BFBS Radio 2 Comedy Hour 1500 News/The Archers 1515 A view from 1530 Supreme girl power! 1600 Home truths 1700 Late night live 2000 Up all night
MONDAY 0000 Morning Reports 0030 Wake up to money 0100 Today 0400 News/Gold with Dave Windsor 0600 BFBS Radio 2 news 0610 Damian Watson 0830 Richard Astbury 1100 BFBS Today 1115 The Archers 1130 The Museum of everything 1200 PM 1300 The Six o'clock News 1330 Classic Rock 1430 Sport on five 1700 Late night live 1900 Up all night
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- FIBS 88.3 FM in Stanley area, 96.5 FM, 102FM Mount Maria and 530 MW Island wide.
- BFBS1 96.5 FM Island wide and 98.5 MPA.
- BFBS2 550 MW Island wide.

Falkland Islands Defence Force Routine Orders

Saturday 16th July

0900 at Rookery Bay. LSW Shoots. Dress combats



Thursday 21st July

1900 at HQ. BFT. OP lecture, routines, logging and reporting. (Bounty test) Dress combats

Adverts - adverts@fibs.gov.fk Requests - requests@fibs.gov.fk
Tel: 27277 Fax: 27279

Phoenix Cinema Schedule - 16 July - 22 July, 2005

Weekday show starts - 20:00

Saturday shows starts - 1st Performance 09:30 2nd Performance 14:00 3rd Performance 20:00

Sunday shows starts - 1st Performance 13:00 2nd Performance 17:00 3rd Performance 20:00

Saturday 16 July	Sunday 17 July	Monday 18 July	Tuesday 19 July	Wednesday 20 July	Thursday 21 July	Friday 22 July
STAR WARS: REVENGE OF THE SITH	MONSTER-IN-LAW	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED
THE PACIFIER	THE PACIFIER	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED
KINGDOM OF HEAVEN	SIN CITY	SIN CITY	STAR WARS: REVENGE OF THE SITH	HOUSE OF WAX	SIN CITY	KINGDOM OF HEAVEN

SIN CITY (18) 124 mins. Action/thriller. Jessica Alba, Bruce Willis
THE PACIFIER (PG) 95 mins. Comedy Sc. Van Diesel, Lauren Graham.
STAR WARS: REVENGE OF THE SITH (12A) 139 mins. Sci-Fi Act. Ewan McGregor, Hayden Christensen

MONSTER-IN-LAW (12A) 101 mins. Comedy. Jennifer Lopez, Jane Fonda
HOUSE OF WAX (15) 112 mins. Horror. Elisha Cuthbert, Chad Michael Murray

THE UPLAND GOOSE HOTEL



American Theme Menu Night

Friday, 29th July 2005

Sodexo
-DEFENCE SERVICES-

Come and Feast with us American Style ... it's

Big, Big, Big!

Starters

Clinton £4.50

Prawn Marie Rose served in a Deep Fried Tortilla Basket

J.F.K. £4.25

Potato Wedges covered in Chilli Con Carne and Sour Cream

Nixon £4.00

Pumpkin Soup served with a Crusty Roll

Main Course

New York New York £4.60

Classic Cheese Burger served with Fries

Stars and Stripes £12.75

Giant 16oz Rump Steak served with Mashed Potatoes and Vegetables

Yankee Doodle Doo £7.50

Griddled Chicken Breast served with Corn on the Cob, Fries and a Salad

Scooby Snack £10.80

Big home-made Bacon, Chilli and Cheese Burger served with a mountain of Fries

Buffalo Bill £4.50

Spicy Bean Burger served with Fries and Salad

Uncle Sam £7.10

Southern Fried Chicken Breast Burger with Mayonnaise and Salad, served with Fries

Salad Bar

Coleslaw, Potato Salad, Rice Salad, Bean Salad, Lettuce, Tomatoes, Cucumber, Grated Carrots

Desserts

Apple Pie served with Cream £3.75

Chocolate Fudge Brownies £3.75

Chocolate Fudge Cake served with Cream £3.25



FOR RESERVATIONS, PLEASE CALL 21455

Susan Whitley Memorial Art and Craft Exhibition: results

FALKLAND ISLANDS COMMUNITY SCHOOL WINNERS

Art and Design

1st John Didlick, pen and ink illustration of song lyric, autumn trees in acrylic
2nd Teryn Joshua
3rd Ryan Buckett

Teacher's Commendations:

Alvon Eppe, Alex Pearce, Travoy Stevens, Jonny D'Avino, Julian Barton

Highly Commended Year 7

Chloe Ford, Matthew Freer, Kieran Toft, Rebecca Arthur-Almond x 2, Scott Short, Lesley Stewart, Murray Middleton, Sean Connolly, Chezeze Goodwin, Bernice Hewitt

Highly Commended Year 8

Michael Collins, Tom Elsby, Elliot Vincent, Mikaela Ford, Jessica Harte, David Phillips, Derrie Yon, Dominic Watson, Drew Robertson, Marcus Pole-Evans, Harley Berntsen, Pam D'Avino, Julian Barton

Highly Commended Year 9

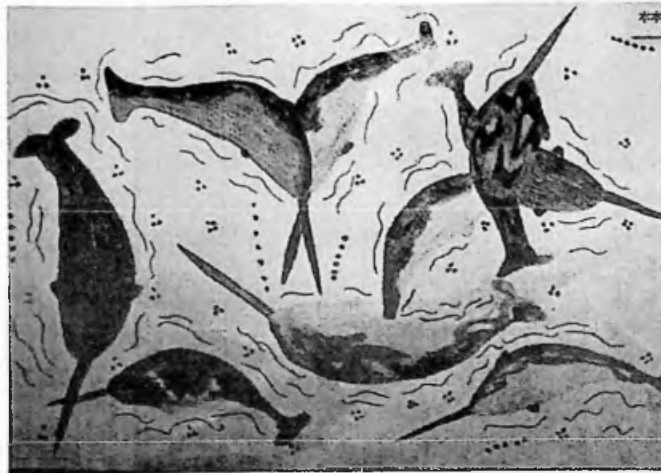
Ulia Sytchova x 2, Alice Hancox x 2, Joshua Peck, Marita O'Sullivan x 2, Matthew Goodwin, Christopher Johnson, Jason Dickson, Stacey McKay, Rhys Clifford, Thomas Burston

Highly Commended Year 10

Aaron Clarke, Saul Zovic, Andrew Felton, Lucas Biggs, Liam Owen, Marcus Porter, Ryan Buckett

Falkland Islands Landscape Award

1st Joe Birmingham
2nd Evan Reeves
3rd Kent Reeves



Above: Work by Alice Keenleyside Cup Winner, Leigh Robertson

Highly Commended

Tamara Minnell, Teryn Joshua, Duncan Clark

Hilary Pauloni Award

Michael Collins, Kenton Goodwin, Kaylee Smith, Terrence Browning

Spinning Wheel Trophy

John Didlick

Susan Whitley Prize winners – Design and Technology

Dahiana Trinitades Burucua, Thomas Burston, Shane Mitchell, Alice Hancox, Ashley Wylie, Rebecca Arthur-Almond, Helen McKay

Highly Commended Year 10

Saul Zovic-Bulic

Highly Commended Year 9

David Hewitt, Ulia Sytchova, Callum Middleton, Christian Minto, Abbie Heathman, Matthew Goodwin, Nathan Elliot, Marita O'Sullivan, Gemma Jennings, Glynn McKay, Jason Dickson, Nadia Arkhipkina, Liam

Short, Joshua Peck, Jamie Curtis, Bradley Roberts

Highly Commended Year 7

Hannah Pointing, Teryn Joshua, Kimberley Goss, Joseph Birmingham, Gabriella Hoy, Bernice Hewitt, Murray Middleton, Sean Connolly, Gabriella Hoy, Teryn Joshua x 2, Matthew Freer, Tamara Minnell, Kieran Toft, Hannah Pointing, Juan D'Avino.

INFANT AND JUNIOR SCHOOL WINNERS

Pre School

1st Glyn Morrison
2nd Kristin McKay

Highly Commended

Vikki Berntsen, Megan Harris, Jessica King, Katrice Berntsen, Morgan Harris, Max Jaffray

Reception

1st Daisy Crockford
2nd James Tyrrell

Highly Commended

Max Rowlands, Nikita Whistler, Zoe Clifton, Kerry Doherty, Jim Davies, Christopher Stenning

Year 1

1st Louise Williams
2nd Demi Godoy Jones

Highly Commended

Jack Owen, Jack Ford, Mairead Stewart Reid, Max Smith, Rosie Hepworth, Bryony Hay, Torin Harte

Year 2

1st Tonisha Courtney
2nd Adam Sweeting

Highly Commended

India Clarke, Charity Chilton, Leo Clarke, Leo Clarke, Amber Goss, Charity Chilton

Year 3

1st Kate Stenning
2nd Declan Bonner

Highly Commended

Phoebe Smith, Kyra O'Sullivan, Melissa Beckett, Emily Cairns-Wicks, Zoe Taylor, Matthew Hayward

Year 4

1st Kieran Watt
2nd Roberto Lennie

Highly Commended

Jessica McPhee, Daniella Gordon, Jonty Sweeting, Daniella Curtis, Heather McLaren, Bethany Crowie

Year 5

1st Keelan Fiddes
2nd Roisin Stewart Reid

Highly Commended

Remelia Ped, Vladislav Laptikhovsky, Remelia Ped, Ellis Smith, Matthew Lazo, Macauley Davis, Jordan Phillips, Laura Miller, Sonia Arkhipkina, Julian Yon, Daniel McGill, Barbara Short, Tylor Tellez, Emma Harte

Hilary Pauloni Prize

1st Kelly Marie Stevens (Y6)
2nd Laois Anderson (Y2)
3rd Laura Minto (Y6)

Highly Commended

Daniel Clarke (Y1), Demi Godoy Jones (Y1), Louise Williams (Y1), Samuel Miller (Y6), Barbara Short (Y6), Patricia Villarreal (Y6), Corey Bagley (Y6), Tonisha Goodwin (Y2)

Alice Keenleyside Cup Winner Leigh Robertson (Y6)

CAMP EDUCATION WINNERS

Key Stage One

1st Matthew Hansen – Main Point
2nd Rhian Alazia – Port Edgar

Highly Commended

Echo Goodwin – North Arm
Matthew Hansen – Main Point
Gareth McGhie – Fox Bay
Reba Peck - Shallow Bay
Niall Evans - South Harbour
Niall Evans - South Harbour
Africa Shepherd - Fitzroy

Key Stage Two

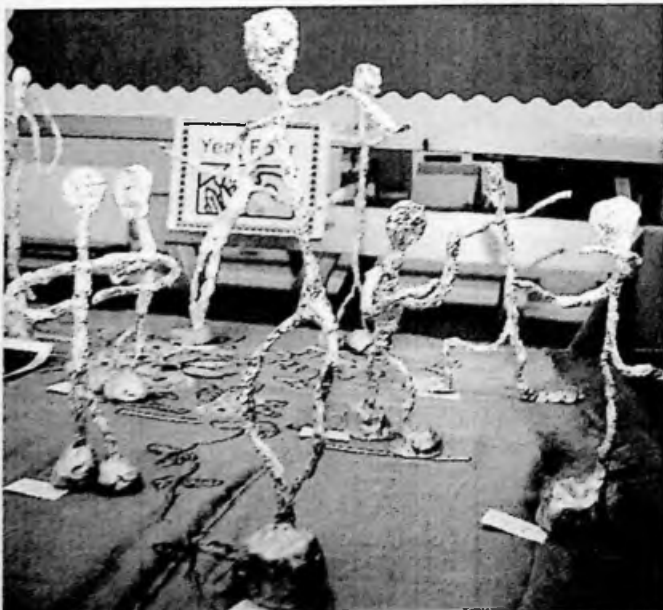
1st Pilar Castro - Goose Green
2nd Rachel Marsh – Fox Bay

Highly Commended

Pilar Castro – Goose Green
North Arm School
Dale Evans – South Harbour
Dale Evans – South Harbour
Keanu Bagley - Riverview
Rachel Marsh – Fox Bay
Ryan Poole – Port San Carlos



'Pagan Fire Dance' by Ryan Buckett



Year 4 sculpture

General Practice

by the Social Work team

Introduction to Safeguarding Children – course feedback

AN INTRODUCTION to Safeguarding Children course was held on June 29 at the Chamber of Commerce.

Social Work staff presented the course and the attendees came from a range of disciplines across government as well as members of the community. The day consisted of individual and group exercises and discussion.

The aim of the day was to get people to think about the issues involved in this area, build up their child protection knowledge and personal skills to work with children and young people and recognise when a child / young person or family requires additional support.

The day started with the group defining what is abuse and what is not. They then had some discussion around different scenarios, the aim of which was to get people thinking about when is an incident inappropriate.

Issues relating to age, stage of development and temperament of the child, context of the event, time period and severity of the

event and background issues all affect how an incident is seen: reinforcing the fact that each incident is seen in context and part of a much larger picture.

The day then focused on when a situation needs to be referred on to the social work department and what 'blocks' can prevent people passing on information.

It is likely that there is a possible reluctance to involve a social worker and how some see this as interfering. People were reassured that when someone is referred to the department an assessment is carried out with an aim to support a family rather than splitting them up.

In response to a question of who has responsibility to safeguard children and young people it was made clear that members of the community and government staff were responsible for highlighting areas of concern, knowing when to pass things on and how to promote children's welfare within their service.

However, it is not their responsibility to make a judgement on whether or not a situation is abu-

sive. This is the responsibility of the social services.

Some of the feedback comments made by the attendees included:

- The day had "really opened my eyes"
- The course "acted as a refresher and reiterates the need to not jump to conclusions with out the true facts."
- How it is important to "take a step back, not prejudice and be aware of your own assumptions."
- Gained a "new knowledge of the impact of abuse on children and how this effects them as adults."
- "Gained an awareness of the difference between the public perception of social services involvement and what they actually do".

There will be another opportunity to attend an Introduction to Safeguarding Children course towards the end of the year. In the mean time if anyone is concerned about the welfare of a child then please contact social services on 27296.

Penguins subject of box office hit documentary

ANTARCTIC Emperor penguins have become this year's unlikely Hollywood superstars as the documentary 'March of the Penguins' takes cinemas by storm.

The film, directed by French filmmaker Luc Jacquet, cost a mere £4.5 million to make and is currently outperforming Steven Spielberg's latest £100 million offering 'War of the Worlds' at the box office.

According to the *Mail on Sunday*, the film about the life of the penguins in the harsh Antarctic environment is expected to become the most successful independent film of all time, beating current number one, *Crouching Tiger, Hidden Dragon* which grossed £100 million worldwide.

With the poster tag line, "In the harshest place on Earth, love finds a way," the film follows an Emperor colony for a year, charting their quest to mate and how

they live once this has been accomplished.

Director Luc Jacquet lived with the colony with two other cameramen for 13 months collecting footage at the French Antarctic research station in Adelle.

Jacquet told the *Mail*: "It got to the point where, when it was minus four degrees, it felt like a sunny day. It took me a year to reacclimatise. We all got burned and we all got frostbite. We lived with the penguins and learned to love them. Because there has been a research station in Antarctica for 50 years, the penguins were used to seeing men in orange jump suits.

"The penguins spend so much energy merely staying alive in this place at the edge of existence that they didn't waste any energy on us. A female checked us out during mating season but when she realised we weren't penguins, she headed back off across the ice."

The film's success has been attributed to the emotional attachment the viewer inevitably forms with the birds, coupled with its wide appeal.

One cinema manager in Los Angeles said, "This film is cutting across all demographics: it's a date movie, a young person's movie, an over 45s movie.

"There is one scene where a mother bird begins to wail after discovering her chick is dead. People just sob their hearts out. It is impossible not to put human emotions on to these animals. It is heart-breaking, funny, poignant and a wonderful love story; the sort of movie you just don't see any more."

Time Magazine said, "There is more drama and heartache in 'March of the Penguins' than in most movies that are actually scripted to tug at our feelings."

FALKLAND ISLANDS
DEVELOPMENT
CORPORATION

STANLEY DAIRY Expressions of Interest

Stanley Dairy has a turnover of just under £100K and supplied the local market with fresh milk and eggs.

There are development opportunities in expanding milk sales to the local market, cruise vessels and military base as well as potential to introduce new products such as cheese, butter and yoghurts.

Expressions of Interest are sought from parties interested in undertaking the long-term development of Stanley Dairy through:

- Purchase
- Lease
- 'share-farming'

It is essential that interested parties have at least 5 years successful track record of running a small dairy operation. This opportunity will be ideal for an energetic dairy manager who is seeking the opportunity to put their ideas into practice and financially benefit from their success.

Full details are available on:
www.dairy.horizon.co.fk
To discuss your plans please contact
Julian Morris
(julianmorris@fidc.co.fk)
or Fiona Didlick
(fdidlick@fidc.co.fk) tele:
+27211.



Stanley Darts Club

Results from Monday, July 11

Mens Total BOC	League Position	pts	igs	Ladies Total BOC		
Tooty Ford	87	Tornado's	36	160	Maggie Goss	47
Gary Hewitt	83	Rose B	34	150	Sheila Harvey	22
Len Ford	81	Otto's Outlaws	29	121	Nora Smith	21
Colin Smith	75	Snowmen	28	125	Jane Clement	21
Graeme Hay	61	Misfits	27	121	Cathy Jacobsen	21
Johnny Ford	59	Narrower	26	112	Jenny McKay	21
Alan Bonner	58	Kelpers	24	120	Joan Middleton	18
Russel Smith	58	Rose Missiles	22	106	Teresa Clifton	17
James Lang	56	Men at Arms	18	107	Tara Heathman	16
Peter Goss	54	Deanos	18	98	Gail Miller	16
Jimmy Curtis	48	Pale Maidens	18	97	Heather Smith	15
Steve Watt	47	Victory Scuds	17	92	Dylis Short	15
Teddy Summers	46	Stray Dogs	15	97	Maisey Crowie	14
Rag Macaskill	46	Penguins	14	84	Jan Parke	14
Tooty Morrison	45	Last Orders	13	85	Natalie Smith	14
Joe Joseph	44	Victory Spiders	13	80	Wendy Roberts	13
Geoff Greenough	42	Mc Spear Chickers	11	84	Sibby Summers	13
Dale McCormick	40	Rose Mixers	7	77	Candy Blackley	11
Kevin Clapp	36	Armed and Dangerous	7	69	Ally Ford	11
Shane Blackley	35	Busty Babes	7	68	Pat Pratlett	10
Willie Robson	34	Maid's at Arms	7	65	Jenny Smith	10
Jim Parke	34	Highbury Babes	4	60	Corina Bishop	9
Boy Miranda	33	Globe Goonies	4	56	Avril Bonner	9
Tony Courtney	32	Spice Burgers	2	41	Cherry Robson	9
Melvin Clifton	31	FIDat Fingers	1	41	Hazel Collins	9
Neville Hayward	31				Michele Evans	9
Willy Harvey	31				Julie Ford	9
Angus Macaskill	30				Rowena Summers	8
Kevin McLaren	30				Sheila Stewart	8
Tony McLaren	29				Ann Murphy	8
Michael Summers	28				Tamara Lang	8
Paul Anderson	26				Jeanet Miller	7
David Ford	25				Heather McKay	6
Neil Clifton	25				Lisa Jaffray	6
Paul Smith	25				Ellen Ferguson	6
Wayne McCormick	24				Caroline Villegas	5
Ian Betts	24				Natalie Finn	5
Martin Plato	24				Odi Bonner	5
William Whitney	23				Patsy Robson	5
Michael Goss	23				Janet Jaffray	5
Owen Betts	23				Nyree Heathman	5
Paul Chapman	22					
Keith Dickson	22					
Lewis Morrison	22					
Adrian Minnell	22					
Leon Mitchell	21					
Richard Bonner	21					
Mark Pollard	21					
James Greenland	21					

Mens legs	pts	igs
Gary Hewitt	38	
James Lang	36	
Graeme Hay	35	
Johnny Ford	34	
Rag Macaskill	34	
Tooty Ford	33	
Len Ford	32	
Peter Goss	32	
Colin Smith	32	
Tooty Morrison	31	
Steve Watt	30	
Alan Bonner	29	
Boy Miranda	29	
Tony Courtney	28	
Geoff Greenough	28	
Kevin Clapp	27	
Paul Chapman	26	
Teddy Summers	26	
Jimmy Curtis	26	
Paul Anderson	25	
Joe Joseph	25	
Neville Hayward	25	
Leon Mitchell	24	
Willie Robson	24	
Tony McLaren	23	
Wladimir Bruno	23	
Alh Jacobsen	22	
Michael Summers	22	
Richard Bonner	22	
Jim Parke	22	
Willy Harvey	22	
Russel Smith	22	
Dale McCormick	22	

Mens bull centre	pts
Jimmy Curtis	5
Alan Bonner	5
Colin Smith	5
Len Ford	4
Tooty Ford	4

Ladies Legs	pts
Maggie Goss	32
Cathy Jacobsen	23
Sheila Harvey	21
Joan Middleton	20
Nora Smith	20
Tara Heathman	20
Ann Murphy	20
Hazel Collins	17
Pat Pratlett	17
Ally Ford	16
Jenny McKay	16
Maisey Crowie	15
Jenny Smith	15
Avril Bonner	15
Natalie Smith	14
Jeanet Miller	14
Sibby Summers	14
Jane Clement	14
Gail Miller	13
Ellen Ferguson	12
Jan Parke	12
Heather Smith	11
Corina Bishop	11
Julie Ford	11
Monica Limburn	11
Patsy Robson	10
Wendy Roberts	10
Rowena Summers	10
Tamara Lang	10
Teresa Clifton	9
Michele Evans	9
Dylis Short	9

Ladies Bull Centre	pts
Maggie Goss	3
Gail Miller	3
Sheila Harvey	2
Sibby Summers	2
Cathy Jacobsen	2
Jan Parke	2
Julie Ford	2
Teresa Clifton	2

This week's games

FIDF	7	8	Highbury Babes
Narrower	4	11	Tornados
Spearchickers	6	9	Snowmen
Misfits	11	4	Armed and Dang
Pale Maidens	7	8	Vic Scuds
Spiders	4	11	Deanos
Rose Mixers	5	10	Last Orders
Rose Missiles	12	3	Spiceburgers
Maid's at Arms	3	12	Kelpers
Busty Babes	2	13	Rose B
Globe Goonies	4	11	Ottos Outlaws
Stray Dogs	5	10	Men at Arms

Next round of individual knockout will be on Thursday, July 21.

Send your reports or results to Penguin News, Ross Road, Stanley; Fax 22238; email pnews@horizon.co.fk



FIDF head home from challenging Bisley



Above (back row): Sergeant Russell Smith, Major Peter Biggs, Captain Andrew Brownlee, Captain Derek Clarke, Private Geoff Loftus; (front row): Corporal Ian Betts, Private Daniel Biggs, Private Dustin Gilson-Clarke and Private Kevin Ross (Administrative Support)

MEMBERS of the Falkland Islands Defence Force who participated in shooting competition at Bisley in recent weeks have agreed the standard of skill this time was the highest in recent years.

Members of the team have begun to arrive home, while some headed to the Island Games in Shetland.

Captain Derek Clarke arrived home on Saturday. He said this year's competitions saw the "highest standards for six years."

He said relations with the other international teams were very good: "There was good camaraderie; some - like the Australians and the Omanis - we knew from last time and people were actually passing on tips to each other."

He said the Falklands performed well, particularly considering they had "no build up at all" - in contrast, the Omani team were at Bisley for six weeks before the competitions started.

Results from Bisley below:

ARMY RIFLE ASSOCIATION (ARA) LMG Match (Light Machine Gun) International class

Army 100	759	1st Private D Biggs
Capt D Clarke	756	2nd Private Johansen (Australia)
		3rd Corporal I Betts

TA RIFLE ASSOCIATION (TARA) Cambridgeshire Cup (Pistol) - New soldier

TA 50	637	2nd Private Dustin Gilson-Clarke
Private D Biggs	661	Alan Wise Trophy - New soldier
		2nd Private Daniel Biggs

Alexander Trophy
1st TA Combat Shooting Team
2nd South African National Defence Force
3rd FIDF (x 8 bronze medals)

NATIONAL RIFLE ASSOCIATION (NRA) - Bronze Bars

Major Peter Biggs	3
Captain Derek Clarke	4
Captain Andrew Brownlee	2
Corporal Ian Betts	1
Private Daniel Biggs	2
Private Dustin Gilson-Clarke	2
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Your questions answered

Soaring oil prices may top US\$61 a barrel

CRUDE oil futures shot up nearly US\$2 to almost US\$61 a barrel on Tuesday, as another storm inflamed fears of more supply snags in the Gulf of Mexico and a major oil company reported damage to a platform in the region.

Traders came to work yesterday to find Tropical Depression 5 had strengthened to become Tropical Storm Emily, churning east of the Windward Islands in the Lesser Antilles. The storm could head toward the Gulf coast, home to a large concentration of US refining and production facilities, by late this week, forecasters said.

Also, an oil and natural gas platform operated by BP PLC in the Gulf was found to have sustained

serious damage that could cut into the company's production for years to come, brokers said yesterday. The platform was set to begin producing in the fourth quarter.

BP confirmed the Thunder Horse deepwater platform, located 240 kilometres southeast of New Orleans, was listing by as much as 30 degrees Monday, but said the cause of the problem was unknown.

Traders said the news alarmed a market already keyed up about supply disruptions in the wake of last weekend's Hurricane Dennis.

Benchmark light, sweet crude futures for August rose as much as US\$1.93 to US\$60.85 a barrel shortly after trading began on the New York Mercantile Exchange.

The contract ended overnight trading at US\$59.76 a barrel.

In London, Brent blend crude futures for August rose as much as US\$1.76 to US\$59.20 a barrel on the International Petroleum Exchange. The rally, which rode hefty gains in gasoline and heating oil futures, brought an end to three consecutive days of losses on the energy complex.

"I think the selling has been aberrational in the last few days," said Scott Meyers, senior trading analyst for New York brokerage Pioneer Futures Inc. "Any pullback is going to be a buying opportunity."

By Saturday, forecasters expect Tropical Storm Emily to reach hurricane force, passing north of Cuba.

Q GIVEN the number of children (ie persons under the age of 18) who are present in town at night, particularly during weekends, firstly, do the police monitor numbers, their age and behaviour (ie smoking and drinking alcohol) and if so, what is this? Secondly, given that there is under age drinking and smoking, are there any laws that could be used to caution parents for not acting as responsible parents and for their children breaking the law?

A Chief Police Officer Dave Morris replied. "The youngsters that are present in town at night through the week and weekends vary in numbers and ages from week to week. If any are caught drinking or smoking the relevant action is taken, there are several cases underway at this time. The Attorney General cannot identify a law which would enable parents to be given a criminal caution in these circumstances. The Government is aware of the issues and is exploring what action should be taken."

Q IS IT true that government's Highways Department have on order, mile markers to be used on our track system? If this is true, who authorised this purchase and how much did it cost?

A Roads Engineer Bob Hancox said. "This is not true, no mile markers are on order."

Dissident Cubans remember tugboat tragedy

A GROUP of Cuban dissidents congregated on Havana's seaside boulevard Wednesday to mark the 1994 sinking of a tugboat in Havana Harbour when 37 people were killed as they tried to flee the island.

The demonstration drew immediate reaction from an angry pro-Castro gang whose members insulted and shoved some of the dissidents. Several of the anti-government demonstrators were bundled into an unmarked van and driven off.

Some 30 members of the out-

lawed Republican Popular Party, some wearing black T-shirts, congregated at a spot on the Malecon and prayed before throwing flowers into the sea and shouting, "Freedom for political prisoners."

The sinking of the tugboat *March 13* took place on July 13, 1994, when a group of 68 Cubans captured a state-owned tugboat in an attempt to leave the island and head to the United States. But four larger Dutch built tugboats known as "polargos" trained high-pressure fire hoses on the fleeing vessel and

rammed it repeatedly until it sank into Havana Bay, according to survivors. The Cuban government says the sinking was accidental, while dissidents insist it was deliberate. Of the 68 people who had tried to flee on the tugboat, 37 drowned, including many children.

As the dissidents were preparing to leave a large group from the Union of Communist Youth members moved in and surrounded them, chanting pro-government slogans and waving Cuban flags as foreign journalists watched.

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Sun 24 July	Mon 25 July	Tues 26 July	Weds 27 July
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Bridge Results
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White - 623
Pink - 787
Green - 117
Pink - 71
Blue - 162
Pink 119
Pink - 371
White - 876
White - 791
Blue - 430
Green - 223
Green - 167
Pink - 117
Green - 152
Blue - 514
Blue - 237
Blue - 213
Blue - 838
Green - 419

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Note All new entrants to Government service (permanent positions) will be required to contribute 5% of basic pensionable salary to the Falkland Islands Pension scheme. FIG will make contributions on the employee's behalf at the rate of 10% of basic pensionable salary

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A temporary gate keeper is needed for Lookout Industrial Estate from 1 August for around 6 to 8 weeks. If you are interested contact Charlene Rowland on 27211 for more details

Shorty's Diner has an immediate vacancy for a Cashier/General Assistant. This post is in addition to posts currently filled. Applicants need to be familiar with cash registers and have a pleasant approach to dealing with the public. For further details please call Marlene Short at Shorty's Diner on tel 22855.

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NVQ COURSES JULY 2005 - JULY 2006

Any individuals who wish to undertake NVQ's or other vocational courses this financial year could they please contact the training Unit on or before Wednesday 27th July.

The courses currently on offer for this year are:
Customer Service Levels 2 & 3 Induction: 2nd & 3rd August
Administration Levels 2, 3 & 4 Induction: 29 July & 1st August
Care Levels Levels 2 & 3 Induction: 4th & 5th August
Contributing to the care sector Level 2 Induction: 4th & 5th August
Caring for Children and Young People Level 3 Induction: 4th & 5th August
Teaching Assistants Levels 2 & 3 To be arranged
Assessor award (A1) Level 3 Induction: 15th & 16th August
Verifier Award (V1) Level 4 To be arranged

Please be aware that the number of places available on each course vary depending on the number of assessors we have available. Further details on course content and cost can be obtained from Maggie Battersby at the Training Unit. E-mail: mbattersby.training@sec.gov.fk. Tel. 27133

Additional Evening Class at the Falkland Islands Community School Pat Short will be running a ten week evening class - How to make horse gear, the carving and stamping leather - beginning on Wednesday the 27th July 2005. The cost of the class will be £25.00. If you wish to enrol please contact the School Secretary on telephone 27147.

The Camp Education annual fund raising dance will be held in the F.I.D.F Hall on Friday the 15th July. We have listened to your requests over the last few years so... Come and enjoy a more traditional Falkland Island dance, with dances like the Palais glide, Boston two step, Circassian circle, Barn dance and many more, with good country music to dance to. There will even be a few novelty dances throughout the evening. A fully licensed bar will be in operation, so regrettably no under 18's will be allowed. So come to the F.I.D.F Hall for what promises to be a great night out and the best dance of the year. £4.00 on the door, and dance from 9pm to 1 am. Sorry no admittance after 11pm.

NOTICE OF AGM

The AGM of Stanley Kids Zone (SKZ) will take place on Monday 1st August 2005 starting at 7pm in the Chamber of Commerce Conference Room. Everyone is welcome, further details can be obtained from any of the directors- Wendy Harris, Dawn Hoy, Wendy Luxton, Andrew Newman, Wendy Reeves, Marlene Short, Sue Wilks, Alison Ward

Jan Parke would like to thank all those people who helped make the fundraiser in aid of Stanley Kids Zone at the Stanley Arms on the 9th July 2005 such a success.

A huge thanks to Odette & Terry for all their help and hard work (and lovely supper). Also without the generous donations from: Malvina House Hotel, Falkland Farmers, Woodbine Cafe, Falkland Supplies, Beauchene, Peter & Maggie Goss, Heather Smith, Lafone House, Shorty's Diner, Kevin Ormond, Falkland Wool Centre, Pat & Pat Pod, Gift Shop, David Lewis Decor Services, FIGAS, Julie Bellhouse, Narrows Bar, Gift Shop Villiers St, Stanley Arms, Brasserie, FIC, Kandy Kabin, Chamber Commerce, Chandlery, and the excellent job done by raffle ticket sellers all made for a very successful event.

Thanks must also go to all the darts players who gave up their Saturday to play darts and got sponsors, (would appreciate the sponsorship money as soon as possible). Thanks to Arlette Betts for feeding the troops during the day. Well done everyone who helped. Thanks must go to Cable & Wireless for their very generous cheque. Last but not least, thank you the generous people of the Falklands who always dig deep and give so kindly to all the charitable events that take place (and there are quite a few). Without you our Charities would be lost

The Registrar General wishes to inform all electors that the Electoral Ordinance (Title 30.1) has provision for electors to vote by other means than in person. These options are Proxy/Postal and Postal Proxy voting. Should electors wish to vote by proxy/postal proxy or postal they should contact the Registrar General for more information or an application form.

These options are available to persons who feel they wish to vote but may be otherwise engaged on election day. For further information or guidance please contact the Registrar General on telephone number 27272 or fax 27270 or by writing to the Registrar General Town Hall Stanley
J C Rowland, Registrar General

WHAT'S ON AT STANLEY ARMS

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Friday 5th August - Quiz night with quiz master Nikki 7.30pm
Saturday 13th August - Country night with DJ KJ 8pm
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ACCESS TO INFORMATION**

Please note that the following committee meetings will be open for public attendance during the forthcoming week:
Falkland Islands Training and Education Council - Monday 18th July at 1.30 p.m. in the Education Department Office, Stanley Cottage.
Falkland Islands Development Corporation Board - Tuesday 19th July at 09.00 a.m. in the Chamber of Commerce.
Health and Medical Services Committee - Tuesday 19th July at 12.15 p.m. in Gilbert House.
Cost of Living Committee - Friday 22nd July at 10.00 a.m. in the Financial Secretary's Office, Treasury.
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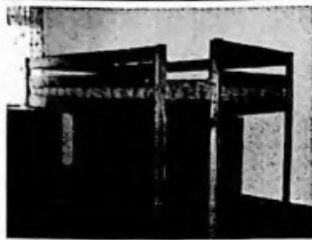
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'Trail of destruction': man arrested

A MAN was arrested and later released on bail after a "trail of destruction" was created in Stanley this week.

The damage - which is likely to total over £10,000 - is believed by police to be linked to the theft of a vehicle in the early hours of Tuesday morning.

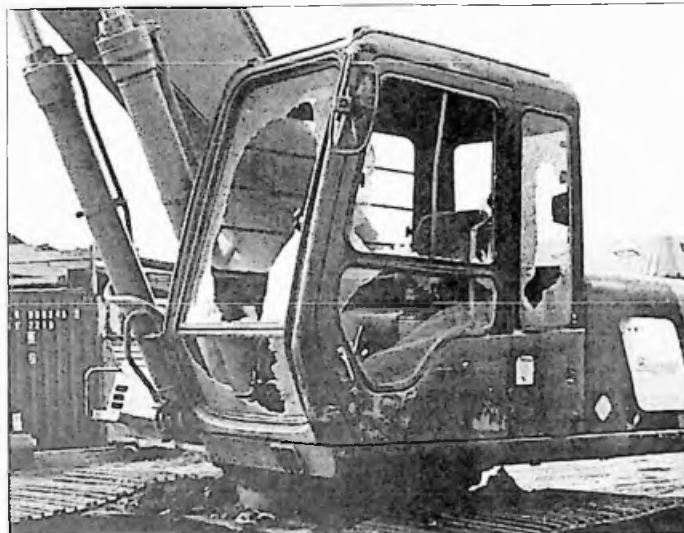
Police discovered the Land Rover abandoned in a ditch to the east of Stanley after it was taken from its owner's home on Callaghan Road.

Later that morning reports were received of damage to several vehicles and of others which had been entered.

Police set up an incident team and several officers were called in from rest periods to provide extra help. A public appeal for assistance generated a considerable response and provided valuable information.

Police say the "trail of destruction" which led into Stanley, was soon identified.

Three vehicles and one building in the Falkland Fresh compound had windows smashed, thirteen vehicles in the vicinity of the FIPASS port had windows and windscreens smashed. Several vehicles in the East Stanley housing development were entered and articles removed, stolen and/or transferred from one vehicle to another. Another car on Callaghan Road, close to where the Land Rover was stolen, was also found with its windows smashed.



Above: One of the vandalised vehicles, an excavator belonging to Mike McKay.

Chief Police Officer, Superintendent Dave Morris says the cost of the damage is in excess of £10,000.

At 5.20pm on Tuesday, a man was arrested by police and detained overnight while enquiries continued. He was released on police bail following interview on Wednesday.

Superintendent Morris said, "Items seized from this person, along with footprint casts and glass control samples, were prepared for forensic examination in the United

Kingdom and are being hand carried to the UK by a returning military police officer."

Superintendent Morris said he was grateful to members of the general public who provided information, and urged anyone who may have further information to come forward.

"They can do this by telephone on 27222, fax on 27227, or writing to cid@police.gov.fk, by letter or in person."

Argentine complaint at London meeting

AN ARGENTINE delegation has objected to the Falkland Islands' proposed new fishery policy which is to be put to Legislative Council next month.

The objection was lodged at a meeting of the South Atlantic Fisheries Council in London, attended by the Falklands Director of Fisheries, Mr John Barton, on July 15.

Mr Barton said this year's meeting was shorter than usual, "as there were no scientific meetings." Despite this, he said, discussions were held on the background and issues surrounding the poor 2005 illex squid season. A commitment to further research on illex and southern blue whiting was agreed.

He said the discussion of fishery policy initiatives was a "significant component" of the meeting but gave no further detail.

However an informed source told *Penguin News* Argentina objects to the concept of property rights - lasting for some 25 years - contained in the policy: "the Argentine government takes the view that as the Falklands belongs to Argentina, the Falkland Islands Government cannot give away rights which they do not possess."

Councillor Richard Cockwell, who holds the fisheries portfolio, said he believed it was "not an easy meeting." He was pleased issues of "common interest" had been addressed, "...although we have yet to see the outcomes from these discussions."

Councillor Cockwell said the Argentine objection to the fishery policy was "not unexpected" and added, "we have to maintain our right to put management or conservation measures in place which are to the benefit of the industry and the Falkland Islands in general."

Councillor Roger Edwards described the protest as, "...just a continuation of the Argentine Government's objection to us actually having the right to fish here. It's a continuation of their claim on the Islands."

Of the proposed new fishery policy, he said he felt some modifications need to be made to the Bill before it is passed: "With a few minor amendments it could be very good for the industry."

Guilty verdicts in longline fishing cases

THE owners of two longline fishing vessels have been found guilty of breaching the conditions of their licences to catch valuable Patagonian toothfish in South Georgia waters.

Senior Magistrate Clare Faulds delivered the verdicts in the cases against Quark Fishing Ltd and Freiremar AS on Tuesday afternoon; she then adjourned proceedings without issuing penalties.

The verdicts followed a three day trial in late April which was adjourned to allow for legal submissions to be made.

The cases against Quark Fishing Ltd, of which Falklands councillor Mike Summers is Managing Director, and Spanish company Freiremar AS, centred around the activities of two longline fishing vessels, Falklands-flagged *Jacqueline* and Spanish-flagged *Ibsa Quinto*.

Quark Fishing Ltd, as charterer of *Ibsa Quinto*, and Freiremar AS, as owner of the vessel, were charged

with breaching a licence condition granted by the South Georgia Government for last year's toothfish season which limited the vessel's total allowable catch to 300 tonnes.

A further charge was made against Quark that, as owner of *Jacqueline*, they failed to comply with a licence condition relating to the minimisation of incidental seabird mortality in the course of longline fishing.

On July 6, 2004 *Ibsa Quinto* arrived in Stanley for her catch to be weighed, a new licence condition introduced by the Government of South Georgia for the 2004 season. The catch was unloaded and weighed on a pallet weighing system. The total of Patagonian toothfish was calculated to be in excess of 300 tonnes, with the extent of the excess being in dispute between the prosecution and defence.

Giving her judgement in court on Tuesday, Senior Magistrate Clare

Faulds said she found as a fact that the total allowable catch on *Ibsa Quinto*, "...exceeded 315 tonnes and was therefore in excess of both the 300 tonnes permitted under the condition of the fishing licence and the amount that would have been allowed after the application of a 5% margin of tolerance."

She said it was not necessary for the prosecution to prove the exact amount of fish caught in excess of the quota: "If the Crown can bring evidence sufficient to satisfy the Court beyond all reasonable doubt that the permitted quota has been exceeded it is enough. In this instance the Crown has done so."

Jacqueline was boarded and inspected in South Georgia waters on June 6, 2004 by fishery officer Steven Waugh who reported several breaches of conservation measures required to be met by the vessel's toothfish licence.

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Comment by Managing Editor, Jenny Cockwell

THE condition of the MPA road, one of the Falklands' longest running sagas and second only to Argentina in raising tempers, is once again topic of the month.

Most would agree the road is of a third-world standard and something really needs to be done about it. But the cost of sealing the surface is staggering. A conservative estimate is around the £15 million mark, not money we can just pluck out of the air, so some sort of financial sacrifice would have to be made.

What would you be willing to see lost? Should we end the holiday credits scheme? Should we start paying for prescriptions and stop sending students to college and university? Should we pay higher taxes? Or should we tap into the Consolidated Fund which, after all, currently stands at around £80 million?

At first this latter option might seem the best.

Then again, we would have to accept that our nest egg, which it is comforting to know is there to prop us up in hard times, would be substantially reduced. If we suffered a worse economic downturn than we have already, we could be in trouble.

I don't pretend to have the answer. I would dearly love to see the MPA road sealed with Tarmac but I honestly can't see how it's possible to afford without substantial financial impact on Falkland Islanders.

Meanwhile, the cynic in me can't help but notice the way the road - which granted, is in a pretty horrific state at the moment - has once again become a hot topic as an election looms only a matter of months away.

I sincerely hope the heightened interest in its state has come about from a genuine concern for public safety, but wonder to what extent the issue may be being used as an electioneering tool.

WHILE conveniently on the subject of elections, I would once again encourage those who are thinking of standing to tell *PN* about it: we in turn can let the electorate know and you can then hear from your voters about the issues that really matter to them.

It would be interesting to know how many more people would consider standing if the position was salaried. I feel it is a great shame that the option of having full-time councillors has been discarded as this undoubtedly reduces the pool of potential candidates.

I believe a large proportion of those who would be prepared to stand (and who would probably make damn good councillors) are prevented from doing so as they would have to give up the security of a full-time job.

The wage would need to be attractive and in these days of strict budgeting, perhaps the public would reject the notion of well paid (and I'm thinking in the region of £40-£45K per annum) councillors.

But the current system only encourages the self-employed or those with very understanding and patient employers to put themselves forward for election, thus limiting the electorate's options.

Coroner: millionaire's Antarctic crevasse death was 'accidental'

A VERDICT of "accidental death" has been recorded at the inquest into the death of a British multimillionaire in Antarctica.

Businessman Stephen Glyn Thomas died on January 13 after he fell into a crevasse while walking with crew from his yacht *Magic Dragon*.

An inquest into his death was opened on January 21 and, after formal identification of his body had been given, the Coroner for the British Antarctic Territory, Clare Faulds, adjourned for further inquiries. The inquest resumed in Stanley on Friday, July 15.

Mr Thomas had travelled to Antarctica on *Magic Dragon* as part of a journey from one end of the world to the other and arrived at Port Lockery on January 12.

He and the four other crew of *Magic Dragon* - Robert Bradfield, Melanie and Chris Smith and Frode Knutsen - visited the British Antarctic Survey (BAS) base at Port Lockery where they took advice about a route for a walk.

They were recommended a route taken the previous day by another group, from the yacht *Tara*; the BAS team leader told Mr Thomas and Mr Bradfield the group should be roped together for the walk as there were "holes out there".

In his statements to the Coroner, Mr Bradfield said he and Mr Thomas looked upon the BAS advice to rope together as given out of caution and treated it lightly; they did not pass it on to the other members of the party. Mr Thomas, as the expedition leader, took the decision for his party not to rope together, apparently considering it unnecessary.

Mrs Faulds commented, "It seems to me that Mr Thomas's decision for his walking party not to be roped together was understandable," given that he had had previous experience of glacier walking and the advice from BAS was not given emphatically. In addition he and Mr Bradfield believed it to be no more than a standard safety warning and Mr Thomas and his companions were to walk the same route as that taken by other apparently unroped walkers, without adverse incident, the previous day.

She continued, "Sadly, on the walk on January 13 the ropes were not put to use as a result of what I believe to have been an innocent error of judgement on Mr Thomas's part made out of a false, as it turned out, sense of security. In the circumstances I make no criticism of BAS or of Mr Thomas."

The crew from *Magic Dragon* set out on their walk at around 3.50pm, carrying some basic safety equipment, including a rope, but they were not roped together.

At about 4.40pm, Mr and Mrs Smith turned back to return to *Magic Dragon*. The others carried on walking, following exactly the same route as that taken by the party of walkers the previous day, for about 40 minutes before turning back.

As they returned Mr Knutsen was leading, Mr Bradfield was in the middle and Mr Thomas at the rear. After some minutes walking Mr Bradfield heard a faint cry and turned to see Mr Thomas up to his armpits in snow.

Mr Bradfield and Mr Knutsen ran

to Mr Thomas and tried to get a rope to him. As they were doing so Mr Thomas disappeared from view, having fallen into a deep crevasse.

Mr Bradfield threw a line, anchored by Mr Knutsen, into the crevasse and felt Mr Thomas tug it and heard him shout for them to pull. After that they heard nothing more from Mr Thomas. They were unable to pull him over the lip of the crevasse and summoned help, by radio, from Mr and Mrs Smith who were by this time back on *Magic Dragon*. They also radioed for help from the BAS base and a shore party from the *MI Orion*.

Mr and Mrs Smith took ropes and other equipment from *Magic Dragon* and went back to Mr Bradfield and Mr Knutsen. Mrs Smith slid on her stomach to the edge of the crevasse from where she could see Mr Thomas about a metre below the surface, suspended on the rope and with his face and body hard up against the ice face which was stained with blood. He did not respond to her calling.

Mr Smith managed to get another two ropes round Mr Thomas but they were still unable to get him out of the crevasse. Mr Smith climbed into the crevasse and, by lifting Mr Thomas at the same time as the others heaved on the ropes, he and the others were able to bring Mr Thomas out of the crevasse. By then it was about 7.30pm.

Mr Thomas was not breathing and no pulse could be found. The party commenced CPR and took advice from the doctor on the *MI Orion* over the radio. They continued CPR as they took Mr Thomas, strapped on a spine board, down to a waiting Zodiac (boat) and transferred him to the infirmary on the *MI Orion*. Dr Zapol carried out an assessment and continued resuscitation attempts. These were unsuccessful and at 9.57pm Mr Thomas was pronounced dead.

During last week's inquest, the Coroner said she was satisfied that Mr Bradfield and Mr Knutsen could have done no more than they did in their attempts to rescue Mr Thomas from the crevasse. "In (pathologist) Dr Hunt's report he states his opinion that the injuries that Mr Thomas sustained were entirely consistent with a fall of about 10 metres onto ice and there was nothing to suggest that he had been the victim of a sustained violent assault."

"Dr Hunt also said that the injuries were so serious that, even assuming normal medical care as available in the UK, Mr Thomas would have been unlikely to survive."

"In other words, despite the efforts made by Mr Bradfield, Mr Knutsen, Mr and Mrs Smith, Dr Zapol and the several others who gave help, his life could not be saved."

After returning her verdict of accidental death/misadventure, Mrs Faulds offered her condolences to Mr Thomas's widow and teenage son, "...and to their wider family and friends."

She added her thanks to the people who had assisted with her inquiry, "...particularly Mr Bradfield and the crew from the *Magic Dragon*, Dr Hunt and DC Jon Butler."

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Court News

Guilty plea to assault charge

A STANLEY man has had his case adjourned after he pleaded guilty to a charge of assault by beating.

Gary McGill was alleged to have punched his former partner, Cara McGill on June 19.

Mr McGill had been looking after the couple's son while Ms McGill had been out. When she returned home, Mr McGill became agitated and, according to Principal Crown Counsel Melanie Chilton, "punched her in the stomach with a clenched fist."

Ian Warburton defending said that although Mr McGill had consumed up to fifteen bottles of beer that evening, "he didn't feel particularly drunk." He did concede however that, "alcohol was a factor that night."

The defendant also claimed he

Suspended sentence for banned driver

JUST two months after losing his licence, Fijian soldier, Apsalome Nawaqabuli of 460 Port Troop at Mare Harbour pleaded guilty this week to four driving offences of driving while disqualified, driving without insurance, speeding and driving without due care and attention.

Mr Nawaqabuli lost his licence in May for driving under the influence of alcohol.

The court heard that on June 24 he took a vehicle assigned to his unit and went to get something to eat. He was then seen speeding by military police who followed him.

Ian Warburton defending said his client, "...saw the police and simply

was provoked although Mr Warburton admitted, "provocation is not an excuse."

Mrs Faulds adjourned the case to allow a pre-sentence report to be prepared as she said, "We need to look at what we can do to make this separated family work without ending up in fisticuffs."

Sentencing will take place on September 7.

Also in court on Wednesday, Mr Brian Williams of Stanley pleaded not guilty to three sexual offence charges.

Because of the nature of the case, Principal Crown Counsel Melanie Chilton requested evidence be given by 'live link'.

Senior Magistrate Mrs Claire Faulds agreed and set Mr Williams' trial date for September 26.

panicked and did try to evade the pursuing police car."

Mr Warburton informed the court that it was the intention of his client's employers to send him back to the UK as soon as possible and that it was, "fair to say" his military career could be at an end.

For the charge of driving while disqualified, Senior Magistrate Claire Faulds sentenced Mr Nawaqabuli to two months imprisonment, suspended for two years. He was fined £350 for each charge of driving without insurance and driving without due care and attention, £100 for speeding and ordered to pay £100 court costs.

Falklands Fresh: mussels are off the menu



Above: Preparing mussels at Falklands Fresh

FALKLANDS oysters and mussels are off the menu, after routine shellfish testing showed positive results for Paralytic Shellfish Poisoning (PSP).

Mussels and oysters were immediately taken off sale in Stanley and an announcement was put over the radio to inform the general public not to eat the products.

This quick decision was made possible by the testing programme sea food processor Falklands Fresh has in place. As well as a shellfish testing programme that complies with EU specifications for the areas where oysters and mussels are currently farmed at Darwin and Goose Green, constant testing is also carried out at the Fisheries Department and can take as little as half an hour to get results. "Therefore if a 'positive' test is found, the produce can be withdrawn from sale extremely quickly.

Simon Hardcastle of Falklands Fresh said, "Shellfish poisoning can occur in bivalves when the concentration of a toxic algae species exceeds certain levels.

"Algae can multiply very quickly and therefore to keep a monitor on these levels many tests are performed to make sure that the product put one sale is safe to eat."

Falklands Fresh are currently waiting for the results from a mandatory EU test from Santiago for PSP and need two clear negative results before the oysters and mussels can go back on sale.

Mr Hardcastle says although toxic algae blooms are rare, "...Falklands Fresh are taking no risks and will wait for the official results before shellfish are put back on sale. It is currently advised that no fresh shellfish should be taken to eat from the Darwin and Goose Green areas until further notice."

Guilty verdicts in longline fishing cases

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Mrs Faulds said she was satisfied "beyond any reasonable doubt" that several of the streamers on the *Jacqueline's* bird scaring line - used to reduce seabird mortality - did not comply with the terms of the Conservation Measure and, therefore, breached a licence condition.

She was not satisfied, however, that the vessel had failed to comply with a measure regarding the discharge of offal and said, "I do not find any breach of the terms governing the discharge of offal to have been proved."

During the April trial, defence counsel Fergus Randolph referred to evidence given by Mr Waugh that vessels other than *Jacqueline* had been in breach in 2004 but had not been prosecuted. He argued that for the Court to allow the Crown to succeed in a prosecution would, in the circumstances be unfair and the defendants should, therefore, be acquitted of all charges.

The Senior Magistrate said, having decided that breaches of the licence condition had been proved in respect of the bird scaring streamers, but not in respect of the discharge of offal, she then considered whether the streamers breaches were sufficient to justify prosecution.

She explained, "...section 5 of the Fisheries Ordinance creates strict liability offences and offers

no statutory defences. I look then at the nature of the mischief at which the provisions of the Ordinance are aimed and whether the imposition of strict liability will tend to suppress that mischief.

"The Ordinance is aimed at marine conservation and the conditions attached to the licence issued under it by the Director of Fisheries for the Government of South Georgia specifically import the terms of Conservation Measure 25-02 (2003) whose full title includes the words 'Minimisation of incidental mortality of seabirds in the course of longline fishing or longline fishing research in the Conservation Area'. Any but the most minor breach of the terms of the Conservation Measure would inhibit or frustrate the aims. Strict liability for an offence under the Ordinance is, therefore, appropriate."

Mrs Faulds said she took the view that if the Government of South Georgia were obliged, "for fairness and natural justice" to use discretion and apply a margin of tolerance before any prosecution for a breach of licence, "...the margin had, in effect, been used up by *Jacqueline* by the time of Mr Waugh's inspection on June 6, 2004."

Therefore she said, she did not accept the defence's submission that it was appropriate to acquit: "I find the charge proved."

Ward improvements ahead of schedule

WORK on a new ward and improvements to the existing wards at the hospital may finish a few weeks ahead of schedule.

The new elderly care unit has been completed and now, hospital administrator Candy Blackley said, contractors are "working on tidying the rest of the ward up."

Councillor Jan Cheek said she had spoken to some of the elderly hospital residents and they seemed "very comfortable" in their new unit.

The Health Services Committee also heard there has been a significant improvement in the supply of drugs at the hospital.

The new Director of Health, Nikki Osborne, said while some problems - which mean a small number

of patients were running low of medication - remain, the situation has "significantly improved" in recent weeks. She added that the hospital is continuing to work at making further improvements, solving all problems with drug shortages.

At Tuesday's meeting, Ms Osborne also said the number of available GP and dental appointments has grown. She said there are "plenty" of GP appointments available while the dental staff is progressing well through its backlog of appointments. Councillor Cheek confirmed that she had received pleasing calls from people who had been happy to get appointments and had had "good service".

Promotional carrier bag 'needs further discussion'

A PROMOTIONAL carrier bag intended to double up as a mobile advert for Falkland Islands wool met with mixed reactions from the board of the Falkland Islands Development Corporation (FIDC).

Following the Craft Producers Scheme initiated by FIDC which assists producers with the cost of upgrading their packaging and labelling, producers felt that a good quality, eye catching carrier bag was needed. The idea was developed into a model and the finished product is planned to be made of high quality gloss laminated paper with a polyester silk rope handle.

A report put before the board said that initially it was planned that the bags should be printed by FIDC and supplied free of charge to retailers

as part of the campaign to promote Falkland Islands wool produce. Due to costs being higher than anticipated it was thought a charge to offset the £13,000 for 5,000 large bags (£1.70 each) and 2,500 medium bags (£1.55 each) should be made.

Councillor Cockwell said he was keen on the concept but not on the design, "too glossy, too High Street" and, "...doesn't suggest clean and green," were his comments.

Keith Biles thought it was a very expensive give-away while Connie Stevens said the highest cost she had ever encountered for a similar order was £3,000.

The board agreed that the design should go back to the producers for further discussion.



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Your questions answered

Q HOW much money has been spent on resurfacing the MPA road with materials from the Port Harriet area in the last financial year and how much have councillors allocated for the same project in this financial year?

Secondly, when is it expected to finish the seemingly long forgotten East Falkland roads by replacing the remaining gates with cattle grids?

A Roads Engineer Bob Hancox provided the following response. Last financial year we spent £131,780 on capping the MPA road with Port Harriet material. This year's allocation for capping is £100,000.

There is an ongoing requirement for cattle grids which has not been forgotten, either East or West. Discussion is ongoing with some farmers investigating the possibility of putting up some additional fencing instead of installing cattle grids. There are quite a number of grids outstanding at present which at the current rate of installation will take around five years to complete. Notable areas on East Falkland with gates on roads at present are as follows: Goose Green bypass, Newhaven, Rincon Grande, Johnsons Harbour, Wreck Point and the Murrell.

Q What is the annual wage bill of the MPA road gang and what is the cost of machinery maintenance for the same gang for the year?

Mussel farming development will continue

BLOCK budget approval was sought in seven areas, totalling £493,000 at the Falkland Islands Development Board Meeting on Tuesday. Approval was granted for all but one project.

The sum of £418,500 was approved for administration central costs; £15,000 for FalklandIslands.com; £23,000 for the maintenance of commercial assets; £3,000 for the maintenance of rural assets; £10,000 for the dairy and £10,000 for Small Business Development.

The sum of £14,000 for local craft development was deferred as a block sum but small sums can be used for individual initiatives in this area.

Approval of £25,000 for FIMCo to use for the development of the local meat market was deferred to go before the Standing Finance Committee. The funds were sought for a refrigerated delivery truck, multideck refrigeration space, labelling, equipment for the automation of mince and sausage production and promotions.

The board also heard during General Manager Julian Morris' report that mussel farming development will continue, led by those who find the returns, "sufficiently

A Mr Hancox replied: This is not the easiest of queries to answer as there is not a dedicated gang that works on the MPA road. The maintenance of this road comes together with that of all other unsurfaced roads, both East and West, staff are directed to whichever area requires treatment on a priority basis.

It is a similar answer for the machinery maintenance. The cost of running each item of plant is recorded by the Plant and Vehicle workshop but the individual hours on any particular section of road by any particular item is not.

Q At a time when the MPA Road is not at its best and with the aim of road safety, will FIG consider placing a standpipe and hose somewhere on the water main near the Sapper Hill Tanks access road to enable motorists to wash off windows and mirrors prior to driving in to Stanley? Or maybe provide free use of the commercial car wash facility?

A Director of Public Works, Manfred Keenleyside said; "Having given this some thought, and discussed with others, the answer is no.

The need or desire to clean vehicles after journeys made both on and off public highways is not new and has previously been addressed by individuals and the private sector and it is not considered that this should change.

attractive, the risks acceptable and have the financial resources to invest."

Mr Morris said it was established at the last meeting of the development group that there was a small group interested in investing now and scaling up existing operations and a larger group who wanted further work undertaken i.e. a business plan and a red tide study. He said that while FIDC were happy to jointly finance a business plan there was not sufficient financial commitment from that group.

The incremental approach adopted utilising existing expertise and processing facilities has many advantages, said Mr Morris, particularly in reducing the scale of initial investment and risk. Other members of the seafood sector may invest as the prospects of mussels become more definite.

Following a decision by Executive Council not to employ a Port Development Officer but to utilise local companies with an interest, port operations are to be developed with Byron McKay. Chairman of the board Councillor Mike Summers said they would expect to hear from Julian Morris or the Chief Executive where this strategy is heading by the next board meeting.

Shipping users less than happy



A COASTAL Shipping Users group is to be established to smooth out what were referred to as "the general grouses" that occur. Wool collection is high on the list of issues to be addressed.

Newly elected Chairman of the Rural Business Association, (RBA) Riki Evans, is to take the lead and put a group together as soon as possible, with the aim to meeting within the next couple of weeks with management and crew from Island Shipping who supply a coastal shipping service.

West Falkland farmer Myles Lee is less than happy with the service he is receiving at present, saying that it was stressed last year that communication between the company and users was the problem. He said it is "now worse" with "no progress having been made at all."

Problems experienced by farmers include not knowing when *Tamar F1* will arrive at their port, particularly when large numbers of sheep are being shipped: the ship not being aware of how many bales of wool are

being shipped and slippage in voyages.

One farmer said she had decided to disregard any information received, "unless it came from the skipper." A further concern was the "uncertainty of the ship's next visit," with regard to quantities of fuel and supplies to order.

Former RBA Chairman Paul Robertson said that following a survey conducted last year there was a clear message sent back to Island Shipping that users were, "happy with the crew" however 80% felt the administration was a "shambles." He added, "every voyage is a bit of a drama."

Manager of Island Shipping Ltd. Captain Ian Wilkinson said that he had received few complaints and that he would need to know specifics to follow things up and find out if the ship is "covering up."

Suggestions to improve the service included a more effective use of e-mail to the ship and the drawing up of a customer charter.

Islands attractive as wilderness destination

ONLY slightly more than half of the bed spaces available to tourists in the Falklands are of a standard suitable for international visitors, Director of Tourism, Connie Stevens revealed during a discussion with farmers last week.

Mrs Stevens said of the 407 bed spaces in the Islands only 240 are of an internationally acceptable standard that tour operators would be happy to put international visitors in to.

Farmers heard however that there are many ways to become involved in tourism apart from providing international standard accommodation. Mrs Stevens said that

there is the possibility of farm holidays, where people would want to see the everyday workings of a farm and in some cases help out, as well as the attraction of the Falklands as a 'wilderness destination' which is extremely attractive to painters, photographers, birders and walkers.

In an effort to determine the annual income from tourism in the Falklands Mrs Stevens said that a confidential questionnaire would be sent to everyone involved in the industry. At present there are no figures available and only a 'crude guess' would estimate the total income as £2.8 million.

Falklands shooters are on target at Bisley

THE full bore rifle shooting competitions are now in progress at the Bisley Ranges in Surrey.

Representing the Islands are Ken Aldridge, Gareth Goodwin, Chris McCallum, Ron Betts, Christian Bernsen and Derek Goodwin.

Rifle Club Sweepstake Secretary, Gerlad Cheek said such a large team attending Bisley was made possible by the, "extreme generosity of FIC Ltd who provided return passage funds for the five shooters, not forgetting the continued support from

all the punters in our sweepstake."

Shooting conditions are reported to be tricky especially at the longer ranges where eight minute wind changes have been noted with temperatures in the mid thirties.

In the first of the team events shot over 900 and 1000 yards, the team of Ken, Gareth, Ron and Chris came out third out of seven teams who took part. A full report will be published in next week's *Penguin News*.

Onus on airstrip safety regardless of budget cuts

AIRSTRIP licensees and users are being asked to become more pro-active with airstrip maintenance following recent cuts in the budget.

Director of Civil Aviation, Andrew Newman, explained that cuts in the airstrip maintenance

budget from £20,000 to £7,000 this year with a further reduction to £5,000 next year has prompted his request. He said the onus is on airstrips being safe regardless of whether the licensee or the main user undertakes the maintenance.



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Put an end to blame culture

STOP the blame culture and work together!

Having read the numerous and recent letters relating to bullying and children 'roaming' the streets at night, I find it amazing in such a small community that no-one talks to each other!

It was a shame that the writers referring to the issue of bullying felt they could only place it in your paper after they had left the country. Perhaps they feared reprisals? Bullying does occur in the schools and elsewhere, denying there is a problem will not make it go away.

On the issue of children roaming the streets, I refer to Veronica Fowler's letter (V17 No. 12). If, as she suggests, teachers are having to cope with 'hung-over, tired children', as well as being aware of underage sex, what are they doing about it? Have they talked to these young people? Have they raised their concerns directly to the parents?

Younsters: It's not fair to blame all

In response to last week's letter from Mrs Veronica Fowler.

THANK YOU for letting us know what you think. We respect your opinions and we have realised that in some ways you are right.

It is not fair to blame all parents and it is not fair to blame all children.

Some individuals that have been drunk on the streets have learned from their mistakes and have realised how they are ruining their health and their lives. This does not mean that children behave like angels.

We have discussed this matter with adults who could have helped but they did not take any notice.

She also suggests that the police and hospital are aware of these issues - have they consulted the young people or parents?

It is too easy to place blame and to infer that these parents need 'classes'. What type of class is Mrs Fowler referring to?

I recently attended a course on 'Safeguarding Children' (about which an article appeared in the same issue of *Penguin News*) with other parents and was astonished to see no official representation from either the schools, hospital or police.

Maybe if everyone talked to each other. Government departments, parents AND the young people of the Falklands, instead of looking for someone to blame, they might be able to address the issues raised and try to provide a more appropriate arena for discussion than your letters page.

Anne Gray
Stanley

So, we have found responsible adults who are willing to help us create a new place for youngsters.

This will hopefully stop young children hanging around the streets and 'binge-drinking' as you call it will also hopefully stop.

Pamela D'Avino (13yrs),
Mikaela Ford (13yrs) and Kelly Fiddes (12 yrs).

End of innocence?

OUR community has lost its innocence, its memory and its backbone: not necessarily in that order.

Eddie Andersen, Stanley

Customer Service Training

Staff from the Training Centre will be delivering a one and a half day course on Customer Service at the Chamber of Commerce on 8th and 9th August, which will be repeated on 20th and 21st September 2005.

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If you would like further details or would like to reserve a place on the course, please contact Anya Harris on 27133 or e-mail aharris.training@sec.gov.fk. Closing date for applications is 29th July 2005.

Teachers support 'bullied' pupils

ALL Education Department staff are concerned about inferences being made regarding "bullying".

The Community School has recently been inspected and a report published. As well as the quality of teaching and learning, the effectiveness of policies and procedures are also scrutinised. If "bullying" has been an issue at the Community School or our procedures for dealing with incidents between students, (which are inevitable), were not satisfactory it would have been highlighted in the report.

In a small community with one secondary school it is almost certain that the students who exhibited the appalling behaviour towards Frances Douse are members of the Community School and should be thoroughly ashamed of themselves. The inference that this behaviour was carried out at school shows how little thought has been given to the general behaviour/attitude of school age children in and around Stanley or the support that Frances may have received from staff.

For the record as soon as we were made aware of what was happening to Frances in the community we acted quickly in order to try and ensure that the same behaviour was not being repeated inside school. Mrs Adams-Leach also provided Frances with significant support during this time and we also had helpful discussions with Sgt Roberts about this and other concerns about student behaviour outside school.

I have been teaching here since 1987. Stanley has changed and the attitudes of some students and some

parents have changed. Education is no longer seen as important by a significant minority of students and this is reflected in their attitude to learning and behaviour towards each other. The apparent freedom to do as they please outside school means that students resent the boundaries that we expect to be observed. Are the values we promote at school at odds with the values of a sizeable proportion of the community?

We have a lot of good students as well as supportive parents and school managers. We do our best to promote high expectations of both achievement and behaviour including respect towards others. However, attitudes brought into school reflect what is happening out of school. There are issues that need to be identified and addressed by this community. Putting sticking plasters over the symptoms or pointing the finger at the education system will not solve anything.

A Purvis
Head Teacher
Falkland Islands Community School

'Fairly mild' bullying?

IN HIS response to Anne Johnston's letter in last week's *Penguin News*, the Attorney General described alleged bullying by the former Director of Health as "fairly mild".

How can bullying ever be "fairly mild"?

I doubt very much a victim of bullying would describe their experience in these terms.

Bernadette Paver
Stanley

MPA road is worse than off-road travel

HAVING recently received an MPA Road update from the Chamber of Commerce representative who attended the Public Works Committee meeting on July 13, I was astounded at the conclusions of the majority of the committee:-

1. There is no clay on the road.
2. It is safe.
3. Aside from the glop the road is in good condition.
4. Only four wheel drive vehicles should use the road (no cars).

Having travelled the road in our Land Rover on July 17, the only window we could see out of on reaching Stanley was the front one. Even off-road travel leaves vehicles in a cleaner state. Should we get a wet summer there will be little point in taking tourists on coach tours out of town as they will not be able to see anything of the countryside.

If, as is claimed, the road is safe then:

- a. Why is it recommended that only four wheel drive vehicles should use it?

b. How does this affect coaches which do not have four wheel drive?

c. Why have signs on a safe road which read 'Dangerous Road Drive Carefully'?

d. Is it also to be recommended that owners of non four wheel drive vehicles can claim a refund on their vehicle licence fees as they are unable to use all of the designated roads?

Could someone please explain 'glop' as my dictionary is not familiar with this word?

In its current state I believe the road to be more dangerous, when wet, than at any time in the past and with the additional height of the road in places the ditches are now even deeper than before.

The present surface may be fine in dry weather or when frozen solid but in wet weather it is hazardous.

Who has the audacity to call this an all-weather road?

S Halford
Tenacres

Campaign for sealing of 'dangerous and disgraceful' road

DANGEROUS, disgraceful and disgusting are some of the adjectives used to describe the current state of the 40 kilometre unsurfaced stretches of the infamous Stanley to MPA road.

A description I heartily endorse, so - as the people who should be listening, noting and doing something about this sorry state of affairs have somehow neglected to do so in the past and in all probability will continue to not address the issue in the future, I have taken it upon myself to kick start a public campaign to have the entire unsurfaced areas black-topped or concreted.

First, let us reflect on the history of the road. It was constructed in conjunction with the MPA complex almost twenty years ago at the expense of the United Kingdom Government. Designed by John Laing Construction Ltd design and development centre, to parameters set by the Public Service Agency, the all-weather road covered 30 km of green field construction from the MPA site, followed by 20 km upgrading the existing PWD road into Stanley.

The design was based on 500,000 cumulative number of standard axles with a design speed of 60 km/h with a maximum gradient of 7%. The design made maximum use of local materials and is economical in both horizontal and vertical alignments. All peat and unsuitable material was excavated from the base of the entire 50 km road and back-filled with rock followed by a 300 mm rock capping layer.

The 40 km of unsealed surface had a further (minimum) 120 mm of quartzite crusher run (40 mm down) and a final running surface 8.52 metres wide of 50 mm tillite crusher run (40 mm down).

The 10 km sealed surface on steep grades only had the same base and 300 mm rock capping layer but followed by 8 metre wide 150 mm wet-mix macadam (40 mm down) with two coats of surface dressing (10 mm and 14 mm).

When the road was constructed I was a United Kingdom tax payer working in England for the construction industry and, thinking that the MoD had been skimping on the budget, made representation in London asking why the entire 50 km was not being sealed. To my amazement I was told that that had been

the plan but Governor Hunt and Falkland councillors had decided that it was not necessary. I found it difficult to believe that the MoD would allow interference on any of their projects but if that was the truth the reasoning could be found by researching the Legislative and Executive Council minutes of that time. The total cost to construct the road was, I believe, 12 million pounds.

At the end of the construction period, the road was handed over to the Falkland Islands Government and since that time it has been graded, rolled and repaired continuously by the Public Works Department with ever increasing amounts of crushed quartzite being spread on to the surface as the years went by which has increased the general width of the road significantly.

Also as the years passed, so did the size and number of the dreaded potholes. This year has seen a change of tactic in the form of a much softer stone being dug out of burro pits, crushed and applied to the road surface. Unfortunately this form of capping turns into clay slurry when wet which makes driving extremely hazardous; when dry it is smoother but potholes appear at a much faster rate resembling a moon-scape within a month.

Approximately eight years ago the original black topped area was re-laid (overlaid) and is still in relatively good condition today. At the same time, several kilometres of the unsurfaced road was black-topped but after a couple of years it began to deteriorate so much that a concerned PWD management ordered the entire surface to be taken off and dumped.

The general public has expressed concern over the state of the road surface for many years. They are now beginning to get angry and in particular suggesting the councillors are not listening; a view I do not necessarily subscribe to, but by way of my campaign I hope to be able to convey the feelings of the public to both present and prospective future councillors.

It is so easy to point the finger of blame at councillors but we have a civil service that are paid to administer our country's needs and assets. That road is a major asset. If it has been neglected the blame should be placed with the Director of Public Works who in turn is directly re-

sponsible to the Chief Executive. If, on the other hand, councillors have been made aware then obviously the ball is in their court.

It was because of questions asked at a public meeting in June expressing concerns about the road that PWD Roads Engineer Bob Hancox made a radio announcement on the morning on Thursday June 23 inviting any member of the public concerned or interested in the present state of the road to meet with him at Bonner's Car Wash at 2pm that same afternoon. He would accompany them along the road to view and discuss the issue.

Due to the short notice, and possibly the atrocious weather conditions, only four individuals took up his offer - Councillor Roger Edwards, Paul Bonner, Andrew Alazia and myself.

One of the prospective candidates for the next general election, Dr Andrea Clausen, and a number of other interested road users did not make the visit due to the late notice of the start time. They did however, express their strong feelings about the matter and said that the time was long overdue for the entire road surface to be sealed.

Bob drove the four of us out along the mainly frozen road where we observed the numerous potholes in the sections only graded and rolled a few months previously, and the frozen tram rail shapes of frozen clay with some thawed out areas of pure slurry. Driving down the black-topped section as far as Van Tan, we stopped and examined the chip and spray of the original black-top and the overlaid portion. Bob was asked many questions which he answered frankly and unreservedly, some of which I shall relate but we all agreed that the only solution was to have the entire surface sealed.

To give Councillor Edwards credit, although he expressed concern over where the funding would come from, he promised that he would bring the subject up at the next PWD Committee meeting. He would ask for an estimate based on the information given by Bob that PWD already have all the basic plant and equipment to carry out the black-topping in house; and that he as the Roads Engineer would take the responsibility himself thus alleviating the necessity to employ outside contractors and consultants.

Bob's only prerequisite was a replacement of thermal backs for the Tarmac vehicles and possibly a replacement Blaw Knox or similar black-top paver.

When asked where he considered the best location for the Tarmac spot-mix machine, he had no hesitation in saying at the quarry site - but he did have reservations as to whether the present machine would withstand being re-sited.

When asked why the Tarmac laid in recent years had deteriorated so quickly resulting in it all having been taken up and disposed of, he responded by saying that the road surface had not been prepared adequately and that the tar was applied too thinly. This was substantiated by Andrew, who, as one of the black-top gang that had laid it, said they had been instructed by the Deputy Director of PWD to lay it on thin to make it go further!

Bob also suggested that he would be prepared to be sent to Chile together with his foreman to have first hand instruction on black-top capping as practised in our part of the world.

Another surprise for me was that all of the tar imports have to be placed through Stanley Services as it constitutes a petroleum product! The mind boggles.

I have heard individuals talking about the very high costs to surface this road of 12 to 19 million pounds but I would suggest that this is a load of rubbish. We are only talking about topping and it's not exactly rocket science to carry that out but whatever the cost we should allow our councillors to take it from our reserves which will be more than repaid with offsetting the recurrent annual cost maintenance costs. We owe it to our military garrison, the tourist industry, bus, coach and taxi services as well as haulage contractors and the public in general to have a safe and sound road to service the gateway to our nation.

What I would suggest now is that every person who believes that the road needs to be black-topped or concreted as a matter of urgency, contact me, giving your name and address either by writing to me or fax or email, and I shall make sure that your wishes are relayed to councillors.

John Allan, PO Box 425, tel/fax 21947, jallan@horizon.co.fk

Save time, use past records for tax investigations

MAY I just correct a small error in your coverage at the Tax Department session at Farmers Week please.

Whilst I recognise and stated that I believe the Tax Department has improved its efficiencies, I was endeavouring to point out that I also believed that they could use some of their past records to answer some of the 'investigative' enquiries. (Before creating more work for accountants and expense to those using them).

In this instance only using com-

parisons from one year back to initiate enquiry into increased expense could, I feel, have been answered 'in house' by looking at the same figures for two to three years before that.

Another person present at the meeting (who got to see a lot of the correspondence being referred to) was the one who delicately suggested that "the public face needed work."

Thanks again to Ken and Tanya for coming up to talk to us.
Nick Pitaluga, Salvador

Mount Pleasant Headteacher's reluctant goodbye

RELUCTANTLY, I will be leaving the Falkland Islands on July 30 after two fantastic years and returning to Germany.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all the children and parents for their support during the

past two years and say a special 'thank you' to the parents for the support present. It will bring back many happy memories of these unique islands.

Tim Mason
Headteacher, MPA School

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'Best we can do' says Roads Engineer of MPA road

By Rob Burnett

IT HAS recently been described as 'disgraceful' and likened to a 'war zone' but what does the man with responsibility for the Mount Pleasant Road have to say in response to the criticisms levelled at him and his department?

Penguin News took a trip on the road with Roads Engineer Bob Hancox to find out.

The main aspect of the road that has recently attracted criticism is the laying of the brown tillite material on the surface as opposed to the grey quartzite material previously used and which still remains on some sections.

It is this tillite material which becomes slushy and causes vehicles to become covered in mud. Mr Hancox however, believes that rather than performing worse, the tillite material is the more favourable option and that "it is not all failing and turning to slush and, in fact, the very worst areas of the MPA road are areas that are made out of the quartzite rock."

Sapper Hill is the first part of the road where the tillite material is used which Mr Hancox said, "behaved very well last winter but this winter is not performing quite as well as we had hoped." Although he admitted it was "rutting in places", he maintains that it is, "still not too bad to drive on at the moment."

When asked why there is a difference in performance between this year and last, Mr Hancox believes that after a prolonged period of ground freezing, once thawed the surface had no opportunity to dry

out, "so it has remained saturated." Mr Hancox said that quartzite could be added to the tillite to help it drain but that it would need, "an enormous quantity of it," so, "we've ruled that out apart from areas where we have particularly significant problems."

To illustrate the difference in performance between tillite and quartzite, we were taken to two sections that had been capped with the quartzite material: the Pony's Pass bypass which is badly potholed and the area just past Fitzroy Ridge which Mr Hancox described as having, "rapid formation of pot holes and significant rutting in the road" which was causing "the vehicle to be dragged around a little bit." Mr Hancox also said the quartzite material doesn't perform particularly well in the summer either, "because it produces marbles."

Mr Hancox believes that all year round, "the tillite will actually outperform the quartzite as well as being at a lesser cost."

The difference in cost is significant as according to Mr Hancox, "...the tillite material is approximately one third of the cost of the quartzite to produce, which will be a major saving in maintaining the road long-term if we don't seal it."

The idea of sealing the road is of course an option that most, if not all road users, would like to see happen. As Mr Hancox said, "Unfortunately there isn't really any ideal solution for any section of the road apart from sealing it in its entirety."

When asked if it was in fact possible to seal the road with a Tarmac

surface, Mr Hancox replied, "Technically it's perfectly feasible. The big question is, whether we can actually afford to fund such an operation." He said it would cost a "phenomenal amount of money."

When pressed about the cost of sealing the road, Mr Hancox said that he was, at the behest of the Public Works Committee, currently producing an up to date quote for this. However, he did say, "Just as an indication, to resurface the section of Sapper Hill road from the Power Station to the triangle (where the road joins the MPA road) and part of the Airport Road from the FIPASS junction to Eliza Cove Road, just those two small sections alone of resurfacing are going to cost at least three quarters of a million pounds."

"So if you try to pro rata that on to 36 kilometres of (currently unsealed) MPA road you're looking at an awful lot of money."

The most recent estimate, produced by Morrisons (Falklands) Ltd in 2001, puts the cost at somewhere between, "ten and sixteen million pounds" according to the Director of Public Works, Manfred Keenleyside.

Mr Hancox said the single most expensive element of any surfacing operation would be the sub-base that would be laid under the final seal, and a lot of work and materials would be required to get the road back into a suitable condition for it to be sealed.

Without the road being sealed, many people are concerned conditions on it will get progressively worse with every winter. Mr Hancox

however claims, "It will not get worse and worse but will stay at its current level which isn't particularly pleasant to drive on."

"We'll never stop the road becoming muddy, slushy and dirty in the wet, it's just not possible with an unsealed road with the materials that we have to hand."

It has been suggested that the road could be surfaced over a longer period of time by doing a certain amount each year. Mr Hancox says this would be "possible" but is a matter for Legislative Council to decide upon. He also points out that 36 kilometres of the 50 are still unsealed and that surfacing at a rate of two kilometres per year, it would take 18 years to complete.

Given that expense is the only restriction in surfacing the road, Mr Hancox was asked what the current cost is of simply maintaining the road in its present form and whether that will grow as time goes on.

"Once it's been re-gravelled, the cost of maintaining it should stay at a fairly stable rate which we have calculated to be around £180,000 to £190,000 a year."

Finally, Mr Hancox was asked whether his ideal solution would be to cap the entire road in the tillite material.

"It's not my ideal," he said, "but it's the best I feel we can do at the moment given the current budgetary constraints."

The ideal would be to seal the whole road, preferably with Tarmac but if we can't afford to do that, then I firmly believe the next best option is to cap the road with the tillite material."

News from the Planning and Building Committee meeting

By Graham France

A NUMBER of planning applications were considered last Thursday at the Planning and Building Committee meeting, and several other outstanding issues resolved.

The Environmental Planning Officer (EPO), Dominique Giudicelli, reported that the ditches at Stanley Racecourse were now filled in and there had been no more complaints of flooding on Jeremy Moore Avenue. She concluded that the matter had now been dealt with satisfactorily.

There being no applications for planning permission deferred at previous meetings of the Committee, members moved on to consider the first of fourteen new submissions seeking such consent. This was for a dwelling on land at the rear of 15 Brandon Road for Gail and Richard Rodgers where outline planning permission had previously been granted. Detailed plans were now before the Committee and it was agreed to grant conditional planning permission.

Such permission was also granted for the following developments: a dwelling for Nevin Middleton at 14 Hansen Hill; another at 10 Hansen Hill for Caroline Cotter; an extension to their mini-mart (K2) at Plots 5 and 6 on Lookout Industrial Estate for Kelper Stores Limited; a garage for Keith and Avril Bonner

at their house at 4 Felton Court; the temporary siting of a bus used as tea-rooms at Gypsy Cove Car Park for Paz Blyth; the omission of an approved link between houses to form separate dwellings at 2 Allardyce Street for Gerald Dixon; and the creation of a timber-framed enclosure to house a fish tank for CFL Fortuna Fish Farming Limited to be located on the south-east barge of FIPASS.

Bruce Miller submitted plans for major works involving an extension and alterations to the building previously known as Dolphin's Guest House at 46 John Street. This had been discussed at an earlier meeting of the Historic Buildings Committee and it was agreed that conditional planning permission should be granted.

Outline planning permission was granted to The Gift Shop Limited for works at 34 and 36 Ross Road involving the demolition of out-buildings and extension to the shop and flat, also the creation of twelve off-street parking spaces. Such permission in principle was also granted to Mike Rendell who applied to extend the existing dwelling at 5 Moody Street and to erect a new dwelling to the north of that property with the provision of driveways to both.

Although an objection had been received from a member of the public, it was resolved to grant condi-

tional planning permission to Alex Jaffray to extend his dog kennels located on Murray Heights. However, this decision is to be re-examined in the light of further information received and will be considered at the meeting to be held on September 3.

Just one submission for planning permission was deferred at the meeting. Mrs Dianne Turner had sought outline planning permission to erect a dwelling on land south of the Murray Heights Mobile Home Park. Members felt there was the need to clarify what was proposed for the whole of the site, which currently has a large number of derelict buildings and vehicles stored there, and the EPO was asked to discuss this with the applicant and report back to the next meeting.

The last application to be considered, which was for planning permission to erect a shed for storage at the Stanley Arms on John Biscoe Road for Kelper Stores Limited, was withdrawn prior to the meeting.

Next on the agenda were nine applications for a building permit, all of which were related to those submissions which had earlier received detailed planning permission. These were, however, to be deferred pending the arrival of the new Building Adviser, Alan Dawson, who is due to arrive in the Islands on July 20.

There was one application for

an off-street parking grant, but here it seemed that funds still available were reserved for agreed schemes and members decided that checks would be made by the Chair before considering this further.

Committee member Mike McLeod wrote to the Secretary, Fiona Wallace, with the next item in which he referred to a number of MoD abandoned installations and asked that the issue be raised at the meeting. He said that the MoD had built a number of communication sites on the Islands which they no longer required and had left them, he felt, in an unsatisfactory state with masts, containers and oil-spills. It was agreed to bring this matter to the attention of the Chief Executive on his return, but in the meantime efforts would be made to identify the sites being referred to.

The EPO then reported on her discussions with Roger Spink of the Falkland Islands Company Limited and the builder, Buster Summers, over a reserved matter relating to landscaping with car parking at the flats being built for that company on Hebe Street. A satisfactory conclusion had been achieved and members agreed to accept her findings.

The date of the next meeting was then discussed and, as mentioned above, it was agreed it would be held on September 8, to commence at 9am in the Liberation Room of The Secretariat.

'Cool Kelper' claims the Governor's Cup



RENOWNED Falklands darts players Gary 'Cool Kelper' Hewitt and Colin 'Toot' Ford held a large crowd enthralled as they battled in the final for the prestigious Governor's Cup on Saturday.

Always a popular event in the darts enthusiasts' calendar, this year was no exception with 84 entries for the open competition, 52 ladies competing for the Rose Bowl and a good crowd of supporters. The competition is straight start 501 over three legs.

His Excellency the Governor Howard Pearce took part in the competition himself and, even if he hadn't spent the many long hours in practice as some of the more dedicated players had, his participation was popular with a large gathering cheering on his efforts which resulted in a 2-0 defeat to Tyrone Whitney.

Colin Smith and James Lang met in the preliminary round - earlier in the evening than either of these former Cup winners would have hoped for - following a close fought battle Colin was the victor (2-1). He was later beaten in the quarter finals by Shane Blackley (2-1), but not before he had eliminated his brother Russell.

Several good players went out in the early stages of the competition: Martin Plato was beaten by KJ; Andrew Pollard and Lenny Ford were both put out by 'rookie' player Kenneth Jaffray who in turn had his run stopped by Michael Goss.

In the last 16, David Ford beat Nabil Short (2-0) and Johnny Ford

Above left: Margaret Hewitt is a cool spectator as the tension mounts; Above: Her husband, 'Cool Kelper' Gary, takes the Governor's Cup 2005; Right: It's a nail biter for Heather Smith as she listens to the commentary and watches the darts action.

didn't measure up to 'Cool Kelper' Gary (2-1); Shane Blackley disposed of Joe 'The Bomb' Joseph (2-1); Peter Goss, Geoff Greenough and Michael Goss enjoyed 2-0 wins over their opponents and Toot Ford put his practice partner Keith Alazia out of the competition.

The quarter finals saw Gary beat David Ford two straight while Shane Blackley put Colin Smith out (2-1). Peter Goss beat Geoff Greenough (2-1) but son Michael, up against Toot Ford, lost two straight.

The semi finals were played over five legs with Shane Blackley unable to take a leg off Gary Hewitt and Peter Goss meeting the same fate at the hand of Toot Ford.

In the final, Gary upheld his reputation staying cool and focused throughout, however his darts were just too hot for Toots to handle and Gary's 4-2 victory gave the crowd the entertainment they were looking for.

The ladies competition also contained a few surprises. A lengthy game at the beginning of the evening

between Candy Blackley and Monica Bonner was not a patch on Candy's performance as she advanced through the competition beating top ladies players Hazell Collins and Maggie Goss on her way to claiming the Rose Bowl.

Nora Smith, a familiar name in ladies darts, went out to Lisa Jaffray (2-1) with Lisa proceeding through the tournament by eliminating Michele Evans and Cathy Jacobsen Jr before coming up against Candy in the semi-finals. Lisa took home a joint third prize as did Pat Pratlett.

Pat beat Maggie Battersby in the second round and Jenny Smith in the quarter finals but was beaten by Caroline Villegas in the semi-finals.

Caroline put up a good fight in

the final against Candy having also beaten Julie Ford, Glynis Newman and Cathy Jacobsen Sr on the way. But it was not to be her night and she had to settle for second place after losing the final leg.

New names to look out for in future competitions are Avril Bonner who had a resounding victory over league players Sheila Harvey and Tara Heathman, and Cathy Jacobsen Jr who made her debut into major tournaments beating Karen Armstrong-Ford and Teresa Clifton before being put out in the quarter finals.

Chairman of Stanley Darts Club, Willie Harvey said it had been an excellent competition with a good turnout of players and supporters alike. He thanked His Excellency the Governor for still being at the FIDE Hall at 2am to present the prizes to winners and congratulated Cathy Jacobsen Jr for "making the last eight in her first tournament."

Mr Harvey said he had received positive feedback to the new layout of dart boards and seating throughout the evening, a move that had been made following suggestions from players, he said it will "...stay like it for future tournaments..."

(Darts information provided by Willie Harvey; photos Penguin News.)



Candy Blackley receives the Rose Bowl from His Excellency the Governor, Howard Pearce

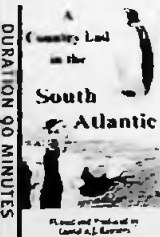
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DATE	TIME	TIDE	SUNRISE	SUNSET
JULY 23	00:41	0.02	07:37	16:19
	07:19	1.45	Moonsrise 23:39	Moonsset 09:58
SAT 24	12:32	0.54	27	03:47
	18:51	1.94	WED 10:12	1:49
SUN 25	01:29	0.06	16:20	0:49
	08:00	1.47	Moonsrise 10:10	22:45
MON 26	13:19	0.46	28	04:32
	19:46	1.89	TIUR 11:03	149
TUES 27	07:39	0.35	17:17	0:58
	16:16	1.48	Sunrise 07:43	1:35
WED 28	00:33	0.15	Sunset 16:21	0:73
	02:16	0.43	Moonsrise 02:21	1:49
THUR 29	08:42	1.48	Moonsset 10:10	0:58
	14:10	0.43	Moonsset 10:25	
FRI 30	20:42	1.79	Sunrise 07:32	
	07:38	0.28	Sunset 16:23	
SAT 31	16:17	1.49	Moonsrise 02:21	
	22:17	0.44	Moonsset 10:43	

The times and heights of high and low tides (in metres) at Stanley. Time given is FMT. Add 1 hour for Stanley Summertime

For Camp, make the following changes:
 Fox Bay + 2 hr 30m
 Roy Cove + 3 hrs 30m
 Port Howard + 3hrs 19m
 Teal Inlet + 3 hrs 30m
 Sea Lion Is + 1 hr 15m
 Port Stephens + 3hrs 15m
 Hill Cove + 4hrs
 Berkeley Sound + 1 hr 11m
 Port San Carlos + 2 hr 55m
 Darwin Harbour - 56m

(See www.michaelstevens.horizon.co.fk for tide charts)

STANLEY LEISURE CENTRE

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 Opening Schedule Commencing Saturday 23rd JULY 2005

Swimming Pool	Sports Hall / Squash Courts
SATURDAY 23rd JULY 2005	
Public 10:00-16:00	Public 10:00-16:00
Adults 16:00-18:00	Public 16:00-18:00
Between 11:00-12:00 Lido Aerobics in Court 1 / 12:00-13:00 Junior Activities	
CLUBS ON TODAY	
TABLE TENNIS CLUB 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM	
SUNDAY 24th JULY 2005	
Public 11:00-17:00	Public 11:00-17:00
Adults 17:00-19:00	Public 17:00-19:00
Between 11:00-12:00 Junior Activities	
CLUBS ON TODAY	
TABLE TENNIS CLUB (FITTA) 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM / SHORT TENNIS CLUB 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM	
MONDAY 25th JULY 2005	
School 09:00-10:00	School 09:00-10:00
OAP - Physio Adults Parents & Toddlers 10:00-12:00	School 10:00-12:00
Lanes (Adults) (2 Lanes Swim Club) 12:00-13:00	Public 12:00-13:00
OAP - Physio Adults Parents & Toddlers 13:00-15:00	School 13:00-15:00
Closed 15:00-16:00	School 15:00-16:00
S.L.C. Swim School 16:00-17:00	Public 16:00-17:00
Public - (2 Lanes Adults Swims) 17:15-19:00	Public 17:15-19:00
Aquarobics 19:00-20:00	Public 19:00-20:00
Adults 20:00-21:00	Public 20:00-21:00
CLUBS ON TODAY	
S.L.C. SWIM SCHOOL 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM / BOWLING CLUB 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM	
TUESDAY 26th JULY 2005	
School 09:00-10:00	Public 09:00-10:00
OAP - Physio Adults Parents & Toddlers 10:00-11:00	Public 10:00-11:00
OAP - Physio Adults Parents & Toddlers 11:00-12:00	School 11:00-12:00
Lanes (Adults) 12:00-13:00	Public 12:00-13:00
OAP - Physio Adults Parents & Toddlers 13:00-15:00	School 13:00-15:00
Closed 15:00-16:00	School 15:00-16:00
S.L.C. Swim School 16:00-17:00	Public 16:00-17:00
Public 17:00-19:00	Public 17:00-19:00
Ladies Hour 19:00-20:00	Public 19:00-20:00
Private Hire 20:00-21:00	Public 20:00-21:00
CLUBS ON TODAY	
STANLEY SWIMMING CLUB 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM / NETBALL CLUB 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM / LADIES SA-SIDE 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM	
WEDNESDAY 27th JULY 2005	
School 09:00-10:00	Public 09:00-10:00
OAP - Physio Adults Parents & Toddlers 10:00-12:00	Public 10:00-12:00
Lanes (Adults) (2 Lanes Swim Club) 12:00-13:00	Public 12:00-13:00
OAP - Physio Adults Parents & Toddlers 13:00-15:00	School 13:00-15:00
Closed 15:00-16:00	School 15:00-16:00
S.L.C. Swim School 16:00-17:00	Public 16:00-17:00
Public 17:00-19:00	Public 17:00-19:00
Adults 19:00-21:00	Public 19:00-21:00
CLUBS ON TODAY	
S.L.C. SWIM SCHOOL 4:00 PM - 4:45 PM / VOLLEYBALL CLUB 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM / CRICKET CLUB 8:00 PM - 9:00 PM	
THURSDAY 28th JULY 2005	
Closed for Cleaning 09:00-11:00	School 09:00-11:00
Closed for Cleaning 11:00-13:00	Public 11:00-13:00
Closed for Cleaning 13:00-15:00	School 13:00-15:00
Closed for Cleaning 15:00-16:00	Public 15:00-16:00
S.L.C. Swim School 16:00-17:00	Public 16:00-17:00
Public - (2 Lanes Adults Swims) 17:00-19:00	Public 17:00-19:00
Aquarobics 19:00-20:00	Public 19:00-20:00
Adults 20:00-21:00	Public 20:00-21:00
CLUBS ON TODAY	
Between 17:00-18:00 Lido Circuits in Court 1	
FRIDAY 29th JULY 2005	
School 09:00-10:00	School 09:00-10:00
OAP - Physio Adults Parents & Toddlers 10:00-12:00	School 10:00-12:00
Lanes (Adults) (2 Lanes Swim Club) 12:00-13:00	Public 12:00-13:00
OAP - Physio Adults Parents & Toddlers 13:00-16:00	School 13:00-16:00
Stanley Swimming Club 16:00-17:00	Public 16:00-17:00
Public 17:00-19:00	Public 17:00-19:00
Adults 19:00-20:00	Public 19:00-20:00
CLUBS ON TODAY	
STANLEY SWIMMING CLUB 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM	

CLUBS AND CONTACTS

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 Rector - Rev Paul Sweeting

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SUNDAY: 10am (MPA 6.30pm). Week days 9am

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Monday - Friday 08.45 - 12.00 and 13.30 - 17.45. Saturday 10am - 12 noon; 14am - 17.00pm Tel: 27147

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For more information contact: Zoe Crockford - 22694 Chairperson, Michelle King - 21784 Treasurer, Wendy Luxton - 21882, Secretary, Sue Wilks - 22438, Alison Roose - 22955

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Saturday 23rd July

8.30 ROOM 785
 8.35 TAZ-MANIA The Taz family go on a picnic.
 9.00 SHORT CHANGE
 9.30 BLUE PETER Long running Children's magazine programme with information, topical items and performance
 10.00 THE SATURDAY SHOW
 11.30 THE BEST OF NO GIRLS ALLOWED
 11.50 ARCTIC GIANTS: BATTLE OF THE BEASTS
 12.30 A QUESTION OF SPORT
 1.00NEWS
 1.10 GRANDSTAND Clare Balding hosts live coverage of the prestigious King George VI and Queen Elizabeth Diamond Stakes from Newbury. In Italy, Britain are chasing their first win for 16 years at the European Show Jumping Championships. Top amateur boxing from Liverpool where England take on Canada.
 5.5 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER
 6.00 WEDDING CRASHERS WORLD PREMIERE
 6.25WITH A LITTLE HELP FROM MY FRIENDS
 7.15 THE O.C.
 8.00 CASUALTY
 8.50 MOVIE PRESENTATION: THE LAST CASTLE (2001) Starring Robert Redford, James Gandolfini, Mark Ruffalo, Steve Burton, Delroy Lindo and Paul Calderon.
 10.55 BIG BROTHER
 11.40 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 12.00 THE CHILD STAR JINX Who would want to be a child star?
 1.05[am]NEWS 24

Sunday 24th July

8.30 ROOM 785
 8.40 STUPID
 9.10 HARRY POTTER AT THE CASTLE: THE JK ROWLING INTERVIEW
 9.35 THE ASHES 1ST TEST HIGHLIGHTS
 10.00 NEWS 24 SUNDAY
 11.00 THE HEAVEN AND EARTH SHOW
 12.00 HOLLYOAKS OMNIBUS
 1.55 GRAND PRIX
 3.35 MONSTER JAM UK
 4.00 ONE TREE HILL
 4.40 THE SIMPSONS
 5.00 LUCINDA LAMBTON'S CARRIBEAN ADVENTURE
 6.00 TOP GEAR
 7.00 KIDNAPPED (New) Starring Iain Glen, Anthony James Pearson, Adrian Dunbar, Gavin Richards, Jake Lindsay and Andrew Robertt.
 7.50 TFI CYPRUS Followed by NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 8.15 FRASIER
 8.35 DOC MARTIN
 9.25 MOVIE PRESENTATION: THE HOLE Thriller starring Thora Birch, Desmond Harrington, Daniel Brocklebank, Laurence Fox, Keira Knightley and Embeth Davidtz. Followed by BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 11.00 MONARCHY
 11.50 BIG BROTHER
 12.40 [am] NEWS 24

Monday 25th July

7.00 BREAKFAST
 10.15 ROOM 785
 10.30 MAKE AND DO
 10.40 RAZZLEDAZZLE
 11.00 THE ASHES 1ST TEST HIGHLIGHTS
 11.30 THIS MORNING

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 2.10 EMMERDALE
 2.55 GRAND DESIGNS ABROAD Series in which people attempt to build their dream homes in Europe. Kevin McCloud travels to the west coast of Ireland where architect Andrew Lohan is ambitiously trying to convert a ruined church into a perfect family home.
 3.45 ROOM 785
 4.00 REALLY WILD SHOW
 4.30 THE STABLES
 5.00 GALIDOR: DEFENDER OF THE OUTER DIMENSION
 5.20 THE CROCODILE HUNTER DIARIES
 5.45 THE KING OF QUEENS
 6.05 CORONATION STREET
 6.30 MY HERO (New)
 7.00 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 7.30 EASTENDERS
 8.00 THE BILL
 8.45 GELDOF IN AFRICA
 9.15 WAKING THE DEAD
 10.15 THE ROBINSONS Followed by: BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 10.50 8 OUT OF 10 CATS
 11.15 FRONTLINE FOOTBALL (New) Democratic Republic Congo
 12.05[am] BIG BROTHER
 12.45[am] THE ASHES 1ST TEST HIGHLIGHTS
 1.10[am] NEWS 24

Tuesday 26th July

7.00 BREAKFAST
 10.15 ROOM 785
 10.30 MAKE AND DO
 10.40 RAZZLEDAZZLE
 11.00 MY BEST FRIEND Muhammad Ali
 11.30 THIS MORNING
 1.30 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 2.10 HEARTBEAT
 2.55 GRAND DESIGNS ABROAD
 3.45 ROOM 785
 3.55 50/50
 4.25 BLUE PETER
 4.50 GRANGE HILL
 5.15 TIME TEAM
 6.05 CORONATION STREET
 6.30 A SEASIDE PARISH (New) As the north Cornish village of Boscastle begins to come to terms with the aftermath of the worst floods in living memory, parish priest Rev Christine Musser struggles to bring her community back from the brink of despair.

7.00 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 7.30 EASTENDERS
 8.00 THE BILL
 8.45 PANORAMA - SHOCK TROOPS As the nation gives thanks to those who fought in WWII, a look at the care given to servicemen from more recent conflicts who've suffered severe, often disabling psychological wounds - ones which may be may be disregarded or ignored. Also, a journey back into his own past with a 40-year old former infantry officer trying to deal with the traumatic effects of his service in Bosnia a decade ago, in the aftermath of ethnic cleansing.
 9.25 NIP/TUCK Followed by BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 10.15 ESCAPE TO THE LEGION (New)
 11.05 HOLLYWOOD GREATS Jonathan Ross talks to Lauren Bacall about her life in movies and her celebrated romance with Humphrey Bogart.
 11.45 BIG BROTHER
 12.30[am] NEWS 24

Wednesday 27th July

7.00 BREAKFAST
 10.15 ROOM 785
 10.30 MAKE AND DO
 10.40 RAZZLEDAZZLE
 11.00 ANIMAL PARK - WILD IN AFRICA
 11.30 THIS MORNING
 1.30 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 2.10 EMMERDALE
 2.55 GRAND DESIGNS ABROAD
 3.45 ROOM 785
 4.10 TINY AND MR DUK'S HUGE SHOW
 4.35 GIRLS IN LOVE
 4.55 COMBAT CLUB
 5.20 AIRLINE USA
 5.45 MY WIFE AND KIDS
 6.05 CORONATION STREET
 6.30 AFRICAN SCHOOL The Candidate: Documentary series about Masindi Secondary School in Uganda.
 7.00 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 7.30 BUFFY THE VAMPIRE SLAYER
 8.10 PIONEER HOUSE Harsh Reality: A group of diverse British and American men, women and children travel to 1628 to forge a working British colony at the dawn of modern America.
 9.00 DESPERATE HOUSEWIVES

9.40 CASANOVA (New) Three-part drama about the legendary Italian lover, Casanova. Starring Peter O'Toole, Laura Fraser, Rupert Penry-Jones, Rose Byrne, David Tennant and Dervla Kirwan. Followed by BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 10.45 MAKE ME A SUPERMODEL
 11.30 LATER... EVEN LOUDER
 12.40[am] BIG BROTHER
 1.20[am]NEWS 24

Thursday 28th July

7.00 BREAKFAST
 10.15 ROOM 785
 10.30 MAKE AND DO
 10.40 RAZZLEDAZZLE
 11.00 DIY SOS (New)
 11.30 THIS MORNING
 1.30 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 2.10 HEARTBEAT
 2.55 GRAND DESIGNS ABROAD
 3.45 ROOM 785
 4.10 PLANET COOK
 4.30 BLUE PETER
 5.00 GRANGE HILL
 5.25 ENTERPRISE
 6.05 CORONATION STREET
 6.30 BOX OFFICE BOYS
 7.00 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 7.30 EASTENDERS
 8.00 HOLBY CITY
 9.00 LIFE BEGINS
 9.45 RAMSAY'S KITCHEN NIGHTMARES followed by BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 10.35 DERREN BROWN: TRICK OF THE MIND
 11.00 COMEDY CONNECTIONS The Two Ronnies
 11.30 BADDIE AND SKINNER UNPLANNED
 11.55 BIG BROTHER
 12.35 [am] NEWS 24

Friday 29th July

7.00 BREAKFAST
 10.15 ROOM 785
 10.30 MAKE AND DO
 10.40 THE STORYMAKERS
 11.00 ANIMAL PARK - WILD IN AFRICA
 11.30 THIS MORNING
 1.30 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 2.10 EMMERDALE
 2.55 HOUSE DOCTOR: A DESIGN FOR LIVING (New)
 3.45 ROOM 785
 3.55 ATOMIC BETTY
 4.20 THE BIG BANG
 4.35 THE WEEK ON NEWSROUND
 4.55 MY PARENTS ARE ALIENS
 5.15 THE GADGET SHOW
 5.40 THE CITY GARDENER
 6.05 CORONATION STREET
 6.30 SHOULD I WORRY ABOUT...? (New) Takeaways
 7.00 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 7.30 EASTENDERS
 8.00 HOW CLEAN IS YOUR HOUSE? (New)
 8.25 QUEEN EYE FOR THE STRAIGHT GUY
 9.10 ARCHANGEL
 10.10 THE KUMARS AT NO 42
 10.40 ER Followed by BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 11.25 BIG BROTHER
 11.50 WIFE SWAP SPECIAL: THE OBEDIENT WIFE EDITION
 12.40[am] BIG BROTHER
 1.05[am] NEWS 24

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Your programmes - F.I.B.S.

Weekly schedule of programmes - as updated by FIBS

SATURDAY

5:00 IRN News & Childrens Corner
6:00 Weather, Flights, Ranges, Announcements, Job Shop & What's on Guide
6:17 The Archers
6:30 News Review
7:00 In Concert
8:00 Feature Presentation
8:30 Weather, Flights & The Fusion with Stacy
10:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/
530mw & 88.3fm

SUNDAY

5:00 IRN News & Chaplains Choice with Paul Sweeting
5:30 Classical Interlude with Kathy Biles
6:00 Weather, Flights, Ranges, Announcements, Job Shop & What's on Guide
6:15 Short Story
6:30 Feature Presentation
7:00 Sunday Evening Service
8:00 Slow Jams with Jock to include Weather & Flights at 8.30
10:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/
530mw & 88.3fm

MONDAY

7:00 IRN News & Breakfast Show with Ken (530mw & 88.3fm)
9:00 KTV Radio Nova
10:00 IRN News & Lifestyle with Liz to include
12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
12:30 Calling The Falklands (repeat)
1:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/
530mw & 88.3fm

4:00 IRN News & People's Jukebox
5:00 IRN News followed by Jukebox
6:00 IRN News & The Archers
6:15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop followed by Country Crossroads
7:00 Comedy presentation
7:30 Music feature
8:30 Weather, Flights & The Vinyl Frontier with Myriam
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & KTV Radio Nova/
530mw & 88.3fm

TUESDAY

7:00 IRN News & Breakfast Show with Ken (530mw & 88.3fm)
9:00 KTV Radio Nova
10:00 IRN News & Lifestyle with Liz to include
12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
12:30 One To One
1:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/
530mw & 88.3fm

4:00 IRN News & People's Jukebox
5:00 IRN News followed by Jukebox
6:00 IRN News & The Archers
6:15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop followed by Calling The Falklands
6:45 Simply Classical
7:45 Folk Music Show
8:30 Weather, Flights & 80's and 90's with Sheena
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & KTV Radio Nova/
530mw & 88.3fm

WEDNESDAY

7:00 IRN News & Breakfast Show with Ken (530mw & 88.3fm)
9:00 KTV Radio Nova
10:00 IRN News & Lifestyle with Liz to include
12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
12:30 Calling The Falklands (repeat)
1:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/
530mw & 88.3fm

4:00 IRN News & People's Jukebox
5:00 IRN News followed by Jukebox
6:00 IRN News & The Archers
6:15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop followed by The Best Of with Jock
7:30 Drama Presentation
8:30 Weather, Flights & FIBS Chart Show
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & KTV Radio Nova/
530mw & 88.3fm

THURSDAY

7:00 IRN News & Breakfast Show with Ken (530mw & 88.3fm)
9:00 KTV Radio Nova
10:00 IRN News & Lifestyle with Liz to include
12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
1:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/
530mw & 88.3fm

4:00 IRN News & People's Jukebox
5:00 IRN News followed by Jukebox
6:00 IRN News & The Archers
6:15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop followed by Soul, Blues & Rock 'n' Roll with Liz
7:30 Feature Presentation
8:00 Pot Luck with Myriam to include Weather & Flights at 8.30
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & KTV Radio Nova/
530mw & 88.3fm

FRIDAY

7:00 IRN News & Breakfast Show with Ken (530mw & 88.3fm)
9:00 KTV Radio Nova
10:00 IRN News & Lifestyle with Liz to include
12:15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
12:30 Caught In The Net/Camp Matters
1:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/
530mw & 88.3fm

4:00 IRN News & People's Jukebox
5:00 IRN News followed by Jukebox
6:00 IRN News & The Archers
6:15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop followed by The Information Hour to include
Calling The Falklands
One To One (repeat)
Conservation Conversations (repeat)
Caught In The Net/Camp Matters (repeat)
7:30 Non-Stop Country Hour
8:30 Weather, Flights & Leather and Lace with Tansy
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & KTV Radio Nova/
530mw & 88.3fm

Any changes will be broadcast on FIBS.



98.5 FM:

SATURDAY 0000 Groove Collective PT 2 0100 The Box 0300 Cox & Bumfrey 0500 Early Riser 0700 Forces Finest PT 1 0800 Saturday Breakfast 1000 The Score 1300 Forces Finest 1500 Cox & Bumfrey 1700 Ministry Of Sound 1900 David Rodigan 2100 Club Culture 2300 The Box PT 1
SUNDAY 0000 The Box PT 2 0100 Chill Out Room 0300 Sim Courtie 0500 Groove Collective 0700 UK Sunday Breakfast 1000 Sim Courtie 1200 Access all Areas 1400 Airplay UK 1700 The Source 1900 The Rock Show 2100 Up from the Underground 2300 Chill Out Room PT 1
MONDAY 0000 Chill Out Room PT 2 0100 Forces Finest 0300 BFBS Greatest Hits 0400 Early Riser 0700 Hermina Graham 1000 Heidi Secker 1300 Nick Steele 1600 Hatch & Duffus 1800 BFBS

Greatest Hits 1900 UK Top 40 2200 Late Show with Lisa Davis
TUESDAY 0000 UK Late Show 0100 David Rodigan 0300 Greatest Hits 0400 Early Riser 0700 Hermina Graham 1000 Heidi Secker 1300 Mick Steele 1600 Hatch & Duffus 1800 BFBS Greatest Hits 1900 Evening Show 2200 Late Show with Lisa Davis
WEDNESDAY 0000 UK Late Show 0100 Club Culture 0300 - 0000 As of Tuesday
THURSDAY 0000 UK Late Show 0100 The Rock Show 0300 - 1600 As of Tuesday 1600 Hatch & Duffus 1800 BFBS Greatest Hits 1900 UK Evening Show 2200 Late Show with Lisa Davis
FRIDAY 0000 UK Late Show 0100 Up from the Underground 0300 BFBS Greatest Hits 0400 Early Riser 0700 Hermina Graham 1000 Heidi Secker 1300 Nick Steele 1600 Hatch & Duffus 1800 BFBS Greatest Hits 1900 Friday Dance 2100 Ministry Of Sound 2300 The Groove Collective



550 MW:

SATURDAY 0000 Classic weekend breakfast 0200 Today 0400 Home Truths 0500 The Now Show 0530 Multimedia 0600 News/Allinson's albums 0700 Sport on Five 1400 Rockola 1500 The Classic rock show 1600 Raven n' the blues 1700 Late night live 2000 Up all night

SUNDAY 0000 Classic weekend breakfast 0200 Weekend woman's hour 0300 Sunday Worship 0350 A point of view 0400 Broadcasting House 0520 The Archers Omnibus 0700 BFG on Sunday 0800 Sport on Five 1400 The BFBS Radio 2 Comedy Hour 1430 The Museum of Everything 1500 News/The Archers 1515 A view from 1530 Supreme girl power! 1600 Home truths 1700 Late night live 2000 Up all night

MONDAY 0000 Morning Reports 0030 Wake up to money 0100 Today 0400 News/Gold with Simon Barlow 0600 BFBS Radio 2 news 0610 Glen Mansell 0830 Damian Watson (for Asters all week) 1100 BFBS Today 1115 The Archers 1130 The Museum of everything 1200 PM 1300 The Six o'clock News 1330 Classic Rock 1430 Sport on five 1700 Late night live 1900 Up all night

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- FIBS 88.3 FM in Stanley area, 96.5 FM, 102FM Mount Maria and 530 MW Island wide.
- BFBS1 96.5 FM Island wide and 98.5 MPA.
- BFBS2 550 MW Island wide.
- Radio Nova: BBC World Service on 106.5 FM and 530 MW and Deutsche Welle on 101.1 FM

Falkland Islands Defence Force Routine Orders

Thursday 28th July
1900 at Headquarters. 'Platoon attacks' Lecture.
Dress combats

Adverts - adverts@fibs.gov.fk Requests - requests@fibs.gov.fk
Tel: 27277 Fax: 27279

Phoenix Cinema Schedule - 23 July - 29 July, 2005

Weekday show starts - 20:00

Saturday shows starts - 1st Performance 09:30 2nd Performance 14:00 3rd Performance 20:00

Sunday shows starts - 1st Performance 13:00 2nd Performance 17:00 3rd Performance 20:00

Saturday 23 July	Sunday 24 July	Monday 25 July	Tuesday 26 July	Wednesday 27 July	Thursday 28 July	Friday 29 July
STAR WARS REVENGE OF THE SITH	THE PACIFIER	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED
MONSTER-IN-LAW	MONSTER-IN-LAW	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED
SIN CITY	LEAGUE OF GENT (APOCALYPSE)	LEAGUE OF GENT (APOCALYPSE)	HOUSE OF WAX	SIN CITY	LEAGUE OF GENT (APOCALYPSE)	STAR WARS: REVENGE OF THE SITH

SIN CITY (18) 124 mins. Action/thriller. Jessica Alba, Bruce Willis
THE PACIFIER (PG) 95 mins. Comedy Sc. Van Diesel, Lauren Graham.
STAR WARS: REVENGE OF THE SITH (12A) 139 mins. Sci-Fi Act. Ewan McGregor, Hayden Christensen

MONSTER-IN-LAW (12A) 101 mins. Comedy. Jennifer Lopez, Jane Fonda
HOUSE OF WAX (15) 112 mins. Horror. Elisha Cuthbert, Chad Michael Murray
LEAGUE OF GENT (APOCALYPSE) (15) Comedy. Jeremy Dyson, Mark Gatiss



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Nostalgic exhibition marks 10 years of Shackleton Fund

AN EXHIBITION of images which capture the Falklands of the 1960s has opened in Stanley.

In the summer of 1968-69, Swedish photographer Sven Gillsäter, accompanied by his wife Harriet and their two year old son Björn, spent six months capturing every day life in the Islands.

Sven began his career as a sports photographer for a leading Swedish newspaper, and soon developed an interest in nature photography and indigenous peoples. He travelled the world as a freelance photographer taking the pictures that brought his wide acclaim.

In the summer of 1968/69 he was on an assignment by Swedish Television and his Falklands stay resulted in several television documentaries, a book - *Pingviner i vind* (Penguins in the wind) - and a rich collection of slides, a selection of which are now on display in the Jetty Visitor Centre.

Welcoming guests to a reception to mark the opening of the exhibition on Thursday, July 14, His Excellency the Governor, Mr Howard Pearce, said once the exhibition closes the images will be do-

nated to the Falkland Islands Archives and later displayed in the museum.

He said the exhibition was also a commemoration of the 10th anniversary of the Shackleton Scholarship Fund. Since its conception, the Fund has raised more than £400,000 and awarded from its income some 50 scholarships, with grants totalling about £20,000 each year.

Mr Pearce explained there are two types of scholarships awarded by the fund: academic and 'quality of life'.

The academic scholarships have included work in a range of fields, "from stone runs to spiders, pilot whales and volcanic ash," while the 'quality of life scholarships' have "embraced everything from hand-bells to horse whisperers and Hank Wangford and the Lost Cowboys."

He thanked the current and past committee members of the fund, both in London and in the Falklands who he said, "...work very hard" and the scholars who, "over the years have put in the effort, imagination and hard work into producing a valuable range of projects."



Above: The wedding of Basil and Cathy Morrison; Below left: A day at the races; Below right: Lesson time for Charlene Rowland, Sheila Chaloner and Richard Short with teacher Derek Leader.



WINTER BALL

Friday 29th July 2005
FIDF Drill Hall
8pm - 1am

This is another chance for you to wear those beautiful dresses and suits and enjoy the best of traditional Falkland Islands food, dancing and music in a relaxed atmosphere.

There will be a Falkland style cold buffet supper, with cold meats, pizza, egg and bacon pies, salad and jelly and trifle.

Traditional, Country and Modern Dancing.

The Belle of the Ball will be chosen during the evening.

15 years and over.

Entry by tickets only which cost £5 and are available from The Gift Shop on Villiers Street, The Pink Shop, Ellen Davis and Jeannie McKay or Violet at Home Care.

Bring your own refreshments.

STANLEY DAIRY Expressions of Interest

FALKLAND ISLANDS
DEVELOPMENT
CORPORATION

Stanley Dairy has a turnover of just under £75K and supplied the local market with fresh milk and eggs.

There are development opportunities in expanding milk sales to the local market, cruise vessels and military base as well as potential to introduce new products such as cheese, butter and yoghurts.

Expressions of Interest are sought from parties interested in undertaking the long-term development of Stanley Dairy through:

- Purchase
- Lease
- 'share-farming'

It is essential that interested parties have at least 5 years successful track record of running a small dairy operation. This opportunity will be ideal for an energetic dairy manager who is seeking the opportunity to put their ideas into practice and financially benefit from their success.

Full details are available on: www.dairy.horizon.co.fk
To discuss your plans please contact
Julian Morris (julianmorris@fidc.co.fk) or Fiona Didlick
(fdidlick@fidc.co.fk) tele: + 27211.

Stanley Leisure Centre School Holiday Programme Schedule of Events 8th – 31st August 2005

Week 1 8th – 12th August 05

	Session 1 8.30-9.30	Session 2 9.30-10.30	Session 3 11.00-12.00	Lunch	Session 4 1.00-2.00	Session 5 2.00-3.00	Session 6 3.30-4.30
Monday 08/08/05	Gym Circuit Session	Play Dough Session	Mosaic Pictures		Gym Ball Games	Aquarun (new one)	Hangman
Tuesday 09/08/05	Clothes Peg Samurai	Origami Session	Chalk Drawing		Choice Session	Trampoline Session	Play Your Cards Right
Wednesday 10/08/05	Gym Games	Noodle Games	Pasta Pictures		Bingo	Doobree	Quiz
Thursday 11/08/05	DVD Session		Model Balloon Session		Felt Animal Making		Free Swim
Friday 12/08/05	Football	Felt Puppet Making			Anagrams	Assault Course	Balloon Volleyball

Week 2 15th – 19th August 05

	Session 1 8.30-9.30	Session 2 9.30-10.30	Session 3 11.00-12.00	Lunch	Session 4 1.00-2.00	Session 5 2.00-3.00	Session 6 3.30-4.30
Monday 15/08/05	Gym Ball Games	Problem Solving Session	Painting & Drawing		Assault Course	Aquarun (old one)	Short Tennis
Tuesday 16/08/05	Gym Games Session	Noodle Games	Origami Session		Balloon Volleyball	Show & Tell	Dart Competition
Wednesday 17/08/05	Collage Session		Hunter & His Dog		Team Games	Felt Puppet making and Play	
Thursday 18/08/05	Hunter & His Dog	Choice Session	Finger Painting		Board Games	Pool Crazy Hour	Hangman
Friday 19/08/05	Treasure Hunt		Rock Painting		DVD Session		Play Dough Session

Week 3 22nd – 26th August 05

	Session 1 8.30-9.30	Session 2 9.30-10.30	Session 3 11.00-12.00	Lunch	Session 4 1.00-2.00	Session 5 2.00-3.00	Session 6 3.30-4.30
Monday 22/08/05	Hockey	Show & Tell	Pasta Models		Lifeguard V Kids Football	Crazy Hour	Model Balloon Session
Tuesday 23/08/05	Clothes Peg Samurai	Potato Prints	Cartoon Session		Play Dough Session	Pool Games	Collage Session
Wednesday 24/08/05	Ball Games	Paper Plane Competition	Chalk Pictures		Assault Course	Museum Trip	Free Swim
Thursday 25/08/05	DVD Session		Scavenger Hunt		Giant Droughts	Doobree	Finger Painting
Friday 26/08/05	Gym Choice Session	Bingo	Skittles		Team Gym Games		Kids Choice

Week 4 29th – 31st August 05

	Session 1 8.30-9.30	Session 2 9.30-10.30	Session 3 11.00-12.00	Lunch	Session 4 1.00-2.00	Session 5 2.00-3.00	Session 6 3.30-4.30
Monday 29/08/05	Football	Hockey	Drawing Session		Lighthouse Seamen's Centre Outing / if not, a DVD Session		Free Swim
Tuesday 30/08/05	Circuit Session	Play Your Cards Right	Collage Session		Play Dough Session	Pool Games	Cartoon Session
Wednesday 31/08/05	Cartoon Session	Painting Session	Ball Games		Team Gym Challenge Party		

BOOKING FORMS ARE NOW AVAILABLE AT RECEPTION

General Practice

with Wendy Martin, Speech & Language Therapist

Get your preschoolers in the kitchen

SOME parents are reluctant to let their young children loose in the kitchen fearing that the only result will be a huge mess.

However cooking is a highly educational activity and helps children develop important language and cognitive, social, emotional and sensory motor as well as practical skills.

Children as young as two can begin to work with you in the kitchen. They may not be able to do everything themselves at that age but it is easy to find little jobs for them. If you let them help, you will be surprised at how quickly they learn new skills.

Cooking with mum or dad helps children develop social - emotional skills. They learn about taking turns and sharing and the rewards of trying new experiences. They learn how to do more for themselves and to become increasingly independent, to start an activity and carry it through till there is a finished product. Young children love producing a useful result and the feeling of competence and mastery of 'grownup' activity.

By its very nature, cooking involves sensory stimulation and helps to develop children's fine motor skills. Children learn about texture and the different feel of different ingredients i.e. flour and salt. As they experience different tastes and textures it is natural to talk about them so your child learns new descriptive words: wet, dry, smooth, lumpy, thick, thin, slippery, greasy.

They also practice and perfect the fine motor coordination to perform the physical actions of cooking - pouring, stirring, cutting, spreading and using implements such

as knives and spoons. With a little exposure and practice you will be surprised at how skilled young hands can be at cracking eggs without getting shells in the bowl.

Of course for young children and the young at heart - spoons and fingers find their way to mouths so children learn about different types of taste - sweet, salty, spicy as well as temperature, hot and cold.

Cooking is one of the most versatile activities to teach language and mathematical, scientific concepts that I can think of. Even for very young children, emphasise the names of everything and the words for the actions you perform.

Talk about sequence, first, then, next, before, after, at the end. Talk about number and quantity, one two three, a little, more, lots, too much, not enough, half, full, empty, all gone, some, one more, no more. Describe - dry, wet, fluffy, sticky, stringy.

Children learn by doing and cooking is a wonderful way for children to develop spatial, comparative and quantitative concepts. How big? How many? How much? How hot? How long?

Cooking activities help children learn to follow directions and even if they can't read yet - they see you reading the instructions and internalise that reading is a useful skill.

How can you make cooking with your child fun, safe and educational?

Set up a working space for your child - you might need a sturdy stool for him to reach the counter - arrange your kitchen so that the tools and ingredients you need are close at hand. If possible store them in places that your child can get to so

he can get them out and put them away by himself.

Involve your child in all aspects of the process of cooking from the choosing of the recipe, shopping, and in the setting up of the ingredients and utensils, the making and cleaning up and the eating or playing.

Start with simple recipes and work alongside your child, letting them do whatever they are capable of and showing them the next step.

Supervise closely any work that involves knives or hotplates.

Practice the skills they need like pouring and cutting at other times as well, for instance in the bath or with playdough.

Relax and reassure yourself that a little mess now will yield huge future dividends. You and your child will have a wonderful time together and think of all those breakfasts in bed and kids who can prepare the evening meal later on.

Check out the library for cookbooks to start your collection of suitable recipes for children. Biscuits are a favourite but there are lots of healthy alternatives and the product doesn't always need to be edible. Here are two recipes I cook with toddlers just for fun with the bonus that you get to play with it afterwards.

This will be the last contribution from me, as I will be leaving the Islands shortly and heading back to sunny Brisbane. I've had a fantastic experience this year. Thank you and I wish you all the best.

Dough for modelling and making long-lasting decorations.

(You bake this dough after you model and then it can be painted -

stored in dry conditions the cooked decorations will last for years)

1 cup of flour

½ cup of salt

½ cup of water

bowl, measuring cups

rolling pin, cookie cutters

straw, baking sheet, tinfoil

Mix together flour, salt and water in a bowl. Divide in half and cover half with plastic wrap and set aside.

Put flour on the surface and knead dough, work it with your hands until it is smooth. This takes 8 to 10 minutes.

You can roll dough out and cut shapes with cookie cutters or mould with your hands. Put shapes on foil lined baking sheet. If you want to hang them up you can poke a hole at the top with a straw.

Bake in 120 C oven for 4 to 5 hours until thoroughly dry.

Take them out and let them cool.

Now you are ready to paint or varnish your creations.

Playdough Recipe

(This is a soft playdough that will stay fresh and pliable for a long time if kept in an airtight container when not in use - the recipe can easily be doubled)

1 cup of flour

1 cup of water

½ cup of salt

1 tablespoon of cooking oil

2 teaspoon of cream of tartar

Put all ingredients in a pot and cook until dough leaves the side of the pot and forms a ball in the middle. Do not boil. Take out and knead until cool. I add food colouring during the kneading process. Recipe can be doubled. Store in an airtight container HAVE FUN!

Camp Education kids are 'all at sea' in Stanley for Farmers Week

TEN children from Camp Education got together in Stanley during Farmers Week for five days of work and play.

The highlight of their week together was a mini presentation for parents and friends in St Mary's Hall on Thursday.

Jack Alazia and Pilar Castro from Goose Green, Rhian Alazia from Port Edgar, Dale and Shaun Evans from South Harbour, Matthew Hansen from Main Point, Gareth and Amanda McGhie from Stony Ridge and Liam and Ysanne Rozee from Spring Point all attended.

Over the week the children had learned five songs about the sea, and all the activities illustrated their themes.

Myra Pitt from Camp Education said, "We investigated lights, switches and motors for a light-house, made exotic and colourful head-dress for underwater creatures, danced to a 'rock pool song' learned a fishy poem and created scary piratical accessories!"



A visit to FIPASS, where the Fisheries Department, *FPI Dorada* and *CFL Gambler* made the children and their teachers most welcome was an added highlight of the week.

Everyone had a daily dip in the swimming pool and, Myra said, "...we were delighted to see great progress and increased confidence in the water."

She described the week as "a wonderful opportunity for pupils and teachers to work together" and added that there was a tremendous sense of teamwork throughout the week. "Thank you to everyone who helped to make it a great success."



Top left: Pirates are coming; Above: Listening to teacher Sue Evans in the pool

Fisheries Department

Catch for week 28, ending July 12, 2005

Licence type	Number of Licences	
	Eligible W/ending 12/07/05	Fishing W/ending 12/07/05
Total	5	3
L	2	1
Y	2	2
Z	1	-

Catch by species (Tonnes)

	All vessels	Total
Loligo	7	7
Illex	0	0
Martialia	0	0
Hakes	5	5
Blue Whiting	0	0
Hoki	98	98
Kingclip	4	4
Toothfish	15	15
Red Cod	7	7
Ray	5	5
Other	3	3
Total	144	144

Results from the Susan Whitley Memorial Exhibition

Year 6
 1st Jordan Phillips Landscape
 2nd Laura Miller Seascape
 HC Sonia Arkhipkina Landscape
 Julian Yon Landscape
 Daniel McGill Landscape
 Barbara Short Mask
 Tylor Tellez Seascape
 Emma Harte Landscape

Year 7 - Basic Skills (Fruit Buns)
 1st April Faria
 2nd Hannah Pointing
 3rd Cheveze Goodwin

Year 7 - Simple Decoration (Butterfly Cakes)
 1st Rebecca Arthur-Almond
 2nd Matthew Freer
 3rd Bernice Hewitt
 Highly Commended: Hannah Pointing

Year 8 - Filled Vegetarian Snack Product
 1st Thomas Elsby
 2nd Tansie Bonner
 3rd Thomas Owen
 Highly Commended: Derric Yon

Year 8 - Mini Bakewell Tarts
 1st Adam Henry
 2nd Tansie Bonner
 3rd Jessica Harte
 Highly Commended: Shanice McCallum

Year 9 - Filled Bread Products
 1st Christian Minto
 2nd Ryan Shillitoe
 3rd Dahiana Trinidades Burucua
 Highly Commended: Clovis Kilmartin and Felicity Alazia

Year 9 - Healthy Cakes
 1st Marita O'Sullivan
 2nd Barry Connolly
 3rd Ulia Sychova
 Highly Commended: Glynn McKay

Year 10 - GCSE Assignment Packed Meals
 1st Carole-Anne Goss
 2nd Karen Cambler
 3rd Karen Minto
 Highly Commended: Samantha Davis

Year 11 - A Birthday Cake For A Toddler
 1st Christopher Collins
 2nd Collette Thomas
 3rd Kyle Joshua
 Highly Commended: Anna Connolly and Christine Ross

Wool report - week ending July 15

by Neil Judd, Department of Agriculture

WOOL prices for fleece wool lots between 20 and 24 micron fell by between 3 and 6 p/kg clean at last week's sale in Melbourne Australia. Prices were up a few p/kg clean for lots between 25 and 26 micron, but were "softer" again above 27 micron. As shown in the attached "Micron Price Guide".

Fleece wool lots of good length and style were least affected by price falls.

Prices for "skirtings" and oddments remained quite stable with some oddments actually increasing in price during the week.

In Australia 89% of the 21,000 bale offering was sold. Included in the offering were 2,181 bales of crossbred wool of which 91% was sold. In New Zealand 85% of the 15,518 bales presented at auction, changed hands.

Auctions continue next week in New Zealand. Australian markets will be in recess for two weeks.

Note:

*Exchange rates used to convert wool prices into pence per kg clean basis, Australian \$2.34 per 1£

sterling compared to \$2.35 per 1£ sterling previous week.

*Information derived from AWEX market report and Wool Record Weekly.

*Values based on average auction floor prices from Australian Eastern markets.

*Prices quoted correspond to average gross auction prices. It should be remembered that no selling or freight costs have been deducted from the stated prices.

*MPG prices designated with an "n" indicate that insufficient wool in the particular micron range was traded to determine a firm MPG quote.

Growers are strongly advised to seek assistance in evaluating offers for wool where only nominal prices are given.

Any woolgrower with a question regarding the wool industry, or requiring assistance to determine the merit of any wool price offer, is urged to contact Neil Judd at the Department of Agriculture on telephone 27355 or on email njudd@doa.gov.fk

Week ending	Pence per kilogram clean for each micron category.											
	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	28	30	32
10/01/2002	553	403	306	294	293	288	283	266	232	208	199	185
13/12/2002	553n	484	456	451	446	437n	431n	407n	369n	365	217	201n
10/01/2003	557n	494	470	463	458	451	445	412n	373n	271	228	210n
04/07/2003	443n	408	409	411	414n	413n	405n	384n	351n	252n	213	201n
12/12/2003	397n	380	366	362	351	336	325	295n	272n	218n	187n	167n
09/01/2004	409n	392	380	369	356	337	326	295n	274n	215	187	161n
02/07/2004	421n	390	352	339	323	310	281n	266n	253n	211n	188n	169n
17/12/2004	395	368	327	306	295	282	269n	233n	218n	186n	168n	154n
14/01/2005	411n	383	341	316	307	297	284	244n	225	194n	176n	160n
04/02/2005	417	389	343	316	303	294	282	246n	226n	194n	177n	163n
04/03/2005	411	378	337	312	295	286	270	242n	223n	187	174	164n
08/04/2005	414	387	337	313	298	290	273n	244n	224n	189	174	164n
06/05/2005	416	381	334	304	293	288	273	246	228	187	174	164
03/06/2005	418	376	336	313	303	300	282n	256n	234n	197	180	167n
01/07/2005	412	373	336	322	317	313	288n	266n	240n	197	185	169n
08/07/2005	419	386	343	330	324	320	298	275	245	206	192	173
micron	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	28	30	32
15/07/2005	408n	378n	340	324	316	314	294	278n	247n	204n	190n	173n
Weekly change	-11	-8	-3	-6	-6	-6	-4	3	2	-2	-2	0
Price Year ago	426	391	350	327	314	301	277	262	249	209	184	165

Shipping activity from July 11-18

TWO Reefers were in Berkeley Sound during the week, *Cooler Bay* and *Rizhskiy Zaliv* while tankers *Libra*, *Centaurus* and *Baltic Pride* also visited.

Tamar FI called at the East Jetty and *CFL Gambler* was alongside FIPASS.

Five trawlers berthed at FIPASS

during the week - *Sil*, *Golden Chica*, *Robin M Lee*, *Kalaxori* and *New Polar*.

Nine trawlers anchored in Port William - *Beagle FI*, *Feralemes*, *Capricorn*, *Argos Vigo*, *Argos Pereira*, *Argos Galicia*, *Golden Touza*, *Igueldo*, and *John Cheek*.



on share prices

At close of business Monday, July 17, 2005

Desire Petroleum plc	38.00p	(-1.00p)
Falkland Oil and Gas plc	125.50p	(+4.00p)
Falkland Islands Holdings plc	462.50p	(+7.50p)
Falkland Gold and Minerals Ltd	29.00p	(-2.00p)
Standard Chartered PLC	1086p	(+19p)

South Georgia Fisheries: Catch Figures Week ending July 16, 2005

Species	Max No. of Vessels	Total Catch	Total Effort
Toothfish	8	177 tonnes	756,535 hooks
Krill (trawl)	5	3,735 tonnes	303 trawls



No medals, but praise for Falklands competitors

by Patrick Watts

(General Team Manager)

THE Falklands team at the 11th NatWest Island Games, staged on the Shetland Islands, produced a string of positive results which fully justified sending a squad of 31 competitors.

The football team pulled off one of the major shocks in Islands Games history by defeating the larger and more experienced team from Saaremaa 2-1, and did not deserve to go down 2-1 to Aland. The young swimming team of Donna Triggs, Hannah Arthur-Almond, Thomas Burston and Edward Freer produced a string of personal bests (p.b.), while 14 year old Lucas Biggs took 7 and 8 points off top rated players in the table tennis singles competition. In clay pigeon shooting Saul Pitaluga was just two clays away from a final six shoot-off position in the ABT Individual event.

With UK gun laws prohibiting pistol shooting in the Games and no full-bore range on Shetland, the Falklands chances of winning medals this time were limited. Thankfully both Rhodes in 2007 and Aland in 2009, hosts for the next two Games, will not be subjected to such stringent rulings.

With hotels and guest houses on the Shetlands limited, cruise vessels were brought in to meet the accommodation needs. The Falklands were based on the *Van Gogh* which was berthed alongside Lerwick pier, and hosted 750 competitors. Another ship the *Antenna* accommodated a further 500. The remaining sportsmen and women stayed on-shore in Community Halls and schools.

Most of the Falklands team sailed from Tilbury, joining the ship in the wake of the London bombings. A downpour resulted in the Opening Ceremony on July 9 being curtailed by nearly two hours. Golfer Kevin Clapp representing the Falklands for the 6th time at the Games was given the honour of carrying the flag. Swimmer Thomas Burston, the youngest member of the team, was appointed 'water-carrier' for the traditional mixing of island's waters.

Blue skies and a sunny afternoon on the following day brought an estimated 3000 spectators to Gilbertson Park for the Shetlands v Falklands soccer game, which the home team won 4-0.

A rest day allowed the Falklands team time to recover and a journey to the village of Strom on the following day, brought a magnificent victory over the Estonian island of Saaremaa, which is situated in the Baltic sea. The Estonians unwisely rested a few of their best players believing that victory over the Falklands was assured, having already taken four points from their first two games. A 2nd minute penalty by Martyn Clarke put the Falklands ahead, but within a minute of the kick-off in the 2nd half, Saaremaa equalised.

As the tension mounted and with time running out substitute Wayne Clement ran onto a header from "Spurs" Henry and left two defenders for dead. His accurate low shot slid past the bemused Saaremaa goal-



Above: Some of the Falklands team members beside their ship, *Van Gogh*.

keeper and into the net. It was unfortunate for the fans back home that a power-cut prevented the few final minutes of live commentary and a description of the victory celebrations, being heard. The Saaremaa players were extremely upset by their loss, which shattered any chances they had of winning a medal, and their anger was taken out on the dressing room doors and walls!

The following day, having decided previously that chances of victory over the powerful Isle of Man team was almost an impossibility, Team Manager Chris Clarke rested some of his 1st teamers and gave the reserves an opportunity to play. The final score of 9-0 for the Isle of Man just about reflected the balance of play. It would have been quite disappointing for some squad members had they not been given an opportunity to play, considering the extensive training programme in Stanley which they had undertaken during the previous seven months, and Chris Clarke's decision to stick to his plan has to be respected.

The game against Aland, another Baltic sea island, belonging to Finland, but where the population of 45,000 speak Swedish, brought despair and frustration with Aland winning the game 2-1. A game against the Orkney islands, 5th placed team in Group Two would now decide 9/10th places.

It would be difficult to write anything in favour of the Scottish referee who took charge of the game against Orkney on the small field at Sandwick and it was the Orkneys who ran out 2-0 winners, snatching ninth place in the competition.

All who saw the Falklands team play in Shetland praised their fitness, endeavour and team-work. In particular the pairing of Douglas Clarke and Bill Chater was described by some experts as, 'the best defensive duo on the parks'. The team members themselves picked out Adam Glanville as their top man, given his ability to get down the wings and run non-stop for 90 minutes.

The Football Club under Chair-

man Chris Clarke proudly raised more than £30,000 pounds from various fund-raising activities and the local pools in their build-up to the Shetland games. It may take another four years and the 2009 Games in Aland before a similar effort can be expected.

The swimming team, under the guidance of Pam Freer, performed above expectations in the pool, and all achieved personal bests in a variety of events over the four days of competition.

Edward Freer started the ball rolling in the 100m breaststroke finishing 18th in a time of 1' 24.38. Donna Triggs knocked 5 seconds off her p.b. in the 200m freestyle, breaking the Falklands record by 32 seconds.

With a more relaxed atmosphere prevailing than at the Commonwealth Youth Games in Australia some eight months previously, the Falklands swimmers enjoyed the friendly and supportive approach of the other teams. Hannah Arthur-Almond took seconds off her p.b. in the 50m butterfly, while Thomas Burston cut back his p.b. in the

200m freestyle. Edward Freer improved his 50m breaststroke time to 38.69 while Donna Triggs bettered her Isle of Man games time by 2 seconds in the 100m backstroke. The following day Donna got ever closer to Claire Kilmartin's Falklands best of 31.58 in the 50m freestyle when she recorded a time of 33.75, but Hannah Arthur-Almond's time of 32.54 is now less than 1 second off the Falklands record in this event.

Both Edward and Thomas recorded impressive times in the 100m freestyle taking three seconds off their p.b. while Edward cut his 50m freestyle time by a second to 30.13.

In the 50m backstroke Donna went under 40 seconds for the first time with 39.82 while Hannah's 40.22 bettered her p.b. by a massive three seconds.

The friendly spirit of the Island Games was never more apparent than on the final day when the Jersey coach assisted the Falklands swimmers, and offered some helpful coaching hints which were gratefully accepted by Pam Freer and the team. *Continued on page 16*



Above (l-r): Chris Gilbert, Donna Triggs, Ben Watson, Anna Luxton and Kyle Biggs at the opening ceremony

Island Games: no medals, but praise for Falklands competitors

Continued from page 15

The golf team found the courses at Dale and on the island of Whalsey tougher than anticipated and Glenn Ross's four-round Falklands record score of 322, achieved in Guernsey two years ago, was never in danger of being broken.

The overall team score of 1118 saw the Falklands finish in 13th and last place, some 48 points behind St Helena.

Individually Kevin Clapp produced the best score with 361 and 47th place from a field of 53. Whalsey proved his undoing with scores of 101 and 95. Kevin's best golf came at Dale where he recorded 85, paring the last three holes, and an excellent 80, spoiling what could have been a better return with seven on the final hole. He began the final round with an impressive par, birdie, par on the first three holes.

Peter Bagley was the only Falklands player to keep a three figure individual round score off his card, with rounds of 95, 93, 94, 90. Peter birdied the first hole on his Island Games debut.

Rod Tuckwood's final aggregate was 399, with a best round of 91 when he birdied the 16th, while Steve Vincent was philosophically celebrating his best round of 99 at Dale, which saw him end on 427.

For the first time the Falklands had a competitor in the table tennis tournament. Young Lucas Biggs overcame a nervy start in the singles and pushed several of his opponents, scoring seven and eight points in games where the first player to eleven won the set. Having now experienced the Interna-



Above: Falklands swimmers all beat their personal bests

tional stage Lucas will be better prepared in two years time when the 2007 games are held in Rhodes (Greece).

The Badminton Club was unable to send a team, but Ben Watson who went along to support the Falklands and Anna Luxton the team physiotherapist, teamed up in the mixed doubles in order to savour the competitive atmosphere. They went down 3-15, 1-15 to a pair from the Isle of Man. Ben managed two and four points in each set against the highly rated Bjartur Lamhaug of the Faroe Islands in the mens singles.

Clay Pigeon shooting conditions at Blackgaet were the most difficult ever experienced at an Island Games, with swirling mist and fog greeting the shooters on most days.

Most scores were five to six less than would normally have been expected.

Saul Pitaluga's score of 126 in the ABT individual, recorded in the Isle of Man in 2001, would have been good enough to win the gold medal in Shetland, where Peter Kelly took the top prize with 125. Saul's score this time in Shetland was just two clays short of a top six shoot-off for the gold, silver and bronze. Graham Didlick, who has won an incredible 11 medals in pistol events in previous Games, was considerably further back on 59 and 19th place.

Steve Dent, representing the Falklands for the first time, returned a credible 73 in the Individual Olympic Trench, with scores of 11, 15, 18, 13, 16 and 19th position.

Graham Didlick finished in 22nd position with 60.

The Falklands trio ended up in 9th place in the English Sporting Men's team event with a score of 121, while in the Individual event Steve Dent hit 43 for a finishing position of 21st, ahead of shooters from Gibraltar, Faroes and Western Isles.

The 2005 NatWest Island Games once again provided a welcome public relations opportunity for the Falklands. BBC 2 TV are screening highlights of the Games this weekend, while I was interviewed, along with Managers from St Helena and Bermuda on BBC Radio Scotland on the opening day.

Two young swimmers Hannah Arthur-Almond and Edward Freer appeared on the same radio station later in the week. I was also interviewed for BBC TV Scotland, Radio 5 live, and Jersey Radio. The widely read *Glasgow Herald* newspaper, despite having the attraction of the Open golf championships at St Andrews, surprisingly devoted its back page to the Island Games and the Falklands in particular.

The Falklands teams were encouraged by many supporters, some of whom travelled all the way from the Falklands and others who reside in the UK.

All who went to Shetland expressed their gratitude to the people of the Falklands for their support in raising money over the past two years and to elected Councillors for their continued financial backing and to those individuals and companies who sponsored team track suits and strips.

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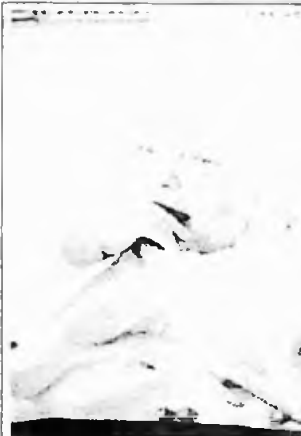
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Happy Birthday for Sunday Tray.
Love Nan and Grandad xxxxx



Aaah it's a tough life Sam. Have a very Happy 19th Birthday on the 24th. Wish we could be there. Loads of love from Mum, Dad, Stan and Steve



Happy Birthday Hayley



Eternal youth is a gift indeed No chance of you ever going to seed!
You're 40 Hayley so enjoy your day and have a hell of a good party Chay Lots of love Anna



Happy Birthday Hayley with love from Mum Dad and all the family

Vi Bonner would like to thank all family and friends for birthday messages cards, requests and presents in the Falklands and overseas. God bless and love to you all, Vi

To Hayley. Hope you have a fantastic birthday and party. With loads of love Troyd and Sares xx

To Sue Harvey Good luck on your travels. Thank you for all you've done for us in the farming community. All the best,
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Unsurfaced road maintenance
Surfaced road maintenance.

The season commences in early October 2005 and goes through to late April 2006. All the positions will be for the season only, with no guarantee of employment after that time.

All Plant Operators should preferably hold an HGV licence and be experienced in the operation of heavy construction equipment, however training may be provided in particular circumstances. Health and Safety training and testing may be required for all employees.

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The standard FIG rates of pay, terms and conditions of employment will apply.

For further information on the above posts please contact Bob Hancox at the Highways Section of Public Works on Tel 27387 during office hours.

Application forms are available from the Human Resources Department, Secretariat and completed forms should be returned to that Department by **Monday 1st August 2005**.

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The successful candidate will have a minimum of 5 years experience in a similar role, possess good supervisory skills and must have excellent customer service skills. You will also need to be enthusiastic, self-motivated and be able to lead a small team.

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Applicants must be physically fit, well mannered, ambitious, good time-keeper's and able to work under supervision as part of a team.

For further information or to apply, contact: Marcus Morrison, FIG Training Centre, Stanley Tel: 27133, or Iain Thom PO Box 25, Stanley Tel. 21148. All applications to be received by 05 August 2005.

Stanley Kids Zone wish to invite applications from persons interested in working in the Day Nursery as Nursery Assistants which is due to open on 1st September 2005.

Although it is not essential that you are qualified it is essential that you would be prepared to become so. Experience in working with children would be an advantage.

Please apply in writing attaching a current CV to PO Box 452, Stanley, to arrive no later than 4.30pm on Tuesday 26th July 2005.

MIP Travel has a vacancy at its MPA office. Reasonable rates of pay offered for a job share of between 11 and 17 hours per week only. Often involves weekend working and being available on call at 10 minutes notice. No travel time or allowance paid. Attention to detail, good computer and accounts skills required. All enquiries telephone 22626 or 76691. Closing date for entries 1st August 2005.

Sodexo Defence Services will shortly have the following vacancies at the Upland Goose Hotel. **Breakfast/Comnais Chef; Bar Steward; Cleaner.** All positions are full time. Applications should be made in writing to Miss Jo Anne Robertson, General Services Manager, Sodexo Defence Services, Mount Pleasant Airport. Closing date for the applications is Friday July 29, 2005.

The **FIG Warehouse** has a vacancy for a fulltime Warehouseman. Applicants should be physically fit, hold a full driving licence and be able to operate a forklift. This post also involves regular overtime, which includes some weekends. The successful applicant would be expected to be conversant with the computerised stock control system. For further information please contact the Warehouse Manager on 27641.

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The Falkland Islands Government (FIG) has for lease or sale approximately 17,450 acres of farmland on West Falkland known as Long Mountain and Second Arroyo Camps.

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Phyl Rendell
 Director of Minerals & Agriculture

NOTICE OF AGM

The AGM of Stanley Kids Zone (SKZ) will take place on Monday 1st August 2005 starting at 7pm in the Chamber of Commerce Conference Room.

Everyone is welcome, further details can be obtained from any of the directors- Wendy Harris, Dawn Hoy, Wendy Luxton, Andrew Newman, Wendy Reeves, Marlene Short, Sue Wilks or Alison Ward.

WHAT'S ON AT STANLEY ARMS

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It is notified for general information that the closing date for the receipt of tenders for the "Camber House" has been extended to 4.30 p.m. on Wednesday, 31st August 2005. This extension has been allowed in order to provide additional time for accompanied visits to the property to be organised during August. Should any potential tenderer wish to visit the Camber House would they please provide their names to the Secretariat General Office on telephone 27242, or e-mail slam@sec.gov.fk, if they have not already done so.

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Falkland Islands Karate Do

To all members (past and present) Saturday July 23, 11am will be the last karate session with Sensei Jan.
There will be grading and a party afterwards to acknowledge the hard work you have all put into developing your karate skills.
All members are welcome, so pull out your Gi's from the cupboard!
It is hoped that the club can continue after the school holidays with a different instructor.

Public Meeting

Councillors' next public meeting will take place on 26 July at 5:00 pm in the Council Chamber, Town Hall. Part of the meeting will be themed to cover

Councillors' recent visits overseas. **SEW WHAT**
New fabric in at Sew What includes: Chinese brocades, glitter organdie and flower fairies. Also new stocks of bridal buttons, jeans buttons, ribbon roses and stick-on Velcro. Sew What, at 5 Jersey Road, is open Saturdays from 12 to 4pm. Camp orders welcome.

NOTICES



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Midwinter Swim 2005

Thanks to everyone who took part. Just to let you know how the totals stand from sponsor money and donations so far. FIOGA have received £1,098.07 and the Seamans Mission £1,287.92
We will keep you informed as money comes in.
T-shirts that were ordered are ready for payment and collection from the Seamen's Mission for Stanley based and Martin at MP Travel for MPC based personnel

Local and Scottish Dancing

Traditional local and Scottish ceilidh dancing will be held at the Infant/Junior School Hall from 7.30 to 9pm on Wednesday, 27 July. This will be the last session until further notice. Well known and not so well known dances are practised. Beginners and experienced dancers of all ages are most welcome. So come along and shake a leg. Admission 50 pence.

Immunisation session Friday

22nd July (today) 09.30-11.30am
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To Tray and Steve
Congratulations - have a great day today.
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Love always, Steve

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New Governor named

MR Alan Huckle has been appointed as the next Governor of the Falkland Islands and Commissioner for South Georgia and the South Sandwich Islands.

Currently the Governor of Anguilla in the eastern Caribbean, Mr Huckle will arrive in the Falklands in the autumn of 2006.

Married to Helen, Mr Huckle (57) and his wife have two children, both in their twenties.

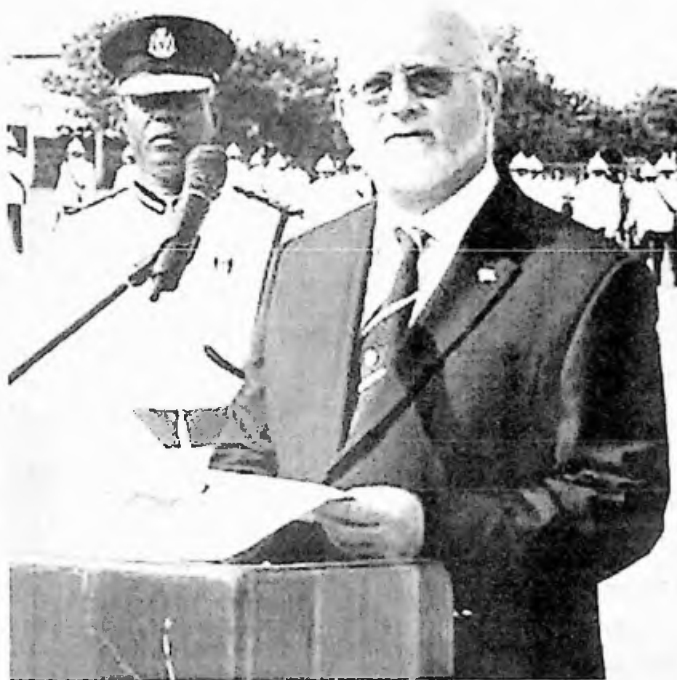
Mr Huckle will have some idea of what to expect when he arrives in the Falklands, having visited four years ago. Before his current posting in Anguilla, he was head of the Overseas Territories Department for three years and it was during that time that he visited the Islands in June 2001.

Councillor John Birmingham, who met Mr Huckle during his Falklands visit, was pleased with the appointment and said, "He's a very experienced diplomat with long established links with the Overseas Territories.

"I think he's a good friend and supporter of the Falklands cause."

New York, Vienna and Manila are some of his former postings, and he has also worked in the East African Department of the Foreign and Commonwealth Office, and spent time on loan to the Northern Ireland Office.

Although somewhat different



Above: Future Governor of the Falkland Islands, Mr Alan Huckle giving a speech in his current posting of Anguilla.

in climate, Mr Huckle's current posting in Anguilla, shares similar economic interests with the Falklands as fishing and tourism are the main industries.

Mr Huckle will replace the current Governor, Mr Howard Pearce CVO who will be transferred to another Diplomatic Service appointment.

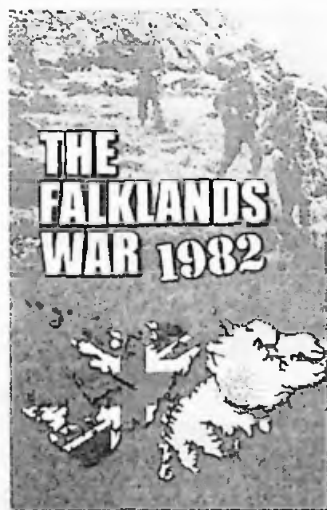
Falklands War computer game launched

A COMPUTER GAME about the Falklands Conflict of 1982 has been released in the United States this week.

Entitled 'The Falklands War 1982' the game had caused concern amongst veterans of the campaign and others that it is disrespectful and may contain graphic images of war which could cause distress.

Martin Reed, Chairman of the South Atlantic Medal Association wrote to *Penguin News* and several UK newspapers in April expressing his strong disapproval of the game. He said he and many other veterans were, "...appalled at the bad taste involved in making a profit out of their suffering and having the sacrifice of so many lives trivialised in this way when the pain and agony, physical and mental, is still so fresh."

Penguin News has seen a 'demo' of the game which appears to be a military strategy game in which real



Above: The main title screen of the game

and imaginary battles are played out. Rather than containing graphic images of soldiers or battles, the game screen consists of a map of the battle area with forces represented by icons.

The famous Pebble Island raid is one of the featured scenarios in the game. Councillor Roger Edwards who was involved with the Pebble raid in 1982 said he thought all computer war games were "sad", especially "...when based on a real war."

Veteran of the conflict Gary Clement said he wanted to "reserve judgement" until he had seen the game which he intends to purchase in America next month.

Launched by American company Shrapnel Games and developed by ProSIM the game explores eight of the most important battles during the conflict as well as ten hypothetical situations.

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News in brief

Second Loligo season better than last year's

THERE has been a reasonable start to the second Loligo season, although catches are not as consistently high as they were in the first season.

Director of Fisheries, John Barton explained that this is only the second year where the second season has commenced on July 15. He said catches to date are 7365 tonnes, whereas for the same period last year they were 4434 tonnes.

Mr Barton said the fleet is moving around to maintain catch rates, with vessels fishing in the Beauchene Island area and up by Stanley.

During the first season the fleet fished in the Beauchene Island area throughout the season.

Investigation continues

FOLLOWING an incident last week that Police described as a "trail of destruction" a Police spokesperson said the investigation into vehicle damage is still active and forensic results from the materials submitted is awaited.

A male person, arrested in relation to the incident, remains on police bail.

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Comment by Acting Deputy Editor Rob Burnett



READERS of my last editorial of June 24 (v17 No 9) will remember I was less than complimentary about the Public Meeting I had attended that week. This week I attended another and there was something different this time around that caught the attention of all present. No, not the fact that Councillor Birmingham was wearing a tie, but a change in format.

As we entered the room, we were greeted by an overhead projector screen in the middle of the room. After my school room analogy of some weeks ago, I thought at first they must have been unable to get hold of a blackboard and gone for the next best thing. This was not the case as Councillor Luxton informed us that he and his colleagues would be giving short presentations on the purpose of their recent overseas visits. This they duly did and some questions were prompted by their reports. We were told where they had been, what meetings they had attended and what the benefits there were to the Falklands in attending them.

No doubt the subject of overseas trips was motivated by the perception of some folk that councillors are constantly indulging in 'free holidays at the tax payers expense', but we were promised other topics would be covered in subsequent meetings.

So, they have made their point. They do listen to us (sometimes). It is a start, but only a start. Whilst the gesture of change is welcomed, we must by no means sit back and think all is now well. It is probably too early to judge after one meeting how successful the new format is, but it must not be allowed to fall by the wayside, and other avenues of possible improvement should be explored. As with improvement in all other areas of government, it should be a continual process.

Councillor Luxton also informed the meeting that in the run up to the election, he would be holding some form of session to discuss with interested parties what being a councillor actually involved in terms of day to day work, something that *PN* will be covering with interest as perhaps more people would consider standing for council if they knew what it entailed. Anything that widens the pool of prospective election candidates can only be welcomed.

Perhaps this new found spirit of openness is all in preparation for our next Governor. Mr Alan Huckle, who's watch words are, according to a newspaper in his current posting of Anguilla, 'transparency and consultation'. Fine sentiments which he will hopefully bring with him when he arrives next year.

Former councillor takes exception to Governor's powers in Fishery Bill

THE power of the Governor as outlined in the Fisheries (Conservation and Management) Bill 2005 was a concern discussed at the Fisheries Committee meeting on Tuesday.

Mr Lewis Clifton, a former councillor had written a letter taking exception to the phrase, "the Governor acting in his own discretion," which is used several times in the Bill.

Mr Clifton writes, "The Governor should be advised by Executive Council, but never should the Governor be enabled to act at or in his own discretion."

Mr Clifton suggests that the use of the phrase infers that the Falkland Islands are, "incapable of managing, conserving and developing its fisheries." He says this is "simply not true" and could give Argentina unnecessary political ammunition. "... by implying that we are not capable of managing in a sustainable way, our resources without Her

Majesty's Governments direct control and or influence."

In responding to the letter, the Attorney General David Lang told the meeting that the Bill had not originally been drafted that way but was a compromise reached with the Foreign and Commonwealth Office.

Drew Irvine pointed out that the Bill in fact gives no more power to the office of Governor than it currently has, as he can overturn Executive Council decisions at the moment. Mr Irvine said, "This is a constitutional issue."

Director of Fisheries, Mr John Barton agreed saying that it was a, "political decision."

Chairing the meeting, Councillor Richard Cockwell said it was his personal feeling that, "this is too important a Bill to hold up over this issue."

Councillor Cockwell said the issue would be discussed by councillors.

Policy issued for access to Mount Pleasant

FOLLOWING a number of recent incidents where Chilean nationals were apparently refused entry to Mount Pleasant as reported in *Penguin News* of June 24, the British Forces at the base have issued a statement outlining their policy on access to the base for all civilians in the Islands.

Firstly, civilian visitors have been restricted in where specifically on the base they can visit. Accessible areas include the bowling alley, cinema, NAAFI shops, Gull and Penguin Bar, Dolphin Club, Ronoke's restaurant, the FIC complex, the Oasis Coffee Shop and of course the air terminal.

The statement goes on to say that passes are now required to access the base, either an annual pass, obtainable with sponsorship from a senior officer, or a day pass, avail-

able at the Police Station on production of photo identification.

Those able to obtain such a pass include, "Falkland Island passport holders, Foreign and Commonwealth Office or Falkland Island Government officials, and individuals holding similar positions of office." Such individuals would have, "unescorted access to the areas listed above" when in possession of a pass.

Other Falkland Islands residents can still enter the base by obtaining a day pass providing they book in at the Police Station, and show photo identification. They are also required to be met at the Police Station by their host who must escort them throughout their visit. They must also book out when leaving the base.

Morrison to build new Halley BAS Base

Following the recent announcement that the British Antarctic Survey (BAS) have chosen the winning design for their new research station at Halley, Morrison Ltd have been named as the company selected to build the structure.

The company, which has been working with BAS since 1999, was also involved in selecting the winning design for the new base.

Regional Manager of Morrison (Falklands) Chris Luker explained, "In February 2005, following a competitive assessment, Morrison were appointed as Project Advisors to assist the British Antarctic Survey in assessing

the buildability and cost of the three short listed Halley designs.

"The project will be managed by the Morrison (Falklands) Ltd team from their offices in Stanley, Falkland Islands and Matlock, UK. Morrison are very proud to be working with the British Antarctic Survey on this innovative and prestigious project."

Mr Luker said, "The initial concept is that on site construction is to begin in the Austral summer 2006/7 and continue during the following season."

The design team for the new base consisted of Faber Maunsell as Consulting Engineers and Hugh Broughton as Architects.

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Brasserie hosts a winter wedding for Steve and Tracy

STANLEY residents Tracy Porter and Steve Pearce, were married last Friday at their home in front of family and close friends.

Peter Biggs, Tracy's brother-in-law, performed the ceremony and Jan Parke officiated. Despite threats to wear her dressing gown, the bride did actually dress for the occasion, in a floor length ivory evening dress, patterned in ivory, coffee and copper.

The civil wedding was followed by a full church service and blessing in the Cathedral. A heart warming and moving service was given by Kathy Biles who through her warmth and kindness added to this very special day for Tracy and Steve.

Tracy walked down the aisle on the arm of her eldest son Marcus, and was attended by her younger son Lewis and nephew Jake as page boys. Her niece Reba was Chief Bridesmaid and Kerys, Delen and Tegen Montgomerie, bridesmaids. Steve was accompanied by his younger son Alex as best man.

For the blessing the bride wore a beautiful ivory silk dress, the bodice decorated with fine beading and delicate embroidery in claret, expertly made by Christine Mitchell. She carried a simple bouquet of five red roses and an ivory organza wrap. The younger bridesmaids wore ivory silk dresses and carried ivory organza wraps and the elder girls wore claret silk with claret organza over-skirts and carried claret organza wraps. The page boys wore black Edwardian tail coats.

The groom, best man, and Marcus all wore black suits and matching claret ties. Shirley Peck, the mother of the Bride wore a designer outfit in ivory, black and claret with a knee length black linen jacket, topped off with a matching wide brimmed hat in claret and black straw.

After the service there was a family meal at the Brasserie followed by a reception. On Saturday, Steve and Tracy left to go on a two week honeymoon to Chile.



Graduates take up employment

FALKLAND students who have completed their university education have been fortunate in their quest for employment.

Results have been coming in slowly, over the past few weeks, as Falkland Islands students receive their degree results.

Emma Edwards has obtained her Post Graduate Teaching Certificate at Exeter University, Louise McLeod her Post Graduate Teaching Certificate at St Martins College, Carlisle, while James Wallace attained an MBA with Distinction at Bournemouth University.

Daniel Fowler graduated with a 2:1 BSc Honours Degree in Biological Sciences from Edinburgh University and Samantha Marsh with a 2:2 BSc Honours Degree in Tourism and Management from the University of Surrey. Nicholas Rendell graduated with a 2:2 BA Honours Degree in Geography and Politics from Sheffield University.

Emma begins a new post as a Geography teacher at the John Warner School, Hertfordshire in September; and Louise will teach English at a school in Carlisle in Cumbria.

Nick Rendell and Sammy Marsh have taken up short term Graduate Trainee posts here in the Falkland Islands. Sammy will



Nick Rendell settles in at the Environmental Planning Office work with Stanley Services, Sullivan Shipping and Falkland Islands Tourist Board to gain experience within the tourism industry and Nick is working with the Environmental Planning Department.

Daniel Fowler has been employed as a Fishery Observer and James Wallace is already employed in the UK.

The Education Department would like to congratulate all the students on their achievements.

Falklands 1982 computer game launched

Continued from front

The company says the game, "gives you the chance to relive history" and "will have you smelling cordite and diesel" adding, "it is the ultimate real time simulation of the conflict."

Argentine newspaper *La Nacion* commented that, "The software was designed for strat-

egy specialists and not necessarily the general public." The newspaper also comments on the historical references in the game which it describes as being written, "professionally and quite dispassionately, although clearly from British sources."

The game is currently on sale for US\$44.95.

Airport construction pioneer dies

IT IS with regret that we report the death of Mr Reg Blanchard in England.

Reg was Plant Manager for Johnston Construction Ltd during the building of Stanley Airport 30 years ago.

He was a respected and popular man during his years spent in the Falkland Islands and gave many young islanders at that time otherwise unknown work opportunities. Michael and Neil McKay, Timmy McCallum, Ian McPhee,

Terence Philips, Mike Pole Evans, Raymond Poole and Robert Rowlands were some of those given the chance to learn the operation and repair of heavy earthmoving plant that had never been seen in the Islands before and earn good wages compared with what was available elsewhere in the Islands at that time.

His funeral was held in Boston, Lincolnshire on 21st July. He is survived by his wife Jean.

Steps taken to prevent further power cuts

THE power failure earlier this month was caused by a form of fuel waxing not necessarily due to the temperature on the day it occurred.

Power Station Manager Glenn Ross confirmed that the incident was due to fuel wax, "...albeit different to before."

Mr Ross said the fuel came through in the form of a sludge and refused to recombine, even at 22 degrees celsius, for two weeks.

This sample is from the lower portion of the fuel and does not truly represent the fuel delivered in that waxing and settling and then drawing off has taken place.

He explained that the pre-heater installed in one of the daily fuel tanks to combat fuel waxing is set at 12 degrees and the tank is topped up every few hours. He added, "We are looking at purifying the fuel post delivery and pre-heating one of our main fuel tanks."

Section of Ross Road to be completed in October

FEARS voiced that the section of road which has undergone extensive repair work on Ross Road over the last few weeks is now completed can be dispelled.

Public Works Roads Engineer Bob Hancox said that the section of road near the Jetty Centre is currently temporarily surfaced and is scheduled to be properly surfaced

with asphalt at the start of the season in October.

Mr Hancox said the new sewer and reinstatement works will not suffer in the interim. He added, "the programme was organised like this so that all the works could be completed through a busy area outside of the tourist season."

Communications consultant returns to the Islands

DR CHRIS Doyle will be in the Falklands from July 30 to August 6.

A Communications Consultant, Dr Doyle visited the Islands in September last year and produced a report on the telecommunication

system in the Islands which was made available to the public.

Cable and Wirelss and the Falkland Islands Government will be having meetings with Dr Doyle during his week long visit.

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Your questions answered

Q After the fire at the hospital in the early 1980s it was decided not to house the laboratory inside the hospital in future. Why then has the laboratory now been moved back inside the hospital and how much thought has been given to safety regarding the fire risk? Is this re-siting long term and can you explain where exactly the laboratory is now situated, i.e. what facilities are directly adjacent to it?"

A *Director of Health and Social Services, Nikki Osborne provided the following answer*

Thank you for your enquiry about this matter. Both the Director and Engineering Manager of the hospital who were involved in the laboratory move have since left. Therefore the following comments are derived from the minutes of meetings and correspondence at the time, and from information that other members of FIG and the hospital have been able to provide.

The decision to re-house the laboratory was taken in the middle of 2002. Since the lab was built in 1987, the range, number and complexity of tests carried out had increased considerably. The laboratory became very cramped and the electrical supply was insufficient to enable the staff to run all equipment. Things came to a head when it was decided to extend the laboratory's public health role which meant a further increase in staffing, space and equipment.

There were two options: to build a new laboratory at great expense or to reorganise internally and move the laboratory to its current location on the first floor of the hospital. It was decided that the relocation was the best course to follow. I can find no record of a decision taken in the early 80s not to house the laboratory in the hospital and no evidence that anyone involved in the relocation knew of such a decision. Certainly, there is no mention of the laboratory in the report of the inquiry into the hospital fire.

The laboratory has occupied one side of the first floor since early 2003. A fire door and the stairwell separate it from the only other department in that area which is the podiatry and physiotherapy department. There are rarely more than 2 patients and 4 staff members in the whole of the first floor at any one time. There is an auto-fire detection system.

The Planning, Health and Medical Services, Standing Finance Committees and Executive Council were all involved in the decision-making process. The Chief Fire Officer and Building Control Officer both advised on the project and the laboratory was constructed and equipped to current UK and EU standards, in-

cluding fitting of fire doors, fire detection system and fire extinguishers. As an additional precaution, flammable liquids are stored in a secure store room at a distance from the laboratory and any patient areas. It should be pointed out that most hospitals in the UK have their laboratories in the main building and a laboratory should not present any significant additional hazard in the event of a fire. The Chief Fire Officer confirms this.

The hospital is regularly involved in visits by Fire Department Staff to ensure that it complies with fire safety regulations. Hospital staff undergo regular fire training and practice fire evacuations at approved intervals so that they are prepared for a real emergency.

Q How does one obtain permission to fence and use a piece of Stanley Common and what is the cost for the land?

A *The Attorney General, David Lang replied*

It has not been the policy in recent years to give anybody exclusive occupation of any part of Stanley Common.

The Stanley Common Ordinance reflects the policy that the Common is dedicated in perpetuity for public use. Permission has been granted, for example, to persons wanting to use land on the Common for grazing, but always on the basis that although the land in question must be fenced, it must still be available for the public to walk upon.

Permission has similarly been granted to the Stanley Model Flying Association to fence off an area to use for flying model aircraft. During times the land is not in use for that purpose, the public are free to walk upon it.

If the questioner wishes to fence off part of the Common for some purpose, he should apply to the Stanley Lands Committee. The payment for use of the land, if the application is granted, will depend on the purpose but will take into account that exclusive use has not been granted to the applicant.

Q Since the completion of the MPA Road, how much has it cost in materials, machinery and labour?

A *Public Works Department Roads Engineer, Bob Hancox supplied the following response*

We have undertaken further research on maintenance costs for the MPA road and have concluded that since 1987 we have actually spent £2,006,287 of which £249,669 was spent on winter maintenance (salting costs). These figures exclude any Capital expenditure such as asphaltting or major regraveling.

Temporary hatchery at FIPASS



The hatchery is lifted into place on FIPASS

The first stage of a project which will aid the study of one of the fishing industries most valuable species was put in place this week.

Tuesday morning saw the lifting into place on FIPASS of a temporary fish hatchery facility for CFL Fortuna Fish Farming. Constructed by Buster Summers inside the FIPASS barge, the building was fork lifted out and effortlessly craned into place by Neil McKay. According to Hamish

Wylie, Chairman of the company, the facility has been constructed to enable the company to take advantage of the current toothfish spawning season.

"Whilst nowhere near ideal" said Hamish, "it will enable us to gain a lot of knowledge about these fish a year earlier than we could otherwise have done."

The company hopes to have a permanent facility in place for next season.

ASCENSION ISLAND GOVERNMENT VACANCY - GARDENER-GENERAL WORKER WORKS AND SERVICES DEPARTMENT



The Ascension Island Government (AIG) requires a Gardener-General Worker. The post is within the Public Services Section and reports directly to the Public Services Foreman but is responsible to the Works Manager.

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- To work ship as and when required.
- To undertake any other related duties as requested by the Foreman.

The successful applicant will be expected to work to ISO 9001:2000 accreditation standards and have regard for AIG's health and safety standards. They should ideally hold a valid B2 driving license.

The post is offered as a Single Status Contract for two years. The Job is graded at Level 2 with a minimum and maximum salary band of £4,000 - £7,500 (before tax) per annum. The successful applicant's salary will fall within this salary band and will depend on qualifications and experience. In addition to the salary, a Self-Catering Allowance of £2,610 per annum will be paid. Accommodation will be provided.

For those persons who have applied they need not reapply. For further details concerning the duties of the post, please contact the Works Manager on telephone number 6806 or email

roy.haley@ascension.gov.az

Application forms are available from the Administrator's Office by telephoning 7000 extension 131 or by e-mailing fiona.benjamin@ascension.gov.az

Completed application forms should be returned to the Administrator's Office by hand or on fax number 00 247 6152 or email address cathy.cranfield@ascension.gov.az by no later than Wednesday, 17th A Kettlewell, Administrator, Georgetown, Ascension Island

Executive/Judicial distinction blurred?

THE investigation into the complaints of bullying by the former Director of Health raises another issue of concern.

The Senior Magistrate is the only resident member of the judiciary in the Islands. As such, she has a clear (and sometimes onerous) responsibility to maintain her independence from FIG.

The complaint against the Director of Health was an internal matter for the Government to resolve. The investigation and resolution of that complaint was the responsibility of the Executive,

and the Executive alone. It is essential in our small community that there is a clear demarcation between the Judiciary and the Executive.

On occasions in the past we have seen attempts to erode this by the Executive: by participating in an internal investigation, the Senior Magistrate has now blurred that distinction further.

This now brings into question whether she can fulfil her constitutional role of being an independent tribunal.

Name and address withheld

Legislative Councillors should be full time position

Following the question posed in last week's editorial that councillors should receive adequate recompense for their time spent on Council and that this may encourage more candidates.

I would suggest that, as important, would be the move away from the present situation whereby councillors have to make

decisions that could be seen as directly affecting their own business interests.

If election to Council is seen as a full time position, and paid accordingly; elected representatives would not have to resort to other means in order to make a living.

Phil Middleton
Stanley

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Teachers do talk to pupils

I DO not intend to further debate in *Penguin News* the issues I raised in my letter of 15th July but I would like to dispel some areas of misconception evident in Ann Gray's letter. ('Angry')PN July 22, and refute the inference that we do not talk to each other.

1) I would have thought 'Angry' would be aware of the *Teenage Forum* which was held fortnightly in the hospital last year, over a period of several months, with a member from Social Services serving on that forum as secretary. I was also a member of the forum with pupils from Year 9, 10 and 11 at FICS, as was Sarah Clement who was a driving force behind the forum. We were allowed to invite relevant professionals and anyone else we considered had a part to play in teenage life in this community, to those meetings, and we did. Unfortunately, our concerns were not taken forward at that time, and, as far as I am aware, the promised report, from the then Manager of the hospital, never materialised.

2) Frances Douse was one person - there was no *they*, as 'Angry' stated in her letter, and Frances wrote her letter at a time when her unpleasant experience had recently begun and was still on-going. The fact that she was on the point of departure is irrelevant. As Alan Purvis said in his letter on bullying, (PN 22nd July), Frances was given a good deal of staff support in school and those who were giving her a hard time were spoken to in no uncertain

terms - by myself, amongst others.

3) No one is blaming all parents - only those who have little idea where their children are or what they are doing.

4) Any pupil who passes through my classroom will confirm that his/her eyes glaze over when yet again I try to highlight the hazards, present and future, associated with early drinking, smoking and sex. Cynicism aside, pupils I teach will also confirm that lively debates on these issues take place from time to time. So, strangely enough, we do talk to, and with our young people. Parents are also asked to come and discuss the problems their child may be experiencing, as they would in any other school.

5) Yes, the police are active in their consultations with young people and, to my knowledge, at least three young boys, and their parents, have, in recent weeks, been spoken to about underage drinking. We also have good liaison with the police vis-à-vis a variety of issues concerning young people.

6) I cannot comment on hospital consultations with young people or their parents for obvious reasons. Doctors are bound by the Hippocratic Oath which prevents a breach of patient/doctor confidentiality.

7) Finally, I fail to understand which part of the phrase 'classes in parenting' 'Angry' did not understand.

Veronica Fowler

Potholed road saves a dogs life

WE WERE all prepared on Tuesday morning to carry out emergency surgery on a dog coming in from Mount Pleasant with a rubber ball lodged at the back of his throat.

This was causing the dog considerable distress and leading to breathing difficulties. Instruments were prepared and the anaesthetics got ready.

The patient duly arrived about

an hour after the initial call but bounded out of the vehicle looking as fit as a fiddle. Why the great improvement? Apparently about 20 minutes out of MPA the dog had been subjected to a sudden jolt as the vehicle hit a pot hole in the road and out came the ball. So pot holes can serve a useful purpose - just occasionally!

Steve Pointing
Senior Veterinary Officer



A Public Works Department employee calmly explains his considered professional opinion of the MPA road.



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FIDC unwise investment?

WHILST reading last week's Penguin News (22.07.05), I came across a little gem hidden under the title 'Mussel farming development will continue'. For those who may have missed it, I will repeat the beginning:

"Block budget approval was sought in seven areas, totalling £493,000 at the Falkland Islands Development Board meeting on Tuesday. Approval was granted for all but one project.

The sum of £418,500 was approved for administration central costs; £15,000 for FalklandIslands.com; £23,000 for the maintenance of commercial assets; £3,000 for the maintenance of rural assets; £10,000 for the dairy and £10,000 for Small Business Development etc."

A further sum of £14,000 was mentioned as having been deferred, thereby giving the full amount of very nearly half a million.

I take this to mean that for approximately £80,000 spent on development, it takes £420,000 to administer. The mind boggles!

I am sure there are various local entrepreneurs developing their businesses to this extent, without the need for excessive overheads. One person should be able to administer £100,000 worth of development money without too much

trouble.

I do not believe that Government should be held responsible for every want within the community but I do believe they are responsible for spending tax payers money wisely. I do not believe that granting FIDC half a million to spend most of it on administration costs is wise.

Maybe we could move development back to one office in Government and free up a building, along with at least £300,000! The Secretariat could then move into the FIDC building and we gain a large central building for development.

A community centre perhaps? Our youth would then have the opportunity of getting themselves off the street and out of the public eye.

Should renovation prove expensive, perhaps alcohol could be taxed to the same level as cigarettes to pay for it. This would then send a message to the whole community that a drinking culture is not desirable and give them an alternative as well.

Should that scenario not meet with approval, the MPA road could soak up £300,000 a year as easily as FIDC and maybe we would not be covered in mud each time it rains.
**Nancy Poole,
Stanley**

'Pleasantly surprised' on Bleaker

I THOUGHT I would share our Bleaker Island weekend winter break.

We had a wonderful relaxing weekend. The Island is ideal for walks for all ages as it is so flat. The beautiful sandy beach is stunning and you can see Gentoo penguins returning from fishing trips to their three rookeries. There are numerous types of birds of all sizes - what an experience to see hundreds and hundreds of King Cormorants flying from the small surrounding islands to their night time

resting sites. They fly silently and all you can hear is the whoosh whoosh of so many wings flying in formation.

Cobbs Cottage is modern, fresh, comfortable and warm, a real home from home. The old journal about Bleaker Island was fascinating reading.

We were really pleasantly surprised and thought it worthy of an account in *Penguin News*.
**Bernadette Pring
Stanley**

Surface Mount Pleasant Road using reserves

With reference to the MPA Road, I believe we have £70 million in the reserves. Why not use £20 million and Tarmac the road this year.

I suggest we use the money and

a road gang at each end of the road.

If we save one life it will be worth it.

**V L Berntsen,
Stanley**

Correction to tourism related article

An article entitled 'Islands attractive as wilderness destination' in last weeks *PN* stated that estimate of the total income from tourism would be £2.8 million.

In fact, £2.8million was an estimated value for cruise ship passengers only, with an additional approximate figure of £1.3m - £1.8m for land-based, making a total of £4.1m to £4.6 million as an overall estimate of the value of tourism.

Lan 'blunder' again with forms

JUST like last month the Lan crew made a blunder on the July 16 non-stop flight from Punta Arenas to Stanley by trying to hand out landing cards and customs declaration forms for entry in to Argentina.

There is no excuse for this occurring again. We, like many other passengers refused to accept the forms, but incredibly that did not stop the same crew member try-

ing a second time. Full marks for persistence but zero marks for Lan who assured us in a *Penguin News* article (June 17) that training of the cabin crew would be carried out in respect of the entry forms required for the route and the Falklands.

To cap it all the food offered was as indigestible as the service.
**David and Carol Eynon
Stanley**

MPA road - 'common sense required'

ON the subject of the Stanley / MPA road. Is this a ploy by government to pressurise our councillors into withdrawing multi-millions of pounds from our consolidated fund, which would then be handed over to an overseas contractor?

This tactic must not be allowed to succeed. With the squid funds drying up, it is only a matter of time before eyes become focused on our reserves so beware.

I refuse to believe that a decent all-weather road cannot be created within our budget and with our present assets.

Of course, a great deal of common sense would be required, sadly lacking in the Falklands of late. With local knowledge and experience, I'm sure something could be produced without breaking the bank.

**Ian Mcleod
Stanley**

Support for Allan's MPA road campaign

I FULLY support John Allan's campaign for sealing the MPA road. It's about time Government stopped making excuses about the road and set up a system so that this coming summer a programme of work together with a good gang and reliable plant could complete three to five kilometres per year.

Yes, it will be expensive but it is our principal road. Some funds

could be allocated from the consolidated account, whilst Government could channel additional funds by savings made, if they became much leaner and started to reduce the bureaucracy and paper pushers that now pervade the Civil Service.

**Dave Eynon
Stanley**

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Falkland Islands Rifle Association: Bisley 2005

By Gerald Cheek

THE shooters representing the Falkland Islands at Bisley have once again given a good account of themselves at the annual competition in Surrey.

Each year the Bisley ranges near Guildford in Surrey are the venue for the Imperial Meetings. Whenever possible the Falkland Islands Rifle Association send competitors to the UK to take part in both the individual and team shoots.

This year six competitors attended. Ken Aldridge, Gareth Goodwin, Chris McCallum, Derek Goodwin, Christian Berntsen and Ron Betts. Ron resides in Australia now but having been born in the Falklands he qualifies to shoot for the Islands.

In the Junior Mackinnon team event the Falklands came third from a total of seven teams competing. Highveld were first with 359.16v. Trinidad and Tobago were second with 347.25v. The Falkland Islands were third with 339.18v (see table below for individual scores).

The Junior Kolapore which is shot over 300, 500 and 600 yards was also competed for with seven teams. Malaysia took first place with 590.83v the Highveld Provinces were second with 585.7v. West Indies third with 571.51v and the Falkland Islands fourth with 568.42v. Isle of Man, Normandy and Cape of Good Hope followed.

Junior Overseas was also shot over 300, 500 and 600 yards but with seven scoring shots on each range that is a possible score per competitor of 105. Highveld Provinces took first place with 411.51v. Malaysia were second with 409.42v and the Falklands were third with 389.30v. (See below for individual scores). The next best teams were West Indies, Isle of Man, Normandy and Holland.

A new team shoot was introduced this year called the Parting Shoot. Ten teams took part with the Falklands again picking fourth place.

Out of the individual events at Bisley the Falklands shooters took part in 12 with varying success.

No less than 1,018 shooters took part in the grand aggregate. In the final placings Ron Betts came 179th, Ken Aldridge was 192nd, Gareth Goodwin was 678th, Chris McCallum was 691st, Derek Goodwin 737th and Christian Berntsen was 756th.

Without doubt the greatest achievement was that of Ron Betts who qualified for the final stage of the Queens Prize, this is the dream of every marksman who attends Bisley.

In the final Ron scored a credible 145 which added to his Second Stage score placing him 55th with a final score of 293. The winner of the competition scored the highest possible score of 300. It is worth noting that this is the sixth time a competitor from the Falklands has qualified for the Bisley Final. Former qualifiers are E McAtasney in 1934, R Henriksen in 1978 and 1980 and Ron previously in 1989 and 1995.

Ken, Chris and Gareth were also achieving good scores. Ken and Gareth put in 73.8v and 74.9v respectively which qualified them for the second stage of the St Georges competition. Ken also qualified for the second stage of the Queens Prize.

Although it was Christian and Derek's first time at Bisley they also showed good form. In the Prince of Wales shoot Christian put in a very credible 72.13v which earned him a tankard and in the Kolapore shoot his score was 143 out of a 150 possible. Derek also shot a 72 in the Parting Shot team and in the Queen's Consolation he again scored 72 which put him in 12th position from 150 competitors.

All in all a successful Bisley meeting where again our Falkland Islands shooters gave a good account of themselves in some extremely trying conditions, especially given the high temperatures most days. Many thanks again to the Falkland Islands Company Ltd who sponsored the team's flights and to our faithful sweepstake supporters.



Left to right: Ron Betts, Ken Aldridge, Chris McCallum and Gareth Goodwin. Seated, the Falkland team's coach Bob Allan who coached Scotland for the Commonwealth Games.



A line up of shooters at Bisley. More than 300 marksmen line up for the 108 targets

Falkland Islands Rifle Association (Bisley History)

The first full bore rifle shooting club was formed in 1891. Shooting has taken place ever since with only the World Wars I and II and the 1982 Occupation causing exception.

The first Falklands team to visit Bisley was in 1927, this team included the Governor of that time, Arnold Hodson.

Local teams have attended Bisley many times since then and have won in the team events a total of eight times as follows:-

Junior Kolapore 300, 500 and 600 yards

Year	Score
1930	516 (600 possible score)
1934	547 (600 possible score)
1947	514 (600 possible score)
1957	552 (600 possible score)

Junior Mackinnon 900 and 1000 yards

1937	316 (400 possible score)
1947	301 (400 possible score)
1948	327 (400 possible score)
1980	365 (400 possible score)

In 1980 the Falkland Islands won the Nobel Cup having the highest aggregate score in the team events.

Falklands team: Junior Mackinnon scores

	900	1000	Total
K Aldridge	45.1v	43.5v	88.8v
G Goodwin	44.2v	43.3v	87.5v
R Betts	47.4v	39.0v	86.5v
C McCallum	38.1v	40.1v	78.2v
			339.18v

Falklands team: Junior Overseas scores

	300	500	600	Total
R Betts	33.2v	35.3v	32.3v	100.8v
K Aldridge	31.2	34.4v	33.3v	98.9v
C McCallum	32.3v	31.3v	34.2	97.8v
G Goodwin	31.1v	33.3v	30.1v	94.5v
				389.30v

Meet the rockers: Backstage with the Fighting Pig Band



Lead singer Len McGill entertains at a private function last week



Bass guitarist Ray Robson



Bass guitarist Tim Cotter in his 'hair' day



Left to right: Guest singer Norman Clark, Gerard Robson and Charles Keenleyside take a break during renovations to The Trough

By Sharon Jaffray
 A TYPICAL Fighting Pig start to a gig is a humorous safety brief, completely off the cuff and accompanied by a steady beat from the band. Regular Trough goers treat it almost as a warm up before a work out. They lazily stretch a few muscles and sway to the music in readiness for the wall of sound that is about to assault their senses and keep them dancing for the next two hours.

The four man band are an unlikely bunch with varied backgrounds who all play a serious role within the community. Lead guitarist Gerard Robson is Senior Flight Information Officer with the Falkland Islands Civil Aviation Department, a former councillor and school teacher. Drummer Pete King is Government Secretary, lead singer Len McGill is Police Inspector McGill by day while bass guitarist, ex Navy man and physics teacher, Tim Cotter is involved in Infrastructure Development with the Falkland Islands Development Corporation (FIDC).

The Fighting Pigs known affectionately as The Pigs are older than their Trough. The actual formation date is uncertain, but members believe that the Fighting Pig Band was formed around 1981 by Pete King, Manfred Keenleyside, Gerard Robson, and Simon Goss, who had all played together previously in different bands such as Dhome, Junkroc and the Che Coat Band. Len McGill joined up in 1983 moving from the hard rock band known as Candlepower.

The Trough originated from an eight unit Portakabin complex used by the RAF as a sergeants mess post 1982. A bargain for £50 in the early 1990's, the band have since spent more than £50,000 converting it to a music club. (No wonder they get a bit 'pigged off' about cigarettes and gum in the carpets). A recent extension to the building has added a separate function room - as yet unfurnished - the Pigs plan to create a comfortable area for those who are not into two hours of frenzied dancing.

Len confessed to being almost press

ganged into singing for the band. His days in the Cathedral choir had ensured he could hit the right notes and some gentle persuasion from the band resulted in him hanging up his bass guitar and taking his place at the front of the Fighting Pigs. He is still some what modest about his talent and is often heard to open a gig with the comment, "... unfortunately the singer couldn't make it tonight so I'm here in his place."

Len's most treasured memory with the band are the final moments of the South West Atlantic Millennium party held on the football pitch. Singing Brown Eyed Girl for the third time by special request he was barely able to finish the song for the lump in his throat and the sheer emotion he experienced as he watched the first sunrise of the millennium spread light on one of the biggest parties ever to be held in the Falklands.

The band's desire to have their own venue was born from a dislike of shifting unwieldy equipment in and out of the Town Hall and seeing other people making money from their music. Six beers between them was not considered to be a great return for a night of live music.

The first gig to take place in the Trough was on May 6, 1994 and celebrated a certain ladies fortieth birthday. The format was slightly different with a licensed bar and the Pigs playing to an audience of around 60. However having to shut at 1am wore a bit thin with Pigs who like to stay up late and make a lot of noise. Drummer Pete King stumbled on the solution during his travels one winter. Establishments in Australia were using the bring your own refreshment format. The Fighting Pigs took the idea on board, did away with the pay bar and Saturday nights rolled on into Sunday mornings on a regular basis.

Gerard, instantly recognisable by his trademark faded denim jacket, is an accomplished guitarist, vocalist and songwriter who can belt out a note perfect Dire Straits' Sultan of Swing one minute and ease the soothing notes of

Layla from an acoustic guitar the next. Described as shy and retiring by some and a 'miserable git' by fellow band members once he has his guitar plugged into an amp he is a force to be reckoned with. Some of his songs can be heard on the popular Fag Ash Blondes CD, a project he and Ray worked on with help from their friends. (I have heard that there will be more from Gerard and the possibility of a Pigs recording too)

Pete has been playing drums since he was a mere lad and has helped other budding drummers in the Islands with their music. His love of music and enjoyment from playing keeps him practising everyday. He has a varied taste in music from jazz to rock and is unique in so much as he is the only member of the band who admits to being partial to a bit of country music or 'Piggin Country' as they refer to their particular brand of country rock. No-one is sure who pens the *Pig Line*, a humorous reflection on events past and present (but it seems to reflect Pete's quirky sense of humour) - an infrequent publication to be found on the web site www.fightingpigband.com. Those who hold special occasion private functions are often presented with a personalised *Pig Line* as a memento of the event.

Tim Cotter has been playing bass guitar with the band for two years, filling the gap when former bass guitarist Ray Robson suffered an accident to his finger which has since prevented him from playing with the Pigs. Tim hails from Plymouth and has worked extensively with bands around the UK. At one point in his varied music background he was getting a lot of work because members of other bands were residing at her Majesty's pleasure.

The Fighting Pigs have hosted several famous musicians in the Islands only late night club including Jeff Rich of Status Quo and Hank Wangford a consultant gynaecologist/author by day and country singer songwriter by night. Jeff was sponsored by the Shackleton fund and Hank jointly by FIDC, Tourism and the Shackleton Fund. Don

Powell the drummer with Slade has graced the Trough with his presence. Bob Pearce, a Southampton based blues guitarist has visited the Falklands four times sponsored by the Pigs with help from the Shackleton Fund and discounted accommodation from Mike Rendell the former owner of the Malvina Hotel. Bob's backing band Blues etc also visited in 2003. More recently Scottish singer/songwriter Andi Neate bought her own brand of entertainment to the Trough. Unfortunately, due to the small community these are not profit making ventures and the band are usually left with a fairly large tab to pick up at the end of the visit.

The band have treated Chile to some of their music with a tour of Santiago in 1996. In the UK they have played several venues in Swindon when in 1997 they took part in the Task Force Reunion in Gosport. The Supremes and Three Degrees were among bands who performed at the same function.

Needless to say while these guys are leading rock star lifestyles the wives are left with the less than glamorous tasks - namely entrance control. Rosie King and Phyl Robson are the ladies you are most likely to meet on the door at the Trough. The job's a tough one but fair and firm is the order of the day as they collect the £4 entrance fee.

Naturally the band have seen some amusing sights from their vantage point on the stage but the night they discovered the building was fitted with an automatic brawler ejection unit is a favourite. Two guys started a scuffle near the fire exit and fell against the door which promptly came open ejecting them into the night air. A bystander promptly shut the door behind them and the band didn't miss a beat...but then, do they ever?

If you want to book the Fighting Pig Band for a function or hire The Trough contact Phyl Robson on 21324 or get in touch with any band member for more information on the entertainment opportunities available.



Pete King on drums at a recent gig



Left to right: Manfred Keenleyside, Pete King and Charles Keenleyside



Guest drummer Kevin George



Dedicated followers of fashion Gerard Robson, Pete King and Tim Winteringham in the 1970's



Visiting singer/songwriter Andi Neate



Saturday 30th July
 8.30 ROOM 785
 8.40 TAZ-MANIA
 9.00 SHORT CHANGE Young people's consumer magazine
 9.30 BLUE PETER
 10.00 THE SATURDAY SHOW
 11.30 FANTASTIC FOUR: UK PREMIERE
 11.50 ARCTIC GIANTS Polar Bears.
 12.30 A QUESTION OF SPORT Sue Barker hosts the sports quiz, with team captains Ally McCoist and Matt Dawson. Alongside Matt are snooker world champion Shaun Murphy and motorcycle great Carl Fogarty. Joining Ally are French international striker Djibril Cisse and former world champion athlete Steve Cram
 1.00 NEWS
 1.10 GRANDSTAND It's crunch time in rugby league's Powergen Cup as St Helens and Hull battle it out for a place in the final at Cardiff's Millennium Stadium next month. Clare Balding presents live coverage of the final day of Glorious Goodwood. Hazel Irvine is at Royal Birkdale for the third round day of the Women's British Open. And there's the best of the action from Montreal where the World Swimming Championships are taking place
 6.25 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER
 6.35 CREATURE COMFORTS
 6.45 CELEBRITY STARS IN THEIR EYES
 7.40 THE O.C. The New Era: American drama series set in the wealthy coastal community of Orange County
 8.20 CASUALTY
 9.10 MOVIE PRESENTATION: ANY GIVEN SUNDAY (2000) Tense American football drama about an ageing coach holding his team together through a losing streak. Starring Al Pacino, Cameron Diaz, Dennis Quaid, James Woods, Jamie Foxx and LL Cool J.
 11.40 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 11.55 BIG BROTHER
 12.35[am] NEWS 24

Sunday 31st July
 8.30 ROOM 785 Starting with POTATOES AND DRAGONS
 8.40 STUPID Madcap fantasy comedy
 9.05 STINGRAY
 9.35 CHARLIE AND THE CHOCOLATE FACTORY - BEHIND THE SCENES SPECIAL
 10.00 NEWS 24 SUNDAY
 11.00 THE HEAVEN AND EARTH SHOW
 12.00 HOLLYOAKS
 1.55 GRAND PRIX Live coverage of the Hungarian Grand Prix from the Hungaroring
 3.45 CARTOON TIME
 3.55 ONE TREE HILL
 4.35 THE SIMPSONS
 5.20 HOLLYWOOD'S GREATEST FANTASY SPECIAL EFFECTS Documentary taking a fascinating look at the special effects used by films to create fantasy worlds
 6.00 TOP GEAR
 7.00 KIDNAPPED Lavish adaptation of Stevenson's classic Scottish novel
 7.50 TFI CYPRUS
 7.55 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 8.20 FRASIER American sitcom about a radio psychiatrist
 8.40 DOC MARTIN
 9.30 MOVIE PRESENTATION: ELECTION (1999) Cynical, acerbic comedy about the battle to become student body president. Starring Reese Witherspoon, Matthew Broderick, Chris Klein, Jessica Campbell, Mark Harelik and Molly Hagan Followed by:
 BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 11.05 MONARCHY Dr David Starkey continues his assessment of the British monarchy



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11.55 BIG BROTHER
 12.45 [am] NEWS 24

Monday 1st August
 7.00 BREAKFAST
 10.15 ROOM 785
 10.30 MAKE AND DO
 10.40 THE STORYMAKERS
 11.00 ANIMAL PARK - WILD IN AFRICA
 11.30 THIS MORNING
 1.30 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 2.10 EMMERDALE
 2.55 HOUSE DOCTOR: A DESIGN FOR LIVING
 3.45 ROOM 785
 4.00 REALLY WILD SHOW
 4.30 THE STABLES
 5.00 GALIDOR DEFENDERS OF THE OUTER DIMENSION
 5.45 THE KING OF QUEENS Sitcom
 6.05 CORONATION STREET
 6.30 MY HERO
 7.00 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 7.30 EASTENDERS
 8.00 THE BILL
 8.45 GELDOF IN AFRICA
 9.15 WAKING THE DEAD Shadowplay. (Part one). The start of another two-part story in the police drama series. Police drama series
 10.15 ANN WIDDECOMBE TO THE RESCUE (New) Series following the no-nonsense MP as she goes on the road to attempt to solve a variety of family crises, love quandaries and workplace spats Followed by:
 BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 10.50 8 OUT OF 10 CATS
 11.15 FRONTLINE FOOTBALL Bosnia: In a series of intimate portraits of celebrities, Bud Ekin talks of his friendship with Steve McQueen
 11.30 THIS MORNING
 1.30 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 2.10 HEARTBEAT
 3.00 HOUSE DOCTOR: A DESIGN FOR LIVING Bletchley: Interior design series
 3.45 ROOM 785
 3.55 50/50
 4.25 BLUE PETER

Tuesday 2nd August
 7.00 BREAKFAST
 10.15 ROOM 785
 10.30 MAKE AND DO
 10.40 THE STORYMAKERS
 11.00 MY BEST FRIEND Steve McQueen: In a series of intimate portraits of celebrities, Bud Ekin talks of his friendship with Steve McQueen
 11.30 THIS MORNING
 1.30 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 2.10 HEARTBEAT
 3.00 HOUSE DOCTOR: A DESIGN FOR LIVING Bletchley: Interior design series
 3.45 ROOM 785
 3.55 50/50
 4.25 BLUE PETER

4.50 GRANGE HILL
 5.15 TIME TEAM
 6.05 CORONATION STREET
 6.30 A SEASIDE PARISH
 7.00 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 7.30 EASTENDERS
 8.00 THE BILL
 8.45 YOU ARE WHAT YOU EAT (New)
 9.10 THE TRUTH ABOUT KILLING Journalist Grub Smith undergoes infantry training in order to assess how easy it really is to kill in battle. His investigation is inspired by research carried out after World War II which suggests that the vast majority of front-line American soldiers refused to shoot to kill
 9.35 NIP/TUCK Followed by: BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 10.45 ESCAPE TO THE LEGION Adventurer and explorer Bear Grylls attempts to guide 11 recruits through the brutal month-long Saharan training regime of the legendary French Foreign Legion.
 11.35 THE BIGGER PICTURE WITH GRAHAM NORTON (New)
 12.05[am] BIG BROTHER
 12.45[am] NEWS 24

Wednesday 3rd August
 7.00 BREAKFAST
 10.15 ROOM 785
 10.30 MAKE AND DO
 10.40 THE STORYMAKERS
 11.00 ANIMAL PARK - WILD IN AFRICA
 11.30 THIS MORNING
 1.30 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 2.10 EMMERDALE
 2.55 HOUSE DOCTOR: A DESIGN FOR LIVING
 3.45 ROOM 785
 4.05 TINY AND MR DUK'S HUGE SHOW
 4.35 GIRLS IN LOVE
 4.55 COMBAT CLUB
 5.20 AIRLINE USA Docusoap
 5.45 MY WIFE AND KIDS
 6.05 CORONATION STREET
 6.30 AFRICAN SCHOOL
 7.00 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 7.30 BUFFY THE VAMPIRE SLAYER
 8.10 PIONEER HOUSE A group of diverse men, women and children travel to 1628 to forge a working British colony at the dawn of modern America.
 9.00 DESPERATE HOUSEWIVES
 9.40 CASANOVA Three-part drama about the legendary Italian lover, Casanova Followed by: BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 10.40 MAKE ME A SUPERMODEL

11.30 LATER PRESENTS... STANLEY ROAD REVISITED
 12.30[am] BIG BROTHER
 1.10[am] NEWS 24

Thursday 4th August
 7.00 BREAKFAST
 10.15 ROOM 785
 10.30 MAKE AND DO
 10.40 THE STORYMAKERS
 11.00 DIY SOS
 11.30 THIS MORNING
 1.30 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 2.10 HEARTBEAT
 2.55 HOUSE DOCTOR: A DESIGN FOR LIVING
 3.45 ROOM 785
 4.10 PLANET COOK
 4.30 BLUE PETER
 5.00 SERIOUS DESERT (New) Documentary
 5.25 ENTERPRISE
 6.05 CORONATION STREET
 6.50 CREATURE COMFORTS
 7.00 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 7.30 EASTENDERS
 8.00 HOLBY CITY
 9.00 LIFE ISN'T ALL HIA HIA HEE HEE (New) Drama series. Starring Ayesha Dharker, Meera Syal, Laila Rouass, Sanjeev Bhaskar and Ace Bhatti
 10.00 RAMSAY'S KITCHEN NIGHTMARES Followed by: BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 10.50 ARRESTED DEVELOPMENT (New) Comedy series about a rich dysfunctional family
 11.10 ARRESTED DEVELOPMENT
 11.35 BADDIEL AND SKINNER UNPLANNED
 12.00 BIG BROTHER
 12.40[am] THE ASHES 2ND TEST HIGHLIGHTS
 1.05 [am] NEWS 24

Friday 5th August
 7.00 BREAKFAST
 10.15 ROOM 785
 10.30 MAKE AND DO
 10.40 THE STORYMAKERS
 11.00 ANIMAL PARK - WILD IN AFRICA
 11.30 THIS MORNING
 1.30 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 2.10 EMMERDALE
 2.55 HOUSE DOCTOR: A DESIGN FOR LIVING Interior design series
 3.45 ROOM 785
 3.55 ATOMIC BETTY
 4.20 THE BIG BANG
 4.35 THE WEEK ON NEWSROUND
 4.55 MY PARENTS ARE ALIENS
 5.15 THE GADGET SHOW
 5.40 THE CITY GARDENER
 6.05 CORONATION STREET
 6.30 SHOULD I WORRY ABOUT...?
 7.00 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 7.30 EASTENDERS
 8.00 HOW CLEAN IS YOUR HOUSE?
 8.25 QUEER EYE FOR THE STRAIGHT GUY
 9.10 MURPHY'S LAW (New) Crime drama series about a maverick undercover cop. Starring James Nesbitt, Owen Teale, Michael Feast, Mark Womack, Michael Fassbender and Georgia Mackenzie
 10.10 THE KUMARS AT NO 42
 10.40 ER Drama series. Followed by: BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 11.25 BIG BROTHER
 11.50 BLACK EYED PEAS - IN PROFILE
 12.15[am] BIG BROTHER
 12.40[am] NEWS 24

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Your programmes - F.I.B.S.

Weekly schedule of programmes - as updated by FIBS

SATURDAY

5:00 IRN News & Childrens Corner
6:00 Weather, Flights, Ranges, Announcements, Job Shop & What's on Guide
6:17 The Archers
6:30 News Review
7:00 In Concert
8:00 Feature Presentation
8:30 Weather, Flights & The Fusion with Stacy
10:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

SUNDAY

5:00 IRN News & Chaplains Choice with Paul Sweeting
5:30 Classical Interlude with Kathy Biles
6:00 Weather, Flights, Ranges, Announcements, Job Shop & What's on Guide
6:15 Short Story
6:30 Feature Presentation
7:00 Sunday Evening Service
8:00 Slow Jams with Jock to include Weather & Flights at 8.30
10:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

MONDAY

7:00 IRN News & Breakfast Show with Ken (530mw & 88.3fm)
9:00 KTV Radio Nova
10:00 IRN News & Lifestyle with Liz to include
12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
12:30 Calling The Falklands (repeat)
1:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm
4:00 IRN News & People's Jukebox
5:00 IRN News followed by Jukebox
6:00 IRN News & The Archers
6:15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop followed by Country Crossroads
7:00 Comedy presentation
7:30 Music feature
8:30 Weather, Flights & The Vinyl Frontier with Myriam
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

TUESDAY

7:00 IRN News & Breakfast Show with Ken (530mw & 88.3fm)
9:00 KTV Radio Nova
10:00 IRN News & Lifestyle with Liz to include
12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
12:30 One To One
1:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm
4:00 IRN News & People's Jukebox
5:00 IRN News followed by Jukebox
6:00 IRN News & The Archers
6:15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop followed by Calling The Falklands
6:45 Simply Classical
7:45 Folk Music Show
8:30 Weather, Flights & 80's and 90's with Sheena
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

WEDNESDAY

7:00 IRN News & Breakfast Show with Ken (530mw & 88.3fm)
9:00 KTV Radio Nova
10:00 IRN News & Lifestyle with Liz to include
12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
12:30 Calling The Falklands (repeat)
1:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm
4:00 IRN News & People's Jukebox
5:00 IRN News followed by Jukebox
6:00 IRN News & The Archers
6:15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop followed by The Best Of with Jock
7:30 Drama Presentation
8:30 Weather, Flights & FIBS Chart Show
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

THURSDAY

7:00 IRN News & Breakfast Show with Ken (530mw & 88.3fm)
9:00 KTV Radio Nova
10:00 IRN News & Lifestyle with Liz to include
12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
1:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm
4:00 IRN News & People's Jukebox
5:00 IRN News followed by Jukebox
6:00 IRN News & The Archers
6:15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop followed by Soul, Blues & Rock 'n' Roll with Liz
7:30 Feature Presentation
8:00 Pot Luck with Myriam to include Weather & Flights at 8.30
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

FRIDAY

7:00 IRN News & Breakfast Show with Ken (530mw & 88.3fm)
9:00 KTV Radio Nova
10:00 IRN News & Lifestyle with Liz to include
12:15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
12:30 Caught In The Net/Camp Matters
1:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm
4:00 IRN News & People's Jukebox
5:00 IRN News followed by Jukebox
6:00 IRN News & The Archers
6:15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop followed by The Information Hour to include
Calling The Falklands
One To One (repeat)
Conservation Conversations (repeat)
Caught In The Net/Camp Matters (repeat)
7:30 Non-Stop Country Hour
8:30 Weather, Flights & Leather and Lace with Tansy
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

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98.5 FM:
SATURDAY 0000 Groove Collective
PT 2 0100 The Box 0300 Cox & Bumfry
0500 Early Riser 0700 Forces Finest PT
1 0800 Saturday Breakfast 1000 The Score
1300 Forces Finest 1500 Cox & Bumfry
1700 Ministry Of Sound 1900 David
Rodigan 2100 Club Culture 2300 The
Box PT 1
SUNDAY 0000 The Box PT 2 0100
Chill Out Room 0300 Sim Courtie 0500
Groove Collective 0700 UK Sunday Break-
fast 1000 Sim Courtie 1200 Access all
Areas 1400 Airplay UK 1700 The Source
1900 The Rock Show 2100 Up from the
Underground 2300 Chill Out Room PT
MONDAY 0000 Chill Out Room PT 2
0100 Forces Finest 0300 BFBS Greatest
Hits 0400 Early Riser 0700 Hermina
Graham 1000 Heidi Secker 1300 Richard
Hutchinson 1600 Hatch & Duffus 1800

BFBS Greatest Hits 1900 UK Top 40
2200 Late Show with Lisa Davis
TUESDAY 0000 UK Late Show 0100
David Rodigan 0300 Greatest Hits 0400
Early Riser 0700 Hermina Graham 1000
Heidi Secker 1300 Richard Hutchinson
1600 Hatch & Duffus 1800 BFBS Greatest
Hits 1900 Evening Show 2200 Late Show
with Lisa Davis
WEDNESDAY 0000 UK Late Show
0100 Club Culture 0300 - 0000 As of
Tuesday
THURSDAY 0000 UK Late Show 0100
The Rock Show 0300 - 1600 As of
Tuesday 1600 Hatch & Duffus 1800
BFBS Greatest Hits 1900 UK Evening
Show 2200 Late Show with Lisa Davis
FRIDAY 0000 UK Late Show 0100 Up
from the Underground 0300 BFBS Great-
est Hits 0400 Early Riser 0700 Hermina
Graham 1000 Heidi Secker 1300 Richard
Hutchinson 1600 Hatch & Duffus 1800
BFBS Greatest Hits 1900 Friday Dance
2100 Ministry of Sound 2300 The Groove
Collective



550 MW:
SATURDAY 0000 Classic weekend break-
fast 0200 Today 0400 Home Truths 0500
The Now Show 0530 G3 0600 News/
Allinson's albums 0700 Sport on Five
1400 Rockola 1500 The Classic rock show
1600 Raven 'n' the blues 1700 Late night
live 2000 Up all night
SUNDAY 0000 Classic weekend break-
fast 0200 Weekend woman's hour 0300
Sunday Worship 0350 A point of view
0400 Broadcasting House 0520 The
Archers Omnibus 0618 Seven days 0700
BFG on Sunday 0800 Sport on Five 1400
The BFBS Radio 2 Comedy Hour 1500
News/The Archers 1515 A view from 1530
The Chet Baker story 1600 Home truths
1700 Late night live 2000 Up all Night
MONDAY 0000 Morning Reports 0030
Wake up to money 0100 Today 0400
News/Dave Windsor's Gold 0600 BFBS
Radio 2 news 0610 Glen Mansell 0830
Simon Marlow 1100 BFBS Today 1115
The Archers 1130 The Museum of every-
thing 1200 PM 1300 The Six o'clock
News 1330 Classic Rock 1430 Sport on
five 1700 Late night live 1900 Up all Night
TUESDAY 0000 Morning Reports 0030
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on Five 1700 Late night live 1900 Up all
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Gold 0600 BFBS Radio 2 news 0610 Glen
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Albums 1430 Sport on Five 1700 Late
night live 1900 Up all night
THURSDAY 0000 Morning Reports
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News/Dave Windsor's Gold 0600 BFBS
Radio 2 news 0610 Glen Mansell 0830
Simon Marlow 1100 BFBS Today 1115
The Archers 1130 Sitrep 1200 PM 1400
The six o'clock news 1330 Raven 'n' the
Blues 1430 Sport on Five 1700 Late night
live 1900 Up all night
FRIDAY 0000 Morning Reports 0030
Wake up to money 0100 Today 0400
News/Dave Windsor's Gold 0600 BFBS
Radio 2 news 0610 Glen Mansell 0830
Simon Marlow 1100 BFBS Today 1115
The Archers 1130 Just a minute 1200 PM
from BBC Radio 4 1300 The six o'clock
news 1330 Nigel Rennie Country 1430
Sport on Five 1700 Brian Hayes 1900 Up
all night



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Saturday shows starts - 1st Performance 09:30 2nd Performance 14:00 3rd Performance 20:00

Sunday shows starts - 1st Performance 13:00 2nd Performance 17:00 3rd Performance 20:00

Saturday 30 July	Sunday 31 July	Monday 1 August	Tuesday 2 August	Wednesday 3 August	Thursday 4 August	Friday 5 August
VALIANT	MONSTER-IN-LAW	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED
LEAGUE OF GENT APOCALYPSE	KINGDOM OF HEAVEN	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED
KINGDOM OF HEAVEN	MR & MRS SMITH	MR & MRS SMITH	STAR WARS EP III	SIN CITY	MR & MRS SMITH	LEAGUE OF GENT APOCALYPSE

SIN CITY (18) 124 mins. Action/thriller. Jessica Alba, Bruce Willis
MONSTER-IN-LAW (12A) 101 mins. Comedy. Jennifer Lopez, Jane Fonda
LEAGUE OF GENT (APOCALYPSE) (15) Comedy. Jeremy Dyson, Mark Gatiss

KINGDOM OF HEAVEN (15) 144 mins. Drama Sc. Orlando Bloom, Lieke Neeson
MR & MRS SMITH (15) 119 mins. Thriller. Brad Pitt, Angelina Jolie
STAR WARS: EP III (12A) 139 mins. Sci-Fi Act Sc. Ewan McGregor, Hayden Christensen



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	Session 1 8.30-9.30	Session 2 9.30-10.30	Session 3 11.00-12.00	Lunch	Session 4 1.00-2.00	Session 5 2.00-3.00	Session 6 3.30-4.30
Monday 08/08/05	Gym Circuit Session	Play Dough Session	Mosaic Pictures		Gym Ball Games	Aquarun (new one)	Hangman
Tuesday 09/08/05	Clothes Peg Samurai	Origami Session	Chalk Drawing		Choice Session	Football Session	Play Your Cards Right
Wednesday 10/08/05	Gym Games	Noodle Games	Pasta Pictures		Bingo	Doobree	Quiz
Thursday 11/08/05	DVD Session		Model Balloon Session		Felt Animal Making		Free Swim
Friday 12/08/05	Football	Felt Puppet Making			Anagrams	Assault Course	Balloon Volleyball

Week 2 15th – 19th August 05

	Session 1 8.30-9.30	Session 2 9.30-10.30	Session 3 11.00-12.00	Lunch	Session 4 1.00-2.00	Session 5 2.00-3.00	Session 6 3.30-4.30
Monday 15/08/05	Gym Ball Games	Problem Solving Session	Painting & Drawing		Assault Course	Aquarun (old one)	Short Tennis
Tuesday 16/08/05	Gym Games Session	Noodle Games	Origami Session		Balloon Volleyball	Show & Tell	Dart Competition
Wednesday 17/08/05	Collage Session		Hunter & His Dog		Team Games	Felt Puppet making and Play	
Thursday 18/08/05	Hunter & His Dog	Choice Session	Finger Painting		Board Games	Pool Crazy Hour	Hangman
Friday 19/08/05	Treasure Hunt		Rock Painting		DVD Session		Play Dough Session

Week 3 22nd – 26th August 05

	Session 1 8.30-9.30	Session 2 9.30-10.30	Session 3 11.00-12.00	Lunch	Session 4 1.00-2.00	Session 5 2.00-3.00	Session 6 3.30-4.30
Monday 22/08/05	Hockey	Show & Tell	Pasta Models		Lifeguard V Kids Football	Crazy Hour	Model Balloon Session
Tuesday 23/08/05	Clothes Peg Samurai	Potato Prints	Cartoon Session		Play Dough Session	Pool Games	Collage Session
Wednesday 24/08/05	Ball Games	Paper Plane Competition	Chalk Pictures		Assault Course	Museum Trip	Free Swim
Thursday 25/08/05	DVD Session		Scavenger Hunt		Giant Droughts	Doobree	Finger Painting
Friday 26/08/05	Gym Choice Session	Bingo	Skittles		Team Gym Games		Kids Choice

Week 4 29th – 31st August 05

	Session 1 8.30-9.30	Session 2 9.30-10.30	Session 3 11.00-12.00	Lunch	Session 4 1.00-2.00	Session 5 2.00-3.00	Session 6 3.30-4.30
Monday 29/08/05	Football	Hockey	Drawing Session		Lighthouse Seamen's Centre Outing / if not, a DVD Session		Free Swim
Tuesday 30/08/05	Circuit Session	Play Your Cards Right	Collage Session		Play Dough Session	Pool Games	Cartoon Session
Wednesday 31/08/05	Cartoon Session	Painting Session	Ball Games		Team Gym Challenge Party		

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General Practice

with Karen Chenery, Mental Welfare officer

Recognising and coping with depression

DEPRESSION is a common mental health problem that will affect approximately half of all women and a quarter of all men at some point in their lives.

Depression is characterised by low mood, sleep disturbance, changes in appetite, loss of energy, loss of motivation, strong negative emotions like anxiety or guilt, negative thoughts, poor concentration, social withdrawal

Life events and the amount of stress we have to deal with contribute to depression. Prolonged exposure to stress can affect the chemicals that affect our mood. These changes in mood chemicals have been identified as a major factor in the development of depressive illness. Even happy life events such as having a baby may lead to depression. e.g. 80% of new mothers will experience the 'blues', while 10-15% may develop Post-Natal Depression. Depression can affect both young and old alike and it does not discriminate. People of any social, educational or economic background may experience depression.

The first line treatment for depression is antidepressant medication. When prescribing antidepressants several factors are considered by your GP, these include: history of previous treatment, previous response to treatment and other medical factors. The most commonly prescribed antidepressants are Selective Serotonin

Reuptake Inhibitors (SSRIs), namely Fluoxetine, Setraline and Paroxetine. These antidepressants are non addictive and fast acting. You should notice the benefits of taking SSRIs within a few weeks. Most noticeable is improvements in your sleep pattern and appetite. Your mood may lift or you may feel less anxious.

An important point when you start a new antidepressant is to take note of any side effects and report them back to your doctor. Some side effects will pass quickly. If side effects feel unbearable you may feel like stopping the medication. Don't give up though. Tell your doctor. Similar to other types of medication, several different types of antidepressants may be tried before a suitable type can be found. You may have to take an antidepressant for up to one year or more, so it is important to find an antidepressant that is right for you. Please keep in contact with your doctor and don't assume the tablets will not work for you. Even in Camp, medication can be monitored over the telephone.

Another effective treatment for depression is Cognitive Behaviour Therapy (CBT). CBT has been recognised as an effective treatment for depression. CBT teaches you how to recognise your depressive symptoms, negative thought patterns and changes in your behaviour. CBT helps you to learn

new skills in how to tackle depression. The length of treatment will vary between six to 20 sessions.

Unfortunately one episode of depression may lead to another. This is called relapse.

To help prevent relapse you may be asked to take medication for a long time, up to five years or more. Your Doctor may also suggest that you try a combined treatment of antidepressant medication and psychological therapy.

If you are interested in finding out more about depression please contact KEMH. Information leaflets are available at KEMH, contact your Doctor or Karen Chenery.

Reading List (available at FICS library)

The Good Stress Guide (1995) Hartley Mary, Overcoming Depression (1984) Shreeve Caroline, How to Stop Worrying (1992) Tallis Frank, Simple Relaxation (1980) Mitchell Laura, Learn to Sleep Well (2000) Idzikowski Chris

Useful Contacts

Association of Post Natal Depression, 25 Jordan Place, Fulham, London SW6

Depression Alliance PO Box 1022, London SE1 7GR

MIND The National Association for Mental Health, Granta House, 15-19 Broadway, Stratford, London E15 4BQ

Institute for Neuro-Physiological Research, 80 Alexandra Street,

Hunters Hill 2110, Sydney, Australia or 501 North Willowport Road, Hastings, New Zealand

Self - Help Checklist

Maximize sunlight - when you get the opportunity to see the sun get outdoors or let the daylight in.

Socialise - make the effort to get out and meet people. Many activities are arranged during the winter months from darts, quizzes to dances. Try some of them, and delay your judgment until afterwards to decide whether you have enjoyed it.

Exercise - increase your endorphins, the natural stress and depression buster. Try something aerobic which will increase your heart rate like brisk walking or dancing. Or you could try swimming or cycling at the Leisure Centre.

Seek Advice - If you have noticed a change in your mood talk to your GP about it. Sometimes medication can help. If you are already taking medication for depression, consider carefully before making any alterations to the dose. Consider, does your mood normally dip in the winter period? If so talk to your GP and seek advice about the dose of medication you are taking.

Depression Alliance PO Box 1022 London, SE1 7GR

Seasonal Affective Disorder (SAD) Association PO Box 989, London, SW7 2PZ

Recipes for the Falkland Islands

Marinated lamb and vegetable skewers

For the marinade

- 2 tablespoons natural yoghurt
- 1 tablespoon rapeseed oil
- 3 cloves garlic, crushed
- 2 teaspoons honey
- 1 tablespoon cider vinegar

- 12 ozs lamb cut into cubes
- 8 cherry tomatoes
- 8 shallots, peeled
- 1 green pepper deseeded and cut into squares

Several bay leaves, fresh if possible

- 12 medium mushrooms
- 4 rashers streaky bacon, halved and rolled

Leave the cubed meat to marinate for at least three hours.

Remove meat from marinade and thread all the ingredients on to long skewers.

Brush with marinade.

Grill turning frequently for 5 - 10 minutes.

Serve with potato salad, or a selection of steamed vegetables.

These skewers cook equally well under the grill or on a barbecue. The marinade imparts a lovely flavour to the meat and helps to keep it moist during cooking

I wish I'd said that...

The American artist, Whistler, had been commissioned to paint the portrait of an exceptionally ugly man and the two of them were contemplating the finished work. "Well," exclaimed the subject of the portrait, "you can't call that a great work of art."

"Perhaps not," replied Whistler, "but then you can hardly call yourself a great work of nature."

Notorious bore to Oscar Wilde; "I passed your house yesterday," Wilde: "Thank you so much."



Stanley Darts Club

Results from Monday, July 25

Mens Total BOC	
Tooty Ford	107
Len Ford	90
Gary Hewitt	89
Colin Smith	87
Graeme Hay	73
Johny Ford	71
James Lang	67
Alan Bonner	65
Russel Smith	65
Peter Goss	59
Joe Joseph	58
Rag Macaskill	54
Jimmy Curtis	53
Steve Watt	53
Teddy Summers	53
Dale McCormick	50
Geoff Greenough	47
Tooty Moms on	46
Willie Robson	41
Jim Parke	39
Boy Miranda	39
Tony Courtney	38
Willy Harvey	38
Shane Blackley	37
Melvin Clifton	37
Tony McLaren	37
Kevin Clapp	36
Kevin McLaren	34
Michael Summers	34
Neville Hayward	32
Angus Macaskill	30
David Ford	30
Paul Smith	30
Martin Plato	30
Paul Anderson	29
Michael Goss	28
Owen Betts	28
Richard Bonner	27
John Jaffray	27
Ned Clifton	26
Ian Betts	26
William Whitney	26
Paul Chapman	26
Adrian Minnell	26
James Greenland	26
James Bates	26
Keith Dickson	25
Mark Pollard	25
Tim Bonner	25

Men 3 dart finish	
Graeme Hay	14
Colin Smith	10
Russel Smith	9
Gary Hewitt	8
Len Ford	7
Peter Goss	7
Tooty Ford	7
Teddy Summers	6
Joe Joseph	6

League Position	pts	lgs
Tomado's	42	189
Rose B	37	166
Otto's Outlaws	34	142
Misfits	33	143
Snowmen	32	145
Narrower	29	128
Kelpers	27	136
Rose Missiles	27	129
Men at Arms	23	128
Deanos	23	121
Pale Maidens	20	105
Victory Scuds	19	104
Stray Dogs	17	112
Penguins	16	96
Last Orders	15	98
Victory Spiders	13	85
Rose Mixers	11	95
Vic Spear Chucker	11	93
Busty Babes	8	77
Armed & Dang	7	75
Maid's at Arms	7	70
Globe Goonies	6	69
Highbury Babes	4	70
Spice Burgers	2	53
FIDart Flingers	1	45

Mens legs	
Gary Hewitt	41
James Lang	41
Graeme Hay	41
Johny Ford	39
Tooty Ford	39
Len Ford	38
Peter Goss	38
Colin Smith	38
Rag Macaskill	37
Tooty Moms on	34
Tony Courtney	34
Geoff Greenough	34
Steve Watt	33
Alan Bonner	33
Boy Miranda	32
Teddy Summers	32
Joe Joseph	31
Paul Chapman	29
Jimmy Curtis	29
Paul Anderson	29
Tony McLaren	28
Waddimr Bruno	28
Kevin Clapp	27
Neville Hayward	27
Leon Mitchell	27
Willie Robson	27
Willy Harvey	27
Russel Smith	27
Dale McCormick	26
Michael Summers	25
Richard Bonner	25
Jim Parke	25
Ned Clifton	25

Ladies Legs	
Maggie Goss	35
Sheila Harvey	24
Ann Murphy	24
Cathy Jacobsen	23
Joan Middleton	23
Nora Smith	23
Tara Heathman	22
Hazel Collins	22
Pat Pratllett	19
Jenny McKay	19
Maisey Crowie	18
Jenny Smith	17
Ally Ford	16
Natalie Smith	16
Avril Bonner	15
Jeanet Miller	15
Jane Clement	15
Patsy Robson	15
Sibby Summers	14
Gail Miller	14
Ellen Ferguson	14
Wendy Roberts	14
Julie Ford	13
Teresa Clifton	13
Jan Parke	12
Heather Smith	12
Corina Bishop	12
Tamara Lang	12
Monica Lumbum	11
Sheila Stewart	11
Nyree Heathman	11

Ladies Total BOC	
Maggie Goss	49
Sheila Harvey	24
Jane Clement	24
Nora Smith	23
Jenny McKay	22
Cathy Jacobsen	21
Tara Heathman	20
Teresa Clifton	19
Joan Middleton	18
Gail Miller	18
Maisey Crowie	18
Heather Smith	16
Dylis Short	16
Jan Parke	16
Natalie Smith	16
Wendy Roberts	16
Sibby Summers	16
Candy Blackley	16
Pat Pratllett	13
Ally Ford	12
Jenny Smith	12
Hazel Collins	11
Ann Murphy	11
Michele Evans	11
Sheila Stewart	10
Jeanet Miller	10
Lisa Jaffray	10
Janet Jaffray	10
Corina Bishop	9
Avril Bonner	9
Cherry Robson	9
Julie Ford	9
Tamara Lang	9
Patsy Robson	9
Rowena Summers	8
Ellen Ferguson	8

Ladies 3 dart finish	
Nora Smith	6
Maisey Crowie	5
Maggie Goss	4
Cathy Jacobsen	3
Gail Miller	3
Candy Blackley	3

Results from Monday July 25		
Snowmen	7	8 Vic Scuds
Last Orders	9	6 Spiceburgers
Globe Goonies	5	10 Rose Missiles
Penguins	10	5 Spiders
Highbury Babes	4	11 Men at Arms
Rose Mixers	9	6 Stray Dogs
FDF	4	11 Narrower
Kelpers	1	14 Tomados
Maid's at Arms	5	10 Deanos
Busty Babes	7	8 Pale Maidens
Otto's Outlaws	11	4 Armed & Dangerous
Spearchuckers	4	11 Misfits

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Julian joined BFBS in 2001 and since graduating has enjoyed a two-year posting to Cyprus and tours to Gibraltar, Germany, Brunei and the Falkland Islands.



Julian said, 'I am really impressed with the quality of sport within the service ranks and am particularly keen to raise the profile of sports that don't normally get much radio or TV coverage.'

You can contact Julian via email: julian.evans@bfbs.com or call: +44 (0)1494 878354

APPLICATIONS FOR PERMANENT RESIDENCE

Notices is hereby given that **Maria Fernanda Tapia Tapia** has applied through the Principal Immigration Officer to be granted a Permanent Residence Permit by the Governor. Any person who knows of any reason why this permit should not be granted should send a written and signed statement of the facts, giving grounds for their objection to the Immigration Officer, Customs & Immigration Department, Stanley by 22 August 2005.

APPLICATIONS FOR PERMANENT RESIDENCE

Notices is hereby given that **Jennifer Helen Sanchez Ladron de Guevara** has applied through the Principal Immigration Officer to be granted a Permanent Residence Permit by the Governor. Any person who knows of any reason why this permit should not be granted should send a written and signed statement of the facts, giving grounds for their objection to the Immigration Officer, Customs & Immigration Department, Stanley by 22 August 2005.

APPLICATIONS FOR PERMANENT RESIDENCE

Notices is hereby given that **Pamela Ivonne Canto Robles** has applied through the Principal Immigration Officer to be granted a Permanent Residence Permit by the Governor. Any person who knows of any reason why this permit should not be granted should send a written and signed statement of the facts, giving grounds for their objection to the Immigration Officer, Customs & Immigration Department, Stanley by 22 August 2005.

APPLICATION FOR NATURALISATION

Notice is hereby given that **Karin Pamela Sanchez Ladron de Guevara** is applying to His Excellency the Governor for naturalisation. Any person who knows of any reason why naturalisation should not be granted is invited to send a written and signed statement of the facts to the Immigration Officer, Customs & Immigration Department, Stanley no later than 22nd August 2005

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EU Tax legislation divides Gibraltar and Channel islands

Pisco is Peruvian

ISLE of Man has threatened to suspend retention tax or exchange of information on United Kingdom residents' accounts held in the jurisdiction unless Gibraltar is brought within the ambit of the European Savings Directive, according to UK press reports.

It emerged earlier this month that the Directive, does not currently apply between Gibraltar and UK as they are not separate member states of the EU, a revelation which reportedly "caused outrage" in the offshore centres of Jersey and Guernsey as well as the Isle of Man.

"Gibraltar has the capacity to completely derail the savings directive," Isle of Man's tax assess-

sor Malcolm Crouch remarked, according to the Isle of Man Online.

"If the UK doesn't do something about Gibraltar, they will quite openly be creating a tax haven within the EU, which is against everything the directive stands for," he added.

Mr Crouch suggested that the authorities in Gibraltar are actively using the situation to attract new funds, commenting that, "They are playing a long game - not being particularly helpful to the UK in closing the gap."

"If the UK government can't sort this and we can't get satisfaction, we will suspend the UK financial agreement," Mr Crouch warned.

At a meeting of the Crown dependencies next week, the Guernsey government intends to call on the UK to force Gibraltar into compliance with the Directive as soon as possible.

"That is the date when the directive could live or die," said Mr Crouch.

Meanwhile Guernsey could this week also suspend the tax agreement with UK that has been in force only a month according to a report published in *The Guernsey Press and Star*.

Jersey has already said that if the problem is not fixed by the end of the month, then it will suspend the agreement.

PERUVIANS celebrated on Wednesday with a 2,000 litres binge at the World's Trade Organization Intellectual Property decision stating that pisco is a Peruvian drink.

The fountain in Lima's main square just across from the Government Palace and the several centuries old Cathedral was ordered filled with "pisco" by the city's government to commemorate and share the favourable ruling in the long standing controversy with neighbouring Chile.

"This is a victory for all Peruvians," said Lima's Deputy Mayor Marco Parra.

The Intellectual Property Office from the WTO in the framework of the Lisbon Treaty ruled in favour of Peru and a sixty day period is running for appeals.

However the problem is that Chile is not a signatory of the Lisbon agreement.

Santiago Roca, president of Peru's Competition and Intellectual Property Defence Office anticipated that Chile will most probably follow other actions in its own ambition of having pisco declared as a Chilean drink.

Pilot strike grounds Aerolineas Argentinas flights

A STRIKE launched on Tuesday by Aerolineas Argentinas pilots, technicians and machinists has paralysed all of the carrier's operations.

Passengers, many of them foreign tourists, lodged angry complaints at airports across Argentina on arriving and learning that flights they were expecting to board had been cancelled or rescheduled.

Airline Pilots Association spokesman Daniel Viro said the union, "decided to resume strong measures" that had been suspended on July 9, when the Labour Ministry started the mediation process.

"The strike, initially, will be for 12 hours" Mr Viro said. The work stoppage targets both domestic and international flights.

Pilots, who staged a two-day strike earlier this month that stranded thousands of vacation travellers, are demanding a 40% pay increase.

Mr Viro warned that if no agreement is reached, pilots could declare an indefinite stoppage, however he trusted talks will resume with Labour Ministry mediation.

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FALKLAND ISLANDS GOVERNMENT COMMITTEES
ACCESS TO INFORMATION

Please note that the following committee meetings will be open for public attendance during the forthcoming week.

Housing Committee - Wednesday 3rd August at 1.30pm in the Liberation Room, Secretariat

Government Vehicles Working Group - Thursday 4th August at 10.00am in the Liberation Room, Secretariat

Mineral Resources Committee - Thursday 4th August at 3.30pm in the Department of Mineral Resources

Members of the public can attend but not speak at Committee meetings.

Copies of the Agenda and Reports can be seen in the Secretariat at least three working days before the date of the meeting

Byron Holdings Ltd has a vacancy for a mature and experienced Administrative Officer to commence work on Monday 28th August 2005

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The Bowles, the Kings, and relatives in England of the late **MAUD SOLLIS** (who passed away on the 11th July 2005), would like to extend a heartfelt thanks to everyone who called, sent letters, cards and floral tributes, and to those who came to pay their last respects to Maud in the Cathedral.

A special mention to the staff at the KEMH for their professional care and kindness to Maud and to the Reverend Paul Sweeting for an excellent service.

The family of the late **Mim Morrison** would like to thank family and friends for the lovely flowers and cards of sympathy sent during their sad bereavement. Special thanks to doctors, wardens and staff of the KEMH, The Rev. Kathy Biles and Viv

Steve and Tracy would like to thank all their family and friends who helped to make their wedding a day to remember, with special thanks to Pete for marrying them, Kathy for conducting the Blessing, Christine for making such a wonderful dress with no pattern, just a picture from a magazine, Alex, Marcus, the bridesmaids and the page-boys, Julie for designing and printing the unique wedding invitations and decorating the Brasserie, the friends with puff who blew up the balloons, June for reviving the roses to make the bouquet and button holes, Arlette for doing the hair and makeup, Alex for the reception, Kevin for the cake, Gary for making us laugh all through the photographs, Dave and Carolyn for being witnesses, Daryl for his special wedding greetings and all our family and friends for being there.



For Lane, wishing you a very happy 1st birthday sweetheart for the 4th. All our love, hugs and kisses, from Nanny, Grandad and Uncle Roy xxx



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Peter, Cheryl and Bradley would like to thank Dr Diggle, Mr Cheema and all his surgical team, Jackie and all the nursing staff who looked after us during our stay, for the early and safe arrival of Molly Ann on the 15th July. Many thanks also to family and friends in the Islands, overseas and at sea, for the numerous good wishes, cards and gifts we have received.

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**FALKLAND ISLANDS GOVERNMENT
VACANCIES**

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**The closing date for applications for all of the above posts is
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The Falkland Islands Government is pleased to confirm that it will again be offering training grants to private sector companies or individuals for the 2005/2006 financial year. In most cases, these grants are for up to 50% of the total training costs. For an application form, please contact Anya Harris on telephone number 27133 or e-mail aharris.training@sec.gov.fk. In cases where the grant applied for exceeds £100, applications should include a CV and a copy of the organisation's training plan or a personal development plan. Assistance in drafting plans can be provided by the Training and Development Manager. To qualify for a grant, applicants must be Falkland Islanders or have Falkland Islands status. Applications should be submitted well in advance of the training and will be considered by a sub committee of FITEC, who will be meeting on the following dates: 22nd August, 24th October and 12th December 2005. Dates for 2006 have yet to be arranged and will be published at a later date. The Training Unit regrets that it cannot accept retrospective applications. Training & Development Manager

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For all those people interested in playing rugby, or assisting in anyway there will be a meeting held at the Narrows Bar at 5.30 on Wednesday 10th August. Please be there.

SAMA Wales are having their reunion/fundraising event on September the 10th in Cardiff and if there are islanders who may want to attend please contact Andy 'Curly' Jones, SAMA Wales Secretary/Treasurer, Camo Uchaf, Libanus Brecon, Powys, LD3 8NF or Gary Clement, here in Stanley (up until 6th August)

Bridge Results for Wednesday 27th July: 1st Nancy Jennings/Rosie King, 2nd Joan Middleton/Sue Goss, Booby Lil Johnson & Friends

NOTICES



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The PINK SHOP will be closed from end of business on Friday 5th August until Tuesday 16th August 2005. Any framing required in this period must be submitted by Wednesday 3rd, to be collected by Friday 5th. Apologies for any inconvenience. Enquiries to 21399/21792

Malvina House Hotel

Due to extensive renovations on the front entrance to the Malvina House Hotel over the next few weeks a temporary entrance will be used via the side door on the east end of the restaurant. A new concreted ramp is now in place from the bottom of the front steps to this door.

We would like to thank all for your support over the last few months of the renovations. All works are going well and hope to resume normal business mid September.

Penguin News can now offer prints of some of our published (and unpublished) digital colour photographs (subject to copyright).

Give us a call or drop in (preferably on a Friday) to look at what we have.

Child Health Clinic

Wednesday 3rd August 2 - 3.30pm in the KEMH Day Centre. The next Immunisation clinic will be held next Friday the 5th of August. Contact your Health Visitors on tel 28080 if you require further information.

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New lease of life for historic building

AFTER narrowly escaping demolition, one of the oldest stone buildings in Stanley has undergone a life-saving transformation.

Millers (formerly Dolphin Guest House) now offers a homely bar, restaurant and tearooms and is the only completely nonsmoking establishment in Stanley.

The property at 46 John Street was built around 1864 by Thomas Jarvis. A tailor by trade, he also ran a pub in Stanley called the 'Persevering Hotel'. Government Archivist Jane Cameron, said it is thought that he intended to run the property at 46 John Street as a hotel as it is, "unusually large for a private house of that time."

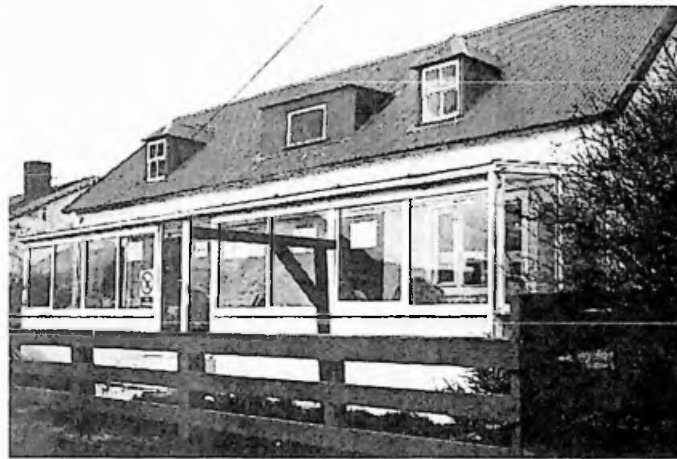
In 1865 he sold it to the Deans, one of the most prominent families in the Islands. They paid £645 for the building.

Ms Cameron said there is little known of the building's use from then until in the later years of the nineteenth century when it became famous as 'Hardy's Bakery.' In 1922 the Hardy family bought it from the Deans - some of the older people in Stanley still remember Hardy's bread being delivered by horse and cart.

Mrs Mary Hills purchased the property in 1958 and ran it as a cafe for some time. Many will remember her famous toasted sandwiches usually consumed after the film show at the Parish Hall.

More recent owners have been the Goodwins and a Moffatt and Hawksworth partnership who named it Warrah Guest House. Bruce and Jeanette Miller purchased the property from Gordon Forbes.

There was a fear that the property was to be purchased with a plan to demolish the building, how-



Above: Millers, the new bar and restaurant in the centre of Stanley.

Right: L-R Serena Sinclair, Jeanette Miller, Chef Brian Harris, Sarah Yon and Angela Wastavino ready for the lunch time rush.

ever a petition gained so many signatures that the application was withdrawn. Ms Cameron described it as a building that is held in "great affection by many people."

Jeanette Miller said that phase one of the renovation has involved the rooms being "gutted out" with new floors laid and extensive decoration throughout. Phase two will include a hotel reception and office to the east of the main building with a public bar above. She said the renovations have been a "major task" with very long hours put in by her husband Bruce - who has worked through the night on occasion - and his team of Bobby Crowie, Len McGill, Gerard Jallray and Carlin and Sarah Yon, who have all put in long hours.



Millers is a family run business, welcomes children and has a baby changing area. Jeanette said the no smoking policy came about because she doesn't like being in a smokey environment herself and also because it is better for families with children. The new bar planned in phase two will however have a smoking area, but also large extractors to prevent any trace of cigarette smoke permeating the rest of the premises.

Business has been "steady" in the first week of being open, says Jeanette, while feedback from customers is that the food is of "good quality" and "reasonably priced."

78 Squadron rescue injured seaman from *Kalatxri*

A Search and Rescue helicopter was called into operation on Tuesday to go to the aid of a crewmember of a fishing vessel.

Flight Lieutenant Adam Shipley of 78 Squadron said his crew received the initial call at about 8.30am as they were on the way to work. The brief was to rescue a 30 year old male crewman aboard the Spanish fishing vessel *Kalatxri*. Flt Lt Shipley said the man had suffered a "broken ankle and amputated four of his fingers."

The initial position put the vessel about 50 nautical miles to

the north of Stanley in a sea state five. There was a 400ft cloud base with about 2km visibility and wind from 050 degrees at 35 knots.

Flt Lt Shipley, Co-Pilot Flt Lt Mark Randall, Radio Operator Sgt Andy Catterall and Winchman Andy Rowlands arrived at the vessel at 10am.

The Winchman was lowered down to the bow of the vessel. Flt Lt Shipley said, "Unfortunately the casualty had been put right down in the lowest part of the ship so the winch man required a

stretcher to carry the rather large man up to the top deck for recovery. Once that had taken place the stretcher was recovered and then the casualty and winch man at the same time."

Winchman Andy Rowlands splinted the casualty's ankle, dressed his hand and, said Flt Lt Shipley, "put his missing fingers in ice."

The casualty was safely in the King Edward VII Memorial Hospital in Stanley shortly after 11am.

News in brief

FCO visitors

TWO representatives from the Foreign and Commonwealth Office (FCO) have visited the Falklands this week to learn about the Islands first hand.

Sam Lones is the Assistant Desk Officer for the Falkland Islands in the Overseas Territories Department of the FCO and Ian Duddy is the Second Secretary in the British Embassy in Buenos Aires.

They visited San Carlos and Darwin on Sunday, spent Monday morning at Mount Pleasant and the afternoon and Tuesday in Stanley. They travelled to West Falkland on Wednesday.

Mr Lones left on Thursday and Mr Duddy leaves on the weekend.

Speaking to the Falkland Islands Broadcasting Station, Governor Howard Pearce said it has always been his policy to encourage colleagues from London and Buenos Aires to visit the Islands so they can, "understand our situation and people's views first hand," adding, "I very much welcome this visit."

Elqui under survey

A SURVEY is currently being conducted on the condition of the *Elqui*.

The longliner has been berthed at FIPASS since her arrest in the South Georgia zone on March 2, 2005. A trial in April found the owners of the ship guilty and fined them for illegally fishing for Patagonian Toothfish. The *Elqui* was consequently forfeited because the fines were not paid in the allocated seven days.

First Secretary Harriet Hall said that Lyle Craigie Halkett is currently conducting a survey to ascertain whether the vessel is suitable to be scrapped or cleaned and dumped.

The harbour dues for the *Elqui* were deferred at Friday's Standing Finance Committee for a revised paper to be put before the next meeting of Executive Council.

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Comment by Acting Editor, Sharon Jaffray

THE recent issues of bullying that have come to light through the pages of *Penguin News* have not brought a deluge of letters or phone calls proclaiming, "... it's happening to me too," so hopefully these are isolated situations that have been dealt with and are not typical of school or the work place in our Islands. If this is not the case however, people should not be afraid to speak out.

The subject has prompted me to think about how we treat each other on a daily basis. It's very easy to upset people without any intention and be blissfully unaware of the affect our words have on them. Editorials are a perfect example - the more general you try to be, the more likely someone will be convinced you are 'having a go' at them.

Some people are easily hurt or intimidated by comments and behaviour that others who are blessed with a 'thick skin' or 'sloping shoulders' brush off. Some accept criticism easily themselves so expect to be able to dish it out in the same quantities and watch out for the big brash personality who has a 'don't care' attitude but is really hiding a sensitive or insecure ego. Of course the sort of personalities and situations I refer to can merely spoil your day - bullying can mess up a life.

I sometimes think that I must be very fortunate when I hear people complain about their work place and or colleagues. It must be an awful situation to find yourself unhappy in your work. It takes up more of your life than anything else, so it is almost a necessity that you enjoy what you do. Who wants to finish each day with a sigh and a muttered, 'another day another dollar' outlook.

Considering the fact that at *Penguin News* we are normally three women working in a fairly small office we get on very well - Rob Burnett stands in for holiday leave and doesn't look at all shell shocked nowadays at being in a female dominated environment (mind you that could have been because he was in need of a haircut).

The biggest uproar we have had of late was when our Office Manager went for her favourite run around Cape Pembroke Lighthouse and discovered that it was getting very cut up as a result of motorbikes and 4x4's deviating further and further on the tracks - she keeps ranting about her favourite local beauty spot being ruined. So do us a favour guys and find somewhere else for your off roading so we can have a quiet life.

END of year prize giving has taken place at the Infant and Junior School and the Falkland Islands Community School this week. Congratulations to all students who have achieved awards throughout the year.

Coverage of the prize givings will be in next weeks *Penguin News*.

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New Building Advisor takes up post



ALAN Dawson arrived in the Islands recently to take up the position of Building Advisor, a post formerly held by Graham France.

Mr Dawson, initially on a two year contract, is accompanied by his wife, Christina who is Swiss and an expert in languages.

Originally from Bingley in Yorkshire, Mr Dawson's last job was Building Control Service Manager in Somerset. Among other things, Mr Dawson's duties included responsibility for structural safety at the Glastonbury Festival.

Having previously never worked outside of the UK, Mr Dawson said he was prompted to apply for a job in the Falklands as he and his wife were, "...looking for a change, and this was about as big a change as we could manage!"

He said the job here, "seemed like a very interesting opportunity" and that he had, "done a lot of research on the internet about the Islands," which he said dispelled many of the myths that surround the place.

Since arriving in the Islands a few weeks ago, Mr Dawson said he and Christina had been, "just trying to find our feet."

When asked about the challenges posed by his new post, Mr Dawson said initially it is, "...just a case of getting used to a new system of government and local regulations."

He added, "Local builders are the experts at building here so it's just a question of getting out and meeting people and hopefully being able to help."

News from the July Executive Council meeting

New legislation proposals categorised

EXECUTIVE Council (ExCo) considered a paper from the Attorney General setting out proposals for new legislation and prioritising those proposals into three categories: essential/urgent, highly desirable, and desirable.

His Excellency the Governor, Howard Pearce said the purpose of this is to, "help the Attorney General to prioritise his work over the next few months."

ExCo agreed at the beginning of this year that legislative priorities should be reviewed at six-monthly intervals, and the issue will appear

on the ExCo agenda again in January 2006. Mr Pearce said that for those who would like more detail, the paper is being published.

"A specific area where legislation needs to be updated is that of workmen's compensation," said Mr Pearce.

ExCo agreed that a working party comprised of representatives of the private sector and Government should be established, to examine the compensation provisions of the Workmen's Compensation Ordinance and report back with recommendations.

Anti doping in sport convention to apply

A NEW international convention has recently been agreed (UNESCO International Convention Against Doping in Sport) with the object of eradicating the use of drugs at international sporting events.

The UK Government has invited the Falkland Islands Government to consider whether it wishes the Convention to be applied to the Falkland Islands. Mr Pearce said that it

seems likely that adherence to the Convention will in future be a necessary condition for participation in major international sporting events, for example the Commonwealth Games.

Executive Council decided that the UK Government should be told that it wishes the Convention to be applied to the Falkland Islands.

Planning and Building Committee vacancy filled

A vacancy had occurred in one of the five lay member slots on the Planning and Building Committee. Executive Council accepted the Committee's recommendation that

the vacancy should be filled by Mr Mike Rendell.

More from the July 28 Executive Council meeting on page 13.

Court News

Man fined for resisting arrest

STANLEY man Campbell Kirkham pleaded guilty on Wednesday to charges of resisting arrest and of causing a breach of the peace. A third charge of criminal damage was dropped after Mr Kirkham offered to pay for the damage he had caused.

The court heard that Mr Kirkham had been drinking on the night of Saturday July 23, before ending up in the Globe Tavern. A Police officer on foot approached the Globe after hearing what he described as a "noisy incident."

The officer then observed Mr Kirkham walking away from the Globe towards a man in an aggressive manner at which point the Officer decided to intervene. Mr Kirkham physically pushed the officer who made the decision to arrest him. Mr Kirkham then pushed the officer against a nearby wall before a second officer arrived. After a struggle, Mr Kirkham was restrained with handcuffs and arrested.

Mr Kirkham continued to be violent and repeatedly kicked the police vehicle as the officers placed him inside. Once inside the vehicle, he managed to free his right arm from the handcuffs and began kicking the officers.

On reaching the Police Station and exiting the vehicle, one of the

officers tripped Mr Kirkham to try and get him under control, believing that he would fall on to grass. Instead Mr Kirkham landed on a path and sustained an injury to his face. When finally restrained, he was placed in a cell where he continued to shout and kick the door.

When interviewed the next morning, Mr Kirkham was completely cooperative and had no recollection of the events of the previous evening and could not even remember leaving the Globe.

Upon being told of his actions, Mr Kirkham immediately apologised to the police officers involved.

In mitigation, Mr Ian Warburton said his client was, "not a criminal" and that the incident was completely "out of character."

Mr Warburton said his client had not been out drinking in Stanley for around seven months but on this day he had been drinking heavily which was obviously a "significant factor."

Senior Magistrate Mrs Claire Faulds gave Mr Kirkham credit for apologising to all concerned and for his previous good character. For resisting arrest, she fined him £50 and for the breach of the peace, he was bound over for six months. He was also ordered to pay £70 court costs.

Speeding driver given £400 fine

MR Darryl Mark Yon pleaded guilty to two charges of driving without due care and attention and speeding.

Prosecuting, Crown Counsel (A), Alison Inglis told the court that on Friday June 10, Mr Yon had driven up Philomel Street and overtaken a Fiat Panda car near Philomel Place. Another car then appeared coming down the hill. Rather than drop back behind the Fiat, Mr Yon increased his speed and pulled in sharply in front of the Fiat, missing it by "only two metres" according to its driver. This caused the driver of the Fiat to stop his car to avoid hitting Mr Yon's vehicle. The driver of the oncoming vehicle said he would have hit Mr Yon had he not been travelling slowly.

Mr Yon said he had to continue the overtaking manoeuvre to avoid stalling his vehicle.

The following day, Mr Yon was recorded by a police speed check travelling at 52 miles per hour on the Stanley to Darwin road. He told police at the time, "I thought I was only doing 45."

For the charge of speeding, Mr Yon was fined £150. For the charge of driving without due care and attention, Senior Magistrate Claire Faulds fined him £250. He was ordered to pay £70 prosecution costs and his licence was endorsed.

Also in court on Wednesday, Mrs Faulds also set the date of September 14 for the trial of Cherilyn Julie King who has pleaded not guilty to assault occasioning actual bodily harm and common assault.

An Acting Senior Magistrate has now been sworn in and will arrive in early September to hear the case.

Infant and Junior School Head retires

AFTER 39 years in teaching and two stints in the Falklands, headteacher of the Infant and Junior School John Farrow is retiring today.

Mr Farrow and his wife are returning to the UK on Saturday where they will be living in Lincolnshire after five and a half years here in the Islands.

Mr Farrow also worked in the Falklands for three years between 1973 and 1976 and says he is glad he returned. "They always say you should never go back but that's not true. I have no regrets at all about coming back."

Director of Education Mrs Sylvia Cole wished Mr and Mrs Farrow the best for the future adding, "He'll be



greatly missed by parents and children who have got very high respect for him."

Bicycles safely parked after long walk



Above: the five boys with the GEF Workshop team in front of the new bike racks

FIVE boys from the Falkland Islands Community School (FICS) achieved their aim this week when two new bicycle racks were delivered to the school.

Mare Courtney, Shane Mitchell, Robbie George, David Phillips and Tom Elsby decided to raise the money for the new bike racks by walking and cycling to Mount Pleasant. Despite collecting £1211.25 in sponsorship money, they were still some way short of the amount needed to have the racks sent out from the UK.

At this point, the General Engineering Flight (GEF) Workshop at MPA stepped in and offered to build the racks in return for the money being donated to charity.

Painted a smart blue, the racks were delivered to the school on Wednesday.

The boys have donated £1000 to the Phillip Green Trust of White Lodge School for handicapped children in the UK. The remaining £211.25 was donated to the South Atlantic Medal Association. Chairman of the Falklands branch Gary Clement thanked the boys saying, "that money is a quarter of a bum on a seat for a veteran to fly to the Islands."

Director of Education Sylvia Cole thanked the men from the GEF Workshop and said the new racks would, "make a big difference to what the school looks like."

Brize Norton closure means early check in



PASSENGERS travelling on the Air Atlanta airbridge to and from the Falklands will soon have to allow for extra time when arriving and departing Brize Norton.

The runway at the airbase is soon to be resurfaced meaning all flights normally operating out of Brize Norton will be relocated to nearby RAF Fairford, ten miles west of Brize Norton.

However, as RAF Fairford is predominantly a bomber base, it has no passenger facilities. Therefore, the passenger facilities at Brize Norton will continue to be used with passengers being carried

by coach to and from Fairford. A military spokesperson said, "More time will be spent in a coach and hopefully less time in the final departure lounge."

The resurfacing work, which will take place from September 16 through to January, will mean that all passengers must report to Brize Norton for check in at least four hours before departure.

The spokesperson said, "Hopefully this will only affect the majority of passengers once or twice at most; we would therefore urge all passengers to report on or before time and please be patient!"

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Your questions answered

Q Could you explain what the situation is with regard to payments of Family Allowance when a partner or member of the household is receiving tax exempt earnings and what, if any, changes have been made to legislation?

A Postmaster Moira Eccles provided the following response

The most recent amendment to legislation in this regard was contained in the Finance Ordinance 2000 and reads as follows:

"Notwithstanding any foregoing provision of this section, no allowance shall be payable under this section in respect of any child living as part of a household in respect of which any income of any member of that household is, by reason of - (a) a provision of any law of the Falkland Islands (other than in relation to the amount), or (b) any extra statutory concession granted by the Commissioner of Taxation, exempted from liability to pay Falkland Islands income tax."

This provision effectively means that family allowance is not payable in respect of children living in a household where any person receives tax exempt earnings.

Any person in receipt of family allowance who thinks they may be affected by this provision should contact the Post Office as soon as possible.

Q If a former FIG employee has been found guilty of bullying in a work place, would this find be included in a reference and if not, why not?

A Human Resources provided the following answer

All requests for references are provided with an honest and accurate response.

Q I'd be interested to know why the Falkland Islands Government had to lower the flags to half mast for the death of King Fahd?

A First Secretary, Harriet Hall replied.

Her Majesty the Queen instructed that the Union flag should be flown at half-mast on 1 August on Government Buildings in the UK and overseas. Government House and the Falkland Islands Government acted in accordance with these instructions.

Sunshine and rainfall below average in July

JULY'S mean temperatures were slightly above average for the month. With the rainfall being the fourth lowest recorded since records began at Mount Pleasant.

Sunshine and the mean wind speed were both below average.

The mean maximum temperature for the month was 5.1C against the average of 4.5C. The highest recorded maximum temperature was 12.4C on the 22nd. The lowest maximum -1.0C was recorded on the 3rd. The mean minimum temperature was 0.5C against the average of 0.1C. The lowest minimum temperature was -5.0C recorded on the 1st. There were 13 nights with air frost and 21 nights with a ground frost.

Rainfall was well below average with 23.1mm against the average of 58.1 mm. Making July 2005, the fourth driest on record at Mount

Pleasant. The highest daily total of 5.2 mm fell on the 28th. There were 21 days with 0.1 mm or more and 8 days with 1.0 mm or more. There were 3 instances of fog during the month.

Snow or sleet fell on 18 days during the month. With snow lying on 12 days. There were 3 instances of hail during the month.

Total sunshine for the month was 57.8 hours slightly below the long term average of 65.9 hours. The sunniest day was the 21st with 5.2 hours.

The mean speed for the month was 13.1 knots, slightly under the average of 13.4 knots for July. There was only 1 day with gales (34kts or more over a ten minute mean) during the month. The highest gust recorded was 50 knots on the 8th. Gusts exceeding 33 knots occurred on 8 days.

HMS Fearless outline their role in 1982

THE JOURNEY, a DVD/CD box set compiled by crew members of HMS Fearless in 1982 and outlining the part played by the ship during the war is now available at the Museum.

Proceeds will go towards funding a Fearless reunion in 2007 and to help raise funds for the Falklands Veterans Foundation.

The 90-minute DVD recalls the memories of six crew members during the conflict while the interactive CD is a reminder of what those servicemen endured during the conflict.

In his introduction, Rear Admiral E.S.J Larken DSO describes the box set as "...a warm and intensely moving record, beautifully assembled and presented." He said

it is a wealth of record, written, photographic, audio and video, adding "the upper deck audios of air attacks hold me spellbound every time I listen to them."

Video by Staff Sergeant Richard Elliott, REME, recalls amongst other impressions that, "eerie atmosphere that none of us will forget as the Amphibious Force steamed south from Ascension - a journey into the unknown that has changed all our lives in one way or another."

A limited number of sets are currently on sale at the Museum, priced £20.

To learn more about the project and the reasons behind it, visit: www.hmsfearless.com.

Year six DARE graduation



YEAR six students of the Stanley Infant and Junior School have taken part in the fifth DARE (Drug Abuse Resistance Education) graduation ceremony.

Well attended by parents, carers and councillors, the ceremony on Thursday was opened with a few words from their DARE Officer, Sergeant David Roberts, who spoke about what the students had been doing for the previous twelve weeks. He said the class had sessions which involved role-play in "nine ways to say no" in a safe environment. He explained how the students had been taught about the different kinds and sources of pressure including peer pressure.

Sgt Roberts also spoke about making decisions saying, "even as adults we have to make difficult decisions that we look back on and wonder why we made the choice."

Head Teacher John Farrow made his final DARE graduation speech in which he referred to the DARE website and the information he had found on there. He spoke of Sgt

Roberts' enthusiasm and energy and how he hoped that DARE would continue into the future.

Daniel McGill, Laura Minto, Josephine Igao and Kyrin Evans made personal commitments to be drug and violence free. This was followed by a song from year six about friendship and the importance of making and having friends.

The year six students and Mr Farrow were presented with their certificates. His Excellency the Governor, Mr Howard Pearce then spoke about the decisions we make, the effects of anti-social behaviour and how large crowds hanging around can be seen to be threatening to all ages. He said he was impressed with DARE and hopes that it will continue into the future.

DARE Falklands would like to thank His Excellency the Governor, the Foreign and Commonwealth Office, The Argos Award, The Chamber of Commerce, June and Norman Clark, NAAFI, Falkland Islands Tours and Travels and the Printing Office for their support.

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To discuss please contact Julian Morris, tel: 27211, (julianmorris@fidc.co.fk) or Owen Summers, tel: 22697, (owen@fih@horizon.co.fk).

Further details are available on: www.dairy.horizon.co.fk

Albatross and Petrel programme pushes ahead

THE start of the Falklands Conservation Albatross and Petrel Programme (funded by the Overseas Territories Environment Programme and FIG) in March 2004 followed on from the highly successful Seabirds At Sea Team investigating the conservation of seabirds in the Falkland Islands. The Albatross team members have changed after a re-shuffle of staff in March 2005 but the aims have remained the same.

The programme is divided into several key elements. There is the ongoing seabird monitoring at sea, which involves observations of interactions between fishing trawlers and seabirds after the implementation of mitigation measures. This provides a means of estimating the mortality associated with the fishing industry and helps identify the best way to minimise the loss of protected birds. Project Leader Oli Yates said: "Our work here is advanced as mitigation devices that really work have been adopted and reductions in mortality appear to be excellent. The Falklands are ahead of targets and leaders in world seabird mitigation use. The effort needed now is to investigate the vessels with no mitigation or where little knowledge exists about seabird interactions, basically lolligo trawlers, jiggers and surimi vessels."

A second part is land-based conservation including the highly important five year counts of the breeding populations. Mr Yates said that without these estimates of numbers present throughout the Islands it would be impossible to determine if seabird populations are increasing, decreasing or remaining the same. "We are currently busy preparing for the summer season when the next round of counts will take place. Letters have been sent to landowners with colonies and many have already been returned with excellent descriptions of colony sites and details. I would like to thank everybody for replying and generously giving access permission to their

land. The surveys would be impossible without your support. If the remaining few folk who haven't replied could spare a few minutes to send in their maps we would be most grateful."

Education is an important part of any conservation project and this one is certainly no exception. Staff at Falklands Conservation have produced a colourful and informative leaflet (in Spanish) to be distributed to the fishing trawlers to help all the crew appreciate the reasons why they are now required to use bird-scaring devices whilst fishing. Mr Yates stresses that this is important as all crewmembers "have to do a little extra to make this successful, and with long workdays anyway this is a lot to ask." Education works both ways onshore, and through talks with landowners. FC have been able to better appreciate the management of Falkland Island seabird colonies particularly minimising impact from human disturbance, especially during sensitive egg and young chick periods. Mr Yates said these details will help to write recommended guidelines for seabird colonies. He added: "Thank you to all those who have helped develop best management issues.

"A further aspect, and one we are extremely excited about is an up and coming international workshop to be held in Stanley. A group of experts, including those involved with seabird conservation on other UK Overseas Territories, will be visiting the Falklands in March 2006 to discuss progressing implementation of the international Agreement for the Conservation of Albatross and Petrels. Delegates will help define the roles of each Territory, identify gaps in our knowledge and make recommendations on the future direction of seabird work. It will be a great opportunity to showcase the seabird conservation work in the Falklands, where many of the key people are right here with the birds, where it matters."

Officials 'far from professional'

IN THE nine years I have lived and worked in the Falklands this is the first time I can honestly say I have witnessed for myself blatant disrespect for peoples' privacy and rights.

I respect the job they do at Customs but what I saw on the July 23 incoming flight from Chile was far from professional: more farcical. My daughter was the first to be detained - in my eyes, not in the right manner. As she stepped from the plane she was made to wait at the bottom of the steps until her partner caught up with her. They then had to wait until their colleague (who was almost the last person leaving the plane) caught up with them and then all three of them were led away in full view of the public. Could they not have waited until they were in the terminal?

I moved to the arrivals' gate to wait for my family to clear customs. To add insult to injury my stepson and his colleague who were also passengers arriving on this flight were being searched, both of whom had gone to the Shetland Island Games (at extreme cost to themselves) to represent the Falklands. In all, the only people I saw being searched that day were four Saint Helenian males and a Scottish lass - the partner of one of those saints... coincidence? I think not.

My stepson and his colleague

were soon allowed to leave the terminal. I waited while my daughter and her partner's personal belongings were meticulously searched by the scanner and hoards of customs and security personnel. I witnessed a civilian - not a member of security, nor a member of customs - being invited into the search area by one of the officials, as the official said it would be warmer inside for him.

It was not long before some of the officials found another way of keeping themselves warm. To my disbelief, and in my presence these officials started playing around with a football they had found in the nearby hangar, while my daughter and her partner were still being searched by their colleagues.

No redress was given by customs for publicly embarrassing the group or for the inconvenience of the whole episode. The only courtesy, professionalism and respect displayed was that of the military personnel on duty at the terminal. They kindly offered me a hot beverage and the warmth of their office which I declined as I wanted to witness what the customs personnel were capable of doing next.

Eventually after four long hours, my daughter, her partner and their colleague were at last allowed to leave the terminal.

D Clark
Mount Pleasant

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Obituary - Emily Flora Surrey 1906 - 2005

By John Allan

IT IS with regret that the family of the late Emily Flora Surrey report her death after a short illness in Guildford, Surrey on June 22 2005, her 99th birthday.

Emily, born in Stanley, was the eldest of three daughters of Thomas (Hookey) and May Walker (nee Allan).

As a young woman she went to work for the Blake family in Santa Cruz, Argentina

When in London on holiday with them she met her future husband, Stanley Surrey. It was love at first sight and when she returned to Argentina with the Blakes via the Falklands, Stan promised he would wait for her. He had a long wait, it took her four and a half years to save enough for her fare back to London where they were married on July 31, 1937.

Emily worked with the London ambulance service during World War II and had some hairy moments, especially at the height of the blitz.

They eventually moved from Wandsworth Common to Shalford near Guildford where they lived out their retirement.

They were a popular couple who enjoyed having family and friends to visit and you could always be sure of a warm welcome, homemade cakes and preserves and a tour of their lovely garden.

Sadly, Stan passed away in February 2001 but Emily continued to live alone until she was admitted to hospital in late May 2005.

She is survived by a son, John, daughter, Joyce, five grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

She was a great correspondent and kept in regular contact with Shirley and Heather in New Zealand, Joan in London and myself where she maintained a keen interest in the Falklands to the end.

She was a lovely lady who had enjoyed a long and happy life and she will be sadly missed by all who knew her.

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'Shock and sadness' at bullying

I READ with shock and sadness the letters about bullying within the school and government (FIG), in the last two editions of *Penguin News*.

It is so good to see that so many members of the public share the feeling of revulsion at these acts.

Bullying is an insidious crime which can take many forms. It can manifest itself in a physical form but it is always first and foremost a crime against the mind. For the Attorney General to state that the three cases of bullying that Norman McGregor Edwards was found guilty of were mild, is to overlook the fact that he was found guilty of these offences in the first place and to trivialise what happened.

In each case it is the level at which the bullying affects the victim that counts and to say it is mild and therefore does not warrant any form of disciplinary action, is to belittle the victim and elevate the perpetrator.

Over one year ago an investigation was carried out at the King Edward VII Memorial Hospital into the alleged misuse of drugs. The internal investigation found that no drugs were missing. Later a second professional investigation was carried out by the Royal Falkland Islands Police and a nurse was convicted. Before the case went to court the then innocent nurse had her passport removed to prevent her leaving the Islands. Yet Norman McGregor Edwards was found guilty of not one, not two, but three counts of bullying, five days before he was due to leave but was allowed to go without any action being taken whatsoever.

The Attorney General says that FIG certainly does not pay lip serv-

Complaints will always be treated seriously

I HAVE read the recent exchanges regarding complaints against the former Director of Health and have nothing material to add to the comments made by the Attorney General in his letter published on 15 July.

Internal disciplinary actions are usually very personal matters and the details must normally be regarded as confidential. However, I am able to confirm that I came to a decision on the findings of the investigation of the complaints of bullying within two working days of receipt of the report from the Senior Magistrate who I had commissioned to conduct an investigation. I have conveyed my decision to the complainant and the former Director of Health.

Managers are entitled, and indeed have a duty, to manage but are expected to behave reasonably at all times. Robust styles of management are not to be confused with bullying. Bullying in any form in the workplace, or for that matter anywhere else, is simply not acceptable and any complaints will always be treated seriously. In the particular case in question, the specific circumstances of each complaint that was upheld (some were not) were viewed as 'fairly minor' in nature by the Senior Magistrate - a conclusion with which, after careful thought, I agreed.

I do not accept that all instances of bullying must be given equal

ice to anti-bullying. I would suggest that (lack of) action speaks louder than words. Having been found guilty of three counts of bullying I wouldn't be surprised if victims were to pursue matters further. Yet unlike the then innocent nurse he was allowed to walk away.

By using the Senior Magistrate to investigate rather than professional investigators such as the Royal Falkland Islands Police, FIG have effectively stopped any criminal or civil cases going to court in the Islands, as there is nobody impartial left to try it.

Also, if *PN* had not published the case, the public would not have known the sort of person formerly employed in their name to run their Health Service.

The Attorney General mentions in his letter that FIG policy is one of reconciliation between the parties. I would suggest that this is fine when both parties are of equal status and the reconciliation can be supervised, such as two pupils in the same class at school. A teacher or the Headteacher can supervise. But when the bullying is by a very senior manager to a junior, who will supervise this? Norman McGregor Edwards was answerable to the Chief Executive; would he supervise the reconciliation? When the bully is the boss, the FIG policy appears to fail.

Bullying is rarely done in isolation. Have other cases of alleged bullying by Norman McGregor Edwards been reported in his time in the Islands and if so were they properly investigated and what action was taken with them?

**Richard Morrison
Stanley**

weight - there are most certainly degrees of severity. The Management Code anticipates such situations and, were it not for the fact that the former Director's employment terminated less than three working days after I had received the investigation report, I would personally have been facilitating a meeting between the complainant and the Director to secure a resolution by way of what I might describe as conciliation. My objective would have been to promote an open and constructive dialogue between the parties and acceptance of an action plan to ensure that there was no repeat of inappropriate conduct and to obtain a commitment to that effect. Implementation of the action plan would have been carefully monitored.

Finally, I am personally satisfied with the process used to investigate this particular complaint and of the ability of the Senior Magistrate to conduct such an investigation. I have no reason to believe that there are any grounds whatsoever for criminal proceedings and, if civil proceedings are instituted in the Courts, the case would be heard by an independent examiner.

I advised the complainant, who has since left the Islands, of my findings by letter of 16 May since when I have received no further communication from him.

**Chris Simpkins
Chief Executive**



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FIDC budget - 'the full picture'

READING Nancy Poole's letter. I can fully see why this would cause concern. The initial small *Penguin News* extract was not able to show the full picture regarding the Falkland Islands Development Corporation's (FIDC) budget.

It related to the first FIDC board meeting of the 2005/06 financial year, where the year's central costs were approved, and approvals given for some minor projects. These do not represent the organisation's total budget, nor reflect its overall income and expenditure.

Recent significant reductions in administration staffing mean FIDC's central costs of £418,000 (of which less than £100,000 is spent on admin) are more than covered by the £481,000 income that FIDC generates from its own activities.

This financial year, FIDC will receive £469,000 of direct support from FIG, but more than this amount (£531,500) will be paid out directly to support local businesses.

Without passing on any admin charges to FIG, FIDC also manages a further £370,000 of Government spending relating to the Falkland Islands Meat Company (FIMCo), energy projects, and coastal shipping. FIDC also manages a diverse portfolio of assets with a balance sheet value of over £8m.

FIDC's activities are very diverse and include those which are customer specific, such as finance

and loans, property services, energy, and grant support (e.g. for shellfish testing). The organisation carries out project-based work, including FIMCo and aquaculture development, and also strategic work with an Islands-wide benefit: developing air access and international shipping links; ownership of the Tamar; assistance with the continued operation of Stanley Dairy; energy infrastructure development; promotional marks such as the wool mark and mark of origin; and the operation of both the internet portal www.falklandislands.com, and the '.fk' domain.

I would like to reassure you that FIDC has a vigorous approach to increasing value from its investments and is robustly scrutinised not only by FIG and Councillors, but also by the independent members of the private sector who represent the Rural Business Association (RBA), the Vessel Owner's Association (VoA), Falkland Islands Tourist Board (FITB) and the Chamber of Commerce and who make up half of FITB - as two articles in the original *PN* demonstrated. Members of the public are welcome to attend Falkland Islands Development Board (FIDB) meetings to observe proceedings, and if anyone at any time would like more information, please contact any member of the team at FIDC.

**Julian Morris
General Manager
FIDC**

Shocked at the amount of litter in Stanley

TIEGAN, Madeleine, Bethan and I went for a walk to see all the wildlife. We wrote a list of animals and motorbikes and we also put litter on the list.

On our list we put horses, cats, dogs, birds, sea-gulls, flies, ladybirds, blackbeetles, flowers, planes, motorbikes, hair bobbles and litter.

We counted no horses, eight cats, four dogs, 28 birds, 40 sea-gulls, three flies, no ladybirds, no blackbeetles, three flowers, three planes, three motorbikes, three hair bobbles and 323 pieces of litter!

When Tiegán and Bethan went to the Co-op, Madeleine and I counted them up to get the results. We were shocked at how many bits of litter we found. When I got home I made a bar graph with our findings.

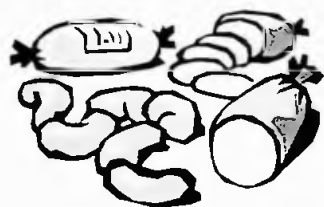
We only went from the play park on St Mary's Walk to the Bread Shop and back.

So just remember do not throw litter.

**Daniella Curtis (age 9)
Stanley**

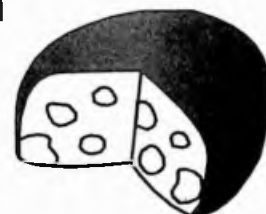
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Chanelle is Belle of the Winter Ball

By Bernadette Paver
TEENAGERS and their families were welcomed into a transformed FIDF Hall on Friday for the first Winter Ball to be held in Stanley for many years.

Organised largely by Jeannie and Helen McKay with support from volunteers (adult and teenage), it was obvious from the start that an enormous amount of thought, planning and work had gone into it.

The pink and white tables were arranged to command an excellent view of the dance floor, which pretty soon was seething with youngsters (and some very able old-timers) doing the Palais Glide and Boston two step to traditional Falkland Island dance music, tirelessly provided by Robert Rowlands. By 1am he was still churning out dance music when the rest of us were ready to drop.

While everyone danced, there was a steady trickle of people to the tables arranged along the sides of the hall which were laden with pizzas, salads, jellies and mind-bogglingly delicious and fattening trifles. Proper party food - all cooked by Jeannie and Ellen Davies.

Under the gently coloured lighting set up by Martin Cant (who dashed up after school to get it all done before 8pm) the girls glided past in their ball gowns. The atmosphere was more relaxed than the May Ball - girls swapped dance partners, fathers danced with daughters, sons dragged mothers onto the dance floor and just about everyone took to the floor for the Circassian Circle.

Chanelle Berntsen, in a full length lilac gown with a lace-up back, was selected 'Belle of the Ball' by popular vote, looked surprised and delighted as she stepped up to collect her sash, made by Christine Mitchell.

Tom Howe, looking very dashing in his dinner jacket and bow tie, was voted 'Best Dressed Man' of the evening.

For many of the younger teenagers, this was their first ball and an exciting foretaste of next year's May Ball.

All in all it was an excellent evening, an unmitigated success. Jeannie and her teenage volunteers may just have started something.



Right: Belle of the Ball Chanelle Berntsen and Best Dressed Man, Tom Howe; Below: Helen Davies, Tiphany May and Shaun May; Bottom: Jilly Cotter (left) and Helen McKay.
Photographs by Ellen Davies



Chairing and managing meetings course

The Training Centre would like to announce a course **Chairing and Managing Meetings** that will be run by Sylvia Cole at the Chamber of Commerce on Monday, 22 August 2005.

Aims of the Course:

To ensure that prospective and existing Chairs have the required skills to make meetings purposeful and effective.

Methodology/Format:

A mixture of large group input and discussion, plus paired and small group exercises.

Level of Knowledge or Previous experience needed:

Participants should be existing Chairs of formal meetings or should intend to take up this position in the near future.

Summary of content:

- What makes a good meeting?
- The role of the Chairperson
- The skills involved
- Agendas and Minutes

Anyone interested in attending this "Chairing and Managing Meetings" course should contact Anya Harris on telephone 27133, fax 27137, email address aharris.training@sec.gov.fk to reserve a place. The cost for non-Government personnel is £15.

Stars in everyone's eyes: Young entertainers raise funds for playpark



Guy Morrison sings 'Bad Moon Rising'

A PACKED house, performing children, an enthusiastic audience and lots of proud parents, family and friends were the ingredients for a very successful fund-raising event on Saturday afternoon.

Held in the Globe Tavern, the Children's Stars in Their Eyes was a huge success with more than £1,000 being raised for the play park on St Mary's Walk. The charity received a boost to the funds from a member of the British Forces who won the pool competition in the Globe earlier that day and kindly donated his £40 winners pot after seeing a poster in the pub promoting the event.

The children were initially a bit shy about getting up to sing to such a large audience, however six year old Sanjay Henry set the ball rolling with 'I'm too Sexy' and there was no looking back.

The event was the result of Leeann Harris and Andrea Clausen approaching Don and Nikki at the

Globe for ideas for fund-raising.

Leeann said the fund-raiser had been "absolutely fantastic." She had been slightly apprehensive prior to the event because so few tickets were sold in advance. She could not believe her eyes when she went down to the Globe and there were people waiting to get in at two o'clock and within a short time the family area was packed. Leeann added "I've been on a high all weekend because of how successful the afternoon was."

The funds raised will be used to pay for materials, fencing and labour for works to be carried out on the area to the west of the St Mary's Play Park.

The organisers would like to thank the Globe for hosting the event. Kelper Stores and the Boat-house for prizes, the Bands "Ten Years Gone" and "Platonic" who played in the evening and DJ Simon for doing a good job and raising an extra £70 for his 'Popeye' face. Also

a big thank you to our brave singers and everyone who came along and enjoyed themselves and in doing so supporting the St Mary's Walk Playground Fund.

Prizes were given to Tasmin, Dani and Dani who performed their song without words and complete with actions. Tessa and Bronwin and Ariane. A skateboard donated by the Boat-house was won by the youngest and first up singer Sanjay. A Pinball Machine donated by the Kelper Stores was won by Guy Morrison from Port Howard, a very popular winner. Guy promptly announced to his fellow boarders at Stanley House that the Pinball machine was "for everyone."

Organiser Leeann Harris said, "Next time we will ensure we have some children's music on karaoke discs and some more space for dancing. Yes there will be a next time so watch this space."



An appreciative audience of all ages cheer on the next generation of karaoke kings and queens



Dani Gordon, Dani Curtis and Tasmin Tyrrell collect prizes for their performance of 'The Tide is High'



Tessa Davies and Bronwyn Ford sing 'Reach'



Above left to right: Saul Zuvic, Andy Felton and Marcus Porter of popular band 'Ten Year's Gone'. Drummer with the band is John Didlick (not pictured).



Globe Tavern staff and regulars raised £70 for the play park fund to see Head Barman Simon Fagan guru his flexible features into a 'Popeye' face. He opted not to perform this feat in front of the children for fear of causing a stampede for the door and, possibly, nightmares.



Clockwise from the top: A group of friends get the crowd going with YMCA; Duane Evans sings 'Dizzy'; Verity Livermore, Chloe Ford and Joanne Butler sing 'Blanket on the Ground'; First and youngest performer Sanjay Henry receives a prize for his efforts; Ariane Goss sings 'Hey Baby'.



One of many fans, Jonathan Israel entertains at the back of the crowd on air guitar.



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Information Pullout

6 - 12 August 2005

TIDES AROUND THE ISLANDS

06	0029	0.32	Sunset	1639	The times and heights of high and low tides (in metres) at Stanley. Time given is FMT. Add 1 hour for Stanley Summertime
SAT	0658	1.37	Moonrise	0853	
	1216	0.65	Moonset	2143	
	1822	1.64	10	0223	
Sunrise	0719		WED	0838	
Sunset	1635			1423	
Moonrise	0822			2042	
Moonset	1808		Sunrise	0712	
07	0100	0.35	Sunset	1641	
SUN	0722	1.36	Moonrise	0903	
	1246	0.60	Moonset	2257	
	1856	1.62	11	0251	
Sunrise	0718		THUR	0908	
Sunset	1636			1504	
Moonrise	0834			2129	
Moonset	1920		Sunrise	0710	
08	0128	0.38	Sunset	1642	
MON	0746	1.36	Moonrise	0915	
	1317	0.57	Moonset	2129	
	1929	1.58	12	0322	
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Sunset	1638			1554	
Moonrise	0844			2228	
Moonset	2031		Sunrise	0709	
09	0156	0.43	Sunset	1644	
TUES	0811	1.36	Moonrise	0929	
	1348	0.56	Moonset	0015	
	2004	1.52			
Sunrise	0714				

(See www.michaelstevens.horizon.co.fk for tide charts)

STANLEY LEISURE CENTRE

Telephone: 27291/27285 Fax: 27284 e-mail: admin.leisure@stlc.gov.fk for bookings and enquires

Opening Schedule Commencing Saturday 6th AUGUST 2005

Swimming Pool		Sports Hall / Squash Courts	
SATURDAY 6 th AUGUST 2005			
Public	10.00-16.00	Public	
Adults	16.00-18.00	Public	
12.00-13.00 Junior Activities			
CLUBS ON TODAY			
TABLE TENNIS CLUB 10.00 AM - 11.00 AM			
SUNDAY 7 th AUGUST 2005			
Public	11.00-17.00	Public	
Adults	17.00-19.00	Public	
Between 11.00-12.00 Junior Activities			
CLUBS ON TODAY			
TABLE TENNIS CLUB (FITTA) 3.00 - 5.00 PM		SHORT TENNIS CLUB 3.00 - 5.00 PM	
FOOTBALL CLUB 6.00 - 7.00 PM			
MONDAY 8 th AUGUST 2005			
Closed	09.00-10.00	Holiday Programme	
QAP - Physio Adults Parents & Toddlers	10.00-12.00	Public	
Lanes (Adults)(2 Lanes Swim Club)	12.00-13.00	Public	
Public	13.00-14.00	Holiday Programme	
Aquarium (new one)	14.00-15.00	Public	
Closed	15.00-16.00	Closed	
Public - (2 Lanes Adults Swims)	16.00-19.00	Public	
Adults	19.00-21.00	Public	
CLUBS ON TODAY			
BADMINTON CLUB 7.00 - 8.00 PM			
TUESDAY 9 th AUGUST 2005			
Closed	09.00-10.00	Holiday Programme	
QAP - Physio Adults Parents & Toddlers	10.00-12.00	Public	
Lanes (Adults)	12.00-13.00	Public	
Public	13.00-15.00	Holiday Programme	
Public	15.00-19.00	Public	
Ladies Hour	19.00-20.00	Public	
Private Hire	20.00-21.00	Public	
CLUBS ON TODAY			
NETBALL CLUB 6.00 PM		7.00 PM LADIES S-A-SIDE 7.00 PM - 8.00 PM	
FOOTBALL CLUB 8.00 - 9.00 PM			
WEDNESDAY 10 th AUGUST 2005			
Closed	09.00-10.00	Holiday Programme	
QAP - Physio Adults Parents & Toddlers	10.00-11.00	Holiday Programme	
QAP - Physio Adults Parents & Toddlers	11.00-12.00	Public	
Lanes (Adults)(2 Lanes Swim Club)	12.00-13.00	Public	
Public	13.00-14.00	Public	
Doobree	14.00-15.00	Public	
Closed	15.00-16.00	Closed	
Public	16.00-19.00	Public	
Adults	19.00-21.00	Public	
CLUBS ON TODAY			
S.L.C SWIM SCHOOL 4.00 PM - 4.45 PM		VOLLEYBALL CLUB 7.00 PM - 8.00 PM	
CRICKET CLUB 8.00 PM - 9.00 PM			
THURSDAY 11 th AUGUST 2005			
Closed for Cleaning	09.00-15.00	Public	
Public	15.00-17.00	Public	
Public - (2 Lanes Adults Swims)	17.00-19.00	Public	
Adults	19.00-21.00	Public	
CLUBS ON TODAY			
S.L.C SWIM SCHOOL 4.00 PM - 4.45 PM		HOCKEY CLUB 6.00 - 7.00 PM	
SQUASH CLUB 6.00 - 8.00 PM			
BADMINTON CLUB 7.00 - 8.00 PM			
FRIDAY 12 th AUGUST 2005			
Closed	09.00-10.00	Holiday Programme	
QAP - Physio Adults Parents & Toddlers	10.00-12.00	Public	
Lanes (Adults)(2 Lanes Swim Club)	12.00-13.00	Public	
Public	13.00-14.00	Public	
Public	14.00-17.00	Holiday Programme	
Public	17.00-19.00	Public	
Adults	19.00-20.00	Public	
CLUBS ON TODAY			
STANLEY SWIMMING CLUB 4.00 PM - 5.00 PM			

CLUBS AND CONTACTS

CHURCH SERVICES

CATHEDRAL SUNDAY
8am Holy Communion (BCP) 10am Morning Service & Junior Church 7pm Evening Service
Tel: 21100 Fax 21842, The Deanery, 17 Ross Road, Stanley
Rector - Rev Paul Sweeting

TABERNACLE - Barrack Street (free church)

Sunday Services 10.00am and 7.00pm
Family Service second Sunday morning of the month.
Communion first Sunday morning and third Sunday evening of the month.
Midweek Bible Study Tuesday 7.30pm at 2 Drury Street

St. MARY'S SUNDAY 10am (MPA 6.30pm).

Week days: 9am
St. CUTHBERT'S (MPA)
SUN 10.30am All-age Worship
Every 2nd Sun Communion
6.30pm Holy Mass
Mon. 07.00am Mass
Other activities will be posted as and when they are arranged

BAHA'I FAITH

For information on meetings please ring Margo Smallwood on 21031 or check our website: www.horizon.co.fk/bahai_falklands

HOSPITAL PHARMACY

Monday to Friday mornings 10.00am - 12.15pm, Mon, Tue, Thu and Fri afternoons 14.30 - 17.00, Weds afternoons 13.30 - 15.30

MUSEUM

Monday - Friday 09.30 - 12.00 & 13.30 to 16.00; Saturday & Sunday 14.00 - 16.00. Tel: 27428

TREASURY

Monday - Friday Tel: 27143 8am - 12 noon

LIBRARY

Monday - Friday 08.45 - 12.00 and 13.30 - 17.45; Saturday 10am - 12 noon; 14.00 - 17.00pm Tel: 27147

VETERINARY DEPARTMENT

Consultation hours: Phone 27366
Mon Wed Fri 8.30am - 9.30am; 1.00pm - 2.00pm; 4.00pm - 4.30pm; Tues Thurs 1.00pm - 2.00pm.
Consultations by appointment only

BADMINTON CLUB Mondays 7 - 9 Thursdays 7 - 9pm Trudi Clarke, Tel: 21131

SQUASH CLUB Thursdays 5-9pm Contact Roger Spink Tel 21128

NETBALL CLUB Tuesdays 6-7pm. All are welcome Contact Daphne Arthur Almond Tel: 22038

THE FI GUN CLUB New members welcome Contact: Graham Didlick on 22282 or Steve Dent on 22021

F.I. RIFLE ASSOCIATION Contact Secretary G Goodwin 21246

CRICKET ASSOCIATION New junior and senior players welcome. contact Roger Diggle 21716

STANLEY GOLF CLUB Competitions on Sunday at 8.45 am. Contact Graeme Hay on 22555 www.horizon.co.fk/golf

ASTHMA SUPPORT GROUP - Meets second Tuesday of every third month in Day Centre at 5pm. Contact G. France on 21624

FALKLAND ISLANDS RED CROSS New members welcome Contact Keith Biles, Tel. 21897 (Chairman); Elizabeth Marrow 21921 (Secretary); Jean Diggle 21716 (Treasurer)

GUILD OF SPINNERS, WEAVERS & HANDICRAFTS Meetings on Monday evening at 7.30pm and Thursdays 1.30 - 3.30pm. Contact M Smallwood 21031

CANCER SUPPORT & AWARENESS TRUST - Contact Theresa Lang (Chairman) 21235 Alison Ward (Secretary) 21851, Derek Howatt (Trustee) 21385, Shiralee Collins 21579

FIODA Chairman - Geoff Pring, tel 21786 Secretary - Richard Fogerty, tel 21343 Treasurer - Alison Inglis, tel 22817

DIABETES SUPPORT GROUP Holds meetings quarterly - for further details contact Chairman Sharon Middleton on 21393

STANLEY SWIMMING CLUB Coaching Tuesdays 4-5pm, Fridays 4-5pm
STANLEY SUB-AQUA CLUB - Contact David McLeod Phone: 20836 (day), 20843 (home)

THE ROYAL BRITISH LEGION - FALKLAND ISLANDS BRANCH Meets on the first Monday of every month at the Hillside Mess at 7.45pm. Contacts: Chairman Michael Stevens (21936)/ Secretary Bruce Wilks (22438), Treasurer Richard Morrison (22316)

STANLEY SHORT MAT BOWLS CLUB Friday 6.00 - 8.00pm. Contact Greta Skene 21488

JELLY TOTS CLUB meets Tuesday 1.30 - 3.30pm and Thursday 10-11.30am in the Parish Hall, all parents and carers with children aged 0 - 5 years are welcome. For more information contact: Zoe Crockford - 22694 Chairperson, Michelle King - 21784 Treasurer, Wendy Luxton - 21882, Secretary, Sue Wilks - 22438, Alison Rose - 22955

THE SHACK YOUTH CLUB - Open every Thursday night School years 3/4 5.15pm to 6.45pm School years 5/6 7.00pm to 8.30pm Friday night School years 7/8/9/10 9.00pm. Any queries or information contact Stevie or Katie Burston phone/fax 21677

SHORT TENNIS CLUB - Sunday 3 - 5pm Contact Gordon Lennie Tel 21667 or Steve Pointing on 21616 for further details

KARATE CLUB Wed 6-7pm and Sat 11-12am. Contact Jan on 22441

AA BASED ALCOHOL AWARENESS GROUP Thursdays 7.30pm - 8.30pm KEMII Day Centre. All Welcome

HANDICAP GROUP - Wednesday evenings at the Parish Hall 7 - 8.30pm

TABLE TENNIS CLUB - Sunday 3 - 5pm Contact Michael Stevens on 21936 for more details

Emergency Radio Frequencies

The Public are advised that in the event of an emergency where no other form of communication are available, that the Royal Falkland Islands Police maintain a 24 hour listening watch on the following frequencies.

VHF 2 metre Band

147 725 (Duplex - 0.6) ... Pebble Island repeater (out of action at the moment, currently being relocated and combined with Port Howard repeater)

146 625, Stanley, Alice

147 825 (Duplex - 0.6) ... Mount Alice repeater

Marine Band

156.800, Channel 16 (Stanley area)

2 182 MHz HF

In the event that communications fail on all the above frequencies then the RFIP may be contacted direct on 153.650 (duplex + 1.6) It is unlikely that this frequency will be functional from West Falkland.

It must be stressed that calling the Royal Falkland Islands Police on any of these frequencies must only be done in the event of an emergency

Saturday 6th August
 8.00 THE ASHES 2ND TEST HIGHLIGHTS
 8.30 ROOM 785
 8.35 TAZ-MANIA
 9.00 SHORT CHANGE
 9.30 BLUE PETER
 10.00 THE SATURDAY SHOW
 11.30 MADAGASCAR: T4 MOVIE SPECIALT4 presenter Miquita Oliver meets Ben Stiller. David Schwimmer, Chris Rock and Jada Pinket-Smith on the set of DreamWorks's latest jungle-based animated movie Madagascar
 11.50 AMAZING WORLD OF ANTS Documentary
 12.30 A QUESTION OF SPORTSue Barker hosts the sports quiz
 1.00 NEWS
 1.10 FOOTBALL FOCUS Manish Bhasin and a panel of experts look ahead to the new Football League season, which starts today. Southampton, Norwich and Crystal Palace are all facing up to life outside the Premiership, and competition to get back to the top will be tough. Southampton begin their quest with a match against Wolves, managed by former Saints boss Glenn Hoddle. Crystal Palace, who so nearly avoided the drop last season, host newly-promoted Luton Town. And fans of Barnet and Carlisle are looking forward to life in the League again after winning promotion from the Conference last season
 2.00 GRANDSTANDClare Balding presents live coverage of the Ascot meeting at Windsor racecourse. There is also racing from Haydock Park. There are highlights of last week's Salford World Cup Triathlon with the world's best triathletes tackling the demanding 1,500m swim, 40km bike ride and 10km run. Plus, Ray Stubbs brings viewers all the half-time scores and reports from the top games on the opening day of the Football League season
 6.10 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER
 6.30 WORLD ATHLETICS CHAMPIONSHIPS Live coverage of the opening exchanges of the 10th World Athletics Championships in Helsinki as several of Britain's leading athletes begin their campaigns
 9.00 CASUALTY
 9.50 MOVIE PRESENTATION: CRAZY/BEAUTIFUL (2001)Modern take on the story of Romeo and Juliet. Starring Bruce Davison, Lucinda Jenney, Kirsten Dunst, Jay Hernandez and Taryn Manning
 11.25 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 11.45 BIG BROTHER
 12.30[am] NEWS 24

Sunday 7th August
 8.30 ROOM 785
 8.40 STUPID
 9.05 STINGRAY
 9.30 THE ASHES 2ND TEST HIGHLIGHTS
 10.00 NEWS 24 SUNDAY
 11.00 THE HEAVEN AND EARTH SHOW
 12.00 GROUND FORCE
 12.30 HOLLYOAKS
 2.30 CD: UK
 3.20 THE SIMPSONS
 3.40 WILD SHORTS Deer Diary: Nature documentary
 3.50 WILD BRITAIN Otters and Oil: Nature documentary
 4.00 THE FA COMMUNITY SHIELD 2005 The FA Community Shield at the Millennium Stadium in Cardiff FA Cup winners Arsenal take on the Premiership Champions Chelsea for the first silverware of the season
 5.55 WORLD ATHLETICS CHAMPIONSHIPS Live athletics coverage from Helsinki
 6.00 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT

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OPENING HOURS
 MONDAY TO FRIDAY
 1.30PM TO 6PM
 SATURDAY BY APPOINTMENT

9.20 THE WEST WING (New) Drama series
 10.00 ABSOLUTE POWER (New) Sitcom. Starring Stephen Fry, John Bird, James Lance, Zoe Telford, Nicholas Burns and Sally Bretton Followed by: BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 10.35 IMAGINE (New)
 11.25 WORLD RALLY CHAMPIONSHIP
 12.15[am] BIG BROTHER
 1.05 [am] NEWS 24

Monday 8th August
 7.00 BREAKFAST
 10.15 ROOM 785
 10.25 FAIRLY ODD PARENTS
 10.35 BLUE PETER
 11.00 THE ASHES 2ND TEST HIGHLIGHTS
 11.30 THIS MORNING
 1.30 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 2.10 EMMERDALE
 2.55 RELOCATION. RELOCATION (New)
 3.45 ROOM 785
 4.00 REALLY WILD SHOW
 4.30 THE STABLES
 5.00 GALIDOR: DEFENDER OF THE OUTER DIMENSION Sci-fi drama series
 5.20 THE CROCODILE HUNTER DIARIES
 5.45 THE KING OF QUEENS Sitcom
 6.05 CORONATION STREET
 6.30 MY HERO
 7.00 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 7.30 EASTENDERS
 8.00 THE BILL
 8.45 GELDOF IN AFRICA
 9.15 WAKING THE DEAD (Part two). Police drama series. Starring Trevor Eve, Sue Johnston, Holly Aird, Wil Johnson, Claire Goose and Phil Daniels
 10.15 ANN WIDDECOMBE TO THE RESCUE Series following the no-nonsense MP. Followed by: BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 10.50 8 OUT OF 10 CATS Hosted by Jimmy Carr
 11.15 FRONTLINE FOOTBALL Palestine: Series uncovering the hidden stories behind 2006 World Cup qualification in nations embroiled in civil, economic or political turmoil
 12.05[am] BIG BROTHER
 12.55[am] THE CHAMPIONSHIP
 1.45[am] NEWS 24

Tuesday 9th August
 7.00 BREAKFAST
 10.15 ROOM 785
 10.25 RUGRATS
 10.35 KERCHING

11.00 THE ASHES 2ND TEST HIGHLIGHTS
 11.30 THIS MORNING
 1.30 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 2.10 HEARTBEAT
 2.55 RELOCATION. RELOCATION
 3.45 ROOM 785
 3.55 50/50
 4.25 BLUE PETER
 4.55 BARKING (New)
 5.15 TIME TEAM Grace Dieu: Archaeology series presented by Tony Robinson
 6.05 CORONATION STREET
 6.30 A SEASIDE PARISH
 7.00 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 7.30 EASTENDERS
 8.00 THE BILL
 8.45 YOU ARE WHAT YOU EAT
 9.10 THE TRUTH ABOUT KILLING Journalist Grub Smith undergoes infantry training in order to assess how easy it really is to kill in battle
 10.00 NIP/TUCK Drama series about two plastic surgeons in Miami Followed by: BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 10.50 ESCAPE TO THE LEGION
 11.40 THE BIGGER PICTURE WITH GRAHAM NORTON
 12.10[am] BIG BROTHER
 12.50[am] NEWS 24

Wednesday 10th August
 7.00 BREAKFAST
 10.15 ROOM 785
 10.20 FAIRLY ODD PARENTS
 10.35 BLUE PETER
 11.00 ANIMAL PARK - WILD IN AFRICA
 11.30 THIS MORNING
 1.30 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 2.10 EMMERDALE
 2.55 RELOCATION. RELOCATION
 3.45 ROOM 785
 4.00 XCHANGE: AFRICA
 4.30 GIRLS IN LOVE
 4.55 COMBAT CLUB
 5.20 AIRLINE USA Docusoap
 5.45 MY WIFE AND KIDS
 6.05 CORONATION STREET
 6.30 AFRICAN SCHOOL Documentary series about Masindi Secondary School in Uganda
 7.00 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 7.30 BUFFY THE VAMPIRE SLAYER Supernatural drama series
 8.10 PIONEER HOUSE
 9.00 DESPERATE HOUSEWIVES
 9.40 CASANOVA Three-part drama about the legendary Italian lover. Starring Peter O'Toole, David Tennant, Laura Fraser, Rupert Penry-Jones, Rose Byrne and Nina

Sosanya Followed by: BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 10.40 BIG BROTHER
 11.05 MAKE ME A SUPERMODEL
 11.55 BIG BROTHER
 12.20 [am] NEWS 24

Thursday 11th August
 7.00 BREAKFAST
 10.15 ROOM 785
 10.25 THE CRAMP TWINS
 10.35 KERCHING!
 11.00 DIY SOS
 11.30 THIS MORNING
 1.30 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 2.10 HEARTBEAT
 2.55 RELOCATION. RELOCATION
 3.45 ROOM 785
 4.10 WRITING ACADEMY (New) Educational series
 4.30 BLUE PETER
 5.00 SERIOUS DESERT
 5.25 ENTERPRISE
 6.05 CORONATION STREET
 6.30 THE WORLD'S MOST PHOTOGRAPHED (New) Elvis Presley: 7.00 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 7.30 EASTENDERS
 8.00 HOLBY CITY
 9.00 LIFE ISN'T ALL HIA HIA HEE HEE Drama series Starring Ayesha Dharker, Meera Syal, Laila Rouass, Sanjeev Bhaskar, Ace Bhatti and Raza Jaffrey
 10.00 CLASS IN BRITAIN (New) The British Working Class. The first of three authored films scrutinising the history of Britain's class system Followed by: BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 10.50 ARRESTED DEVELOPMENT Comedy drama
 11.15 BADDIEL AND SKINNER UNPLANNED
 11.40 BIG BROTHER
 12.20[am] THE ASHES 3RD TEST HIGHLIGHTS
 12.45 [am] NEWS 24

Friday 12th August
 7.00 BREAKFAST
 10.15 ROOM 785
 10.20 FAIRLY ODD PARENTS
 10.35 BLUE PETER
 11.00 ANIMAL PARK - WILD IN AFRICA
 11.30 THIS MORNING
 1.30 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 2.10 EMMERDALE
 2.55 RELOCATION. RELOCATION
 3.45 ROOM 785
 3.55 ATOMIC BETTY
 4.20 THE BIG BANG
 4.35 THE WEEK ON NEWSROUND
 4.55 MY PARENTS ARE ALIENS
 5.15 THE GADGET SHOW
 5.40 THE CITY GARDENER
 6.05 CORONATION STREET
 6.30 SHOULD I WORRY ABOUT ? Exercise
 7.00 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 7.30 EASTENDERS
 8.00 HOW CLEAN IS YOUR HOUSE?
 8.25 QUEEN EYE FOR THE STRAIGHT GUY
 9.10 SEX AND THE SUBURBS - THE DESPERATE HOUSEWIVES PHENOMENON This documentary special goes us inside the strange world of America's weirdest suburban neighbourhood Followed by: BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 9.30 BIG BROTHER
 10.30 8 OUT OF 10 CATS
 11.00 BIG BROTHER
 12.05[am] FRANZ FERDINAND - IN PROFILE
 12.30[am] NEWS 24

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Your programmes - F.I.B.S.

Weekly schedule of programmes - as updated by FIBS

SATURDAY

5:00 IRN News & Childrens Corner
6:00 Weather, Flights, Ranges, Announcements, Job Shop & What's on Guide
6:17 The Archers
6:30 News Review
7:00 In Concert
8:00 Feature Presentation
8:30 Weather, Flights & The Fusion with Stacy
10:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

SUNDAY

5:00 IRN News & Chaplains Choice with Paul Sweeting
5:30 Classical Interlude with Kathy Biles
6:00 Weather, Flights, Ranges, Announcements, Job Shop & What's on Guide
6:15 Short Story
6:30 Feature Presentation
7:00 Sunday Evening Service
8:00 Slow Jams with Jock to include Weather & Flights at 8:30
10:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

MONDAY

7:00 IRN News & Breakfast Show with Ken (530mw & 88.3fm)
9:00 KTV Radio Nova
10:00 IRN News & Lifestyle with Liz to include:
12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
12:30 Calling The Falklands (repeat)
1:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

4:00 IRN News & People's Jukebox
5:00 IRN News followed by Jukebox
6:00 IRN News & The Archers
6:15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop followed by Country Crossroads
7:00 Comedy presentation
7:30 Music feature
8:30 Weather, Flights & The Vinyl Frontier with Myriam
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

TUESDAY

7:00 IRN News & Breakfast Show with Ken (530mw & 88.3fm)
9:00 KTV Radio Nova
10:00 IRN News & Lifestyle with Liz to include:
12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
12:30 One To One
1:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

4:00 IRN News & People's Jukebox
5:00 IRN News followed by Jukebox
6:00 IRN News & The Archers
6:15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop followed by Calling The Falklands
6:45 Simply Classical
7:45 Folk Music Show
8:30 Weather, Flights & 80's and 90's with Sheena
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

WEDNESDAY

7:00 IRN News & Breakfast Show with Ken (530mw & 88.3fm)
9:00 KTV Radio Nova
10:00 IRN News & Lifestyle with Liz to include:
12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
12:30 Calling The Falklands (repeat)
1:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

4:00 IRN News & People's Jukebox
5:00 IRN News followed by Jukebox
6:00 IRN News & The Archers
6:15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop followed by The Best Of... with Jock
7:30 Drama Presentation
8:30 Weather, Flights & FIBS Chart Show
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

THURSDAY

7:00 IRN News & Breakfast Show with Ken (530mw & 88.3fm)
9:00 KTV Radio Nova
10:00 IRN News & Lifestyle with Liz to include:
12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
1:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

4:00 IRN News & People's Jukebox
5:00 IRN News followed by Jukebox
6:00 IRN News & The Archers
6:15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop followed by Soul, Blues & Rock 'n' Roll with Liz
7:30 Feature Presentation
8:00 Pot Luck with Myriam to include Weather & Flights at 8:30
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

FRIDAY

7:00 IRN News & Breakfast Show with Ken (530mw & 88.3fm)
9:00 KTV Radio Nova
10:00 IRN News & Lifestyle with Liz to include:
12:15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
12:30 Caught In The Net/Camp Matters
1:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

4:00 IRN News & People's Jukebox
5:00 IRN News followed by Jukebox
6:00 IRN News & The Archers
6:15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop followed by The Information Hour to include:
Calling The Falklands
One To One (repeat)
Conservation Conversations (repeat)
Caught In The Net/Camp Matters (repeat)
7:30 Non-Stop Country Hour
8:30 Weather, Flights & Leather and Lace with Tansy
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

Any changes will be broadcast on FIBS.



98.5 FM:

SATURDAY 0000 Groove Collective PT 2 0100 The Box 0300 Cox & Bumfrey 0500 Early Riser 0700 Forces Finest PT 10800 Saturday Breakfast 1000 The Score 1300 Forces Finest 1500 Cox & Bumfrey 1700 Ministry Of Sound 1900 David Rodigan 2100 Club Culture 2300 The Box PT 1
SUNDAY 0000 The Box PT 2 0100 Chill Out Room 0300 Sim Courtie 0500 Groove Collective 0700 UK Sunday Breakfast 1000 Sim Courtie 1200 Access all Areas 1400 Airplay UK 1700 The Source 1900 The Rock Show 2100 Up from the Underground 2300 Chill Out Room PT 1
MONDAY 0000 Chill Out Room PT 2 0100 Forces Finest 0300 BFBS Greatest Hits 0400 Early Riser 0700 Hermina Graham 1000 Heidi Secker 1300 Richard Hutchinson 1600 Hatch & Duffus 1800

BFBS Greatest Hits 1900 UK Top 40
2200 Late Show with Lisa Davis
TUESDAY 0000 UK Late Show 0100 David Rodigan 0300 Greatest Hits 0400 Early Riser 0700 Hermina Graham 1000 Heidi Secker 1300 Richard Hutchinson 1600 Hatch & Duffus 1800 BFBS Greatest Hits 1900 Evening Show 2200 Late Show with Lisa Davis
WEDNESDAY 0000 UK Late Show 0100 Club Culture 0300 - 0000 As of Tuesday
THURSDAY 0000 UK Late Show 0100 The Rock Show 0300 - 1600 As of Tuesday, 1600 Hatch & Duffus 1800 BFBS Greatest Hits 1900 UK Evening Show 2200 Late Show with Lisa Davis
FRIDAY 0000 UK Late Show 0100 Up from the Underground 0300 BFBS Greatest Hits 0400 Early Riser 0700 Hermina Graham 1000 Heidi Secker 1300 Richard Hutchinson 1600 Hatch & Duffus 1800 BFBS Greatest Hits 1900 Friday Dance 2100 Ministry of Sound 2300 The Groove Collective



550 MW:

SATURDAY 0000 Classic weekend breakfast 0200 Today 0400 Home Truths 0500 The Now Show 0530 Brown on Brown 0600 News/Allinson's albums 0700 Sport on Five 1400 Rockola 1500 The Classic rock show 1600 Raven 'n' the blues 1700 Late night live 2000 Up all night
SUNDAY 0000 Classic weekend breakfast 0200 Weekend woman's hour 0300 Sunday Worship 0350 A point of view 0400 Broadcasting House 0520 The Archers Omnibus 0618 Seven days 0700 BFG on Sunday 0800 Sport on Five 1400 The BFBS Radio 2 Comedy Hour 1500 News/The Archers 1515 A view from 1530 The Chet Baker story 1600 Home truths 1700 Late night live 2000 Up all Night
MONDAY 0000 Morning Reports 0030 Wake up to money 0100 Today 0400 News/Dave Windsor's Gold 0600 BFBS Radio 2 news 0610 Glen Mansell 0830 Simon Marlow 1100 BFBS Today 1115 The Archers 1130 Howay the laughs 1200 PM 1300 The Six o'clock News 1330 Classic Rock 1430 Sport on five 1700 Late night live 1900 Up all Night
TUESDAY 0000 Morning Reports 0030 Wake up to money 0100 Today 0400 News/Dave Windsor's Gold 0600 BFBS Radio 2 news 0610 Glen Mansell 0830

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- FIBS 88.3 FM in Stanley area, 96.5 FM, 102FM Mount Maria and 530 MW island wide.
- BFBS1 96.5 FM island wide and 98.5 MPA.
- BFBS2 550 MW Island wide.
- Radio Nova BBC World Service on 106.5 FM and 530 MW and Deutsche Welle on 101.1 FM

Falkland Islands Defence Force Routine Orders



Thursday 11th August

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Phoenix Cinema Schedule - 6 - 12 August, 2005

Weekday show starts - 20:00

Saturday shows starts - 1st Performance 09:30 2nd Performance 14:00 3rd Performance 20:00

Sunday shows starts - 1st Performance 13:00 2nd Performance 17:00 3rd Performance 20:00

Saturday 6 August	Sunday 7 August	Monday 8 August	Tuesday 9 August	Wednesday 10 August	Thursday 11 August	Friday 12 August
STAR WARS: EP III	SIN CITY	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED
MR & MRS SMITH	MR & MRS SMITH	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED
THE PACIFIER	KUNG FU HUSTLE	KUNG FU HUSTLE	KINGDOM OF HEAVEN	HOUSE OF WAX	KUNG FU HUSTLE	MR & MRS SMITH

SIN CITY (18) 124 mins. Action/Thriller. Jessica Alba, Bruce Willis
KINGDOM OF HEAVEN (15) 144 mins. Drama Sc. Orlando Bloom, Liam Neeson
MR & MRS SMITH (15) 119 mins. Thriller. Brad Pitt, Angelina Jolie
STAR WARS: EP III (12A) 139 mins. Sci-Fi Act Sc. Ewan McGregor, Hayden

Christensen
HOUSE OF WAX (15) 112 mins. Horror. Elisha Cuthbert, Chad Michael Murray
KUNG FU HUSTLE (15) 98 mins. Act/Com Stephen Chow, Kwok Chan
THE PACIFIER (PG) 95 mins. Comedy Sc. Vin Diesel, Lauren Graham

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News from Executive Council's July 28 meeting

Range of decisions follow DFF audit

HIS Excellency the Governor Mr Pearce said that "a range of decisions" arose out of an audit of the so-called, Domestic Fuel Formula (DFF), which is used to calculate the price of fuel in the Islands.

Mr Pearce said most people will be aware that Stanley Services Ltd holds a monopoly licence for the supply of fuel products. "In return, Stanley Services Ltd is obliged to maintain fuel stocks at or above agreed levels and to set fuel prices in accordance with the Domestic Fuel Formula.

"Following an audit by FIG's Internal Auditor of the Domestic Fuel Formula and discussion in Executive Council (ExCo) last year, a series of recommendations were considered by ExCo last week." Mr Pearce described the issues involved as "complex and technical." He added, "because of the public interest in this issue I have set out the decisions taken by Executive Council in detail."

1. SSL should be asked formally to agree side notes to the Fuel Supply Agreement to provide for:

- simplification of the pricing formula and

- application of interest to the DFF provision, including a penalty rate for excessive balances owed to the customer.

2. SSL should be invited to discuss a fundamental review of the pricing formula, with the objective of removing perverse incentives from that formula.

3. SSL should be required to compensate the customer for the profit that it has erroneously drawn on transport costs throughout the life of the Fuel Supply Agreements.

4. SSL should be required to obtain itemised invoices for future supplies of diesel and kerosene. Alternatively, the company should agree a transport percentage of prime costs that will be excluded from the 2.5% return calculation for the purposes of the pricing formula.

5. SSL should be required to reduce the DFF operating cost apportionments to a level that better reflects the proportion of turnover from fuel activities, except for those items where the

company can provide firm activity data to demonstrate that a different percentage is appropriate.

6. Apportioned costs for marketing and entertainment should be removed from the DFF calculation.

7. SSL should be asked formally to agree a side-note to the Fuel Supply Agreement to clarify that, for the purposes of the pricing formula, depreciation is always to be based on the initial historic cost of fixed assets.

8. SSL should account for shared use assets in a manner that clearly demonstrates that only the fair proportion of the costs is borne by the DFF. In the meantime, notional rents should be increased, where necessary, to provide for full recovery of the non-fuel element by the DFF.

9. In the event that SSL resists implementing all or some of the recommendations in this report, FIG should solicit the company's agreement for the Principal Auditor to be asked to review those findings when he next visits the Falkland Islands. This would provide a cost effective alternative to invoking the potentially expensive option of employing a firm of accountants to act as expert and make binding recommendations.

Following its discussion in June of the problems arising from the quality of fuel recently supplied by Stanley Services Ltd, Executive Council considered possible amendments to the Petroleum Products Ordinance in order to provide added protection to consumers. Mr Pearce said that after some discussion, Executive Council agreed that the Petroleum Products Ordinance be amended so as to:

- (a) provide for complaints relating to the supply of fuel by any licensee under the Ordinance to be made to a Fuel Commissioner and for the powers of the Commissioner;

- (b) provide for the fuel price formula agreed between FIG and SSL to have statutory force;

- (c) provide for the results of any audit of the application of the fuel price formula to be published.

Mr Pearce said that the responsibilities of Fuel Commissioner will be carried out by an existing official, the identity of who is yet to be decided, and will therefore not involve the establishment of an additional post or any further expenditure.

Wrecks and hulks restoration funds carried over

The Falkland Islands Government agreed last year to make available some £25,000 to the Museum and National Trust to support work on wrecks and hulks in Stanley.

These funds were offered on a matching basis - FIG would contribute £1 for every £1 raised for this purpose by the Museum. At its meeting last week ExCo agreed that, since none of this money was spent in the previous financial year, the £25,000 in matching funds could be carried over from the last

to the current (2005/06) financial year; that £2,840 of this money should now be released to the Museum to match funds which had been raised; and that the unspent balance remaining at the end of the current financial year should be carried over to 2006/07.

ExCo also agreed that Mr Vernon Steen and Mrs Alison Barton should be reappointed for a period of three years as Trustees of the Falkland Islands Museum and National Trust.

No licence to kill protected birds

NO further licences for the killing of Turkey Vultures or other protected birds will be issued.

Farmers have applied for licences to control turkey vultures because of the damage they cause to sheep.

Mr Pearce said ExCo held a full discussion of these applications and reached the following conclusions: "The current arrangement, under which the Governor's powers in the Conservation of Wildlife and Nature Ordinance 1999 to issue licences to kill protected birds have been

delegated to a government official, should be revoked; that a paper should be prepared by the Department of Agriculture, following consultation with all interested parties (including the Rural Business Association, Falklands Conservation, Falklands Tourism and the Environmental Planning Officer), setting out the issues and making recommendations for future policy; and that meanwhile, no licences for the killing of turkey vultures or other protected birds should be issued."

Renewal of seismic exploration licence

THE renewal was agreed for a further year from 20 December 2005 of the exploration licence held by Geophysical Service Incorporated, under which they are entitled to acquire offshore seismic data under contract for production licence holders Falkland Oil and Gas Ltd and Borders and Southern Petroleum.

Mr Pearce said it is expected that this work will continue to be carried out by their vessel *GSI Admiral*.

Lease on 'The Place' continued for one year

THE lease to the premises known as The Place is to continue with a further review to take place in July 2006.

In October last year ExCo agreed to rent the old Telephone Exchange on Ross Road to the Trustees of The Place as a meeting place for the young people of Stanley. This decision was subject to review in the middle of this year.

Mr Pearce said members of ExCo noted that usage of The Place had dropped off significantly in recent months, and hoped that this vote of confidence would revive interest on the part of young people in using the building. He said the importance of young people having a place of their own in which they could meet is recognised, and encouraged them to make "full use of this facility."

KTV to repair radio mast on Sappers Hill

THE TELEVISION and radio mast on Sappers Hill is nearing the end of its useful life.

The mast has suffered recent damage and is in need of repair and maintenance in order to enable it to operate for another one to two years until it is replaced.

Mr Pearce said ExCo had

agreed that an offer by Mr Mario Zuvic of KTV Ltd to employ Chilean engineers to carry out this work should be accepted.

ExCo also had a preliminary discussion of options for the long-term replacement of the mast, decision on this aspect will be taken at a future meeting of ExCo.

Dog kennel extension to be reconsidered

EXCO agreed that Planning permission for the extension of a dog kennel at Murray Heights should be revoked and reconsidered at the next meeting of the Planning and Building Committee on September 8.

At its meeting in the middle of last month, the Planning and

Building Committee granted planning permission for the extension of a dog kennel at Murray Heights.

Mr Pearce said that it subsequently came to light that, "a number of letters of objection sent before the meeting had not been received in time for consideration by the Committee."

Parking limited to one hour opposite hospital entrance

EXCO agreed a proposal to provide limited parking for six vehicles on St Mary's Walk immediately opposite the entrance to the Hospital.

Parking in this area will be limited to one hour between 8am and 5pm from Monday to Friday.

Mr Pearce said this is designed to "make it easier for outpatients to park their vehicles when they attend the hospital, while leaving sufficient space at either end of St Mary's Walk for unlimited parking for other vehicles."

Fisheries Department

Catch for week 29, ending July 26, 2005

Number of Licences

Licence type	Eligible W/ending 19/07/05	Fishing W/ending 19/07/05
Total	23	18
L	2	1
R	3	-
X	16	16
Y	2	1

Catch by species (Tonnes)

	All vessels	Total
Loligo	2632	2632
Illex	0	0
Martialia	0	0
Hakes	3	3
Blue Whiting	0	0
Hoki	56	56
Kingclip	16	16
Toothfish	7	7
Red Cod	50	50
Ray	4	4
Other	23	23
Total	2791	2791

Shipping activity from July 25 - August 1

The *Tamar FI* called in to the East Jetty twice this week to discharge and load cargo, while at FIPASS the longliner *Elqui* is still under arrest.

Three trawlers also called at FIPASS: the *Castelo* left last Monday bound for South Georgia, *Puente Ladeira* left for the FICZ and the *Argos Vigo* remained at FIPASS after a crew change.

HMS Portland was on patrol in

Port William, while the reefer *Saronic Breeze* left Port William on Sunday after transhipping.

There were also ten travellers in Port William during the week. *Glory, Aurora 2* and *Capricorn* all left last Monday; the *Robin M Lee, Playa de Galicia, Esperanza* and *New Polar* all left during the week. The *Igueldo* and the *Argos Pereira* both left on Sunday after a medical visit and crew change respectively.

South Georgia Fisheries: Catch Figures Week ending July 29, 2005



Species	Max No. of Vessels	Total Catch	Total Effort
Toothfish	8	122 tonnes	601,141 hooks
Krill	5	4,305	267 trawls

on share prices

At close of business Monday, July 25, 2005

Desire Petroleum plc	38.75p	(-1.25p)
Falkland Oil and Gas plc	113.50p	(-6.00p)
Falkland Islands Holdings plc	455p	(-7.50p)
Falkland Gold and Minerals Ltd	24.25p	(-2.50p)
Standard Chartered PLC	1133p	(+47p)

Wool report - week ending July 22

by Neil Judd, Department of Agriculture

NEW ZEALAND wool markets were "softer" last week after the enthusiasm of the previous week. Most micron categories were down by 1 to 2% for fleeces wool. Some oddments however were up to 1% dearer.

Reduced buying interest from China and the mid-year selling recess in Australia were put forward as reasons for the weeks price falls.

Considerable interest will focus on Australian markets as they open next week after their three-week "holiday". It is suggested that currency movements over the last few weeks should make Australian greasy wool cheaper for Chinese processors (a good point to assist in increasing demand) however the impact on potential export sales of Chinese finished products is still being debated.

An estimated 45,000 bales are expected at next week's sales in Australia and almost 27,000 bales in New Zealand.

Note:

Exchange rates used to convert wool prices into pence per kg clean basis. Australian \$2.30 per 1£ sterling compared to \$2.29 per 1£ sterling previous week.

* Estimates of MPG provided for guidance purposes only. Supported by actual currency changes and wool price trends from New Zealand.

Information derived from AWEX market report and Wool Record Weekly.

It should be remembered that no selling or freight costs have been deducted from the stated prices.

Growers are strongly advised to seek assistance in evaluating offers for wool where ESTIMATED prices are given.

Any woolgrower with a question regarding the wool industry, or requiring assistance to determine the merit of any wool price offer, is urged to contact Neil Judd at the Department of Agriculture on telephone 27355 or on email njudd@doa.govt.nz

Week ending	Pence per kilogram clean for each micron category											
	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	28	30	32
10/01/2002	555	403	306	294	293	288	283	266	232	208	199	185
13/12/2002	553n	484	456	451	446	437n	431n	407n	369n	265	217	201n
10/01/2003	557n	494	470	463	458	451	445	412n	375n	271	228	210n
04/07/2003	443n	408	409	411	414n	413n	405n	384n	351n	252n	213	201n
12/12/2003	397n	380	366	362	351	336	325	295n	272n	218n	187n	167n
09/09/2004	409n	392	380	369	356	337	326	295n	274n	215	167	161n
02/07/2004	421n	390	352	339	323	310	281n	265n	253n	211n	188n	169n
17/12/2004	395	368	327	306	295	282	269n	233n	218n	186n	168n	154n
14/01/2005	411n	383	341	316	307	297	284	244n	225	194n	176n	160n
04/02/2005	417	389	343	316	303	294	282	246n	226n	194n	177n	163n
04/03/2005	411	378	337	312	295	285	270	242n	223n	187	174	164n
08/04/2005	414	387	337	313	298	290	273n	244n	224n	189	174	164n
06/05/2005	416	381	334	304	293	288	273	246	228	187	174	164
03/06/2005	418	376	336	313	303	300	282n	256n	234n	197	180	167n
01/07/2005	412	373	336	322	317	313	288n	265n	240n	197	185	169n
08/07/2005	419	386	343	330	324	320	298	275	245	206	192	173
micron	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	28	30	32
15/07/2005	408n	378n	340	324	318	314	294	278n	247n	204n	190n	173n
Guidance												
MPG22/07/05	417*	386*	347*	330*	324*	321*	300*	284*	252*	208*	193*	176*
Guidance												
MPG29/07/05	415*	384*	345*	329*	323*	319*	299*	283*	251*	207*	193*	176*
Potential change	-2	-2	-2	-1	-2	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	0	0
Price Year ago	426	391	350	327	314	301	277	262	249	209	184	165



Stanley Darts Club

Results from Monday, August 1

Mens Total BOC	League Position	pts	lgs	Ladies Legs	
Tooty Ford	Tornado's	42	189	Maggie Goss	36
Gary Hewitt	Rose B	39	176	Ann Murphy	26
Colin Smith	Otto's Outlaws	36	149	Joan Middleton	25
Len Ford	Misfits	34	150	Nora Smith	25
Graeme Hay	Snowmen	33	152	Sheila Harvey	24
James Lang	Narrower	31	134	Tara Heathman	24
Alan Bonner	Kelpers	30	148	Hazel Collins	24
Johny Ford	Rose Missiles	19	137	Cathy Jacobsen	23
Russel Smith	Deanos	24	128	Pat Pratlett	21
Joe Joseph	Men at Arms	23	133	Ally Ford	19
Peter Goss	Victory Scuds	21	114	Jenny McKay	19
Rag Macaskill	Pale Maidens	21	112	Maisey Crowie	19
Steve Watt	Stray Dogs	17	117	Jenny Smith	19
Jimmy Curtis	Last Orders	17	105	Jane Clement	18
Teddy Summers	Penguins	17	103	Patsy Robson	18
Tooty Morrison	Vic Spear Chucke	15	101	Avril Bonner	17
Dale McCormick	Victory Spiders	13	88	Natalie Smith	17
Geoff Greenough	Rose Mixers	12	102	Sibby Summers	16
Tony Courtney	Busty Babes	10	85	Gail Miller	16
Willie Robson	Armed & Dangerous	9	83	Teresa Clifton	16
Kevin Clapp	Maids at Arms	9	78	Jeanet Miller	15
Willy Harvey	Globe Goonies	7	76	Ellen Ferguson	15
Tony McLaren	Highbury Babes	6	78	Corina Bishop	14
Shane Blackley	Spice Burgers	3	60	Wendy Roberts	14
Jim Parke	FIDF Dart Flingers	2	52	Heather Smith	13
Boy Miranda				Julie Ford	13
Melvin Clifton				Jan Parke	12
Kevin McLaren				Monica Lumbum	12
Michael Summers				Rowena Summers	12
Paul Smith				Tamara Lang	12
Neville Hayward				Sheila Stewart	12
David Ford				Nyree Heathman	12
Owen Betts				Tanzi Jacobsen	12
Martin Plato					
Adrian Minnell					
Angus Macaskill					
Neil Clifton					
Michael Goss					
James Greenland					
James Bates					
Paul Anderson					
John Betts					
John Jaffray					
William Whitney					
Paul Chapman					
Keith Dickson					
Leon Mitchell					
Richard Bonner					
Mark Pollard					
Tim Bonner					
Andrew Pollard					

Mens legs	pts
Gary Hewitt	44
James Lang	44
Graeme Hay	41
Rag Macaskill	40
Colin Smith	40
Johny Ford	39
Tooty Ford	39
Peter Goss	39
Len Ford	38
Tooty Morrison	36
Tony Courtney	36
Geoff Greenough	36
Steve Watt	35
Alan Bonner	35
Joe Joseph	33
Boy Miranda	32
Teddy Summers	32
Kevin Clapp	30
Paul Chapman	30
Jimmy Curtis	30
Tony McLaren	30
Wladimir Bruno	30
Paul Anderson	29
Neville Hayward	29
Leon Mitchell	29
Willie Robson	29
Russel Smith	29
Willy Harvey	28
Michael Summers	26
Richard Bonner	26
Dale McCormick	26
Neil Clifton	26

Ladies Total BOC	pts
Maggie Goss	52
Sheila Harvey	24
Jane Clement	24
Nora Smith	23
Jenny McKay	22
Cathy Jacobsen	21
Teresa Clifton	21
Joan Middleton	20
Tara Heathman	20
Dylis Short	19
Sibby Summers	19
Gail Miller	18
Maisey Crowie	18
Heather Smith	17
Jan Parke	16
Natalie Smith	16
Candy Blackley	16
Wendy Roberts	15
Pat Pratlett	14
Jenny Smith	14
Hazel Collins	14
Ann Murphy	14
Ally Ford	13
Lisa Jaffray	12
Patsy Robson	12
Janet Jaffray	12
Sheila Stewart	11
Corina Bishop	10
Michele Evans	10
Jeanet Miller	10
Avril Bonner	9
Cherry Robson	9
Julie Ford	9
Rowena Summers	9
Tamara Lang	9
Ellen Ferguson	8
Nyree Heathman	8

Mens 3 Treble 20s	pts
Alan Bonner	5
Tooty Ford	4
Len Ford	4
Colin Smith	4
Gary Hewitt	2
Dale McCormick	2
James Greenland	2

Results from Monday August 1	pts	lgs
Men At Arms	5	10
Penguins	7	8
Narrower	8	7
Busty Babes	8	7
Spiders	3	12
Misfits	7	8
Spearchuckers	8	7
Pale Maidens	7	8
Rose Missiles	8	7
Spiceburgers	7	8
Globe Goonies	7	8
Stray Dogs	5	10
Victory Scuds		
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Fitzroy edge out Ross in Community School Gala

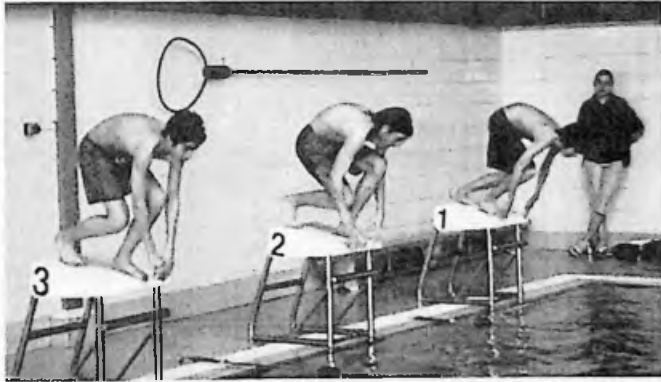


Above: The swimmers line up alongside the pool between races

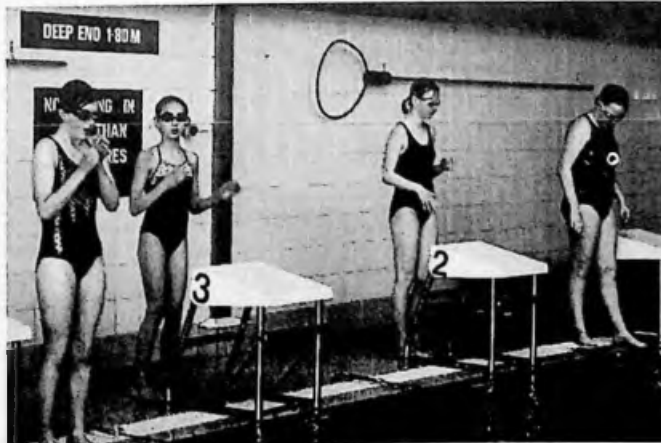
- Swimming Gala results**
- Best Junior boy: Joe Birmingham
 - Best Junior girl: Hannah Pointing
 - Best Intermediate boy: Drew Robertson
 - Best Intermediate girl: Sam Dodd
 - Best Senior boy: Dion Robertson
 - Best Senior girl: Tamara McCormick
- Overall swimming house shield went to Fitzroy with a total of 647 points. With Ross as the closest swimming competition on record



Above: Dominic Watson, waits to hear his time



Above: Year 9 boys dive from the starting blocks. Below: Year 9 girls wait for the starters orders



Thank you to Alan Bonner and Andrew Pollard for compiling the dart statistics

South American News from

MERCOPRESS

Twelve years to recover Torres del Paine

ATWELVE year program for the restoration of Chile's most renowned national park, Torres del Paine which suffered a devastating blaze that destroyed several thousands hectares of pristine wildlife was approved this week in Punta Arenas.

Magallanes Region Environmental Office approved the program involving approximately 7.5 million US dollars presented by the National Forestry Corporation.

The funds will be provided by

Chile's Ministry of Agriculture, regional government of Magallanes, the Czech government and a German forest promotion agency, according to Maria Luisa Ojeda CEO from the Magallanes Environmental Office.

"The project is programmed in four stages which we hope will return the Park, in twelve years time, to conditions before last summer's blaze," said Ms Ojeda.

The first goal is to restore surface vegetation in the open areas

and the different tree species damaged by the fire which took a whole month to stamp out.

Another top priority is mounting a forest fire prevention system so there's no repeat of the last season, and no further surprises inside the most forested areas of the park, which went unscathed during the February blaze.

The fire was concentrated to less than 5% of Torres del Paine's park area and was started by a young Czech camper.

Gibraltar Governor candidate for top intelligence post

GIBRALTAR Governor Sir Francis Richards is the front runner for a top intelligence post that will play a key role in the prevention of more suicide bombings in Britain, according to an article in The Times newspaper.

Sir Francis a former head of GCHQ the government signals intelligence centre, is being linked to the post of chairman of the Cabinet Office Joint Intelligence Committee, which, says the newspaper, "provides Tony Blair and his most senior Cabinet colleagues with a 'red book' of intelligence each week."

Its role is to assess and give early warning of developments likely to affect Britain's interests.

The JIC also advises on priorities for intelligence gathering to counter the threat of international terrorism.

Other front-runners for the job include Sir Peter Torry and Sir Nigel Sheinwald.

However a spokesperson for Sir Francis declined to confirm or deny the story, limiting himself to saying that this was the first that the Governor had heard of this.

Blair and Lula talks about London killing

BRITISH Prime Minister Tony Blair telephoned Brazilian President Luis Inacio Lula da Silva Tuesday to apologize once more for the death of Jean Charles de Menezes, whom London police shot dead after mistaking him for a terrorist.

Official Brazilian sources said Blair explained to President Lula that London "is going through a very difficult time" because of recent terrorist attacks, adding that he had appointed a special commission to investigate De Menezes' slaying.

According to the Brazilian president's office, Lula told Blair he understands Britain's problems, deeply regretted what happened and underscored that steps should be taken to prevent the death of innocent people.

During the ten minutes conversation President Lula told Mr. Blair of the sadness he felt when he spoke with De Menezes' parents about their son, who was shot eight times, seven in the head, as he lay on the floor of a London subway car.

The electrician was buried this week in Gonzaga, his home town in Minas Gerais among great local grief and support for the family. The Menezes also met with officials from the British government and Metropolitan Police who visited them to express their regrets over the loss of 27 year old Menezes.

The Menezes' family has demanded compensation from the British government that, according to the London press, could total as much as \$1 million.

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Falkland Landholdings Corporation - Wednesday 10th August at 9.30am in the Chamber of Commerce
Members of the public can attend but not speak at Committee meetings
Copies of the Agenda and Reports can be seen in the Secretariat at least three working days before the date of the meeting.



Nathan Watson. Happy 1st birthday for Tuesday 9th. To our lovely little boy, where has the last year gone? Love Mummy & Daddy.
Nathan Watson. Happy birthday you little terror
Love from your big brothers.



To our special little boy: Happy 1st birthday for yesterday. Have a lovely time, lots of love, hugs and kisses, from Mummy and Daddy

To Lane, happy 1st birthday big man. Hope you will get lots of nice surprises. Lots of love from Uncle George

To our special little Godson. Happy 1st birthday for yesterday, have a great party tomorrow. Lots of love always from Georgina, John, Kristin and Dominic xxx

Fergus Crowie
Happy 1st Birthday for Monday 8th. Love Auntie Ruth, Uncle Paul Dom, Ryan & Nathan.

Bridge results for Wednesday 3rd August: 1st Candy Blackley and Walter Felton, 2nd Rene Duncan and Lil Johnson, Booby Ally Ford and Freda Alazia



Happy 2nd birthday Chloe
Enjoy your party tomorrow, with lots of love from Caroline, Megan, Shirley and Target xxxx

PERSONAL



Fergus James. Happy 1st birthday for Monday 8th. Lots of love Mummy and Lachlan

Happy 2nd birthday Chloe
Lots of love Auntie Cheryl and Bosie in Germany



Happy 2nd birthday Chloe, enjoy your party! Loads of love Mummy, Nana and Grandad



To Carmen, Happy birthday for the 10th. Love the suit, lots of love, Mum, Dad and Boy



Manenucha, te amo tanto miachica, Craig



Nathan Watson. Happy 1st birthday for the 9th August. Lots of love Granny and Grandad Crowie, Uncle Chester, Auntie Layla and Uncle Peter



This little girl is 50 on Saturday. Happy birthday to Jane from Gilly, Jackie, Caroline and Tim



Fergus Crowie. Happy 1st birthday for the 8th August. Lots of love and cuddles from Granny, Grandad, Uncle Chester, Auntie Layla and Uncle Peter



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APPLICATIONS FOR PERMANENT RESIDENCE

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APPLICATIONS FOR PERMANENT RESIDENCE

Notices is hereby given that Jennifer Helen Sanchez Ladron de Guevara has applied through the Principal Immigration Officer to be granted a Permanent Residence Permit by the Governor.

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APPLICATIONS FOR PERMANENT RESIDENCE

Notices is hereby given that Pamela Ivonne Canto Robles has applied through the Principal Immigration Officer to be granted a Permanent Residence Permit by the Governor.

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The Lighthouse Seaman's Centre will be closed for staff holidays for just over two weeks this year. Closing from Monday 8th August and reopening to the public on Wednesday 24th August. We are sorry for the forced diet! Thanks to everyone who supports the Mission. We are still waiting for the final SWAMS money to come in and will let you all know the final totals as soon as we do. There are still T shirts and certificates to be picked up from the Mission.

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Pat's Mini Darts Competition will take place in the Victory Bar on Friday and Saturday 12th and 13th August starting at 7.30pm. Cash prizes and trophies to be won. Entry fee of £2.00 will be collected on the Friday night and includes supper on the Friday evening. Anyone wishing to play please put their names on the entry list in the Victory Bar before 4.00PM on Thursday 11th August.

For all those people interested in playing rugby, or assisting in anyway there will be a meeting held at the Narrows Bar at 5.30 on Wednesday 10th August. Please be there.

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Child Health Clinic Wednesday 10th August 4 - 5.30 pm in the KEMH Day Centre

If you require further information please contact Miranda McKee on tel 28080 or leave a message at reception (tel. 28000)
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The **PINK SHOP** will be closed from end of business on Friday 5th August until Tuesday 16th August 2005. Any framing required in this period must be submitted by Wednesday 3rd, to be collected by Friday 5th. Apologies for any inconvenience. Enquiries to 21399/21792

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE that it is my intention to apply at the Summary Court to be held at the Town Hall, Stanley, Falkland Islands on 19th August 2005 at 9.30 a.m. for the authority to sell by retail intoxicating liquor at the premises known as T D Imports (North Unit, Globe Stores, Philomel Street). **GIVEN** under my hand this 26th day of July 2005
Signature of applicant/Authorised Agent A W Davies

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE that it is my intention to apply at the Summary Court to be held at the Town Hall, Stanley, Falkland Islands on 2nd September 2005 at 9am for the authority to sell by retail intoxicating liquor at the premises known as Farm House, Carcass Island. **GIVEN** under my hand this 3rd day of August 2005. Signature of Applicant R McGill

Competition

Malvina House Hotel

As part of the renovation works, the Malvina House Hotel invites local Artists to put forward paintings/drawings which will be used to add a local dimension to the public areas of the hotel especially in the Bar, Lounge, Reception and Restaurant. The winner will be able to display and sell their works, for a period of 12 months. We are looking to receive entries by 31st August 2005.

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End of an era for Falklands protector

ONE of the Royal Navy vessels used in the Falklands Conflict Task Force was decommissioned this week.

HMS Leeds Castle sailed into Portsmouth Harbour for the last time on Monday as her 24 year navy career came to an end.

A familiar sight in the Falklands, the *Leeds Castle* has, along with her sister ship *Dumbarton Castle*, provided the resident naval patrol for the Islands for over ten years.

Commanding Officer of the ship, Lieutenant Commander Chris Goodsell said, "It has been an honour and a privilege to serve as the last Commanding Officer of *HMS Leeds Castle* through the final few months of her long and distinguished history.

"She has served the Royal Navy with distinction and now heads towards a well-deserved retirement."

His Excellency the Governor, Mr Howard Pearce has paid tribute to the ship after her long association with the Islands. In a letter sent to Lt Cdr Goodsell, Mr Pearce said, "Falkland Islanders are deeply grateful for the key role which the



HMS Leeds Castle on patrol in South Georgia

vessel has played in protecting the Falkland Islands and in maintaining UK sovereignty in the South Atlantic. He added, "They also value greatly the personal friendships which have been made over the years with the officers and crew."

Mr Pearce describes the sight of the *Leeds Castle* steaming into harbour as, "... a great source of comfort and reassurance."

Leeds Castle left the Islands for the last time in November and has been busy with various tasks in places such as Lithuania, Norway and Newcastle.

Leeds Castle and *Dumbarton Castle* are being replaced in their Falkland Island patrol duties by brand new ship *HMS Clyde*. The *Clyde* is currently being built in Portsmouth and is expected to enter service in 2007.

The Falklands Regime: Bingham book hits the shelves

ENVIRONMENTALIST and former Falklands Conservation (FC) Officer, Mike Bingham has written a book about his experiences in the Falklands.

Entitled 'The Falklands Regime' The Book Store review describes the book as a "true story" which tells how, "twenty years after British troops died for democracy in the Falklands War, a British citizen would be forced to flee the Falklands to escape political corruption and death threats, to seek democracy and freedom of speech in Argentina."

Mr Bingham hit the headlines in 2003 when he challenged Executive Council's decision to refuse his application for Falkland Island Status in the Supreme Court. Executive Councilors had recommended to the Governor that the application be refused on the grounds that Mr Bingham had misrepresented his qualifications on appointment to Falklands Conservation, held out that he had a Doctorate from a university in Ireland which was "bogus", did not have "...skills, abilities and qualifications" of which the

Islands were in need and listed three other grounds relating to Mr Bingham's outspoken views on conservation which criticised the Government.

On October 27, 2003, Chief Justice Wood ruled that Executive Council's decision to refuse Mr Bingham's application for Falkland Islands Status was, "...morally and constitutionally indefensible," and that it, "breached Mr Bingham's freedom of speech guaranteed by section 10 of the Constitution."

Executive Councilors responded to the ruling saying, "...This does not mean that he (Justice Wood) has granted the application which will have to be reconsidered by the Executive Council."

It is not public information whether Mr Bingham has ever re-applied for Falkland Island Status.

Excerpts from the Free Preview of the book to be found on www.authorhouse.com, read: "The people exposed for corruption wanted revenge, and since the Supreme Court ruling had not stopped them, it was hard to imagine what would. Sooner or later my

luck was bound to run out, and they would succeed in framing me for something serious in such a way that I would not be able to prove my innocence... By now I was weary of looking over my shoulder, of continually checking my house in search of false evidence that the Falklands police might have planted, of being unable to start a family for fear of the harassment they would suffer for my beliefs."

Chief Police Officer, Dave Morris said that the allegations Mike Bingham makes regarding the Royal Falkland Islands Police are "totally untrue."

The preview of the book claims that when Mr Bingham, "dared to connect the starvation of five million penguins to commercial fishing that was making the Falklands elite rich, a deadly game of cat and mouse was unleashed," and "...when oil exploration began in the Falklands, Mike Bingham led a protest against the hundreds of penguins that were dying from oil pollution."

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News in brief

Marine life study

THE Hobart-based Australian Antarctic Division is to coordinate the biggest marine life survey of its kind in Antarctica.

It will involve up to 30 countries, with 15 research ships and about 200 scientists over the summer of 2007-2008. Antarctic Division chief scientist Professor Michael Stoddart says the census is part of a bigger 10-year study of the world's marine life.

"Never before has there been a survey where everyone has worked in the same way, using exactly the same sampling devices and gear, so that you can get an overall snapshot." He said the overall snapshot will be a benchmark, "against which we can look at the effects of future climate change and so forth."

Professor Stoddart added that the international census could reveal new species.

VC10 damaged

MILITARY officials are investigating the cause of an incident on Wednesday afternoon when a VC 10 aircraft was damaged upon landing.

Four port side tyres burst when the VC10 touched down at Mount Pleasant Airfield. The aircraft had been out on a routine flight.

Officials from the base confirmed that the aircraft will not be flying again until they have finished looking into the matter, but say that it is a pretty quick process. The aircraft is reported to have made a safe touchdown while reports that there was damage to the runway have been denied. *FIBS*

Elqui to be scuttled

Operations Manager for the Government of South Georgia and the South Sandwich Islands, Gordon Liddle, has confirmed that the *Elqui* is to be scuttled.

The survey on the longliner has been completed and the decision has been made to scuttle her because the scrap value is minimal.

Mr Liddle said that a date and place for the disposal of the *Elqui* has yet to be decided.

Penguin News



Comment by Acting Editor, Sharon Jaffray

If *Penguin News* were a sailing ship and news was the source of power, it would be no exaggeration to say that we have been floundering in the doldrums this week.

I can recall many an occasion when we have struggled to fit the news items accumulated throughout the week on the final pages and even had to choose between front page stories. But, as in every walk of life there are times of feast and times of famine.

Having said that, after watching *Geldof in Africa* on Tuesday night's BFBS television I feel more than a little guilty about comparing anything we in the Falklands might experience to famine - or come to that complain about anything at all.

To see a programme which was explicit in it's portrayal of children who are terrorised on a daily basis and spend their nights seeking safety from marauding psychopaths who would bear them away to a life of slavery and depravity, is almost more than any normal human being can comprehend. One is left in awe of those children who manage to survive such ordeals physically and mentally and on occasion, against all odds, have gone on to do great things with their lives. Even given some of the horror stories related in this programme, I can't help but hope that some of the older children in the Falklands were watching and gave some thought to how fortunate they are in their privileged lifestyles in one of the safest places on earth to live.

On the subject of *our* young people, they have contributed greatly to the community over the last few weeks. I found the recent fund-raiser in the Globe Tavern an enjoyable eye opener for one who has a bit of a morbid fear of large groups of children. (I was once sent to pick up my two nieces from school and it took all my will power not to leg it when the school doors burst open and what, to me, resembled a riotous lamb break headed in my direction).

The school prize giving ceremonies demonstrated not only academic abilities but also a willingness to contribute to society in one form or another.

So while on occasion our youngsters of today take a knock for always either, "being on the Play Station" or "out on the streets" instead of taking up a part time job or running errands for the elderly, it is a sign of prosperity that their parents can indulge them.

Less than 25 years ago 15 year olds were expected to be independent, work alongside adults, make a living, contribute to the families well being and more often than not move away from home to achieve this.

It's a reflection of an evolving society that teenagers mature at an earlier age, yet are treated as children for longer because they have to remain dependant in order to obtain the education we expect of them and they know they have to achieve, to compete in a highly competitive business world.

So youngsters, enjoy life, stay within the law and always be considerate of those around you. Your childhood and your future are two of the most valuable assets you will ever own.

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Shock at Robin Cook's death

AFTER his tragic death last weekend, Falkland Islands councillors have paid tribute to Labour politician Robin Cook and are said to be "shocked and saddened" at the news.

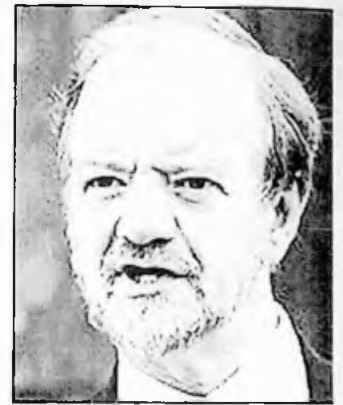
In a statement from Gilbert House, Legislative Council said the former Foreign Secretary will be remembered in the Islands for his close association with the 1999 White Paper, "Partnership for Progress and Prosperity" which is the basis for the Overseas Territories' relationship with the UK. The document upholds the right to self-determination and encourages the development of democratic government in each territory. The change from Dependent Territories to Overseas Territories was also formalised in this document.

Councillors have described Mr Cook as, "an honest politician, and a man of great conscience and integrity".

Mr Cook, who passed away in Scotland last Saturday, will be especially remembered in the Falklands for his work during the negotiations which led to the British-Argentine Joint Statement of July 1999.

Councillor Jan Check said Mr Cook's death had come as a great shock and that "he still had a lot to offer".

Having met him in 1999 Mrs Check said "I found him to be entirely different to how British newspapers portrayed him." She



added that she found Mr Cook "clever and charming."

Describing Mr Cook as "a very good friend to the Falkland Islands," Councillor Richard Cockwell said he was "very sad" to hear of his death.

Mr Cockwell added that he found Mr Cook was always ready to listen. "He actually thought about what you said and gave you an honest reply which was very encouraging."

Councillor Cockwell also made reference to Mr Cook's treatment by the British media saying, "He wasn't well served by the press but he certainly served the Falkland Islands well."

A letter of condolence has been sent to Mr Cook's widow from councillors.

PN/FBS

Seminar in BA discusses the Falklands

A TWO day conference on the Falkland Islands conflict and sovereignty dispute to be opened and closed by Foreign Affairs Minister Rafael Bielsa will be held this week in Buenos Aires, sponsored by, among others, the Malvinas Families committee.

Two other ministers besides Mr Bielsa, Defence Secretary Jose Pampuro and Education Secretary Daniel Filmus will be participating in the seminar "Malvinas in the South American Union: a strategic view" which began on Thursday and is also sponsored by the Argentine Foreign Affairs ministry, National University of Lanus and the Malvinas Institute.

"The armed conflict, current tensions and threats in the South Atlantic" was the first module on the agenda for Thursday which was to be attended by Minister Pampuro and General Roberto Bendini, Army Chief of Staff.

In the afternoon academics and legal experts were to address the sinking of the General Belgrano cruiser. "War crime or military action?"

This morning (Friday) the diplomatic side of the conflict since 1989 is to be addressed by officials from the Argentine Foreign Affairs ministry. In the afternoon

Minister Filmus will lecture on "The Malvinas issue and the education system" together with the Dean from Lanus University, Ana Jaramillo, followed by the Argentine film "Crazy for the flag", a co-production from the Argentine Film Institute and the Malvinas Families Commission.

Minister Bielsa will sum up the event in the closing ceremony to which the ambassadors from Peru, Brazil and Venezuela have been specially invited.

Reporting from Buenos Aires, Peter Pepper said The film "Illuminados por el Fuego" (Illuminated by the Gunfire) is to have a special viewing in Buenos Aires cinemas today (Friday).

Mr Pepper added, "Interestingly, Daniel Barenboim and his mixed (Peace) orchestra of Palestinians and Israelis is playing here in Buenos Aires at the moment. However I have seen no suggestion of him or others trying to form a Falklands, British, Argentine orchestra to promote a settlement of the Falklands dispute."

"The Argentine Government had tried to get Barenboim to set such an orchestra up in the past, but he was apparently unwilling to do so."

MP/PN/PP

FIBS to FIRS on Monday

LISTENERS to the Falkland Islands Broadcasting Station will find they are tuned in to a new service from Monday.

The Falkland Islands Radio Service will come into existence next week as the new name of the radio station.

This change marks the hand over of the station from government to the Media Trust, which also has responsibility for *Penguin News*.

To signify the handover, students at the Falkland Islands Community School were asked to design a logo for the new name.

Members of the Media Trust voted for the logo last week and Conrad Francis (16) came up with the winning design (pictured top right), beating off strong competition from Hannah Pointing (12) in second place, and Craig Williams (16) in third.

Corina Bishop, who will become Station Controller as of Monday, was delighted with the designs they received and said, "We were very impressed with both the amount of entries and the quality of them. In total there were nearly a hundred designs submitted."

"I would like to say a huge thank you to Community School



Above: Conrad's winning design
Art Teacher Tim Simpson for allowing us to utilise her students for this and also to everyone who submitted designs. Well done Conrad for designing the winning logo and Hannah and Craig for their runner up logos."

The judges also awarded Highly Commended to, Dion Betts (13), Christian Minto (14), Marc Courtney (13), Tamara Minnell (12), Zoe Whitney (13), April Faria (12), Kaylee Smith (12), Chloe Ford (12), Kelly Fiddes (12), Nardia Arkhipkina (14), Gabbi Hoy (12), Collette Thomas (16), and Barry Connolly (14).

The Falklands Regime - Bingham's book

Continued from front

Councillor Stephen Luxton said that while he hasn't seen the whole book it would seem from the preview that the book is largely a repetition of his previous work, and as such, "rests on a foundation of inaccuracies such as: the fact that the penguin deaths were later found to be due to red tide, not over-fishing as claimed by Mr Bingham; the fact that the 'oil pollution' referred to was tested and proven to have been heavy crude oil of non Falklands composition, probably from a passing tanker and certainly nothing to do with the oil exploration taking place in the Falklands at that time, and the fact that the Supreme Court case was actually to do with Mr Bingham's status application, and nothing whatsoever to do with the alleged and fictitious "bungled attempts to deport, imprison and kill [Bingham]." (quote from the pre-

view).
Councillor Luxton said it would also be interesting to see if the book notes that the Falkland Islands Government (FIG) who were allegedly "out to get him" employed Mr Bingham for a number of years, and that the same FIG "made an exception in order to provide him with a subsidised housing plot in spite of the fact that he was technically not eligible for one. I imagine it does not, nor do I expect the book to contain detailed background to Mr Bingham's 'degree' from Shelbourne University."

When asked if Councillors are likely to seek legal representation over the claims made in the book, Mr Luxton said, "I think that anybody who knows the real situation has heard most of this before, and is highly unlikely to take any of the claims seriously. We are therefore not considering legal action at the present time."

Governor goes Top Gun in F3 Tornado jet

GOVERNOR Howard Pearce went "top gun" last month when he was given a flight in an RAF F3 Tornado fighter jet by 1435 Squadron at Mount Pleasant.

Squadron Leader Hoskison first briefed Mr Pearce on all aspects of the aircraft before taking him on an hour long tour of the Islands.

As well as passing by Government house, the Governor was subjected to aerobatics, supersonic speeds and huge 'G' force.

Sqd Ldr Hoskison said, "It was a great privilege to fly the Governor and I believe that he thoroughly enjoyed his flight."

"He was an excellent passenger who was able to stay in good humour throughout this testing flight."



Court News

Third offence in two weeks for Yon

IN court on Wednesday was Stanley man Daryl Yon who pleaded guilty to a charge of driving without due care and attention.

Ros Cheek prosecuting told the court that on July 27 Mr Yon was parked near his boss's house on Fieldhouse Close. She said he was parked on the left hand side of the road facing north and was in the vehicle with the engine running.

A van drove up behind Mr Yon who was blocking the entrance. The driver of the van waited for him to move his vehicle. Instead, he reversed back at speed, subsequently hitting the front end of the van. The driver of the van said he didn't think Mr Yon had looked before moving.

Mr Yon said in interview that he had looked in his side mirror but

not his rear view. It was noted that he was not wearing his glasses at the time, which he requires for driving, because they had been broken the previous day. The police took an eyesight test which Mr Yon failed.

Minor damage was caused to his vehicle but extensive damage was caused to the van.

Senior Magistrate Clare Faulds reminded the defendant that he had only been in court last week for similar offences with penalties to pay for those charges, adding that he "must be more careful in future."

Mrs Faulds fined Mr Yon £200 plus £70 prosecution costs. She also decided that this fine was to be paid in conjunction with the others and all fines should be cleared by the end of October. *FIBS*

'Unfortunate error' for JCB driver

ALSO in court this week was Stanley man John Gall Sutherland who pleaded guilty to a charge of driving without due care and attention.

The prosecution told the court how, on July 12, a Mitsubishi Pajero was travelling east down the Stanley Bypass when the driver noticed a JCB stationary at the Eliza Cove junction. On passing the junction, the driver felt the rear end of his vehicle fly out and he lost control. The vehicle flipped on to the driver's side and skidded approximately 100 metres. The driver suffered shock and minor injuries.

During interview, Mr Sutherland, who was driving the JCB, said he had looked both ways after stop-

ping at the junction and saw "....nothing out of the ordinary."

He said that he had heard a loud bang and realised what had happened so stopped the JCB immediately. Mr Sutherland apologised to the court for the accident, adding that he "wished it had never happened."

Senior Magistrate Clare Faulds noted the defendant's previous clean record and said she accepted that the incident was "an unfortunate error."

She fined the defendant £250 to be paid in seven days, endorsed his licence and ordered him to pay £70 prosecution costs.

Neither of the cases in court had legal representation. *FIBS*

New deli opens in the centre of Stanley

A NEW delicatessen opened in the centre of Stanley on Wednesday.

Situated in the former Freshco shop next to Beauchene, the delicatessen is owned and run by Beauchene Trading Co Ltd.

Tina Ormond, the company's manager, said they are open to suggestions and feedback from customers.

She said there were no immediate plans to sell filled rolls etc as Leit's Deli had in the past, but added that any further developments would be dependant on customer demand.



Above: Celia Short, the deli's first customer, is served by Natalie Finn

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Fun and games raise funds for Kids Zone

By Andrew Newman

IT WAS worth the wait and the hard work. Who said "Oh we'll just do a quiz that's an easy way to raise some money"? How wrong. As other organisers will know, it takes a lot of preparation.

The Directors (and their partners) of Stanley Kids Zone and Amanda Morris from Sealed PR took on the task and produced an evening which was much enjoyed by all who took part or witnessed the event.

A quiz with a bit of a difference was planned, the theme being set on the location - the FIDF Hall. Major Peter Biggs and Sergeant Paul Watson provided a huge amount of help. The hall looked great decked out in white camouflage nets complete with green table clothes and field kitchen tent! The food was supplied by the good folk at Look-out Lodge - (thanks JB) and in keeping with the theme was served out of field thermos containers into traditional mess tins.

Grand Quiz master Gary Clement kept things moving along nicely interspersing the blocks of questions and abuse with games such as making camouflage outfits out of black and green bin liners, camouflage face painting, shooting skills and eating dry shredded wheat. He also had some very good brain teasers for the meal break.

It has to be said that out of the 11 teams, each of six participants, the team from Hillside camp were the most active in all games and paid particular attention to detail in the camouflage dress. Some of the other punters took close note of the revealing design. Their military approach to the shooting did not pay dividends, but other competitors (mainly female) did watch closely.

Steve Vincent from Drew's Drivers was the hot shot when it came to the shooting skills, effortlessly putting a defenceless little sucker dart into the centre of our improvised target.

Eating the dry shredded wheat appeared to favour the female competitors as Rachel Hancock had her breakfast in the mouth and consumed in short order (enquiry on-going). Second was Richard Short who was a little hasty and engulfed the entire portion thinking that the objective was merely to get it into the mouth. He did a good combine harvester job on it to get it all down.

Face painting produced some curious forms of camouflage. Julian Morris resembled some sort of cross between a pixie and a gimp, he did appear to be happy with the result though. There were some reactions to the face paints and legal issues pending we will still risk doing it again at the next quiz!

The eventual winners out of all the mayhem were Half a Dozen: Alison and Jason Lewis, Jan McGinness, and Alan and Christina Dawson.

Second place went to Class of '98: Pippa Lang, Sue Gylford, Nick Rendell, Robbie Burnett, Dan Fowler and Ross Poole, and third place was taken by 'My Round What Are You Having': Michelle King, Cheryl King, Arlette Betts, Ian Warburton, Richard Marlor, and Matthew Tompson.

The quiz was followed by the raffle draw. Funds raised from the raffle were £281.75, the money from the quiz will be announced once we have paid all the bills! A great deal of thanks to all our kind friends who donated prizes.

Immediately afterward we got down to some serious dancing with DJ Shaky which went on until the close at 1am. There are many more folk to thank and we hope that we have remembered to write to, or pay you all!

As the new nursery will be opening soon we will continue to raise funds in the best ways possible so a repeat quiz is planned for the not too distant future. So practice eating your breakfast dry and take an active interest in the children's face painting and dressing up games.



The organisers team Julian Morris, Wendy Reeves, Richard Short and Martin Cant create a camouflage outfit for Micky Reeves.



Michelle King and Arlette Betts sort through raffle tickets.

MTW take to the hills for charity



TO RAISE funds for Cancer Research UK a group of military personnel intend to walk approximately 32 kilometres around the mountain tops to the west of Stanley.

Lance Corporal Nicki Whitehead, Lance Corporal Steve Ballinger and Sergeant Jamie Barber (pictured left) from MT Workshops at Mount Pleasant were to be seen around Stanley on Tuesday afternoon collecting donations in anticipation of the event on August 27.

Sgt Barber said the walk will take in Mount Kent, Mount Longdon, Wireless Ridge, Mount Harriet and possibly Mount Tumbledown and will entail a "five kilometre altitude change." The group of 15 hope to complete the distance in around seven hours, although the time will be weather dependant.

The three fund-raisers collected donations from the Penguin News staff and then posed for a photograph knowing full well they would be subjected to the Mount Pleasant forfeit of supplying "a slab of beer" for each person pictured in the paper - maybe the enforcers of this penalty will let them off the hook this time...for a small donation.

PUBLIC NOTICE

FALKLAND ISLANDS GOVERNMENT
ENVIRONMENTAL PLANNING DEPARTMENT

Murrell Road Management Plan - Public Consultation

The Environmental Planning Department and Public Works Department have recruited Helen Otley to prepare the Management Plan for the next phase of the construction of the Murrell Road (current end of the road to Mastin's Point, onto Murrell Farm). This will be undertaken during late August to early September 2005.

Helen will be happy to hear from key players during this period but can be contacted before that time on heleno@southcom.com.au.

The Management Plan will address issues such as improved access to that part of Stanley Common and the possible impact on fishing levels.

Environmental Planning Department
Malvina Gardens.

Stanley Tel: 27390 Email: fwallace.planning@taxation.gov.fk



Your letters

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Willows wanted for trials

MANY people in the Falkland Islands are interested in tree planting whether it be for shelter, products from trees or simply to improve the appearance of their property.

Since the late 1980s the UK Falkland Islands Trust has been encouraging tree planting through publications and trials at Fitzroy, East Stanley and Keppel Island among others. The Department of Agriculture followed up with a substantial series of shelterbelt trials in the 1990s underpinned by excellent advice from Alan Low ex Forestry Commission. Trials mainly using lodgepole pine, were established at Estancia, Shallow Harbour, Saladero, Port Howard and Bold Cove and if you have not seen any of these you soon will as the trees are growing really well!

One type of tree which already grows quite well in parts of the islands and more use could be made of are willows. There are many types of willows and they have great genetic diversity which we could make more use of... they are easily planted from cuttings, grow fast, are hardy, can tolerate a wide range of soils and be coppiced or cut down to re sprout with many stems. Some willows have been introduced in recent years – some of you benefited from the expert advice, which Malcolm Dawson from the Department of Agriculture and Rural Development in Northern Ireland (who came down under the Shackleton Scholarship Fund) gave and a Chilean Student (at Queens University Belfast) Rodrigo Olave (supported by UKFIT and DoA) investigated the best way to establish willows from cuttings.

Rather than introduce more trees- which can have problems- we think it would be a good idea to try and find out what willows are actually growing in the islands and which offer the most potential for the type of use outlined above. The best way to do this would be to collect cuttings of willow (new trees grow easily from short lengths of stem) from

across the islands and grow them together under similar conditions where they can be fairly compared. We would then be able to select which willow type would be best for local use.

The UK Falkland Islands Trust has a small piece of land at Port Howard – the Alexandra wood (named after our patron, Princess Alexandra) where we have been experimenting with different types of trees, method of ground preparation and suitability of tree species to soil type.

If you have a willow hedge or tree in your garden or on your farm, the Trust would like you to send a bundle (about 80) of willow cuttings to Ron Reeves at Port Howard. The cuttings should be about 30cm (1 foot) long and about as thick as your thumb. If you have different types, take a bundle from each and label them with your name, where they came from and anything else you know about your sample. If you have a length of willow hedge, one bundle from along the length of the whole hedge will do fine. Take your cuttings over the next few weeks, i.e. before they start to sprout and send them to Ron. Don't worry, taking the cuttings won't harm your bushes- in fact cutting them back will do them good!

These will then be planted in thoroughly prepared ground, grown and assessed under proper comparative conditions. After two to three years we will know which types have performed best and will be able to take cuttings from them. Cuttings will then be re-distributed freely (and in subsequent years) to all those who have sent willows to participate in the trial.

So, if you have willows, please get out and take cuttings and send these to Ron over the next few weeks. If you want further information and have queries please send to Ron Reeves (phfarm@horizon.co.uk) or me (jim.mcadam@dardni.gov.uk). Thanks very much.

Jim McAdam
UK Falkland Islands Trust

Road campaign continues

THE response to my campaign to have the Stanley to MPA road blacktopped has been overwhelming.

In order to give the campaign greater authenticity, I now intend to canvass all members of the public, who are subject to Falkland Islands tax, for signatures to a petition which will be presented to all present members of Legislative Council in September and to the newly elected members in November.

Since we have no political party structure our councillors are all elected as independents and in order to give them support I sincerely believe that it is up to us, the general public, as the ultimate policy makers to give them authority to carry out our wishes.

Because my hearing is impaired I am not able to attend or join in debates at public meetings so it was for this reason that I have turned to *Penguin News* to give my support through this medium.

I also believe that we have been subjected to every crank, whim and regulation dreamed up from around the globe and if we are ever going to survive as a nation we have just got to end this madness and believe in ourselves.

As regards the MPA road, we have the machinery and the resources to carry out the work. Our roads engineer is willing to take on the project and the responsibility. This is the same man who has supervised the construction of 700 kilometres of road nationwide. Let's give him and his team the credit and respect they deserve and let them get on with the job.

I have researched all Legislative Council minutes since the road was

originally constructed and during the whole of that period councillors have been concerned about the maintenance costs, but somehow have never been able or willing to bite the bullet.

Councillors were debating speed restrictions; white lines at the side of the road; vehicle weight restrictions of eight tonne and even suggesting a road tax for military vehicles.

The recurrent cost of maintenance in 1987 was thought to be between £50,000 and £350,000 annually and the reason why it had not been totally blacktopped, to quote the Chief Executive at the time was, "The Falkland Islands Government thought that it would encourage high speed and the formation of ice!" I believe that we have paid dearly for that decision.

To give readers some idea of the usage and loads that the road carries today, the following are some of the figures that I have managed to compile.

307 vehicles use the road daily which equates to over a hundred thousand vehicles per annum. 1,600 tonnes of kerosene is transported from East Cove to Stanley per annum. The road also carries 1,110 tonne of East Falkland wool clip per annum, 40,000 live sheep and 247 live cattle to the abattoir from East Falkland, and 12,000 tonne of aggregate from the quarry to Mount Pleasant.

55,000 tonne of aggregate has been used as capping on the road this year. Public Works Department haulage vehicles have a loaded weight of approximately 32 tonne and the fuel bowser 22 tonne.

John Allan
Stanley

Thanks for a memorable tour

BY the time you all get this I will be back in the UK attempting to grab what is left of the Scottish summer.

I wanted to take this opportunity to express my gratitude and say a huge thank you to all of the Falkland Islanders who have made my 18 month tour such a truly unforgettable experience. Although I had already served two previous tours in the Falklands, (1983 and 1999) neither can come anywhere near to comparing with my last tour.

Although it is impossible to say thank you to absolutely everyone, I would like to single out a few special people whose outstanding hospitality and friendship have, for me, typified what the Falkland Islands are all about.

Firstly there is Trudi, Charles, Mark, Jock and June from Brookfield: what can I say except I'll be back, so stock up on the rum!

Others include Tony and Ailsa Heathman, particularly for their assistance during the recent visit of Mr George Duffus (3 Para Veteran).

Then there's Ken and Bonnie

at Darwin House whose fantastic food and equally enjoyable jacuzzi baths always made my stay at Darwin House so special. I'll try and remember to go easy on the bubble bath next time.

Finally, and in no particular order are John and Charlene Rowland, Tony and June McMullen, Christine from the Wool shop, Celia Short and finally, Jim and Leslie Woodward of Little Chartres. Jim, make sure that 'Mrs Macs Pool' doesn't dry up!

I hope that in the future I will be able to attend and enjoy another Fitzroy Conservation Ball and two-nighter at Goose Green - if only to watch Jackie 'FIC Rightlines' and her dad, plus Andrez of Swan Inlet doing their stuff so energetically on the dance floor.

Once again, thanks to everyone for everything. Should I ever have the opportunity to serve in the Falkland Islands again, I'll grab it with both hands! Best wishes always.

Ian Davidson
'Desire the Right'



Food additive responsible for illness?

COULD you be suffering from aspartame poisoning?

A little over a week ago, I received an article in an email from a close friend, the wife of a former Army Air Corp helicopter pilot who served here during the 1982 conflict.

The report was about the use of sweeteners that are found in many food and drink products. Because of my ongoing search for answers as to why my wife Mandy developed a life threatening brain tumour which required urgent surgery to remove it in late 2002 and why our daughter Rachel has suffered from epilepsy since she was just three days old and has suffered for over 18 years. I decided to check out the information given to me.

I was horrified at what I discovered.

I have since become a member of "Mission Possible International" and will begin to inform my fellow country people of the serious potential risks associated with aspartame poisoning.

Now, I do not wish to bore you all, but the following might surprise you.

Since learning about aspartame and its deadly toxins, we did a search of items in our home and were amazed at just how many products contained aspartame. We decided to stop using any products immediately - that was a little over a week ago and the results have been quite striking.

Rachel, as mentioned, has regular night time seizures and until seven days ago I personally do not remember a single night in the past 18 years that I have not had to attend to her, usually several times in a single night.

Since we removed the aspartame products, especially the instant chocolate and diet mineral water, Rachel has not had a single attack for the past seven consecutive nights. This is truly nothing short of a miracle.

I learned that aspartame can seriously affect the ability of regular

prescribed drugs and think it is highly probable that Rachel's medication was being affected. It also makes me wonder if Mandy's tumour was in fact directly linked to aspartame, it is certainly something we have to consider. It just might also be poisoning all of you who consume it.

I sent an email to Dr Roger Diggle at the KEMH on the 30th July passing on this information. (a copy of this letter is available on request) His reply was as follows.

"Many thanks for your letter. I can appreciate your concerns. I do not dismiss the history given by people allegedly suffering from aspartame poisoning. It is possible. However, the internet is a dangerous tool potentially as people can write anything they want and it may not be scientifically correct even though they personally believe it to be true. So, we have to rely upon authoritative research by reputable organisations. I have copied the UK Food Standards Agency current information on aspartame. Their website is www.food.gov.uk. Aspartame, as you will see, has been carefully investigated on several occasions but in the light of the latest research is going to be reviewed again.

"Whether aspartame has anything to do with Mandy or Rachel's illnesses is difficult to say but it will do no harm to try them on an aspartame free diet and see if it makes any difference. Aspartame is a naturally occurring amino acid that happens to be very sweet. It came into use in the 1970's when saccharin was found to be potentially harmful. Like all things, moderation is probably the answer - i.e. if one doesn't eat too much of it one is fine but if one overindulges it can be harmful. I hope this helps to answer your queries."

Well, I do have the supporting evidence of Rachel and her epileptic free nights since the withdrawal of aspartame products.

All diet products are likely to contain high levels of aspartame

and in particular diet coke and pepsi cola are among the most harmful and which our children in the Falklands consume very large quantities.

Aspartame is potentially the culprit for at least 92 recorded illnesses and some serious studies prior to its release in 1981, showed that tests in rats and monkeys indeed showed alarming rates of cancer and brain tumour growth, yet it was still allowed to get on the market.

Customer awareness is critical if we want to be sure that people know what they are consuming. The WNHQ (World National Health Organisation) recommended that all products containing aspartame and phenylalanine (50% of aspartame) should be clearly labelled. They do label, but the writing is so small I doubt that even the sharpest eyes could easily find it on the label. Also, although products may be labelled as containing aspartame, very few people will know what it actually is. As far as we were aware it was another standard ingredient and there is certainly no warning on these products that aspartame is dangerous for your health.

In light of this I am going to take this matter up with our councillors to recommend that all importers of products containing aspartame should be stopped or at the very least retailers should display large warning signs in their shops so that people are aware and can then make their own informed choice to purchase or not.

If you feel that having now read the above you would like to find out more, the following information and web sites are highly recommended.

Personally, I have been in touch with Dr Betty Martini (BettyM19@mindspring.com, web Site: www.dorway.com/. Her emails have demonstrated the link to my family and their ailments. If you know someone who has suffered from an illness that they cannot resolve Dr Betty Martini

could offer you some very sound advice.

Web sites to check out: www.wnho.net, www.dorway.com, Aspartame Toxicity Center, www.holisticmed.com/aspartame, MSG: www.truthinlabeling.org, Movie: Sweet Misery: A Poisoned World, www.docworkers.com

Medical text and other books on aspartame by H J Roberts, M.D. (www.sunsentpress.com) Aspartame Disease: An Ignored Epidemic.

Aspartame is, by far, the most dangerous substance on the market that is added to foods. Aspartame accounts for over 75 percent of the adverse reactions to food additives reported to the US Food and Drug Administration (FDA). Many of these reactions are very serious including seizures and death as recently disclosed in a February 1994 Department of Health and Human Services report. A few of the 90+ different documented symptoms listed in the report as being caused by aspartame include: headaches/migraines, dizziness, seizures, nausea, numbness, muscle spasms, weight gain, rashes, depression, fatigue, irritability, tachycardia, insomnia, vision problems, hearing loss, heart palpitations, breathing difficulties, anxiety attacks, slurred speech, loss of taste, tinnitus, vertigo, memory loss, and joint pain.

If after reading this you feel that we should be doing more to remove this product from our country I would love to hear from you. Remember, for the last 18 years no doctor has been able to resolve Rachel's seizures, yet in a single email someone across the world has probably given me the answer: Aspartame poisoning. Please remember, check the products before buying; it just might save your life.

Robin Goodwin
corridale@horizon.co.fk
'Mission Possible' Falkland Islands"

No role for FIG in Judiciary

MY comment simply represents a statement of fact and nothing in it asserts or implies that the Falkland Islands Government (FIG) would or does have any role to play in determining who should preside in any case before the courts.

The independence of the Judiciary is a basic and unassailable principle of the Constitution.

Chris Simpkins
Chief Executive

Share your views, write to
Penguin News

Senior Magistrate should be judicially independent

I WAS perturbed to read the Chief Executive's letter (*Penguin News*, August 5) concerning the investigations into the former Director of Health.

In it he states that, "if civil proceedings are instituted in the Courts, the case would be heard by an independent examiner." It is not clear with what authority Mr Simpkins makes that statement. The listing of cases - criminal or civil - is not, and never should be, a matter for the Chief Executive, nor the Attorney General nor, with respect, His Excellency the Governor.

The listing of cases and who

hears them in the Islands should be a matter for the Judiciary (that is to say the Chief Justice or the Senior Magistrate) and the Judiciary alone.

The key issue here is that the Senior Magistrate, by virtue of the Constitution, is meant to be judicially independent of Government in all aspects of her work at all times, and that the Falkland Islands Government (FIG) should make every effort to preserve, foster and encourage that independence. Certainly in the past there were several occasions when, however inadvertently, that independence was tested by FIG.

By writing as he does, the 'man in the street' could reasonably assume that the Chief Executive or FIG has a role in deciding who hears cases in the Islands.

It is to be hoped that the Chief Executive will reflect upon his words: at the very least, he should publicly reaffirm FIG's commitment to maintaining the independence of the Judiciary in the Islands from interference, be it actual or perceived, by the Government which he leads.

N P M Sanders
(Falkland Islands Senior Magistrate 2001-4)
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Infant/Junior School and Camp Education prizegiving 2005

Swimming

Best Boy Swimmer: **Jordan Phillips Y6**
 Best Girl Swimmer: **Caitlin Burston Y6**
 Most Improved Junior Swimmer: **Corey Bagley Y6**
 Most Improved Infant Swimmer: **Martine Gordon Y1**
 Distance Swimming Award (Falkland Printz) **Caitlin Burston Y6**
 Best Boy Sports: **Aiden Morris Y6**
 Best Girl Sports: **Alison Davis Y5**

Certificates of Attendance (100% attendance during the year)

Anthony Phillips, Chloe Anderson, Travis McGill, Kattrice Berntsen, Macauley Davis, Laura Lazo, Bethany Crowie, Sinead McGill, Scott Thain

Alastair Cameron Memorial Trust Infant/Junior School

1st **Samuel Miller** - for his project on Peat.
 Highly Commended:
Sonia Arkhipkina - Falkland Island Money; **Caitlin Burston** - Horse Gear; **Josephine Igao** - Basil Biggs; **Aiden Morris** - Manybranch and Les Lee

Camp Education

1st **The Students of North Arm School** - for their project on Training Sheep Dogs in the Falkland Islands

Highly Commended:
Reba Peck - Granna growing up in Hill Cove;
Ryan Poole - The Cemetery at Port San Carlos

Susan Whitley Memorial Exhibition

Infant/Junior School
 Pre-School: 1st **Glyn Morrison**;
 2nd **Kristin McKay**
 Reception: 1st **Daisy Crockford**;
 2nd **James Tyrrell**



Year 1: 1st **Louise Williams**;
 2nd **Demi Godoy Jones**
 Year 2: 1st **Tonisha Courtney**;
 2nd **Adam Sweeting**
 Year 3: 1st **Kate Stenning**;
 2nd **Declan Bonner**
 Year 4: 1st **Kieran Watt**;
 2nd **Roberto Lennie**
 Year 5: 1st **Keelan Fiddes**;
 2nd **Roisin Stewart Reid**
 Year 6: 1st **Jordan Phillips**;
 2nd **Laura Miller**

Camp Education Key Stage 1:

1st **Matthew Hansen** - Main Point;
 2nd **Rhian Alazia** - Port Edgar
 Key Stage 2:
 1st **Pilar Castro** - Goose Green;
 2nd **Rachel Marsh** - Fox Bay

Hilary Pauloni Prizes - for needlework

1st **Kelly Marie Stevens Y6** and **Laosa Anderson Y2**; 2nd **Laura Minto Y6**; 3rd **Daniel Clarke Y1**

Environmental Studies

Hannah Collier Y5 - For contributions to watch group for attend-

ance, articles, interviews on radio and TV

Science

Cable & Wireless (achievement): Tasmin Tyrrell Y4
 FIDC (progress): **Daniel McGill Y6**

Mathematics

Barry Elsby Shield (achievement): Julian Yon Y6
 Standard Chartered Bank (achievement): **Adam Sweeting Y2**
 Sullivan Shipping (progress): **Ieuan Ford Y3**

English

Fortuna (achievement): Caitlin Burston Y6
 Stanley Services Ltd (progress): **Shannon Alazia Y2**

Alice Keenleyside Trophy: Leigh Robertson Y6

Junior Music Prize

Josephine Igao Y6

Chief Executives Prize - (for endeavour)

Damaris D'Avino Y5

Alice Etheridge Shield - (most valued pupil)

Barbara Short Y6

Year 6 Leaving Certificates

Sonia Arkhipkina, Sarah Faria, Corey Bagley, Sherilee Goss, Caitlin Burston, Emma Harte, Josseline Camblor, Josephine Igao, Bradley Crowie, Laura Miller, Kyran Evans, Daniel McGill, Brandon Greenough, Jordan Phillips, Sally Heathman, Nicholas Roberts, Samuel Miller, Barbara Short, Laura Minto, Kelly Marie Stevens, Aiden Morris, Tylor Tellez, Leigh Robertson, Julian Yon, Patricio Villarroel, Reba Peck

House Trophy

3rd Place - Saunders with 1392
 2nd Place - Weddell with 1493
 1st Place - Pebble with 1541



Top: The School Choir; Above: Caitlin Burston with her school and swimming gala awards.
 Pictures: Steve Burston

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NOTICE OF PLANNING APPLICATIONS RECEIVED

Notice is hereby given that the following applications for planning permission have been received:

Application No	Address	Description	Developer
84/05	Cable & Wireless Earth Station, Darwin Road, Stanley	GSM (mobile telephone) tower and concrete base	Cable & Wireless
85/05	Sapper Hill, Stanley	Hut for equipment	Cable & Wireless
86/05	Malvina Gardens, Stanley, (site to south of taxation office)	20 metre GSM (mobile telephone) tower and hut for equipment	Cable & Wireless
87/05	Site to south east of water tower, Mount Pleasant Complex	20 metre GSM (mobile telephone) tower and hut for equipment	Cable & Wireless
91/05	Land south of H Jones Road (east of Hillside), Stanley.	10 metre GSM (mobile telephone) tower and hut for equipment	Cable & Wireless

These applications will be the subject of a **Special Meeting of the Planning & Building Committee, due to be held on Tuesday, 23rd August 2005 in Gilbert House, Stanley, commencing at 9.00 a.m.**
 Members of the Public may attend to observe the workings of the Committee.

Falkland Islands Community School Prizегiving 2005



Danielle Greenough - Services to the community award for her work at 'The Place'



Shaun May - Best boy in the Tumbledown Run.



Terrence Browning - Hilary Paulini prize for endeavour.

Right (L-R) Derrie Yon - Outstanding effort in Geography; Mikaela Ford (Best Junior girl in athletics); Ashley Jaffray (Chief Executives prize for endeavour) Andrea Sylvester-Peters (Headteachers commendation for commitment to sport).

Susan Whitley prizes Design and Technology
3rd Prize Helen McKay
2nd Prize Rebecca Arthur-Almond
1st Prize Dahiana Trinidades Burucua, Thomas Burston, Shane Mitchell, Alice Hancox and Ashley Wylie

Art
3rd Prize Ryan Bucket
2nd Prize Teryn Joshua
1st Prize John Didlick
Art teachers commendations
Alvon Eppe, Alex Pearce, Travoy Stevens, Jonny D'Avino and Julian Barton.

Spinning Wheel Trophy Winner
John Didlick
Romeo Paulini Landscape prizes
3rd Prize Kent Reeves
2nd Prize Evan Reeves
1st Prize Joe Birmingham

Hilary Paulini prizes for endeavour
Michael Collins, Kenton Goodwin, Kaylee Smith and Terrence Browning

Stanley Bakery prizes
Year 7 - *Fruit Buns*
3rd Prize Cheveze Goodwin
2nd Prize Hannah Pointing
1st Prize April Faria
Year 7 - *Butterfly Cakes*
Highly Commended - Hannah Pointing
3rd Prize Bernice Hewitt
2nd Prize Matthew Freer
1st Prize Rebecca Arthur-Almond

Year 8 - *Filled Vegetarian Snack Product*
Highly Commended - Derrie Yon
3rd Prize Thomas Owen
2nd Prize Tanstie Bonner
1st Prize Thomas Elsby
Year 8 - *Mini Bakewell Tarts*
Highly Commended - Shanice McCallum
3rd Prize Jessica Harte
2nd Prize Tanstie Bonner
1st Prize Adam Henry

Year 9 - *Filled Bread Products*
Highly Commended - Clovis Kilmartin and Felicity Alazia
3rd Prize Dahiana Trinidades Burucua
2nd Prize Ryan Shillitoe

1st Prize Christian Minto
Year 9 - *Healthy Cakes*
Highly Commended - Glynn McKay
3rd Prize Ulia Sytchova
2nd Prize Barry Connolly
1st Prize Marita O'Sullivan

Year 10 - *GCSE Assignment - Packed Meals*
Highly Commended - Samantha Davis
3rd Prize Karen Minto
2nd Prize Karen Camblor
1st Prize Carole-Anne Goss

Year 11 - *A birthday cake for a toddler*
Highly Commended - Anna Connolly and Christine Ross
3rd Prize Kyle Joshua
2nd Prize Collette Thomas
1st Prize Christopher Collins
Headteachers commendation for commitment to sport

Michael Brownlee, Mark Plunkett, Andrea Sylvester-Peters and Elliot Vincent

John Cheek's award for sport
Prize for endeavour in sport (girl) - Stacey McKay
Prize for endeavour in sport (boy) - Alvon Eppe
Prize for the best overall girl - Rosalind Elsby
Prize for the best overall boy - Ashley Wylie

Tumbledown Run
Sponsored by Cable and Wireless:
Best Boy - Shaun May
Best Girl - Rosalind Elsby

Athletics
Sponsored by Lifestyles
Best Senior Boy - Ashley Wylie
Best Senior Girl - Rosalind Elsby
Best Junior Boy - Drew Robertson
Best Junior Girl - Mikaela Ford

Swimming
Sponsored by David Lewis Décor Services:
Best Junior Boy - Joe Birmingham
Best Junior Girl - Hannah Pointing
Best Intermediate Boy - Drew Robertson
Best Intermediate Girl - Samantha Dodd

Swimming
Sponsored by Cable and Wireless
Best Senior Boy - Dion Robertson
Best Senior Girl - Tamara McCormick

Athlete of the year
Ashley Wylie

House Shields
Swimming: Fitzroy
Athletics: Ross
Tumbledown Run: Fitzroy
Commonwealth essay certificates
Commended - Nadia Arkhipkina, Hannah Arthur-Almond, Bernice Hewitt; Highly Commended - Emily Hancox

Robin Lee Memorial Trophy for music
Falkland Suite Composers
Chief Executives prize for endeavour
Ashley Jaffray

Headteachers commendation for endeavour
Michael Brownlee, Kenton Goodwin, Jane Goss

Community Shield for achievement in music
Helen McKay

Margaret Thatcher Trophy for services to the school
Bike Rack Group - Mare Courtney, Thomas Elsby, Robert George, Shane Mitchell, David Phillips

Services to the community
Danielle Greenough (The Place)
Pilgrims Prize
Aidan Smith

Chilean community prize for the best student of Spanish
Rosalind Elsby

Chamber of Commerce prize for Business Enterprise
Helen Davies

Key stage 3 academic awards
Outstanding Academic Achievement in Science, prize presented by Donald and Shirley Betts - Richard Clark

Outstanding Effort in Science, prize presented by Barry Elsby - Alice Hancox

Outstanding Academic Achievement in Mathematics, prize presented by David and Pat Gray - Thomas Burston

Outstanding Effort in Mathematics, prize presented by Rodney and Carol Lee - Stacey McKay

Outstanding Academic Achievement in English, prize presented by John and Joyce Allan - Hannah Pointing

Outstanding Effort in English, prize presented by Toonie Goodwin - *Samantha McCormick*

Outstanding Academic Achievement in History, prize presented by Tim and Sally Blake - *Joshua Peck*

Outstanding Effort in History, prize presented by Diane Towersey and Paul Robertson - *Duane Evans*

Outstanding Academic Achievement in Geography, prize presented by Rob and Lorraine McGill - *Julian Barton*

Outstanding Effort in Geography, prize presented by Stewart and Lillian Wallace - *Derrie Yon*

Outstanding Academic Achievement in DT, prize presented by Keith and Mandy Heathman - *Marita O'Sullivan*

Outstanding Effort in DT, prize presented by Arthur and Joste Nutter - *Hannah Pointing*

Outstanding Academic Achievement in ICT, prize presented by Nikki Buxton of Synergy - *Abbie Heathman*

Outstanding Effort in ICT, prize presented by Ali and Marlene Marsh - *Kenton Goodwin*

Outstanding Academic Achievement in Art, prize presented by Tim Simpson - *Nadia Arkhipkina*

Outstanding Effort in Art, prize presented by Tim Simpson - *Victoria Collier*

Outstanding Academic Achievement in Music, prize presented by Brian and Judy Summers - *Nadia Arkhipkina*

Outstanding Effort in Music, prize presented by Eileen Harcastle - *Marita O'Sullivan*

Outstanding Academic Achievement in Spanish, prize presented by Bernadette Paver - *Marita O'Sullivan*

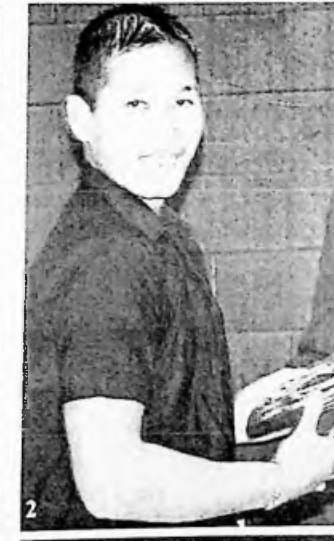
Outstanding Effort in Spanish, prize presented by Mike and Nikki Luxton - *Samantha Dodd*

Outstanding Academic Achievement in Home Economics - *Delen Montgomerie*

Outstanding Effort in Home Economics - *Richard Clark*



Above L-R: Thomas Burston, Dahiana Trinidades Burucua, Alice Hancox, Shane Mitchell and Ashley Wylie (1st prize winners in Design and Technology) with His Excellency the Governor Howard Pearce.



Records of Achievement

Daniel Betts, Stephen Biggs, Michael Brownlee, Samantha Chapman, Christopher Collins, Anna Connolly, Gilly Cotter, Mark Dodd, Frances Douse, Rosalind Elsby, Avlon Eppe, Conrad Francis, Edward Freer, Emily Hancox, Adam Howe, Thomas Howe, Ashley Jaffray, Kyle Joshua, Kirsty Livermore, Tamara McCormick, Helen McKay, Megan Middleton, Elizabeth Newton, Alex Pearce, Mark Plunkett, Christine Ross, Jonathan Ross, Clint Short, Sara Short, Jason Stephenson, Liam Stevens, Travoy Stevens, Daniel Stewart, Collette Thomas, Matthew Vincent and Craig Williams.

2005 House Champions Fitzroy



1. Nadia Arkhipkina (Outstanding academic achievement in art). 2. Alvon Eppe (Outstanding academic achievement in music). 3. Rosalind Elsby (Best overall girl in sport). 4. Joseph Birmingham (Romeo Paulini landscape prize). 5. Thomas Owen (Stanley Bakery prize).





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Information Pullout

13 - 19 August 2005

TIDES AROUND THE ISLANDS

13	0358	0.75	Moonrise	1208	The times and heights of high and low tides (in metres) at Stanley. Time given is FMT. Add 1 hour for Stanley Summertime	
SAT	1029	1.38	Moonset	0531		
	1702	0.62	17	0415		1.25
	2345	1.18	WED	0854		0.92
Sunrise	0707			1506		1.63
Sunset	1645			2204		0.20
Moonrise	0949		Sunrise	0659		
Moonset	0137		Sunset	1652		
14	0443	0.86	Moonrise	1333		For Camp, make the following changes: Fox Bay + 2 hr 30m Roy Cove + 3 hrs 30m Port Howard + 3hrs 19m Teal Inlet + 3 hrs 30m Sea Lion Is + 1 hr 15m Port Stephens + 3hrs 15m Hill Cove + 4hrs Berkeley Sound + 1 hr 11m Port San Carlos + 2 hr 55m Darwin Harbour - 56m
SUN	1130	1.39	Moonset	0622		
	1829	0.58	18	0500	1.33	
Sunrise	0705		THUR	0956	0.79	
Sunset	1647			1607	1.77	
Moonrise	1018			2252	0.10	
Moonset	0301		Sunrise	0657		
15	0124	1.14	Sunset	1653		
MON	0549	0.95	Moonset	1508		
	1241	1.43	Moonrise	0656		
	1959	0.48	19	0537	1.41	
Sunrise	0703		FRI	1045	0.63	
Sunset	1648			1700	1.88	
Moonrise	1103			2337	0.05	
Moonset	0422		Sunrise	0655		
16	0309	1.18	Sunset	1655		
TUES	0725	0.98	Moonrise	1643		
	1357	1.51	Moonset	0720		
	2108	0.34				
Sunrise	0701					
Sunset	1650					

(See www.michaelstevens.horizon.co.fk for tide charts)

STANLEY LEISURE CENTRE

STANLEY LEISURE CENTRE			
Telephone: 27291/27285 Fax: 27284 e-mail: admin@leisure.co.fk for bookings and enquires			
Opening Schedule Commencing Saturday 13 th AUGUST 2005			
Swimming Pool		Sports Hall / Squash Courts	
SATURDAY 13 th AUGUST 2005			
Public	10.00-16.00	Public	
Adults	16.00-18.00	Public	
11.00-12.00 Junior Activities			
CLUBS ON TODAY			
TABLE TENNIS CLUB 10.00 AM - 11.00 AM			
SUNDAY 14 th AUGUST 2005			
Public	11.00-15.00	Public	
Private Hire	15.00-16.00	Public	
Public	16.00-17.00	Public	
Adults	17.00-19.00	Public	
CLUBS ON TODAY			
TABLE TENNIS CLUB (FITTA) 3.00 - 5.00 PM SHORT TENNIS CLUB 3.00 - 5.00 PM FOOTBALL CLUB 5.00 - 7.00 PM			
MONDAY 15 th AUGUST 2005			
Closed	09.00-10.00	Holiday Programme	
OAP - Physio. Adults, Parents & Toddlers	10.00-11.00	Holiday Programme	
Public	11.00-12.00	Public	
Lanes (Adults) (2 Lanes Swim Club)	12.00-13.00	Public	
Public	13.00-14.00	Holiday Programme	
Aquarun (old one)	14.00-15.00	Closed	
Closed	15.00-16.00	Holiday Programme	
Public	16.00-17.00	Holiday Programme	
Public - (2 Lanes Adults Swims)	17.00-19.00	Closed	
Adults	19.00-21.00	Closed	
CLUBS ON TODAY			
BADMINTON CLUB 7.00 - 8.00 PM			
TUESDAY 16 th AUGUST 2005			
Closed	09.00-10.00	Holiday Programme	
OAP - Physio. Adults, Parents & Toddlers	10.00-11.00	Holiday Programme	
Public	11.00-12.00	Public	
Lanes (Adults)	12.00-13.00	Public	
Closed	13.00-14.00	Holiday Programme	
Public	14.00-17.00	Public	
Public	17.00-19.00	Public	
Ladies Hour	19.00-20.00	Public	
Private Hire	20.00-21.00	Public	
CLUBS ON TODAY			
NETBALL CLUB 6.00 PM - 7.00 PM LADIES 5-A-SIDE 7.00 PM - 8.00 PM FOOTBALL CLUB 8.00 - 9.00 PM			
WEDNESDAY 17 th AUGUST 2005			
Closed	09.00-10.00	Public	
OAP - Physio. Adults, Parents & Toddlers	10.00-11.00	Public	
OAP - Physio. Adults, Parents & Toddlers	11.00-12.00	Holiday Programme	
Lanes (Adults) (2 Lanes Swim Club)	12.00-13.00	Public	
Closed	13.00-14.00	Holiday Programme	
Public	14.00-15.00	Public	
Public	15.00-19.00	Public	
Private Hire	19.00-20.00	Public	
Adults	20.00-21.00	Public	
CLUBS ON TODAY			
VOLLEYBALL CLUB 7.00 PM - 8.00 PM CRICKET CLUB 8.00 PM - 9.00 PM			
THURSDAY 18 th AUGUST 2005			
Closed for Cleaning	09.00-11.00	Holiday Programme	
Closed for Cleaning	11.00-14.00	Public	
Crazy Hour	14.00-15.00	Public	
Closed	15.00-16.00	Closed	
Public - (2 Lanes Adults Swims)	16.00-19.00	Public	
Adults	19.00-21.00	Public	
CLUBS ON TODAY			
SQUASH CLUB 6.00 - 8.00 PM BADMINTON CLUB 7.00 - 8.00 PM			
FRIDAY 19 th AUGUST 2005			
Closed	09.00-10.00	Holiday Programme	
OAP - Physio. Adults, Parents & Toddlers	10.00-11.00	Holiday Programme	
OAP - Physio. Adults, Parents & Toddlers	11.00-12.00	Public	
Lanes (Adults) (2 Lanes Swim Club)	12.00-13.00	Public	
Closed	13.00-15.00	Public	
Public	15.00-19.00	Public	
Adults	19.00-20.00	Public	

CLUBS AND CONTACTS

CHURCH SERVICES

CATHEDRAL SUNDAY
8am Holy Communion (BCP) 10am Morning Service & Junior Church 7pm Evening Service
Tel: 21100 Fax: 21842, The Deanery, 17 Ross Road, Stanley

Reverend - Rev Paul Sweeting

TABERNACLE - Barrack Street (free church)
Sunday Services 10.00am and 7.00pm. Family Service second Sunday morning of the month.
Communion first Sunday morning and third Sunday evening of the month
Midweek Bible Study Tuesday 7.30pm at 2 Drury Street

St. MARY'S SUNDAY 10am (MPA 6.30pm). Week days: 9am

St. CUTHBERT'S (MPA)
SUN: 10.30am All-age Worship
Every 2nd Sun Communion
6.30pm Holy Mass
Mon: 07.00am Mass
Other activities will be posted as and when they are arranged

BAHA'I FAITH

For information on meetings please ring Margo Smallwood on 21031 or check our website: www.horizon.co.fk/bahai_falklands

HOSPITAL PHARMACY
Monday to Friday mornings 10.00am - 12.15pm; Mon, Tue, Thu and Fri afternoons 14:30 - 17:00; Weds afternoons 13:30 - 15:30

MUSEUM

Monday - Friday 09.30 - 12.00 & 13.30 to 16.00; Saturday & Sunday 14.00 - 16.00. Tel: 27428

TREASURY

Monday - Friday Tel: 27143 8am - 12 noon

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Monday - Friday 08.45 - 12.00 and 13.30 - 17.45; Saturday 10am - 12 noon, 14.00 - 17.00pm Tel: 27147

VETERINARY DEPARTMENT

Consultation hours: Phone 27366
Mon Wed Fri 8.30am - 9.30am; 1.00pm - 2.00pm; 4.00pm - 4.30pm; Tues Thurs 1.00pm - 2.00pm
Consultations by appointment only.

BADMINTON CLUB Mondays 7 - 9 Thursdays 7 - 9pm Trudi Clarke, Tel: 21131

SQUASH CLUB Thursdays 5-9pm Contact Roger Spink Tel 21128

NETBALL CLUB Tuesdays 6-7pm. All are welcome Contact Daphne Arthur Almond Tel: 22038

THE FI GUN CLUB New members welcome Contact: Graham Didtick on 22282 or Steve Dent on 22021

F.I. RIFLE ASSOCIATION Contact Secretary G Goodwin 21246

CRICKET ASSOCIATION New junior and senior players welcome contact Roger Diggle 21716

STANLEY GOLF CLUB Competitions on Sunday at 8.45 am. Contact Graeme Hay on 22555 www.horizon.co.fk/golf

ASTHMA SUPPORT GROUP - Meets second Tuesday of every third month in Day Centre at 5pm. Contact G. France on 21624

FALKLAND ISLANDS RED CROSS New members welcome. Contact Keith Biles, Tel. 21897 (Chairman); Elizabeth Marrow 21921 (Secretary); Jean Diggle 21716 (Treasurer)

GUIDE OF SPINNERS, WEAVERS & HANDICRAFTS Meetings on Monday evening at 7.30pm and Thursdays 1.30 - 3.30pm. Contact M Smallwood 21031

CANCER SUPPORT & AWARENESS TRUST - Contact Theresa Lang (Chairman) 21235 Alison Ward (Secretary) 21851, Derek Howatt (Trustee) 21385, Shiralee Collins 21579

FIODA Chairman - Geoff Pring, tel 21786 Secretary - Richard Fogerty, tel 21343 Treasurer - Alison Inglis, tel. 22817

DIABETES SUPPORT GROUP Holds meetings quarterly - for further details contact Chairman Sharon Middleton on 21393

STANLEY SWIMMING CLUB Coaching Tuesdays 4-5pm, Fridays 4-5pm

STANLEY SUB-AQUA CLUB - Contact David McLeod Phone: 20836 (day), 20843 (home)

THE ROYAL BRITISH LEGION - FALKLAND ISLANDS BRANCH Meets on the first Monday of every month at the Hillside Mess at 7.45pm. Contacts Chairman Michael Stevens (21936) / Secretary Bruce Wilks (22438), Treasurer Richard Morrison (22316)

STANLEY SHORT MAT BOWLS CLUB Friday 6.00 - 8.00pm. Contact Greta Skene 21488

JELLY TOTS CLUB meets Tuesday 1.30 - 3.30pm and Thursday 10.11.30am in the Parish Hall. All parents and carers with children aged 0 - 5 years are welcome. For more information contact: Zoe Crockford - 22694 Chairperson, Michelle King - 21784 Treasurer, Wendy Luxton - 21882, Secretary, Sue Wilks - 22438, Alison Roose - 22955

THE SHACK YOUTH CLUB - Open every Thursday night. School years 3/4 5.15pm to 6.45pm School years 5/6 7.00pm to 8.30pm Friday night School years 7/8/9 7.30 to 9.00 Any queries or information contact Stevie or Katie Burston phone/fax 21677

SHORT TENNIS CLUB - Sunday 3 - 5pm. Contact Gordon Lennie Tel 21667 or Steve Pointing on 21616 for further details

KARATE CLUB Wed 6-7p.m. and Sat 11-12a.m. Contact Jan on 22441

AA BASED ALCOHOL AWARENESS GROUP Thursdays 7.30pm - 8.30pm KEMH Day Centre, All Welcome

IAND CHIME GROUP - Wednesday evenings at the Parish Hall 7 - 8.30pm

TABLE TENNIS CLUB - Sunday 3 - 5pm. Contact Michael Stevens on 21936 for more details

Emergency Radio Frequencies
The Public are advised that in the event of an emergency where no other form of communication are available, that the Royal Falkland Islands Police maintain a 24 hour listening watch on the following frequencies

VHF 2 metre Band
147.725 (Duplex - 0.6)... Pebble Island repeater (out of action at the moment, currently being relocated and combined with Port Howard repeater)
146.625 Stanley, Alice
147.825 (Duplex - 0.6)... Mount Alice repeater

Marine Band
156.800, Channel 16 (Stanley area)
2 182 MHz HF


In the event that communications fail on all the above frequencies then the RFI may be contacted direct on 153.650 (duplex + 1.6). It is unlikely that this frequency will be functional from West Falkland.

It must be stressed that calling the Royal Falkland Islands Police on any of these frequencies must only be done in the event of an emergency

Saturday 13th August
 8.00 THE ASHES 3RD TEST HIGH-LIGHTS
 8.30 ROOM 785
 8.35 TAZ-MANIA
 9.00 SHORT CHANGE
 9.30 BLUE PETER
 10.00 THE SATURDAY SHOW
 11.30 HERBIE FULLY LOADED. T4 MOVIE SPECIALT
 11.50 BARRACUDA ATTACK Nature documentary
 12.30 A QUESTION OF SPORT 1.0 NEWS
 2.0 1.10 FOOTBALL FOCUS The Premiership is back and Manish Bhasin and guests look ahead to the first weekend of the top-flight season.
 2.00 GRANDSTAND Grandstand features uninterrupted coverage of the conclusion to the men's marathon in Helsinki
 6.15 NEWS
 6.35 WORLD ATHLETICS CHAMPIONSHIP The sprint relay finals provide the climax to the penultimate night of the competition at the World Championships in Helsinki.
 9.00 CASUALTY
 9.50 MOVIE PRESENTATION. CAPTAIN CORELLI'S MANDOLIN Wartime drama. Starring Nicolas Cage, Penelope Cruz, John Hurt, Christian Bale, David Morrissey and Irene Papas
 11.50 MATCH OF THE DAY
 1.10[am] NEWS 24

Sunday 14th August
 8.00 THE ASHES 3RD TEST HIGH-LIGHTS
 8.30 CARTOON TIME
 8.35 ROOM 785 Starting with: POTATOES AND DRAGONS
 8.45 STUPID Madcap fantasy comedy
 9.10 MATCH OF THE DAY
 10.30 NEWS 24 SUNDAY
 11.30 THE HEAVEN AND EARTH SHOW
 12.30 HOLLYOAKS
 2.30 WORLD ATHLETICS CHAMPIONSHIP Highlights of all the action from the World Athletics championships in Helsinki
 3.50 ONE TREE HILL
 4.30 CARTOON TIME
 4.35 THE SIMPSONS
 5.00 BARCLAYS PREMIERSHIP Live, full-match action as Wigan Athletic v Chelsea
 6.55 WORLD ATHLETICS CHAMPIONSHIPS Hazel Irvine presents live and uninterrupted coverage of the women's marathon at the championships in Helsinki
 8.35 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 9.00 DOC MARTIN Comedy drama
 9.50 THE WEST WING Drama series about the workings of the Oval Office
 10.30 ABSOLUTE POWER Sitcom following the exploits of two PR men Followed by: BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 11.05 IMAGINE Arts series presented by Alan Yentob
 12.05 [am] NEWS 24

Monday 15th August
 7.00 BREAKFAST
 10.15 ROOM 785
 10.25 FAIRLY ODD PARENTS
 10.35 BLUE PETER
 11.00 THE ASHES 3RD TEST HIGHLIGHTS
 11.30 THIS MORNING
 1.30 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 2.10 EMMERDALE
 2.55 RELOCATION. RELOCATION
 3.45 ROOM 785
 4.00 REALLY WILD SHOW
 4.30 THE STABLES



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5.00 GALIDOR. DEFENDERS OF THE OUTER DIMENSION Sci-fi drama series
 5.15 THE CROCODILE HUNTER DIARIES Series taking a look behind the scenes at Steve and Terri Irwin's Australia Zoo
 5.45 THE KING OF QUEENS Sitcom about a working man making what he can of family life
 6.05 CORONATION STREET
 6.30 MY HERO Sitcom about an alien superhero
 7.00 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 7.30 EASTENDERS
 8.00 THE BILL
 8.45 GELDOF IN AFRICA A Terrible Beauty: Bob Geldof continues his journey in Ethiopia, where his personal long march for justice began over 20 years ago
 9.15 FAT FRIENDS (New) Return of the drama series about a group of people trying to lose weight
 10.25 ANN WIDDECOMBE TO THE RESCUE Series following the no-nonsense MP as she goes on the road to attempt to solve a variety of family crises Followed by: BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 10.55 KATHI & KIM (New) Australian sitcom
 11.25 FRONTLINE FOOTBALL Colombia: Ben Anderson travels to one of the most dangerous places on earth to see Colombia try and qualify for the 2006 World Cup
 12.15[am] THE CHAMPIONSHIP Highlights of the world athletic championships taking place in Helsinki
 12.55[am] NEWS 24

Tuesday 16th August
 7.00 BREAKFAST
 10.15 ROOM 785
 10.25 RUGRATS
 10.35 KERCHING!
 11.00 THE ASHES 3RD TEST HIGHLIGHTS
 11.30 THIS MORNING
 1.30 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 2.10 HEARTBEAT
 3.00 RELOCATION. RELOCATION
 3.50 ROOM 785
 3.55 50/50
 4.25 BLUE PETER
 4.55 BARKING
 5.15 TIME TEAM Going Upmarket in Gloucestershire: Archaeology series presented by Tony Robinson
 6.05 CORONATION STREET
 6.30 A SEASIDE PARISH
 7.00 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 7.30 EASTENDERS
 8.00 THE BILL
 8.45 YOU ARE WHAT YOU EAT

9.10 ALLERGIC TO EVERYTHING Fifteen million Britons suffer from allergies, the highest number of cases in Europe
 10.00 NIP/TUCK Followed by: BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 10.50 ESCAPE TO THE LEGION
 11.40 THE BIGGER PICTURE WITH GRAHAM NORTON
 12.10[am] HARDWARE (New) Comedy series
 12.35[am] NEWS 24

Wednesday 17th August
 7.00 BREAKFAST
 10.15 ROOM 785
 10.20 FAIRLY ODD PARENTS
 10.35 BLUE PETER
 11.00 ANIMAL PARK - WILD IN AFRICA
 11.30 THIS MORNING
 1.30 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 2.10 EMMERDALE
 2.55 RELOCATION. RELOCATION
 3.45 ROOM 785
 4.00 XCHANGE: AFRICA
 4.30 GIRLS IN LOVE Teen drama
 4.55 COMBAT CLUB
 5.20 AIRLINE USA Docusoap about the passengers and staff of Southwest Airlines
 5.45 MALCOLM IN THE MIDDLE Sitcom about a gifted boy growing up in a chaotic family
 6.05 CORONATION STREET
 6.30 AFRICAN SCHOOL Documentary series about Masindi Secondary School in Uganda
 7.00 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 7.30 BUFFY THE VAMPIRE SLAYER
 8.10 PIONEER HOUSE Judgement Day:
 9.00 LOST (New) Pilot Action-packed US adventure Followed by: BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 10.55 MAKE ME A SUPERMODEL Rachel Hunter fronts a series whose aim is to find the next new supermodel
 11.30 DOVES: IN PROFILE In-depth musical profile of the acclaimed British band Doves
 11.40 MATCH OF THE DAY Highlights of the friendly between England v Denmark.
 12.25 [am] NEWS 24

Thursday 18th August
 7.00 BREAKFAST
 10.15 ROOM 785
 10.25 THE CRAMP TWINS
 10.35 KERCHING!
 11.00 DIY SOS
 11.30 THIS MORNING
 1.30 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 2.10 HEARTBEAT

2.55 RELOCATION. RELOCATION
 3.50 ROOM 785
 4.10 WRITING ACADEMY
 4.30 BLUE PETER
 5.00 SERIOUS DESERT
 5.25 ENTERPRISE
 6.05 CORONATION STREET
 6.30 THE WORLD'S MOST PHOTOGRAPHED Muhammad Ali
 7.00 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 7.30 EASTENDERS
 8.00 HOLBY CITY
 9.00 LIFE ISN'T ALL HA HA HEE HEE Drama series centred around three thirtysomething childhood friends
 10.00 CLASS IN BRITAIN The Middle Working Class: The second of three authored films scrutinising the history of Britain's class system Followed by: BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 10.50 ARRESTED DEVELOPMENT Comedy series
 11.15 BADDIEL AND SKINNER UNPLANNED
 11.40 CELEBRITY FEAR FACTOR UK (New)
 12.25 A BEAR'S TALE (New) The Good, The Bad and The Ugly: From the creators of the Bafta-nominated, award-winning Bob Selecta! comes A Bear's Tail, a new six-part series
 12.50 [am] NEWS 24

Friday 19th August
 7.00 BREAKFAST
 10.15 ROOM 785
 10.20 FAIRLY ODD PARENTS
 10.35 BLUE PETER
 11.00 ANIMAL PARK - WILD IN AFRICA
 11.30 THIS MORNING
 1.30 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 2.10 EMMERDALE
 2.55 RELOCATION. RELOCATION
 3.45 ROOM 785
 3.55 ATOMIC BETTY
 4.20 THE BIG BANG
 4.35 NEWSROUND EXTRA
 4.55 MY PARENTS ARE ALIENS Freaky family drama series
 5.15 THE GADGET SHOW
 5.40 THE CITY GARDENER Newcastle Revisited
 6.05 CORONATION STREET
 6.30 SHOULD I WORRY ABOUT...? Jabs: Richard Hammond becomes part of a human experiment to find out how jabs work
 7.00 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 7.30 EASTENDERS
 8.00 HOW CLEAN IS YOUR HOUSE? Housekeeper Kim Woodburn and presenter Aggie MacKenzie travel the country looking for the filthiest homes
 8.25 QUEER EYE FOR THE STRAIGHT GUY A makeover show with a difference
 9.10 MURPHY'S LAW Callard has recommended his services to this itinerant, close-knit and dangerous criminal gang
 10.10 THE KUMARS AT NO 42 This week's guests are Mariella Frostrup and George Hamilton Followed by: BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 10.40 ER Drama series set in the busy emergency room of a Chicago hospital
 11.25 MOVIE PRESENTATION: VERTICAL LIMIT (2000) Action adventure Starring: Chris O'Donnell, Bill Paxton, Robin Tunney, Scott Glenn, Izabella Scorupco and Temuera Morrison
 1.20[am] NEWS 24

Billings correct at time of going to press but subject to change until actual transmission Time into BFBS Radio/Television for up-dates.

Your programmes - F.I.B.S.

Weekly schedule of programmes - as updated by FIBS

SATURDAY

5:00 IRN News & Childrens Corner
6:00 Weather, Flights, Ranges, Announcements, Job Shop & What's on Guide
6:17 The Archers
6:30 News Review
7:00 In Concert
8:00 Feature Presentation
8:30 Weather, Flights & The Fusion with Stacy
10:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

SUNDAY

5:00 IRN News & Chaplains Choice with Paul Sweeting
5:30 Classical Interlude with Kathy Biles
6:00 Weather, Flights, Ranges, Announcements, Job Shop & What's on Guide
6:15 Short Story
6:30 Feature Presentation
7:00 Sunday Evening Service
8:00 Slow Jams with Jock to include Weather & Flights at 8:30
10:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

MONDAY

7:00 IRN News & Breakfast Show with Ken (530mw & 88.3fm)
9:00 KTV Radio Nova
10:00 IRN News & Lifestyle with Liz to include
12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
12:30 Calling The Falklands (repeat)
1:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm
4:00 IRN News & People's Jukebox
5:00 IRN News followed by Jukebox
6:00 IRN News & The Archers
6:15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop followed by Country Crossroads
7:00 Comedy presentation
7:30 Music feature
8:30 Weather, Flights & The Vinyl Frontier with Myriam
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

TUESDAY

7:00 IRN News & Breakfast Show with Ken (530mw & 88.3fm)
9:00 KTV Radio Nova
10:00 IRN News & Lifestyle with Liz to include
12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
12:30 One To One
1:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm
4:00 IRN News & People's Jukebox
5:00 IRN News followed by Jukebox
6:00 IRN News & The Archers
6:15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop followed by Calling The Falklands
6:45 Simply Classical
7:45 Folk Music Show
8:30 Weather, Flights & 80's and 90's with Sheena
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

WEDNESDAY

7:00 IRN News & Breakfast Show with Ken (530mw & 88.3fm)
9:00 KTV Radio Nova
10:00 IRN News & Lifestyle with Liz to include
12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
12:30 Calling The Falklands (repeat)
1:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm
4:00 IRN News & People's Jukebox
5:00 IRN News followed by Jukebox
6:00 IRN News & The Archers
6:15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop followed by The Information Hour to include
Calling The Falklands
One To One (repeat)
Conservation Conversations (repeat)
Caught In The Net/Camp Matters (repeat)
7:30 Non-Stop Country Hour
8:30 Weather, Flights & Leather and Lace with Tansy
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

THURSDAY

7:00 IRN News & Breakfast Show with Ken (530mw & 88.3fm)
9:00 KTV Radio Nova
10:00 IRN News & Lifestyle with Liz to include
12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
12:30 Calling The Falklands (repeat)
1:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm
4:00 IRN News & People's Jukebox
5:00 IRN News followed by Jukebox
6:00 IRN News & The Archers
6:15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop followed by The Best Of with Jock
7:30 Drama Presentation
8:30 Weather, Flights & FIBS Chart Show
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

FRIDAY

7:00 IRN News & Breakfast Show with Ken (530mw & 88.3fm)
9:00 KTV Radio Nova
10:00 IRN News & Lifestyle with Liz to include
12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
1:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm
4:00 IRN News & People's Jukebox
5:00 IRN News followed by Jukebox
6:00 IRN News & The Archers
6:15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop followed by Soul, Blues & Rock 'n' Roll with Liz
7:30 Feature Presentation
8:00 Pot Luck with Myriam to include Weather & Flights at 8:30
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

SATURDAY

7:00 IRN News & Breakfast Show with Ken (530mw & 88.3fm)
9:00 KTV Radio Nova
10:00 IRN News & Lifestyle with Liz to include
12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
1:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm
4:00 IRN News & People's Jukebox
5:00 IRN News followed by Jukebox
6:00 IRN News & The Archers
6:15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop followed by The Information Hour to include
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7:30 Non-Stop Country Hour
8:30 Weather, Flights & Leather and Lace with Tansy
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

SUNDAY

7:00 IRN News & Breakfast Show with Ken (530mw & 88.3fm)
9:00 KTV Radio Nova
10:00 IRN News & Lifestyle with Liz to include
12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
12:30 Caught In The Net/Camp Matters
1:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm
4:00 IRN News & People's Jukebox
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6:00 IRN News & The Archers
6:15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop followed by The Information Hour to include
Calling The Falklands
One To One (repeat)
Conservation Conversations (repeat)
Caught In The Net/Camp Matters (repeat)
7:30 Non-Stop Country Hour
8:30 Weather, Flights & Leather and Lace with Tansy
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

MONDAY

7:00 IRN News & Breakfast Show with Ken (530mw & 88.3fm)
9:00 KTV Radio Nova
10:00 IRN News & Lifestyle with Liz to include
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6:15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop followed by Calling The Falklands
6:45 Simply Classical
7:45 Folk Music Show
8:30 Weather, Flights & 80's and 90's with Sheena
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WEDNESDAY

7:00 IRN News & Breakfast Show with Ken (530mw & 88.3fm)
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98.5 FM:

SATURDAY 0000 Groove Collective PT 2 0100 The Box 0300 Cox & Bumfry 0500 Early Riser 0700 Forces Finest PT 1 0800 Saturday Breakfast 1000 The Score 1300 Forces Finest 1500 Cox & Bumfry 1700 Ministry Of Sound 1900 David Rodigan 2100 Club Culture 2300 The Box PT 1
SUNDAY 0000 The Box PT 2 0100 Chill Out Room 0300 Sim Courtie 0500 Groove Collective 0700 UK Sunday Breakfast 1000 Sim Courtie 1200 Access all Areas 1400 Airplay UK 1700 The Source 1900 The Rock Show 2100 Up from the Underground 2300 Chill Out Room PT1
MONDAY 0000 Chill Out Room PT 2 0100 Forces Finest 0300 BFBS Greatest Hits 0400 Early Riser 0700 Hermina Graham 1000 Heidi Secker 1300 Richard Hutchinson 1600 Hatch & Duffus 1800 BFBS Greatest Hits 1900 UK Top 40
TUESDAY 0000 UK Late Show 0100 Club Culture 0300 - 0000 As of Tuesday
WEDNESDAY 0000 UK Late Show 0100 Club Culture 0300 - 0000 As of Tuesday
THURSDAY 0000 UK Late Show 0100 The Rock Show 0300 - 1600 As of Tuesday 1600 Hatch & Duffus 1800 BFBS Greatest Hits 1900 UK Evening Show 2200 Late Show with Lisa Davis
FRIDAY 0000 UK Late Show 0100 Up from the Underground 0300 BFBS Greatest Hits 0400 Early Riser 0700 Hermina Graham 1000 Heidi Secker 1300 Richard Hutchinson 1600 Hatch & Duffus 1800 BFBS Greatest Hits 1900 Friday Dance 2100 Ministry of Sound 2300 The Groove Collective



550 MW:

SATURDAY 0000 Classic weekend breakfast 0200 Today 0400 Home Truths 0500 The Now Show 0530 Brown on Brown 0600 News/Allinson's albums 0700 Sport on Five 1400 Rockola 1500 The Classic rock show 1600 Raven n' the blues 1700 Late night live 2000 Up all night
SUNDAY 0000 Classic weekend breakfast 0200 Weekend woman's hour 0300 Sunday Worship 0350 A point of view 0400 Broadcasting House 0520 The Archers Omnibus 0618 Seven days 0700 BFG on Sunday 0800 Sport on Five 1400 The BFBS Radio 2 Comedy Hour 1500 News/The Archers 1515 A view from 1530 The Chet Baker story 1600 Home truths 1700 Late night live 2000 Up all Night
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Falkland Islands Defence Force Routine Orders



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Sunday shows starts - 1st Performance 13:00 2nd Performance 17:00 3rd Performance 20:00

Saturday 13 August	Sunday 14 August	Monday 15 August	Tuesday 16 August	Wednesday 17 August	Thursday 18 August	Friday 19 August
THE PACIFIER	HOUSE OF WAX	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED
KUNG FU HUSTLE	KINGDOM OF HEAVEN	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED
SIN CITY	BATMAN BEGINS	BATMAN BEGINS	KUNG FU HUSTLE	STAR WARS: EP III	BATMAN BEGINS	SIN CITY

SIN CITY (18) 124 mins. Action/thriller. Jessica Alba, Bruce Willis
KINGDOM OF HEAVEN (15) 144 mins. Drama Sc. Orlando Bloom, Liam Neeson
STAR WARS: EP III (12A) 139 mins. Sci-Fi Act Sc. Ewan McGregor, Hayden Christensen

HOUSE OF WAX (15) 112 mins. Horror. Elisha Cuthbert, Chad Michael Murray
KUNG FU HUSTLE (15) 98 mins. Act/Com Stephen Chow, Kwok Chan
THE PACIFIER (PG) 95 mins. Comedy Sc. Vin Diesel, Lauren Graham
BATMAN BEGINS (12A) 141 mins. Act/Fantasy. Christian Bale, Michael Caine

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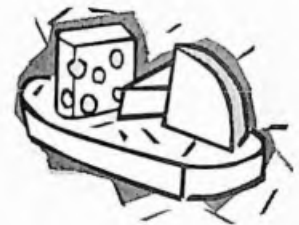
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General Practice

with Mandy Hethman, chief Nursing officer

Detecting and treating head lice and nits

HEAD lice are common. They can usually be cleared easily by treatment.

Head lice are tiny grey/brown insects. They are about the size of a sesame seed (the seeds on burger buns). Head lice cling to hairs, but stay close to the scalp which they feed off. They lay eggs which hatch after 7-10 days. It takes about 10 days for a newly hatched louse to grow to an adult and start laying eggs.

Nits are the white empty egg shells which are left when the lice hatch. Nits can look like dandruff, but stick strongly to hair. Unlike dandruff, nits cannot be brushed out easily.

Head lice are common in children but can affect anyone at any age. They are not a sign of dirty hair or poor hygiene. Close 'hair to hair' contact is usually needed to pass lice on. Head lice cannot jump or fly, but walk from one head to another. They soon die when away from hair, and do not live in clothes, bedding, etc. Most head lice infections are caught from family or close friends who are not aware that they have head lice.

Most people with head lice do not have any symptoms. An itchy scalp occurs in about 1 in 3 cases. This is due to an allergy to the lice, not due to them biting. It often takes about three months for an itch to develop after you are infected. So, you may not notice that you have head lice for a while, and you may pass them on to others for some time. Head lice and nits do not wash off with normal shampoo. Head lice do not cause any other medical problems. In most cases the head is not 'crawling with lice'. Commonly, there are less than 12 lice present.

How to tell if you have head lice

Head lice are difficult to find just by looking in the hair. If you suspect head lice, it is best to do 'detection combing' (described below). Some people advise that you do this to children's hair regularly, about once a week.

Wash the hair in the normal way with ordinary shampoo. Rinse out the shampoo and put on lots of ordinary conditioner. Comb the hair with a normal comb to get rid of tangles.

When the hair is untangled switch to a detection comb. This is a special fine toothed comb that you can buy at pharmacies. (The teeth of normal combs are too far apart.)

Slot the teeth of the detection

comb into the hair at the roots so it is touching the scalp gently.

Draw the detection comb through to the tips of the hair. Repeat this in all directions until you have combed all the hair. Check the comb for lice after each stroke. A magnifying glass may help. If you see any lice, clean the comb by wiping it on a tissue or rinse it before the next stroke.

Comb over a white surface such as white paper. This is so that any head lice that are flicked out by the comb are easy to see.

After the whole head has been combed, rinse out the conditioner. While the hair is still wet, use an ordinary comb to get rid of tangles. Repeat the detection combing in the rinsed hair to check for any lice that you might have missed the first time.

It takes about 10-15 minutes to do detection combing properly, depending on how thick the hair is.

Treatment options for head lice

Treatment is only needed if you see one or more live moving lice. Nits (empty eggshells) do not always mean infection. Nits stick to hair even when lice are gone (after treatment).

Treatment with lotions or cream rinse

You can buy lotions or a cream rinse which kills lice from pharmacies. You can also get them on prescription. Head lice shampoo is not very effective and is not advised. Lotions come in water or alcohol bases. Alcohol based lotions work slightly better than water based lotions. However, do not use alcohol based lotions if you have asthma, eczema, or broken skin.

Alcohol based lotions are flammable so do not use near naked lights, cigarettes, fires, or flames. Be careful with children near fires who have alcohol lotion in their hair.

Tips for use of treatments

Follow the instructions on the packet carefully. This may include the following.

Lotions: Apply to dry hair. Part the hair near the top and pour a few drops onto the scalp. Rub well into the hair. Part the hair again a little further down and repeat. Repeat this until the scalp and roots of the hair are saturated. Apply down to where a pony tail band would be. Leave on for 12 hours (overnight) and then wash off. About 50ml of lotion is needed per person. Up to 150ml is needed for thick hair.

Cream rinse: Apply to damp hair so that the scalp and roots of the hair are saturated. One tube is usually enough. Leave on for 10 minutes and then rinse off.

Do not go swimming before applying a lotion. The chlorine from the swimming pool may stop it working.

Do not use a hairdryer to dry hair after applying treatment.

Re-apply the same treatment after 7 days. (Although lice are usually killed by one application, not all eggs may be. The second application makes sure that any lice that hatch from eggs that survived will be killed before they are old enough to lay further eggs.)

Inspect the hair by detection combing 2-3 days after the second application. If you find any live moving head lice, despite treatment, then see a doctor or nurse for advice.

Wet combing treatment using the Bug Busting method

'Bug busting' is a way of removing head lice without having to use a lotion or cream rinse to kill them. Use the Bug Busting method as described in the section, 'How can you tell if you have head lice'. Do this on every member of the household that has been found to have head lice. (The detector comb removes the lice which cannot grip hair that is slippery with conditioner). You need to do the wet combing routine every four days for at least four sessions (two weeks).

The first combing session should remove all hatched head lice, but does not remove eggs.

Any young lice that hatch from eggs after the first session are removed at the second, third and fourth sessions. This is why it is important to do the full four sessions.

If you see full-grown lice at the second, third, or fourth session, this means that some have been missed on the first session, or re-infection from someone else has occurred. If this occurs, you should increase the number of sessions. In effect, following any session where you find adult head lice, you should do three further sessions at four day intervals where you do not see adult lice.

Do family and friends need treatment?

All people in the same home, and other close 'head to head' contacts of the previous 4-6 weeks should be contacted. Tell them to look for lice. Only people with head lice should be treated. (It used to be advised to treat all close contacts even if

they had no symptoms. This has changed to just treating people with definite head lice infection.) All people with head lice in the same home should be treated at the same time. This stops lice being passed around again.

What about school?

Children with head lice should carry on going to school. Contrary to popular belief, head lice do not spread quickly through schools. Alarming 'head lice letters' from schools are unhelpful. Close head-to-head contact is needed to pass lice on to others. Young children who are 'best friends' and play closely together may pass lice on. A common sense approach is to tell the parents of the close friends of an affected child to look out for lice in their children.

Head lice prevention

There is no good way of preventing head lice. Lice repellent sprays are not very effective. Regular detection combing of children's hair will detect lice infection early. This means treatment can be started early, which means less chance of passing them on to others.

Other useful points about head lice

Use an anti-lice lotion or cream rinse only when you are sure that you or your child have head lice. Do not use them to prevent head lice, or 'just in case'. Frequent use may cause a build up of small amounts of the active medication in the body. The risk of harm from this is very small, but it is best to use these treatments only when infected.

A common reason for head lice to recur in one person is because close contacts (family and close friends) are not checked and treated if they also have head lice. The treated person is then likely to get head lice back again from untreated family or friends.

After treatment and the lice have gone, it may take 2-3 weeks for the itch to go fully.

Nits may remain after lice have gone. They are empty egg shells and stick strongly to hair. They will eventually fall out. A fine toothed 'nit comb' can remove them if you prefer.

A final reminder - alcohol based lotions are flammable. Some children have been badly burnt as their hair caught fire whilst being treated. Keep children away from fires, cigarettes, flames, etc, whilst lotion is in their hair.

Fisheries Department

Catch for week 31, ending August 2, 2005

Licence type	Number of Licences	
	Eligible W/ending 02/08/05	Fishing W/ending 02/08/05
Total	31	30
L	2	1
R	9	9
X	16	16
Y	3	3
Z	1	1

Catch by species (Tonnes)

	Falklands	Korea	Other Nations	Total
Loligo	4695	0	0	4695
Illex	0	0	0	0
Martialia	0	0	0	0
Hakes	27	43	18	88
Blue Whiting	0	0	0	0
Hoki	58	40	21	119
Kingclip	7	33	3	43
Toothfish	14	1	0	15
Red Cod	10	3	4	17
Ray	7	489	4	500
Other	86	0	1	87
Total	4904	609	51	5564

Shipping activity from August 1 - 8

THE reefer *Sagami* entered Berkeley Sound on August 7 for transshipping after coming into Port William for a customs check. The *Tamar* docked at the East Jetty on July 31 to load cargo.

The Longliner *Elqui* remains under arrest at FIPASS and *HMS Dumbarton Castle* arrived on August 5 for a port visit.

At Mare Harbour, the *Indomitable* was also still on a port visit after having come in on July 22.

In Port William, the reefer *Captain Mokeev* arrived for transshipping on August 4.

Also in Port William, the trawlers *Primavera 1*, *Pesca Vaqueiro* and *Buffin Bay* left for fishing grounds on the 3, 4 and 5 respectively.

The trawlers *Arneles*, *Ferralemes* and *Igueldo* arrived in Port William on August 6, with the *New Polar* arriving on August 7.

South Georgia Fisheries: Catch Figures Week ending August 5, 2005

Species	Max No. of Vessels	Total Catch	Total Effort
Toothfish	8	113 tonnes	719,593 hooks
Krill	5	4,140	202 trawls



on share prices

At close of business Monday, August 8, 2005

Desire Petroleum plc	40.75p	(+2.0p)
Falkland Oil and Gas plc	112p	(-1.5p)
Falkland Islands Holdings plc	437.5p	(-17.5p)
Falkland Gold and Minerals Ltd	24.25p	(nil)
Standard Chartered PLC	1203p	(+70p)

Wool report - week ending August 5

by Neil Judd, Department of Agriculture

SALES resumed in Sydney, Australia after a three-week recess.

Greasy wool prices were markedly higher at the very fine end of the fibre diameter spectrum (18 and 19 micron), but quite erratic for fleece wool lots above 21 micron. As shown in the below "Micron Price Guide".

Significant currency changes over the "recess" period acted to hold-up wool prices when expressed in terms of pence/kg clean.

Fleece wool lots of good length, staple strength and style were least affected by price falls. In addition, according to AWEX reports, some improvement in prices was recorded towards the close of the sale.

In Australia 81% of the 48,700 bale offering was sold. Included in the offering were 2,652 bales of crossbred wool of which 81% was sold.

Auctions continue next week in New Zealand and Australia where over 80,000 will be on offer.

Note:

*Exchange rates used to convert wool prices into pence per kg

clean basis. Australian \$2.30 per 1£ sterling compared to \$2.34 per 1£ sterling on 15th July 2005.

*Information derived from AWEX market report and Wool Record Weekly.

*Values based on average auction floor prices from Australian Eastern markets.

*Prices quoted correspond to average gross auction prices. It should be remembered that no selling or freight costs have been deducted from the stated prices.

*MPG prices designated with an "n" indicate that insufficient wool in the particular micron range was traded to determine a firm MPG quote.

Growers are strongly advised to seek assistance in evaluating offers for wool where only nominal prices are given.

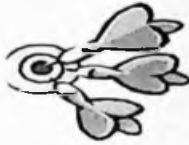
Any woolgrower with a question regarding the wool industry, or requiring assistance to determine the merit of any wool price offer, is urged to contact Neil Judd at the Department of Agriculture on telephone 27355 or on email njudd@doa.gov.fk

Week ending	Pence per kilogram clean for each micron category.											
	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	28	30	32
10/01/2002	553	403	306	294	293	288	287	266	232	208	199	185
13/12/2002	553n	484	456	451	446	437n	431n	407n	369n	265	217	211n
10/01/2003	557n	494	470	463	458	451	445	412n	375n	271	228	211n
04/07/2003	443n	408	409	411	414n	413n	405n	384n	351n	352n	213	211n
12/12/2003	397n	380	366	362	351	336	325	295n	272n	216n	187n	167n
09/01/2004	409n	392	380	369	356	337	326	295n	274n	215	187	161n
02/07/2004	421n	390	352	339	323	310	281n	266n	253n	211n	188n	169n
17/12/2004	395	368	327	306	295	282	269n	233n	218n	186n	168n	154n
14/01/2005	411n	383	341	316	307	297	284	244n	225	194n	176n	160n
04/02/2005	417	389	343	316	303	294	282	246n	226n	194n	177n	163n
04/03/2005	411	378	337	312	295	286	270	242n	223n	187	174	164n
08/04/2005	414	387	337	313	298	290	273n	244n	224n	189	174	164n
06/05/2005	416	381	334	304	293	288	273	246	228	187	174	164
03/06/2005	418	376	336	313	303	300	282n	256n	234n	197	180	167n
01/07/2005	412	373	336	322	317	313	288n	266n	240n	197	185	169n
08/07/2005	419	386	343	330	324	320	298	275	245	206	192	173
micron	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	28	30	32
15/07/2005	408n	378n	340	324	318	314	294	278n	247n	204n	190n	173n
05/08/2005	434	388	342	323	316	309	301n	274n	245n	205	190	175n
Weekly change	26	10	2	-1	-2	-5	7	-4	-2	1	0	2
Price Year ago	427	395	350	323	308	294	272	261	250	212	182	166



Stanley Darts Club

Results from Monday, August 8



Ladies Legs	
Maggie Goss	39
Ann Murphy	29
Joan Middleton	28
Nora Smith	27
Cathy Jacobsen	26
Sheila Harvey	25
Tara Heathman	24
Hazel Collins	24
Pat Pratlett	23
Ally Ford	20
Maisey Crowe	20
Jenny Smith	20
Jenny McKay	19
Natalie Smith	19
Patsy Robson	19
Avril Bonner	18
Sibby Summers	18
Jane Clement	18
Gail Miller	17
Ellen Ferguson	16
Corina Bishop	16
Wendy Roberts	16
Teresa Clifton	16
Janet Miller	15
Julie Ford	15
Heather Smith	13
Monica Limburn	13
Tamara Lang	13
Dylis Short	13
Sheila Stewart	13
Jan Parke	12
Rowena Summers	12
Nyree Heathman	12
Tanzi Jacobsen	12

League Position	pts	lgs
Tomado's	45	202
Rose B	41	185
Otto's Outlaws	38	163
Misfits	37	164
Snowmen	35	162
Kelpers	32	157
Narrower	31	146
Rose Missiles	29	143
Deanos	24	130
Men at Arms	23	133
Victory Scuds	23	124
Pale Maidens	23	121
Stray Dogs	17	122
Last Orders	17	112
Penguins	17	109
Vic Spear Chucke	15	110
Victory Spiders	15	97
Rose Mixers	13	109
Armed & Dang	12	94
Busty Babes	12	93
Maid's at Arms	9	82
Globe Goonies	7	82
Highbury Babes	6	84
Spice Burgers	3	65
FIDart Flingers	2	66

Mens legs	
Gary Hewitt	47
James Lang	47
Graeme Hay	44
Colin Smith	43
Johny Ford	41
Rag Macaskill	41
Tooty Ford	41
Len Ford	41
Peter Goss	39
Tony Courtney	39
Geoff Greenough	39
Steve Watt	38
Alan Bonner	38
Tooty Morrison	37
Joe Joseph	36
Teddy Summers	35
Boy Miranda	34
Jimmy Curtis	32
Neville Hayward	32
Willie Robson	32
Russel Smith	32
Kevin Clapp	31
Paul Anderson	31
Tony McLaren	31
Waddimir Bruno	31
Paul Chapman	30
Willy Harvey	30
Leon Mitchell	29
Michael Summers	29

Mens Total BOC	
Tooty Ford	114
Len Ford	99
Gary Hewitt	98
Colin Smith	96
James Lang	78
Alan Bonner	76
Johny Ford	75
Graeme Hay	74
Russel Smith	70
Joe Joseph	66
Steve Watt	63
Peter Goss	60
Rag Macaskill	60
Jimmy Curtis	57
Teddy Summers	55
Tooty Morrison	53
Geoff Greenough	51
Dale McCormick	50
Tony Courtney	46
Shane Blackley	45
Willie Robson	45
Kevin Clapp	43
Melvin Clifton	43
Willy Harvey	43
Boy Miranda	42
Tony McLaren	41
Kevin McLaren	40
Jim Parke	39
Michael Summers	38
Neville Hayward	35
Paul Smith	35
David Ford	34
Owen Betts	34
Martin Plato	33
John Jaffray	32
Paul Anderson	31
Neil Clifton	31
Adrian Minnell	31
Andrew Pollard	31
Angus Macaskill	30
Michael Goss	30
Mark Pollard	30
James Greenland	30
James Bates	30
Ian Betts	29
William Whitney	29
Keith Dickson	29
Leon Mitchell	29
Tim Bonner	29
Paul Chapman	28
Lewis Morrison	28

Ali Ceballos and Jenny Smith both scored 3 treble 19's during Monday's league games.

Thanks to Alan Bonner and Andrew Pollard for providing weekly dart statistics.

This Weeks Games		
Deanos	9	6
Armed and Dang	5	10
Victory Scuds	6	9
Spiceburgers	2	13
Men At Arms	7	8
Tornado's	14	1
Narrower	11	4
Rose B	14	1
Highbury Babes	4	11
Last Orders	14	1
Snowmen	11	4
Otto's Outlaws	9	6
Busty Babes		
Pale Maidens		
Penguins		
Misfits		
Rose Missiles		
Stray Dogs		
Maid's at Arms		
Spearhuckers		
Kelpers		
FIDF		
Globe Goonies		
Rose Mixers		

Ladies Total BOC	
Maggie Goss	56
Sheila Harvey	24
Nora Smith	24
Jane Clement	24
Joan Middleton	23
Teresa Clifton	23
Sibby Summers	23
Cathy Jacobsen	22
Jenny McKay	22
Tara Heathman	21
Dylis Short	21
Gail Miller	18
Heather Smith	18
Maisey Crowe	18
Natalie Smith	17
Wendy Roberts	17
Jan Parke	16
Candy Blackley	16
Hazel Collins	16
Ann Murphy	15
Patsy Robson	15
Pat Pratlett	14
Jenny Smith	14
Janet Jaffray	14
Ally Ford	13
Sheila Stewart	13
Lisa Jaffray	12
Corina Bishop	11
Michele Evans	10
Julie Ford	10
Tamara Lang	10
Janet Miller	10
Avril Bonner	9
Cherry Robson	9
Rowena Summers	9
Ellen Ferguson	8
Nyree Heathman	8

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Penguin News Sport

Knockout victory for Colin

THE last 32 contenders of the Darts Club Individual Knockout Competition fought it out in the Victory Bar on Saturday.

This is a double in double out game of 301 over three legs with the starting double being drawn out of the hat.

Jimmy Curtis began his run by beating Noel Greenland 2-0, while James Lang left Turpin Ford in his wake also 2-0. Tony Courtney was no match for Mark Pollard and went out two straight. A 'cracking game' between Tim Bonner and Peter Goss gave Tim a 2-1 victory.

Other games in this round saw Heather Smith hammer Shane Blackley 2-0 while Joe Joseph just scraped through against Sheila Harvey 2-1.

Geoff Greenough, Colin Smith, Tooty Ford, Rag Macaskill, Russell Smith and Willie Harvey all won their games 2-0.

In the second round there were some great games. Jimmy Curtis only just managed to beat Lisa Jaffray 2-1 and Rag Macaskill was out of the running after a 2-1 defeat by James Lang. Tim Bonner

was defeated by Gary Hewitt 2-0. Colin Smith beat his brother Russell 2-0 and Joe 'the bomb' Joseph removed Tara Heathman from the running 2-1. Geoff Greenough went through to the quarter finals after a 2-1 victory over Willie Harvey.

There were a few surprises in the quarter finals when Jimmy Curtis beat James Lang 2-1 and Mark Pollard beat Gary Hewitt after being 'skunked' in the first leg.

Colin Smith beat Toot Ford 2-1, and Joe Joseph was defeated by Geoff Greenough.

Colin went on to beat Geoff in the semi finals 2-1 while Jimmy Curtis' bid for the cup was brought to a halt by 2-1 defeat by Mark Pollard. Jimmy and Geoff played off for third and fourth with Geoff winning 2-1.

In the final Colin Smith showed his form by beating Mark Pollard 2-0.

● *Darts information supplied by Darts Club Chairman, Willie Harvey*

Update from the Stanley Golf Club

THE Stanley Golf Club keeps ticking over during the winter months with monthly medal competitions on the first Sunday of each month.

The season runs from May to April which means we are now four competitions in.

The May Medal started the season and was won by Peter Bagley with Chris Gilbert finishing second.

June produced a maiden victory for new member Gordon Liddle, following in the footsteps of several other new members who have won inside their first four or five competitions. Carole Lee finished in sec-

ond place.

July was dominated by the club committee with Captain Graeme Hay victorious and Secretary Troyd Bowles runner-up.

Last weekend the August medal was competed for and produced a one-two for the ladies. Sarah Bowles won with a two under par nett score of 65. On-form, Carole Lee got her second top two finish of the season playing to her handicap with a nett 67, finishing in second place.

Members are reminded that subscriptions for the 2005/06 season are now due.

TEAMWORK COURSE

The Training Centre would like to announce a Teamwork course.

Name of Training Event: Teamwork

Date: 25th August, 26th October

Time: 8.30am - 4.30pm

Duration of event: 1 day

Venue: Chamber of Commerce

Costs: £25 (private sector)

Name of trainer: Eileen Davies

Aims of the Course:

By the end of this course, the participants should have learnt:

- Why teamwork is important and who benefits from it
- The various skills that contribute to effective teamwork
- How teams develop
- How to avoid/minimise conflict within the team
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Anyone interested in attending this "Teamwork" course should contact Anya Harris by 17th August for the course on 25th August and by 17th October for the course on 26th October on telephone 27133, fax 27137, email address aharris.training@sec.gov.fk to reserve a place.

South American News from

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Chavez extends his influence to Mercosur

VENEZUELAN president Hugo Chavez arrived late on Tuesday night in Montevideo as part of a brief visit to the "Southern axis" which includes Uruguay, Argentina and Brazil where he is scheduled to sign several bilateral trade and integration agreements.

In Montevideo President Chavez will follow on the Uruguay-Venezuela trade round which began two weeks ago in Caracas when deals involving almost 130 million US dollars were considered.

Uruguayan authorities are also expecting a strong influx of Venezuelan funds for the local government owned oil and refining company, ANCAP, and airline Pluna, which have begun negotiating association agreements with their Venezuelan counterparts, the all powerful Petroleos de Venezuela, PDVSA, and the airline Conviasa.

Venezuela is interested in investing heavily in Uruguay's only refinery, (several hundred million US dollars) as part of the oil rich country's market diversification policy which includes selling fuel and refined products to energy

short Mercosur members.

Mr Chavez and his Uruguayan counterpart Tabare Vazquez are scheduled to sign the agreement by which Venezuela will supply 43,600 barrels per day of crude on special terms, 75% to be paid in three months time, either cash or in exchange for Uruguayan goods and/or services, and the rest in 25 years with an annual accumulated 2% interest.

The Venezuelan president is also expected to push ahead with several of his pet regional projects such as the creation of a South Bank funded with Mercosur members international reserves deposited in northern hemisphere banks, and a Southern University to promote Latinamerican culture, Venezuela together with Cuba, Argentina and Uruguay recently launched Telesur, a multi national 24 hours television station to compete with the "invading" United States channels.

Another project of Mr Chavez is the creation of Petroamerica, a giant South American oil giant that would incorporate PDVSA, Petrobras from Brazil and other government managed oil corpora-

tions in the region.

Mr Chavez will be making these proposals in representation of the Community of Andean Nations, CAN, since his country currently holds the six months rotating chair.

CAN, made up of Bolivia, Peru, Colombia, Ecuador and Venezuela is currently holding talks for an integration with Mercosur which includes full members Argentina, Brazil, Uruguay and Paraguay, and associate members Chile, Bolivia, Peru and Venezuela.

The two regional blocks are intent in the creation of the South American Community of Nations encompassing the entire continent.

"We're interested in investing in Uruguay, Argentina, Paraguay and Brazil," said President Chavez before leaving Caracas. He added that if Mercosur and CAN can't sidestep "competitive commercial integration," political integration will be unattainable because, "we must emphasize on common social issues before trade."

Mr Chavez arrives in what he considers "friendly territory," countries with which he feels a

"programmatically affinity," with a fat cheque book, following a recent controversial Venezuelan Central Bank reform which made available six of the 30 billion international reserves for "development investment."

The Venezuelan president arrived in Buenos Aires on Wednesday night for a full Thursday of agreements signing with President Nestor Kirchner.

Among them renewal of the heavy oil for food accord; refurbishing of dam turbines in Venezuela by Argentine companies and the building of several vessels for oil and derivatives transport for PDVSA in Argentine ships-yards.

A visit which will undoubtedly be closely monitored by United States who have openly accused Mr Chavez of being a "destabilizing factor" in the region, loathes his closeness with Cuban president Fidel Castro and suspects Venezuela's "oil boom dollars" are actually spent in buying political influence for the former paratrooper Colonel and his socialist path to regional development.

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Kylie, Echo, Cameron, Logan and Heather from North Arm School would like to thank the people who gave us information for our sheep dog project. With your help we won the Alistair Cameron History Prize for Camp Education. So a big thank you to Oscar Velasquez, Neil Goodwin, Steven Dickson, Sam Sinclair, Tex Hobman, Susan Hirtle, Tony Hirtle, Susie Hansen, Peter and Ann Robertson, Tony McMullin and Luch Morrison. Thank you too to Eileen for our treat. We were really pleased to get 100% replies to our questionnaire. North Arm children and teacher

PERSONAL



To my big brother Macauley John - Have a fantastic 10th birthday on the 14th August. With love and hugs always from Tyrese James xxx
To Macauley John - Have a great 10th birthday. Love always Mum, Graham, Stacey, Johnny, Uncle Owen, Nan and Popz xxx



To the cigar smoking duo - happy 57th and 21st birthday for Sunday - love from all the family



To the cutest 21 year old. Have a ball on Sunday. Lots of love Mum and Dad



Sorry we missed last week's news Clint. With the ever-increasing fuel prices anyone wanting peat cut this season just call on Clint. Happy 16th birthday mate, from everyone who was up on Saturday



Happy 21st birthday to my big brother, love from Tansie



To our little man Max. Can't believe you're 4 already. Have a fantastic birthday on the 13th. Lots of love, hugs and kisses from Mummy, Daddy and Halle xxx



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Friday 26th 8pm. Ann Summers is having another of her popular parties. Sorry Gents, but it's Ladies only. From 18's and over.

NOTICES

The Public Works Department invites suitably qualified or experienced builders to quote for repairs to the Sea Wall at Ross Road West, Stanley. It should be noted that it is a condition of this contract that the works be undertaken during October 2005.

A copy of the specification and scope of works are available from the Maintenance Manager's Office at PWD. Completed quotations are required to be submitted to the General Office of the Public Works Department by 0900hrs on the 5th September 2005.

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Falkland Islands Development Corporation



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We do not have new catalogues in stock at present web site www.argos.co.uk

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Wednesday 17th August
2 - 3.30 pm in the KEMH Day Centre
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Friday 19th August
9.30 - 11 am Please wait in KEMH reception. We now have Pre school booster vaccine available for children aged 4 years and over.
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I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE that it is my intention to apply at the Summary Court to be held at the Town Hall, Stanley, Falkland Islands on 2nd September 2005 at 9am for the authority to sell by retail intoxicating liquor at the premises known as Farm House, Carcass Island.
GIVEN under my hand this 3rd day of August 2005. Signature of Applicant R McGill

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE that it is my intention to apply at the Summary Court to be held at Town Hall, Stanley, Falkland Islands on 19th August 2005 at 9am for the authority to sell by retail intoxicating liquor at the premises known as Little Chartres Farm.
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ELIZABETH MONTI
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Students celebrate their A Level results

AN exhilarated group of students who have been studying for the last two years at Peter Symonds College in Winchester, spoke of their achievements yesterday, as their awaited A Level results arrived.

Star of the show was Jade Clayton who achieved her predicted grades of two A's and a C. Jade received her A's in Sociology and Health and Social Care and a C in History. She says she is "very happy" with her grades which she didn't expect. Jade is working at the King Edward Memorial VII Hospital until September when she is going to Manchester Metropolitan to take her degree in nursing.

Alex Birmingham who plans to take a year out to save some money before going to university obtained a B in Chemistry and C's in Biology and Maths. Alex is pleased with her results saying "they are better than I expected."

Also in a celebratory mood was Kimberley Finlayson who was happy with her B in Chemistry and C's in Biology and Maths. Kimberley hopes to go to university next year to study Biomedical Science.

"Euphoric" was Amy Cruickshank's reaction to her B's in Geography and Psychology and C in English Language. Amy is heading off to Sussex University to take a degree in Geography.

A man of many moods Michael Betts was "a bit disappointed" with his D in History, "satisfied" with a C in DT (Design and Technology) and "orgasmic" about his B in Business Studies. Michael is heading off to Nottingham Trent University to



L-R Michael Betts, Christian Williams, Amy Cruickshank, Alex Birmingham and Kimberley Finlayson and an elevated Jade Clayton at the back.

take a degree in Business Studies.

Christian Williams resat Computing and Product Design in which he received C grades. "an improvement" he said on the D grades he achieved last year. He has a place at Oxford Brooks University where he will study a three year degree in Multimedia Systems and Software Engineering.

Shaun Jaffray studied Computing, DT, General Studies and Geography however *Penguin News* was unable to contact him as he was stevedoring in Port William and not expected

back in Stanley before the weekend.

Director of Education Sylvia Cole said she was really pleased that the four students who were awaiting results in order to gain entry to university have all been accepted into their first choice universities. She referred to Jade Clayton as a "little star" having achieved two A's and a C.

Mrs Cole said it was too early to analyse the results against previous years adding that some students will be "disappointed with the grades received."

Environmental impact of fuel leak 'minimal' say Conservation

FOLLOWING a fuel leak at Mare Harbour on the weekend, Director of Falklands Conservation, Grant Munro has said he is satisfied with the efforts of the military to contain the leak and that, "the effects have been contained to a limited area."

According to a military spokesperson, the leak was discovered during a routine inspection last Saturday morning.

An interceptor, which is a device for capturing fuel tank leaks, had also overflowed.

Once the leak had been detected, the spokesperson said, "Action was quickly put in hand to pump the fuel out of the interceptor tank and also to establish dams, fuel spill booms and absorbent kits around the incident. An additional boom has been placed in the sea at the mouth of the inlet to contain any seepage into the

sea."

A ditch was also dug around the area and the remaining contents of the leaking tank were transferred into spare tanks.

Penguin News has been unable to determine the exact amount of fuel lost, but a military statement said it was, "...believed to be only a small fraction of the contents of the tank."

Grant Munro and Jon Clark of the Fisheries Department who is responsible for the National Oil Spill Contingency Plan both visited the site on Monday to assess the impact of the leak.

Mr Munro said after visiting the affected area, "Whilst the spillage of any fuel is unfortunate and will have some level of impact on the environment, I am happy that on this occasion the effects have been contained to a limited area and

should be relatively transient."

The fuel leaked was aviation fuel which, according to the military statement is "unlike crude oil, as it is a light liquid that dissipates and evaporates more readily and does not produce the same clean up problems."

Speaking on Thursday, Captain Jim Phillipson from Media Operations at Mount Pleasant told *Penguin News* that the bad weather this week has actually helped the clean up operation as the rain will flush the fuel out and the wind will help it dissipate.

A independant consultant representing Defence Estates which has responsibility for all MoD properties arrived in the Islands on Wednesday to, "Assess that everything that can be done, is being done," said Capt Phillipson.

News in brief

Listeria in milk supply

CHIEF Medical Officer Roger Diggle has confirmed that the latest sample of milk from Beckside Dairy has grown *Listeria* in it.

He said a similar problem occurred last year with one isolated positive test and that all subsequent tests until this week have been negative.

The dairy and Falkland Landholdings are cooperating with the hospital's public health laboratory to try and identify the cause.

Dr Diggle says that in the meantime the public are advised that pregnant women, children under the age of five, the elderly and anyone with reduced immunity should either boil the milk for at least three minutes or drink UHT milk. He will advise when these restrictions can be lifted.

Swimming pool closed

DUE to a procedure to correct a minor chemical imbalance, the swimming pool at Stanley Leisure Centre will be closed until the water temperature reaches an acceptable level.

Recreation Manager Steve Dent said the current pool temperature is 11.5C. 28C is the optimum temperature but Mr Dent said he will open the pool when it reaches 25C.

The pool is expected to re-open next week but in the meantime, Steve wished to extend, "his sincerest apologies to any customers who are inconvenienced by this closure."

Charter boat heads south

DARWIN Shipping have advised that the charter boat *Marianne Danica* departed Shoreham in the UK on Saturday.

The vessel is expected to arrive in Stanley late on September 6 or early the following day. She will discharge cargo in Stanley before delivering materials to Fox bay on West Falkland.

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Comment by Acting Deputy Editor, Rob Burnett

SIR Alec Issigonis, designer of the iconic Mini Car, once said, "A camel is a horse designed by a committee." Now although he was postulating on his dislike for working in teams, it struck a chord with me about the Falklands.

We seem to have a penchant here for committees and working groups on every conceivable subject. I am not saying this is necessarily a bad thing, I'd rather an open committee were making the important decisions about our community than a civil servant left to his own devices. However, from time to time I think we may have gone too far or 'over-committed'.

At *Penguin News*, as a matter of course, we are sent the agendas for all upcoming government committees and working groups. When the agenda for the 'Government Vehicles Working Group' arrived in my inbox one morning, I thought this a prime example of our seeming need to run every decision past a committee of some sort. How wrong I was. Did you know for instance, that FIG currently owns approximately 150 vehicles? Did you also know that the Select Committee has agreed £100,000 for the purchase of six new vehicles this year. I have no doubt that the majority of the vehicles are essential for the working of FIG however, item seven in the minutes for this meeting states that there are currently 11 vehicles in the vehicle pool. The Plant and Vehicle Manager suggested that the ideal number of pool vehicles is four, meaning FIG currently have seven vehicles completely surplus to requirements. All are perfectly serviceable and will shortly be sold by tender.

As the vehicles have not yet been sold, we can only speculate as to their sell on value or their initial cost but it will no doubt be a considerable sum.

I bring this up because in a conversation I had this week, somebody asked whether anybody in the Falklands has already been seriously or at least measurably affected by the reduction in fishing income. Apart from the halving of the holiday allowance, we were hard pushed to think whether anyone's standard of living had really suffered. It occurred to me that there is a group of people for whom day to day living has become more of a struggle: students.

While I am not knocking the overall level of funding FIG provides for higher education (of which I myself was a beneficiary), I do not think it is necessarily being used in the most effective way. The £1000 a year reduction in living grants has a big impact on an already tight living budget. I personally was unaffected by the change as I had already completed my education before the reduction came in to force, but I know what it was like to live on the grant before it was reduced. Many students (including myself) take on part time jobs to supplement their income. Falkland Island students are not rich, I am not being ungrateful, I am just stating a fact.

I do not dispute the fact that savings must be made throughout government but I think we have missed a trick that could save the Education Department thousands each year, without affecting the living standards of students overseas. When Falkland Island students attend university, they are required to pay their tuition fees in full - that is, 'overseas' fees. Fees per year are typically between £8,000 to £10,000 for many courses and FIG bears this cost. Students from the UK and even the European Union however, are only subject to 'home' fees of just over £1000. This means that despite being British citizens, our students (and therefore FIG) are currently being charged significantly more for their university education than students from say, France or even Estonia.

One Falkland Island student told me that one university she considered attending told her they would only charge her 'home' fees, so there is clearly some confusion. Surely government should be pursuing this more aggressively: Securing 'home' fees for all Falkland Island students would more than halve the higher education budget at a stroke, and would make the £1000 cut in the grant seem petty.

In the coming academic year there will be 18 students in higher education. This means FIG have saved £18,000 by cutting the grant compared to a conservative estimate of over £100,000 that could be saved in fees. It doesn't take a committee to see that this one is a no-brainer.

Let SeAled PR take the strain

PARTICIPANTS in the Stanley Kids Zone quiz night a few weeks ago will already be familiar with one of Stanley's newest enterprises, as the event was organised by SeAled PR, a marketing and public relations company which also provides events management services.

Started by Sarah Clement and Amanda Morris, (hence SeAled PR - capital S and A in deference to their initials), the new company was partly the result of a strong friendship built up when the pair were both working at Falklands Conservation, but also (like all great inventions) borne out of necessity. Amanda explains that people were impressed with work the pair had done for Conservation and were keen to use their services. "We were constantly being approached, so we thought obviously there's a gap in the market, so why don't we plug that gap?"

According to Sarah, both wanted to start their own business and thought, "with the support from each other, it seemed like the perfect opportunity."

With some help from FIDC and in particular Charlene Rowland who Sarah says has been, "fantastic setting us up," the fledgling company is already busy with several projects. Perhaps unusually for a PR firm, they have been too busy to advertise themselves. Amanda said, "We had great plans for a big marketing strategy to launch ourselves in the Falklands market but work has come in and prevented that."

The oldest form of marketing, word of mouth, has already seen to it that SeAled PR have enough work to keep them busy at the moment.

So what services will the new company be offering? Amanda explained that there will be, roughly speaking, two arms to the business, private and corporate sector work.

The private sector services SeAled PR will be offering are fairly diverse but include parties and events of all kinds including birthday parties, christenings, anniversaries, stag and hen nights, and weddings.

Having got married here herself, Sarah believes that weddings here can often take a similar course, but it need not be that way. "We really strongly believe that there's no reason for people not to have a unique wedding, and everything, or anything is possible."

They are keen to stress that their role in the organisation of a wedding or any event would be entirely up to the customer, "although we have lots of ideas for people and enthusiasm to put behind it, we're not going to dictate to people," Amanda said. "What we want to do is really take away the stress and act as facilitators," she continued, "but also add an element of design and creativity."

Although they think it somewhat "cheesy", Amanda says their aim is to, "enable someone to actually feel like a guest at their own party."

The other element to the company is the corporate sector. They believe that there is a need for local companies to promote and market themselves. Amanda said, "Even though you may have a monopoly or the market lead, you still need to



Above: Amanda (left) and Sarah

understand your customer, and what it is they require from you." Although they think some organisations in the Islands do this very well, they do believe that it is an area that could be improved upon while stressing, "We're not here to tell people how to do it, we're here to help people."

As well as public relations, SeAled will also provide corporate hospitality such as receptions, events and entertaining. Whether it be taking visiting overseas clients out to supper or even out on camp trips. "From meet and greet, right down to minute taking and producing a schedule for the visit - whatever the customer requires," Sarah explained.

From the sounds of it, flexibility could be the 'buzzword' at SeAled, as Amanda says, "With events and public relations, the scope is huge, but we want a quality element attached to it, we're not going to spread ourselves too thinly."

"We're very conscious of that," added Sarah, "people who use us will get 110% of our time."

As a taster to the services SeAled can provide, they are currently organising several Christmas parties with a difference. Having experienced difficulty organising work Christmas events in the past themselves, Sarah and Amanda aim to take the hassle out of your hands. They are holding a party each Friday in December with food (in association with the Falklands Brasserie), music and entertainment. Open to around 80 people, the idea is you and your colleagues simply purchase a ticket and then turn up where you will have the chance to mix with others also celebrating.

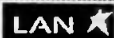
The company are also hoping to hold the Falkland Islands Expo in January. Essentially a trade show, the event will allow companies in the Islands to show off their wares to the general public and the international trade press. Amanda believes the show will be, "...a really good opportunity for people who want to launch a new product or want to have the opportunity to talk to their customers."

As well as offering an extremely wide range of services, Amanda and Sarah are also keen to be available to all. Amanda says using their company would not, "cost an absolute fortune, there's something to suit everybody's budget."

Sarah said, "People can come in and have a chat with us and that is completely free. If they like what they hear, we can negotiate what suits them and us."

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Court News

Man convicted of harassment

IN the Magistrates Court on Wednesday, Stanley man Kenneth Barry Stewart pleaded guilty to three charges relating to two separate incidents.

The court heard how a charge of harassment had been made following the break down of Mr Stewart's relationship with Brenda Cairns-Wicks.

Crown Counsel Ros Cheek said that on June 8, after the couple had rowed, Mr Stewart had telephoned the police and asked that Ms Cairns-Wicks be removed from his home. She found temporary accommodation with Terence Clifton and attempted an unsatisfactory reconciliation with Mr Stewart after he asked her to go back.

Mr Stewart was admitted to hospital on June 23 and Ms Cairns-Wicks visited wishing to stay friends. Ms Cheek said that Mr Stewart's behaviour had "become erratic" and he had requested that Ms Cairns-Wicks did not visit.

On June 27 Ms Cairns-Wicks and Mr Clifton reported to the Police that they had suffered harassments at work and at home in the form of visits, letters and phone calls. Mr Clifton had reported the phone calls as either silent or threatening.

On July 6, Mr Stewart told Ms Cairns-Wicks that he would, "hurt someone close to her," and made threatening gestures to Mr Clifton as they passed on Davis Street. The Police visited Mr Stewart and warned him his behaviour may be constituted as harassment.

On July 10 Mr Stewart contacted the Police saying that he would like to harm Mr Clifton. The Police took Mr Stewart to hospital however the following day they received a call informing them that he had left the hospital and was threatening to hurt Mr Clifton. Mr Stewart was intercepted at Mr Clifton's home and returned to hospital.

Mr Stewart continued to write letters, make calls and visit Ms Cairns-Wicks at work and on July 14 a third party reported to the Police that Mr Clifton was receiving threats. While the Police were at Mr Clifton's home he received a phone call from Mr Stewart telling him his "days were numbered."

Ms Cheek told the court that Ms Cairns-Wicks had become frightened and that the situation was affecting her eight year old daughter.

Mr Stewart accepted in his interview that he had sent letters and made calls, but denied they were threatening. He said he may have told Ms Cairns-Wicks that he would deal with Mr Clifton in "his own way."

Ms Cheek said that phone records from Mr Stewart's work place showed nine calls in a 20 minute period to Ms Cairns-Wicks work place. Her employers had become concerned and transferred her to another area.

Ms Cheek said that Mr Stewart had made a "blatant and obvious" breach of his bail condition of August 10, by approaching Ms Cairns-Wicks in her work place the follow-

ing day.

Not having legal representation Mr Stewart told the court that he was concerned about the "slight on his character and reputation," when Ms Cairns-Wicks had told people that she was leaving for the security of her daughter. Mr Stewart said he had received considerable harassment himself and had complained to the police on two separate occasions.

Senior Magistrate Clare Faulds sitting with assessors Tim Blake and Judy Summers said that a criminal conviction had been recorded but deferred sentencing until the next charges were heard as there may be a need for a pre-sentence report to be prepared.

Mr Stewart then entered pleas of guilty to charges of impaired driving and reckless driving on the Stanley to Darwin Road on August 14.

The court heard how a member of the public had called the Police by two metre radio after he had become concerned about Mr Stewart's erratic driving as he overtook vehicles on a gravel section of the road. The member of the public said Mr Stewart was swerving all over the road and clearly causing a danger to other road users. He had put his hazard lights on and followed Mr Stewart along the Sappers Hill section of road. As Mr Stewart neared the triangle at the junction of Reservoir Road and Stanley Bypass he swerved left, over corrected and left again going off the road and hitting the embankment on the opposite side of the ditch. Ms Cheek said he continued along the embankment at an approximate speed of 20 - 25 mph for some 3-400 metres. The Police then arrived at the scene and arrested Mr Stewart. A road side breath test gave a reading of 105mg of breath per 100 millilitres of breath (the legal limit is 35mg).

When interviewed by police Mr Stewart admitted to having 7 - 8 beers on his day out which had taken him to North Arm and back with passenger Roy McKay. He said he had black spots in his memory after Sappers Hill but that he could not have been doing more than 55mph as that was as fast as the vehicle would go.

Mr Stewart told the court that he accepted there was no justifiable reason for drink driving. He said he had been depressed and had coped through excessive drinking. He apologised to those he had overtaken on the road and had as a consequence felt intimidated, and to the court for his actions.

Mrs Faulds adjourned the case for a pre-sentence report to be prepared with Mr Stewart to return to court on October 5. Mr Stewart was released under bail conditions which include not driving and not to communicate in any way that might be construed as harassing or threatening to Ms Cairns-Wicks, her daughter or Mr Clifton. Mrs Faulds told Mr Stewart that if he acted in any way threatening he would be arrested again, adding, "there is no room for manoeuvre."

Dog Section host Loveridge family



From left to right, Cpl Irish with Air Dog Deefa, The Loveridge family, and Cpl Morgan with Air Dog Arnie

SAMA 82 are £120 better off and a family had a fun day out with the Mount Pleasant Dog Section as a result of some energetic bidding at a Stanley Arms quiz in June.

Dan and Marie Loveridge, from Stanley, along with their children Katie (3) and Rebecca (10 months) visited MPA's Dog Section on Saturday. Marie's mother Sibby Summers had out bid her daughter by £10 at the auction held at the quiz so that the family could enjoy the day out.

The Dog Section currently have 14 dogs, which all have a rank and service number, under the command of Sgt Lloyd. The Loveridge family were invited up to have a look around the facility and meet the dogs.

Although it was only possible to get close and meet some of the dogs, Cpl Irish along with Air Dog

Deefa put on a show. Air Dog Deefa was put through her paces and demonstrated to the Loveridge family her obedience and agility, along with her open area search ability. The performance finished with a display of Deefa's ability to take on a man and soon bring him to submission.

Marie Loveridge said they had enjoyed a great day out, although the children had both "crashed out half way through."

She said she was amazed at how strong the dogs are and thanked everyone at the Dog Section for the day.

The dogs within the section are trained primarily for defence of key installations, however their agility always makes an impressive show. The Dog Section will be bringing a number of their team down to Stanley in September to put on a display at the school.

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Queen's Baton to tour the Falklands



The Baton proved a big hit with local children in Barbuda

THE Queen's Baton which symbolises the unity and shared ideals of the Commonwealth of Nations will arrive in the Falklands on Wednesday, August 31.

The Falkland Islands Overseas Games Association (FIOGA) have been working in conjunction with the Melbourne Commonwealth Games 2006 and now have a schedule in place.

The first Queen's Baton was created for a relay to celebrate the Cardiff 1958 Commonwealth Games in Wales. Since then the Queen's Baton Relay has become a much loved Games tradition.

The Baton's journey enables communities beyond the host city to share the Games celebrations. It also serves a functional purpose in carrying Her Majesty's message to the athletes from Buckingham Palace in London to the opening ceremony.

The Melbourne 2006 Queen's Baton Relay is the longest, most inclusive relay - travelling to all 71 nations of the Commonwealth in a year and a day. The design and the technological features of the baton that will travel the epic journey reflect the relay's efforts to showcase the diversity of the Commonwealth and unite its communities in celebration of the Melbourne 2006 Commonwealth Games.

On Thursday, September 1 the Baton Team will make their way to Port Howard on West Falkland. From there the baton will travel to Fox Bay by a variety of methods. Local organiser Steve Dent on behalf of FIOGA said that the Nightingales of Hill Cove and the Knight family at Fox Bay have been in contact with him and have plans to

move the baton with a variety of transports. If any one else would like to be involved with this section of the relay they should get in touch with either family or Mr Dent. FIOGA plan to host a small reception in the Southern Cross Social Club at Fox Bay from 12 - 2pm.

That afternoon the Baton will board the *HMS Dumbarton Castle* to head for East Falkland. Mr Dent said the company of the ship are delighted to have the baton on board and to the best of his knowledge are the only UK military involvement in the entire baton relay.

Commander British Forces South Atlantic Islands (CBFSAI), Ian Monereife has made a helicopter available to lift the team off the ship and transfer them to Darwin with the possibility of a stop on Mt Osborne on the way.

There will be a short reception at the Goose Green Social Club at 6pm where all are invited to have a look at the Queen's Baton.

Friday is the Baton Relay day. More than 100 Falkland Islands residents and UK military personnel have expressed a wish to assist in moving the Baton from Mount Pleasant to Stanley. The Chief of Staff, Group Captain Gordon Moulds MBE will start the relay from HQBFSAI and hand over to children from the Goose Green school, Sea Cadets, Guides, Brownies, Cubs, sporting clubs, school children and former Commonwealth Games athletes will all participate in the run with Tony Petterson and Gerald Check, the first ever Falklands Commonwealth games competitors in 1982, finishing the relay and handing the Baton over to His Excellency the Governor, Mr Howard Pearce.

Mr Dent said FIOGA are "very excited" about this project and hope that as many Falkland Islands residents as possible take the opportunity to come along and see the Baton at its many various locations.

If you would like to get involved with the event, particularly on West Falklands, then you should contact the event organiser, Steve Dent either at home or at work.

Leon and Helen wed in Shropshire



ON A sunny afternoon in Shropshire Helen Slater and Leon Marsh were married.

On August 11, Helen arrived at the hotel with her parents, Kevin and Dianne and her little niece Grace, who was her bridesmaid.

Helen looked lovely in an ivory organza dress, the sunlight sparkling from the embroidery on the bodice and train of her gown and the silver and diamante headdress that was a gift from her Grandmother.

To the gentle music of the harp, Helen went to meet her bridegroom, Leon who was waiting with his best man, Mark Fox from Cumbria. The room was filled with light and flowers and most especially, friends and family from both England and the Falkland Islands.

After the ceremony, where they made their vows, and listened to readings they had chosen, they led their guests out onto the lawns for photographs, champagne, Pimms and canapé. Later in the afternoon the guests seated themselves in the dining room and were

soon joined by Helen and Leon who walked along a path of rose petals scattered by Grace, who looked like a little rose herself in a pretty dress of pink organza.

The food was excellent, as were the speeches from Kevin, Leon and Mark. A highlight of this part of the day was the reading of many kind messages from people from home, who weren't able to be there.

At the end of the meal the party made their way to relax in the garden, lounge and bar, as the room was prepared for the evening entertainment. The Ceilidh band tuned up, candles were lit and the balloons came out. Every one was in party mood, with energetic dancing, laughter and conversation.

Long after the band had gone home the good fellowship continued - no one wanting such a lovely day to end.

The family and friends of Helen and Leon would like to wish them a very long and happy life together. The couple are due to return to the Islands on Saturday.

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Rockhopper admitted to trading on AIM

ROCKHOPPER Exploration plc (Rockhopper), the oil and gas exploration company with a number of licences in the North Falkland Basin, announced on Monday, that following the successful placing of 35,714,285 shares at 42p to raise £15 million (before expenses), its shares have been admitted to trading on AIM (Alternative Investment Market) and dealings commenced at 8am under the symbol, RKH.

The Rockhopper Group is currently the largest licence holder in the North Falkland Basin and owns a 100% interest in four offshore production licences. An extensive 2D (640sq km) and 3D (685sq km) seismic programme is planned.

In addition, the group has signed a farm-in agreement with Desire Petroleum plc whereby Rockhopper will earn up to a 15% working interest in two further licences covering approximately 1,300 sq km by funding up to 30% of the costs of a three well drilling programme to be carried out during 2006 subject to a suitable drilling rig being available.

The North Falkland Basin has previously been subject to exploratory drilling, with six wells being drilled in 1998. These wells proved the existence of a world class source rock, with the British

Geological Survey estimating that it may be the second richest source rock in the world. One well flowed live oil to the surface, and another flowed gas to the surface.

Rockhopper has a highly experienced board, led by Dr Pierre Jungels, who was the CEO of Enterprise Oil plc from 1996 to 2001. Mr Jungels, Executive Chairman of Rockhopper, said, "I am delighted with the support we have had from institutions and new shareholders. The proceeds of the placing will allow us to carry out our seismic and drilling programmes, in what is a hugely prospective area."

In total, the Board and its Consultant, the Falklands expert, David Bodecott, have over 120 years experience in the oil industry, with specific expertise in the field of exploration and in the region itself.

The Rockhopper Group started trading in February 2004 to invest in and carry out an offshore oil exploration programme to the north of the Falkland Islands. The group is currently the largest licence holder in the North Falkland Basin and owns a 100% interest in four offshore production licences which cover approximately 5,800 square kilometres. These licences have been granted by the Falkland Islands govern-

ment.

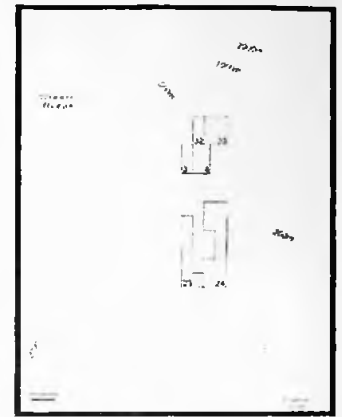
Rockhopper has been awarded four production licences situated in the North Falkland Basin. The four licences are situated in two groups, licences PL023 and PL024 (awarded in November 2004) and PL032 and PL033 (awarded in June 2005). All four licences have been awarded under the Open Door Production Licence legislation.

The Rockhopper Group has a 100% working interest and is the operator of these four licences.

The fiscal regime in the Falkland Islands is attractive to oil exploration companies, especially when compared to other areas of the world. The current legislation is based largely on the UK North Sea oil industry and once production commences, provides for royalty payments of 9% and corporation tax of 25%, meaning that corporation tax payable by Rockhopper should be no more than standard UK rates.

The benign fiscal regime means that the minimum economic threshold at which oil or gas can be produced is relatively low.

The Falkland Islands is a remote location in terms of the world's established hydrocarbon infrastructure. Consequently, within the economic analysis of the prospects, whilst the costs



Above: Map showing Rockhopper Exploration plc licences. See www.rockhopperexploration.co.uk for more information

associated with the technical demands of any development project are expected to be in line with international comparisons, the remoteness of the location is expected to lead to higher transportation costs of both delivering the oil to the market and providing the necessary equipment and manpower.

Therefore the directors believe that both the capital and operating costs will be generally above those encountered in other hydrocarbon producing and frontier regions.

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Pool chemicals causing skin problems?

ALMOST two years ago the Leisure Centre switched suppliers for chlorine and other swimming pool chemicals.

Over the last year an increasing number of residents – both young and old – have experienced itching, rashes and blisters after swimming. Many of these people have never suffered any other skin complaints.

The Falkland Islands Government (FIG) has admitted that the new chemicals are causing an allergic reaction in some people, but maintain that it is only a "small group" who are affected.

From anecdotal evidence we believe that the numbers of people affected are far higher, and that because the first people to suffer an allergic reaction were those who would normally be in the pool several times a week, over time more and more people will be affected. So far FIG have taken no remedial

action, because the scale of the problem has not been officially recognised.

If you (or your children) have suffered an allergic reaction after using the pool at any time during the past two years, please would you contact us. We would like to find out exactly how many people are affected, how badly, and in particular discover how many swimmers and aquaerobic participants have had to reduce the time they spend in the pool, or even stop using the pool altogether.

If twenty people or more contact us, we will pass on to FIG the numbers involved – and the severity of the problems experienced – in the hope that Councillors and officers will take this information into account when deciding what to do next.

Alison Inglis (tel 22817) and Ana Crowie (tel 21265)

Falklands have become a 'little England'

QUITE some time ago the editor wrote in her editorial that she did not go along with the idea that the Falklands were becoming a "little England".

Sorry to disagree Jenny, but the Falklands are not becoming, they have already become.

The Governor's report on the latest Executive Council meeting was the last straw for me, saying that we need a lot more legislation. This drugs legislation regarding our athletes is complete and utter nonsense.

Some years ago it was said that the Falklands were a group of Islands in the South Atlantic surrounded by a sea of experts. I reckon this should be updated now, to the Islands are a mass of legislation and petty bureaucracy surrounded by a sea of experts.

Oh for the days when there were no Attorney Generals and bounties were paid for turkey beaks.

Neil Watson
Long Island Farm

Penfriends wanted.....

MY name is Victor Avila, I am a Spanish boy.

I am writing to you because I like collecting postage and coins from all over the world and I would like to get some from the Falkland Islands.

In exchange I will offer similar stamps from Europe or other souveirs.

Thank you in advance I look forward to hearing from you very soon.

vjavilaalonso@yahoo.es

I AM interested in writing to other ladies as penfriends.

I am 57, married with a grown up family. I have a sense of humour, like reading, listening to music, needlework, writing and receiving letters and am a dog owner.

Maralyn Woollands
12, Haynes Avenue,
Trowell,
Nottinghamshire, NG9 2NY
England.

GEMMA Davies from Cardiff is 26, works as a community nurse and wishes to write to Falkland Island males. She has varied interests and collects colour postcards of historical topics, mint and used phone cards, stamps and first day covers. She

is willing to exchange with stamps etc from Great Britain.

Write to Miss Gemma Davies,
29 Countisbury Avenue
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Cardiff, CF3 5RN
South Wales
UK

I AM a Ghanaian and I will be delighted to have correspondence with nice people from the Falkland Islands.

My hobbies are travelling and listening to music.

Cynthia Danzel,
PO Box 191,
Buckman Avenue,
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I AM an American middle aged man. I like to write, to send and receive letters and would like to hear from someone in the Falklands.

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Faith restored by FIG's actions

CONGRATULATIONS to the Falkland Islands Government (FIG).

I have to confess that I had long since given up any hope that FIG would honour the responsibility it has towards the people it serves by properly policing the monopoly business activities it is supposed to regulate.

I am sure we will all be following FIG's progress in this matter closely, and giving Councillors the

moral support and encouragement to stand firm in protecting us from monopoly exploitation.

As victims of the activities referred to in the audit report, I am sure we would all be interested to know what the estimated financial cost to us as a group has been over the life of the DFF (Domestic Fuel Formula).

Hamish Wylie
Stanley

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Doug's close shave



Above: Doug Clarke is pictured centre

NOT content with playing a starring role in the heart of defence for the Falklands football team at the Island Games in Shetland, Doug Clarke headed for Thailand after the games for a white water rafting expedition in the Phang Na province.

Only seconds after this photograph was taken the raft approached the most dangerous stretch of the river, designated a "5" in white water degree of difficulty.

Doug was thrown from the raft and was in danger of being seriously injured or even killed in the stream, but for the actions of a mystery welshman known only as Brian seen sitting opposite Mr Clark in the raft.

The man risked his own life in order to grab Doug and pull him bodily back into the safety of the raft.

Doug, although badly shaken by his ordeal, was able to fully recover back at base camp. The mystery welshman has yet to be contacted, but Mr Clark praised his actions. "If it were not for the agility and bravery of the welsh guy I would not be here now!"

Expedition leader Cpl Simon Angel RE, also praised the amazing actions of the welshman, pointing out that Doug owed him his life.

Doug has now returned to the Falkland Islands and is understood to be none the worse for his ordeal.

Cetacean Watch searches for 'hot spots'

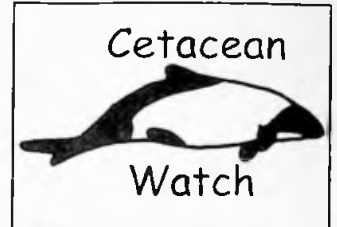
FALKLANDS Conservation (FC) are trying to gain an idea of the distribution of dolphins and whales around the islands.

Oli Yates of Falklands Conservation said. "The cetacean watch is a great way of getting a first picture of where these animals are found. There are obviously some 'hot spots', such as Port Howard where considerable numbers of dolphins are regularly seen, but before we think about further work, we need a wider coverage of where the animals are regularly sighted."

As a solution to this FC propose a different slant to the watch. So far the only forms that have been used are the A4 sized sheets that simply account for one sighting. The length of these forms may discourage people who are busy enough already from taking part. A new idea, specifically for people in camp is that Conservation supply an A3 sized wall chart with slots for individual days. If, for each day of the month a mark could be noted for the number of individuals and species, the information could be collected after several months and a much better picture would be obtained, with much less effort.

All that would be required is that when people see cetaceans; they mark on the chart a letter for the species and a number for the size of the group, with a note of the nearest land feature. Oli explains. "Therefore a day when three Commerson's are seen, a simple 'C3, Tea Point' could be written in the appropriate box for that day, five Peale's would be 'P5, Driftwood point' etc." It is hoped this would provide a really simple and non-time-consuming way of gathering the dolphin data from all around the islands.

This initial work would give FC a wealth of information about what species are seen, where and when. From this they should be able to gain an idea of where to focus some further effort. That effort would be based around actual surveys of the coastal waters around the islands with possibly smaller survey areas more heavily looked at. These smaller, more intense surveys would be in the places with high concentrations of



individuals previously identified through the cetacean watch. Oli said. "Obviously it is very early to be thinking about any form of further work. The first step is to get an idea of the knowledge already held in the islands and the information that is easy to collect."

"The more people watching the waves the more data we can collect and therefore the clearer the cetacean picture becomes. At the moment the picture is very muddy at best!"

He said the importance of this project is to overcome the quantitative lack of knowledge of whales and dolphins around the islands. Whilst there doesn't appear to be an immediate risk to these animals, the lack of knowledge of the populations is a risk in itself. "No trends in numbers can be identified until the first effort is made," he said.

There are some interesting figures related to whales and dolphins. In New Zealand 425,000 people go whale watching each year with 2004 bringing almost £37 million to the local economy. In the Orkney Islands 121,125 tourists took whale-watching tours in one year and of all the visitors 44% went with whale watching as their main aim. This saw over £1.4 million in direct profit for those involved. There are plenty more examples including nearby Peninsula Valdez in Argentina where thousands of people flock each year hoping to catch a glimpse of the killer whales. Oli says. "Improved knowledge of cetaceans in the Falkland Islands could highlight an important economic resource."

For further information or to comment on the forms, please send an e-mail to Oli Yates at Falklands Conservation: oli.yates@conservation.org.fk or phone the office on 22247.

Falklands war film in Spanish film festival

THE Argentine film *Iluminados por el Fuego* (Illuminated by Fire) will be competing in the San Sebastian film festival in September.

According to Mercopress the film is based on the personal experience of journalist Edgardo Esteban who was an 18 year old conscript sent to fight in the Falklands in 1982.

The film begins with Edgardo hearing of a veteran of the campaign who has committed suicide. This triggers Edgardo's own memories of the conflict and particularly focuses on the mistreatment the Argentine soldiers were subjected to by their own officers.

Directed by Tristan Bauer, the

film examines the role of the Argentine military high command and their treatment of the conscripted soldiers.

Mercopress also point out that in the 23 years since the war, "more Argentine veterans have committed suicide than the number which actually died fighting (over 700)."

The film was produced by the University of San Martin, together with the Argentine Cinema and Visual Arts Institute and the Spanish Channel Plus, and with collaboration from the provincial governments of San Luis and Santa Cruz.

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- 22 May Gerald Halliday, 61 years old
- 29 May Marjorie May McPhee, 71 years old
- 11 July Sarah Emma Maud Sollis, 89 years old
- 15 July Muriel Eliza Ivy Morrison, 94 years old
- 25 July William Frank Lang, 72 years old
- 29 July Candido Lopez Couso

Marriages:

- 2 May Gylndwr Huw valler and Vanessa Lisseth Nanning Reyes at the Narrows Bar
- 5 May Stephen William Labham and Suzanna Clarke at the Cathedral
- 21 May Paul Barnes and Karen Rose Barnes at the Narrows Bar
- 18 June Ian James McLeod and Valerie Marcela Berntsen at the Court and Council Chamber
- 25 June Simon Ford and Mandy McRae at the Cathedral
- 22 July Stephen Allan Pearce and Tracy Porter at 5 Jeremy Moore Avenue

Births:

- 1 June Trinity Marie Clayton to Neville James Clayton and Karen Marie Clayton
- 8 June Thomas Peter James Hutton to Nicholas Peter Hutton and Utari Susanti Hutton
- 29 June Kamran Ishmael Ibrahim-Holland to Peter Granville Holland and Rihana Kossar Ibrahim-Holland
- 15 July Molly Ann Roberts to Peter James Roberts and Cheryl Ann Spencer Roberts



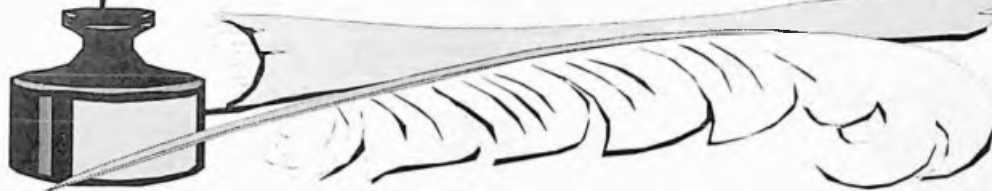
Kamran Ibrahim-Holland, 7m 15d



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Governor's VI win shotgun challenge and claim the cup

THE first Falklands Gun Club Shotgun Challenge took place on what can only be described as a windswept Phillips Point Range on the weekend.

The competition, the brain-child of Club Treasurer Jon Butler, involved Commander British Forces South Atlantic Islands, Ian Moncreife (CBFSAI) heading a team of six and facing His Excellency The Governor's team of six. Much practice ensued prior to the event with both CBFSAI and His Excellency working hard on improving their scores.

The day consisted of three rounds of shooting, 50 DTL (Down the Line) birds, 50 Skeet birds and 20 Sporting birds (shortened from 50 due to time and weather constraints).

Nine points separated the teams with CBFSAI's VI moving ahead of the Governor's VI following the skeet round. The DTL round saw CBFSAI's best shots not able to make the grade in the very blustery conditions and the Governor's VI move well ahead.

A shortened sporting round of only 20 birds saw CBFSAI's VI make some headway but they were not able to make up the huge amount needed following the DTL

Overall winners on the day were His Excellency The Governor's VI with a total of 590 points. The Governor's VI were HE The Governor Howard Pearce (Captain), Steve Dent, Jon Butler, Graham Didlick, Henry McLeod and Jon Clark.

CBFSAI's VI team amassed a total of 489 points. CBFSAI's team were Commander British Forces Commander Ian Moncreife (Captain), Stevie Burrows, Ed Burrows, Dave Snell, John Eaton and Joe Joseph.

The competition for 'top gun' for the day was very close. All shooters struggled in the conditions and most shooters shot well below their average scores. Top Gun for the day was John Eaton from CBFSAI's team on 122 points with Jon Butler and Graham Didlick following in second and third with 119 and 115 points respectively.

Gun Club members extended a huge thank you to all involved in the day.

A special thank you to Jill Reeves and Naomi Summers for their excellent scoring and refereeing and to Fiona Didlick for organising lunch.



The Governor's VI: L-R Jon Clark, Henry McLeod, Jon Butler, The Governor Mr Howard Pearce, Steve Dent and Graham Didlick



CBFSAI's VI: L-R Stevie Burrows, Ed Burrows, Joe Joseph, CBFSAI Ian Moncreife, John Eaton and David Snell.



His Excellency the Governor, Howard Pearce in action coached by Jon Butler



Commander British Forces South Atlantic Islands, Ian Moncreife prepares to shoot.



Gun Club sponsor Roger Spinks (right) congratulates 'top gun' John Eaton. Pictures Steve Dent

The Governor's VI						
	Rnd 1 score	Rnd 2 score	Rnd 3 score	Rnd 4 score	Rnd 5 score	Total score
The Governor, Mr Howard Pearce	8	7	6	23	5	49
Steve Dent	14	15	30	38	17	114
Jon Butler	14	14	43	38	10	119
Graham Didlick	15	11	37	44	8	115
Jon Clark	15	11	22	22	14	84
Henry McLeod	14	15	32	38	10	109
Team total	80	73	170	203	64	590

CBFSAI's VI						
Commander British Forces South Atlantic Islands, Ian Moncreife	4	9	2	5	11	31
Joe Joseph	16	12	37	36	12	113
Ed Burrows	20	18	22	31	11	102
David Snell	10	15	13	5	8	51
John Eaton	12	11	43	44	12	122
Stevie Burrows	17	18	10	15	10	70
Team total	79	83	127	136	64	489



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Information Pullout

20 - 26 August 2005

TIDES AROUND THE ISLANDS

20	0612	1.47	Moonrise	2241
SAT	1131	0.47	Moonset	0816
	1752	1.95	24	0224
Sunrise	0653		WED	0842
Sunset	1656			1440
Moonrise	1819			2119
Moonset	0737		Sunrise	0645
21	0020	0.05	Sunset	1703
SUN	0647	1.52	Moonrise	0829
	1216	0.34	Moonset	0829
	1841	1.95	25	0302
Sunrise	0651		THUR	0925
Sunset	1658			1536
Moonrise	1949			2222
Moonset	0751		Sunrise	0642
22	0103	0.11	Sunset	1704
MON	0724	1.57	Moonrise	0004
	1303	0.28	Moonset	0846
	1932	1.88	26	0340
Sunrise	0649		FRI	1012
Sunset	1659			1648
Moonrise	2116			2335
Moonset	0803		Sunrise	0640
23	0143	0.23	Sunset	1706
TUES	0803	1.59	Moonrise	0126
	1349	0.28	Moonset	0908
	2023	1.74		
Sunrise	0647			
Sunset	1701			

The times and heights of high and low tides (in metres) at Stanley. Time given is FMT.

Add 1 hour for Stanley Summertime

For Camp, make the following changes:

- Fox Bay + 2 hrs 30m
- Roy Cove + 3 hrs 30m
- Port Howard + 3 hrs 19m
- Teal Inlet + 3 hrs 30m
- Sea Lion Is + 1 hr 15m
- Port Stephens + 3 hrs 15m
- Hill Cove + 4 hrs
- Berkeley Sound + 1 hr 11m
- Port San Carlos + 2 hrs 55m
- Darwin Harbour - 56m

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STANLEY LEISURE CENTRE

STANLEY LEISURE CENTRE			
Telephone: 27291/27285 Fax: 27284 e-mail: admin.leisure@stsc.gov.fk for bookings and enquires			
Opening Schedule Commencing Saturday 20 th AUGUST 2005			
Swimming Pool		Sports Hall / Squash Courts	
SATURDAY 20 th AUGUST 2005			
Public	10:00-16:00	Public	
Adults	16:00-18:00	Public	
12:00-13:00 Junior Activities			
CLUBS ON TODAY			
TABLE TENNIS CLUB 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM			
SUNDAY 21 st AUGUST 2005			
Public	11:00-17:00	Public	
Adults	17:00-19:00	Public	
Between 11:00-12:00 Junior Activities			
CLUBS ON TODAY			
TABLE TENNIS CLUB (FITTA) 3:00 - 5:00 PM SHORT TENNIS CLUB 3:00 - 5:00 PM FOOTBALL CLUB 6:00 - 7:00 PM			
MONDAY 22 nd AUGUST 2005			
Closed	09:00-10:00	Holiday Programme	
OAP - Physio, Adults, Parents & Toddlers	10:00-12:00	Public	
Lanes (Adults) (2 Lanes Swm Club)	12:00-13:00	Public	
Closed	13:00-14:00	Holiday Programme	
Crazy Hour	14:00-15:00	Public	
Closed	15:00-16:00	Closed	
Public - (2 Lanes Adults Swims)	16:00-19:00	Public	
Adults	19:00-21:00	Public	
CLUBS ON TODAY			
BADMINTON CLUB 7:00 - 8:00 PM			
TUESDAY 23 rd AUGUST 2005			
Closed	09:00-10:00	Holiday Programme	
OAP - Physio, Adults, Parents & Toddlers	10:00-12:00	Public	
Lanes (Adults)	12:00-13:00	Public	
Closed	13:00-14:00	Public	
Pool Games	14:00-15:00	Public	
Public	15:00-19:00	Public	
Ladies Hour	19:00-20:00	Public	
Private Hire	20:00-21:00	Public	
CLUBS ON TODAY			
NETBALL CLUB 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM LADIES 5-A-SIDE 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM FOOTBALL CLUB 8:00 - 9:00 PM			
WEDNESDAY 24 th AUGUST 2005			
OAP - Physio, Adults, Parents & Toddlers	09:00-10:00	Holiday Programme	
OAP - Physio, Adults, Parents & Toddlers	10:00-11:00	Public	
Closed	11:00-12:00	Public	
Lanes (Adults) (2 Lanes Swm Club)	12:00-13:00	Public	
Public	13:00-14:00	Holiday Programme	
Closed	14:00-15:30	Public	
Public	15:30-17:00	Public	
Public	17:00-19:00	Public	
Private Hire	19:00-20:00	Public	
Adults	20:00-21:00	Public	
CLUBS ON TODAY			
VOLLEYBALL CLUB 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM CRICKET CLUB 8:00 PM - 9:00 PM			
THURSDAY 25 th AUGUST 2005			
Closed for Cleaning	09:00-13:00	Public	
Closed for Cleaning	13:00-14:00	Holiday Programme	
Doobree	14:00-15:00	Public	
Closed	15:00-16:00	Closed	
Public	16:00-17:00	Public	
Public - (2 Lanes Adults Swims)	17:00-19:00	Public	
Adults	19:00-21:00	Public	
CLUBS ON TODAY			
SQUASH CLUB 8:00 - 8:00 PM BADMINTON CLUB 7:00 - 8:00 PM			
FRIDAY 26 th AUGUST 2005			
Closed	09:00-10:00	Holiday Programme	
Closed	10:00-11:00	Public	
Closed	11:00-12:00	Holiday Programme	
Lanes (Adults) (2 Lanes Swm Club)	12:00-13:00	Public	
Closed	13:00-14:00	Holiday Programme	
Public	14:00-17:00	Public	
Public	14:00-17:00	Public	
Adults	19:00-20:00	Public	

CLUBS AND CONTACTS

CHURCH SERVICES

CATHEDRAL

SUNDAY:

8am Holy Communion (BCP) 10am Morning Service & Junior Church 7pm Evening Service
Tel: 21100/Fax 21842, The Deanery, 17 Ross Road, Stanley
Rector - Rev Paul Sweeting.

TABERNACLE - Barrack Street (free church)

Sunday Services 10.00am and 7.00pm. Family Service second Sunday morning of the month.

Communion first Sunday morning and third Sunday evening of the month
Midweek Bible Study Tuesday 7.30pm at 2 Drury Street

St. MARY'S

SUNDAY, 10am (MPA 6.30pm).

Week days: 9am

St. CUTHBERT'S (MPA)

SUN: 10.30am All-age Worship

Every 2nd Sun Communion

6.30pm Holy Mass

Mon: 07.00am Mass

Other activities will be posted as and when they are arranged

BAHA'I FAITH

For information on meetings please ring Margo Smallwood on 21031 or check our website: www.horizon.co.fk/bahai_falklands

HOSPITAL PHARMACY

Monday to Friday mornings 10.00am - 12.15pm. Mon, Tue, Thu and Fri afternoons 14:30 - 17:00; Weds afternoons 13:30 - 15:30

MUSEUM

Monday - Friday 09.30 - 12.00 & 13.30 to 16.00; Saturday & Sunday 14.00 - 16.00. Tel: 27428

TREASURY

Monday - Friday Tel: 27143 8am - 12 noon

LIBRARY

Monday - Friday 08.45 - 12.00 and 13.30 - 17.45; Saturday 10am - 12 noon; 14.00 - 17.00pm Tel: 27147

VETERINARY DEPARTMENT

Consultation hours Phone 27366
Mon Wed Fri 8.30am - 9.30am; 1.00pm - 2.00pm; 4.00pm - 4.30pm; Tues Thurs 1.00pm - 2.00pm.
Consultations by appointment only.

BADMINTON CLUB Mondays 7 - 9 Thursdays 7 - 9pm Trudi Clarke, Tel: 21131

SQUASH CLUB Thursdays 5-9pm Contact Roger Spink Tel. 21128

NETBALL CLUB Tuesdays 6-7pm. All are welcome Contact Daphne Arthur

Almond Tel: 22038

THE FI GUN CLUB New members welcome Contact: Graham Didlick on 22282

or Steve Dent on 22021

F.I. RIFLE ASSOCIATION Contact Secretary G Goodwin 21246

CRICKET ASSOCIATION New junior and senior players welcome, contact Roger

Diggle 21716

STANLEY GOLF CLUB Competitions on Sunday at 8.45 am. Contact Graeme

Hay on 22555 www.horizon.co.fk/golf

ASTHMA SUPPORT GROUP - Meets second Tuesday of every third month in

Day Centre at 5pm. Contact G. France on 21624

FALKLAND ISLANDS RED CROSS New members welcome Contact Keith

Biles, Tel. 21897 (Chairman); Elizabeth Marrow 21921 (Secretary); Jean Diggle

21716 (Treasurer)

GUILD OF SPINNERS, WEAVERS & HANDICRAFTS Meetings on Monday

evening at 7.30pm and Thursdays 1.30 - 3.30pm. Contact M Smallwood 21031

CANCER SUPPORT & AWARENESS TRUST - Contact Theresa

Lang (Chairman) 21235 Alison Ward (Secretary) 21851, Derek Howatt (Trustee)

21385, Shiralee Collins 21579

FIODA Chairman - Geoff Pring, tel. 21786 Secretary - Richard Fogerty, tel. 21343

Treasurer - Alison Inglis, tel. 22817

DIABETES SUPPORT GROUP Holds meetings quarterly - for further details

contact Chairman Sharon Middleton on 21393

STANLEY SWIMMING CLUB Coaching Tuesdays 4-5pm, Fridays 4-5pm

STANLEY SUB-AQUA CLUB - Contact David McLeod Phone: 20836 (day),

20843 (home)

THE ROYAL BRITISH LEGION - FALKLAND ISLANDS BRANCH Meets

on the first Monday of every month at the Hillside Mess at 7.45pm. Contacts

Chairman Michael Stevens (21936)/ Secretary Bruce Wilks (22438), Treasurer

Richard Morrison (22316)

STANLEY SHORT MAT BOWLS CLUB Friday 6.00 - 8.00pm. Contact Greta

Skene 21488

JELLY TOTS CLUB meets Tuesday 1.30 - 3.30pm and Thursday 10-11.30am in

the Parish Hall, all parents and carers with children aged 0 - 5 years are welcome. For

more information contact: Zoe Crockford - 22694 Chairperson, Michelle King -

21784 Treasurer, Wendy Luxton - 21882, Secretary, Sue Wilks - 22438, Alison

Roose - 22955

THE SHACK YOUTH CLUB - Open every Thursday night School years 3/4

5.15pm to 6.45pm School years 5/6 7.00pm to 8.30pm. Friday night School years

7/8/9 7.30 to 9.00. Any queries or information contact Stevie or Katie Burston phone/

fax 21677

SHORT TENNIS CLUB - Sunday 3 - 5pm. Contact Gordon Lennie Tel. 21667

or Steve Pointing on 21616 for further details

KARATE CLUB Wed 6-7p.m. and Sat 11-12a.m. Contact Jan on 22441

AA BASED ALCOHOL AWARENESS GROUP Thursdays 7.30pm - 8.30pm

KEMH Day Centre, All Welcome

HAND CHIME GROUP - Wednesday evenings at the Parish Hall 7 - 8.30pm

TABLE TENNIS CLUB - Sunday 3 - 5pm. Contact Michael Stevens on 21936 for

more details

RUGBY CLUB Tuesday evenings 7 - 8pm FIDF Drill Hall

Emergency Radio Frequencies

The Public are advised that in the event of an emergency where no other form of communication are available, that the Royal Falkland Islands Police maintain a 24 hour listening watch on the following frequencies

VHF 2 metre Band

147.725 (Duplex - 0.6)... Pebble Island repeater (out of action at the moment,

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146.625, Stanley, Alice

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2 182 MHz HF

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will be functional from West Falkland.

It must be stressed that calling the Royal Falkland Islands Police on any of

these frequencies must only be done in the event of an emergency

Saturday 20th August
 8.30 ROOM 785
 8.35 TAZ-MANIA
 9.00 SHORT CHANGE Young people's consumer magazine
 9.30 BLUE PETER
 10.00 THE SATURDAY SHOW
 11.30 MOVIE PRESENTATION: MAX KEEBLE'S BIG MOVE (2001) Starring: Alex D Linz, Larry Miller, Jamie Kennedy, Zena Grey and Josh Peck
 12.50 CARTOON TIME
 1.00 NEWS
 1.05 THE SIMPSONS
 1.30 SCOTTISH PREMIER LEAGUE Live action as Celtic v Rangers
 3.25 GRANDSTAND One year on from the 2004 Olympics. Grandstand examines the Games' legacy for Greece and what organisers of the 2012 London Games can learn from Athens. Despite fears over construction and security, the Games were hailed as a resounding success. Grandstand also asks if the people of Athens consider the huge cost of staging the Olympics to be worthwhile
 6.20 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER
 6.30 THE O.C. The Sn.O.C.: American drama series set in the wealthy coastal community of Orange County
 7.10 CASUALTY
 8.00 THE X FACTOR The X Factor - the UK's biggest talent search - makes its return this week
 9.00 MOVIE PRESENTATION: MEMENTO (2000) Complex thriller. Starring Guy Pearce, Carrie-Anne Moss, Joe Pantoliano and Mark Boone Junior
 10.50 COLDPLAY
 11.05 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 11.25 MATCH OF THE DAY Gary Lineker brings viewers highlights from all the day's eight topflight games
 12.45[am] NEWS 24

Sunday 21st August
 8.30 HOLLYOAKS OMNIBUS
 10.30 NEWS 24 SUNDAY
 11.30 THE HEAVEN AND EARTH SHOW
 12.30 CD: UK
 1.20 THE SIMPSONS
 1.40 CARTOON TIME
 1.55 GRAND PRIX Live action from the Turkish grand prix in Istanbul
 3.45 OLIVER BEENE Sitcom
 4.05 ONE TREE HILL
 4.45 CARTOON TIME
 5.00 BARCLAYS PREMIERSHIP Live action as Chelsea v Arsenal
 6.55 TFI CYPRUS
 7.00 KIDNAPPED
 7.50 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 8.10 FRASIER American sitcom
 8.30 DOC MARTIN
 9.20 THE WEST WING Drama series about the workings of the Oval Office
 10.00 ABSOLUTE POWER Followed by: BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 10.35 IMAGINE Saint John Coltrane: Arts series presented by Alan Yentob examines the legend of pioneering jazz saxophonist John Coltrane on the 40th anniversary of his most famous record, A Love Supreme
 11.20 MOVIE PRESENTATION: A PERFECT MURDER (1998) Taut thriller. Starring Michael Douglas, Gwyneth Paltrow, Viggo Mortensen, David Suchet, Sarita Choudhury and Michael P Moran.
 12.55 [am] NEWS 24

Monday 22nd August
 7.00 BREAKFAST
 10.15 ROOM 785
 10.25 FAIRLY ODD PARENTS
 10.35 BLUE PETER

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**OPENING HOURS
 MONDAY TO FRIDAY
 1.30PM TO 6PM
 SATURDAY BY APPOINTMENT**

11.00 ANIMAL PARK - WILD IN AFRICA
 11.30 THIS MORNING
 1.30 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 2.10 EMMERDALE
 2.55 RELOCATION, RELOCATION
 3.45 ROOM 785
 4.00 REALLY WILD SHOW
 4.30 THE STABLES
 5.00 GALIDOR: DEFENDER OF THE OUTER DIMENSION Sci-fi drama series.
 5.20 THE CROCODILE HUNTER DIARIES Series taking a look behind the scenes at Steve and Terri Irwin's Australia Zoo
 5.40 THE KING OF QUEENS Sitcom
 6.05 CORONATION STREET
 6.30 MY HERO
 7.00 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 7.30 EASTENDERS
 8.00 THE BILL
 8.45 THE LENNY HENRY SHOW (New)
 9.15 FAT FRIENDS
 10.05 ANN WIDDECOMBE TO THE RESCUE Series following the no-nonsense MP as she goes on the road to attempt to solve a variety of family crises, love quandries and workplace spats Followed by: BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 10.35 MONKEY TROUSERS (New) A distinctive and idiosyncratic comedy sketch show
 11.00 KATH AND KIM
 11.25 THE CHAMPIONSHIP
 12.15[am] EDINBURGH FESTIVAL (New)
 12.50[am] NEWS 24

Tuesday 23rd August
 7.00 BREAKFAST
 10.15 ROOM 785
 10.25 RUGRATS
 10.35 KERCHING!
 11.00 MY BEST FRIEND In a series of intimate portraits, Alberto Granado tells the story of his life-long friendship with Ernesto 'Che' Guevara
 11.30 THIS MORNING
 1.30 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 2.10 HEARTBEAT
 3.00 RELOCATION, RELOCATION
 3.50 ROOM 785
 3.55 50/50
 4.25 BLUE PETER
 4.55 BARKING
 5.15 TIME TEAM
 6.05 CORONATION STREET
 6.30 A SEASIDE PARISH Documentary series following Rev

Christine Musser in the Cornish parish of Boscastle
 7.00 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 7.30 EASTENDERS
 8.00 HOLBY CITY
 9.00 YOU ARE WHAT YOU EAT
 9.25 SUPERMANNY (New) No-nonsense Supermanny Jo Frost puts more modern families, parenting and childcare under the microscope
 10.15 NIP/TUCK Followed by: BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 11.00 MY LIFE AS A CHILD (New) Distant Dads: Six part series aimed at adults, made entirely by children aged between 7 and 11 who were given a camera and recorded their life over several months
 11.40 THE BIGGER PICTURE WITH GRAHAM NORTON
 12.10[am] HARDWARE Comedy series
 12.35[am] NEWS 24

Wednesday 24th August
 7.00 BREAKFAST
 10.15 ROOM 785
 10.20 FAIRLY ODD PARENTS
 10.35 BLUE PETER
 11.00 ANIMAL PARK - WILD IN AFRICA
 11.30 THIS MORNING
 1.30 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 2.10 EMMERDALE
 2.55 RELOCATION, RELOCATION
 3.45 ROOM 785
 4.00 XCHANGE AFRICA Interactive entertainment show
 4.30 GIRLS IN LOVE
 4.55 A DIFFERENT LIFE (New) Documentary series
 5.20 AIRLINE USA Docusoap about the passengers and staff of Southwest Airlines
 5.45 MALCOLM IN THE MIDDLE
 6.05 CORONATION STREET
 6.30 AFRICAN SCHOOL Documentary series about Masindi Secondary School in Uganda
 7.00 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 7.30 BUFFY THE VAMPIRE SLAYER
 8.10 PIONEER HOUSE Judgement Day
 9.00 LOST
 9.45 CAR NATION (New) Documentary series exploring the role of cars in our lives Followed by: BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 10.45 MAKE ME A SUPERMODEL Rachel Hunter fronts a series whose purpose is to find a potential new supermodel
 11.35 COMEDY HEROES Series exploring the inspiration behind some of the nation's favourite comedians

12.20 [am] NEWS 24

Thursday 25th August
 7.00 BREAKFAST
 10.15 ROOM 785
 10.25 THE CRAMP TWINS
 10.35 KERCHING!
 11.00 DIY SOS
 11.30 THIS MORNING
 1.30 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 2.10 HEARTBEAT
 3.00 RELOCATION, RELOCATION
 3.50 ROOM 785
 4.10 WRITING ACADEMY
 4.30 BLUE PETER
 5.00 SERIOUS DESERT Documentary series
 5.25 ENTERPRISE
 6.05 CORONATION STREET
 6.30 THE WORLD'S MOST PHOTOGRAPHED Audrey Hepburn
 7.00 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 7.30 EASTENDERS
 8.00 HOLBY CITY
 9.00 BAD GIRLS (New)
 10.10 CLASS IN BRITAIN The British Upper Class Followed by: BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 11.00 ARRESTED DEVELOPMENT Comedy drama series
 11.20 BADDIEL AND SKINNER UNPLA NNEED
 11.45 CELEBRITY FEAR FACTOR UK
 12.30 [am] A BEAR'S TALE
 12.55[am] THE ASHES 4TH TEST HIGHLIGHTS The first day of the 4th Ashes Test between England and Australia at Trent Bridge
 1.20 [am] NEWS 24

Friday 26th August
 7.00 BREAKFAST
 10.15 ROOM 785
 10.20 FAIRLY ODD PARENTS
 10.35 BLUE PETER
 11.00 ANIMAL PARK - WILD IN AFRICA
 11.30 THIS MORNING
 1.30 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 2.10 EMMERDALE
 2.55 HOW TO BE A PROPERTY DEVELOPER (New)
 3.45 ROOM 785
 3.55 ATOMIC BETTY
 4.20 THE BIG BANG
 4.55 MY PARENTS ARE ALIENS
 5.15 THE GADGET SHOW Technology show
 5.40 THE CITY GARDENER
 6.05 CORONATION STREET
 6.30 SHOULD I WORRY ABOUT...? Drinking: Richard Hammond investigates the effect is drinking having on our health
 7.00 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 7.30 EASTENDERS
 8.00 HOW CLEAN IS YOUR HOUSE?
 8.25 QUEER EYE FOR THE STRAIGHT GUY
 9.10 MURPHY'S LAW Crime drama series
 10.10 THE KUMARS AT NO 42 Followed by: BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 10.40 ER Drama series set in the busy emergency room of a Chicago hospital
 11.20 MOVIE PRESENTATION: AMERICAN HISTORY X (1998) Compelling drama about racial hatred and the violence that lives within one young man. This film was the feature debut of controversial director Tony Kaye and is notable for its stunning photography and powerful anti-fascist arguments
 1.15[am] NEWS 24

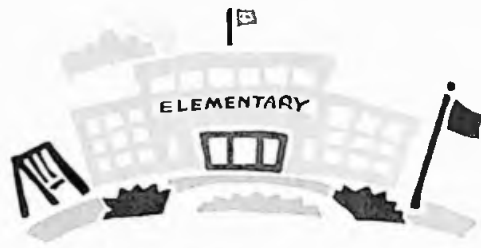
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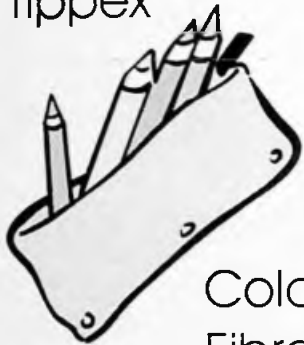


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Hairy moments for fundraising dart players

THE buzz of electric hair clippers gave the Rose Bar the atmosphere of a shearing shed for an hour or two on Sunday evening.

At the end of what was a very entertaining event for the spectators the Stephen Jaffray Memorial Fund was more than £1,700 better off.

Eight hairy dart players were relieved to be rid of the facial hair they had cultivated over the previous eight weeks, but probably feeling the cold air on Monday morning as a result of the shaven heads that completed their clean cut looks.

Although there is now some uncertainty as to how the whiskery challenge began, it is thought that Rose Missile dart team player Melvyn Clifton started the ball rolling by setting down a challenge to his fellow team members to grow beards. In next to no time other players were involved and the growing of beards in all shapes, sizes and colours was under way.

There were a few dissenters along the way but these were not let off the hook and had to pay a forfeit of the equivalent of their sponsorship money to the fund.

On Sunday the eight who were to be publicly shaved; Rag Macaskill, Geoff Greenough, Jimmy Curtis, Eddie Grimmer, Boy Miranda, Sam Barton, Melvyn Clifton and Jack Wilson gathered in anticipation of ending the itchy challenge. Volunteers to shear and shave them (all female, with a few sheep shearing tips thrown in by Neil Clifton) had their names put in a hat, a tarpaulin was laid to protect the carpet and some very creative clipping took place.

Topiarist like, the ladies sculpted and moulded a variety of hairstyles, some complimentary and others that were definitely aging, before reaching for the shaving foam and razors to leave their victims looking like traumatised, severely plucked chickens - apart from Jimmy Curtis, who couldn't bear to part with his crowning glory and Boy Miranda that is.

Boy modelled a whole range of looks throughout the evening which ranged from a most convincing Adolf Hitler to a Mapuche In-



dian complete with traditional dance. Although he suggested his personal hairdresser for the evening, Teresa Clifton, was better suited to working in a butchery, her handiwork was much admired by the other 'wannabe hairdressers'. As the evening progressed Boy's vanity was such that the odd stray hair (23 in all I believe) had to be removed with tweezers - a most serious matter for those trusted with the task.

A most enjoyable evening was had by all, with both hairy dart players and their sponsors being very impressed with the amount of money raised for their selected charity.

The Stephen Jaffray Fund helps families who are sent overseas for medical treatment who may find themselves in financial difficulty.

The princely sum of £1,700 will boost the coffers of the charity that has helped many families through a stressful period in their lives.

(The final sum raised will be announced when all the funds have been collected).



1. The freshly clipped fund raisers with their hairdressers. 2. An appreciative audience. 3. Jack Wilson is relaxed as the first layer is removed. 4. Melvyn Clifton has second thoughts but it is too late now. 5. Tanya Ford puts her skills to work but leaves Eddie Grimmer with some ear warmers. 6. Tanya McCallum starts at the top for Rag Macaskill's new look.

Hill Cove revamp their hall and celebrate

By Shelley Nightingale

The 'Not So Grand Opening' of the newly rebuilt Hill Cove dancehall took place on Saturday August 13. However you can rest assured that we all enjoyed ourselves.

As well as the residents of Hill Cove settlement, people came from Port Howard, Port Edgar, Fox Bay, Roy Cove, Dunbar, Port North and all the Hill Cove 'outside houses'.

We had planned for the opening to be held when the kids were home on holiday as a Camp party is not the same without the young people. Everyone brought some food, and the new bar was well and truly christened.

The table tennis and pool tables saw plenty of action, as did Dae's fingers on the guitar when later on we drifted into a singsong. It was really nice to be warm and comfortable, after quite a few years of having to wrap up in your warmest clothes, and avoid the leaking windows!

Some of us were still sitting around chatting in the early hours of the morning, and probably felt a bit tired working the *Tamar* next day!

The renovations all began when the Foreign and Commonwealth Office contacted the Falkland Islands Development Corporation (FIDC) with an offer of a grant to the people of the Falklands, to benefit the community and preserve some history. Connie Stevens then offered the grant to West Falkland: it was initially to go to Fox Bay but Hill Cove got lucky.

Peter Nightingale and Henry Boughton started the ball rolling, we got ourselves a master builder in the form of Kenneth McKay from Sheffield Farm and off we went! Not without many hold ups and trials and tribulations of course.

The project began last winter and was finished in July this year. With Kenneth as head builder and Peter, Karl and Roy helping, the building was completely stripped



Above: In the foreground the hall at Hill Cove as a dwelling in the early 1950's (certainly before 1954 as the jetty had not been built)

and rebuilt: only the main foundation and wooden dance floor remains of the original building. This year Les Morrison joined in the building works, and the interior painting was done by Dae and Farrah Peck.

There remains much to be done as we still have the museum to complete and set up. The museum will be dedicated to Hill Cove history and wool production in the Falkland Islands.

The original building started life as a dwelling house, then was converted to the old dancehall in the late 1950's, opening with Bella McKay's 21st birthday party.

Our hall cannot claim to having had too many famous people through it in the past, but can certainly lay claim to many good Sports Weeks and Two Nighters, plus many other parties and meetings.

We are now in a position to hold functions of any kind, be it social or business. See you all at Hill Cove Sports 2006!



The Hill Cove dance hall now in its newly renovated condition



L-R Joyce Halliday (Fox Bay), Deirdre Barnes (Dunbar), Jodie and Roy McGhie (Port North) and Dene Hansen (Hill Cove) at the new hall.

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General Practice

with Nikki Osborne, Director of Health and Social Services

New group created to tackle youth concerns

THERE has been a lot of concern in the press and the community as a whole in recent weeks about the numbers of young people congregating in the centre of Stanley on weekend evenings.

As many will be aware, the Governor shares this concern and has asked a group of people to look into the situation and to make recommendations to government about it. The group consists of councillors, government officers from social services, education, the attorney general's office, the police, and parents

The fact of young people gathering on the streets is not new in Stanley: a report in the local newspaper in the early 1900's expressed the same concerns that are being expressed today. However, it seems that the number of young people coming together has in-

creased over the last 18 months or so and that attitudes and behaviour have changed. The group's first job is to figure out what 'the problem' is, looking at it from all perspectives: young people, adults, parents, the business community, visitors and the general public.

What about young people themselves. Do they think there is anything wrong with 'hanging out' in town on a Saturday night? Young people the world over get together on street corners. Are you there because you want to be, or because you have nowhere else to go or nothing to do? Of course there are places to go, but maybe they are not to your liking. Why not?

What about parents? Do you think there are adequate facilities for young people? Are there particular groups that are not well served? Where can your children go safely

to learn independence from their parents? Do you need help controlling your kids or protecting them from peer pressure?

What are the concerns of the business community, particularly pubs and restaurants, about young people congregating outside their premises? And how do those adults who want to go out for a drink or meal in the evening feel about making their way through groups of youngsters to do so? What is the impact on local householders?

What are the risks to young people out in this area at night? Is it OK for children to be out at night without adult supervision?

Is this a symptom of a deeper disease in society and, if so, how do we tackle it in practical terms? Is it a coincidence that there is

also concern being expressed, particularly in the schools, about attitude problems, lack of respect for self and others and bullying?

It is not for me, as a newcomer, to make these judgements. My job is to help the group work out what is really going on by seeking the views of children, parents and the wider public. We have designed a questionnaire aimed at young people to get their views and we are planning face to face discussions with groups of young people in a variety of settings, including the school. We will take a similar approach with parents.

The purpose of this article is to inform the public about what we are doing and to get your views. If you have any useful suggestions, or would like to assist in any way, please write to me at the hospital.

Recipes for the Falkland Islands

Warming cheese and potato pie

THIS versatile pie is suitable for packed lunches or an informal supper at home, or even a picnic - when the weather improves.

The herbs in the pastry add a speckled look and extra flavour

It is best served with a salad.

Ingredients

- 12 oz plain flour
- 6 oz butter
- 2 teaspoons finely chopped thyme (or 1 teaspoon dried thyme)
- 4 tablespoons cold water
- 1 oz butter
- 1 large onion peeled and chopped
- 1 medium potato, peeled and cubed
- 10 oz cheddar cheese, grated

- 2 large eggs
- 4 tablespoons single cream
- 2 tablespoons chopped parsley or chives
- Black pepper

Method

Make the pastry with the first four ingredients. A little more water may be needed. Wrap in cling film and refrigerate for 30 minutes.

Heat the butter in a pan and add the onion and potato. Cook slowly with the lid on for 5-10 minutes until cooked but not browned. Remove from heat and cool.

Stir in the cheese. Beat the eggs, cream and parsley together. Add these to the pan.

Heat the oven to 200 C / gas mark 6.

Cut the pastry in two pieces, one slightly larger than the other. Roll out the larger piece to a circle big enough to line a 9 inch (23cm) flan tin. Trim the edges. Pour in the cheese filling and spread evenly.

Roll out the smaller piece to a circle for the top. Wet the edges of the bottom piece and carefully put the lid on top. Seal the edges together and trim.

Use the trimmings to make decorations for the top. (Although not necessary the top can be glazed with beaten egg)

Bake for 40 minutes until golden brown. Can be eaten hot, warm or cold.

I wish I'd said that...

BERNARD Shaw, having at one time been cold shouldered by London society because of his controversial views, subsequently attained such eminence that he was sought after by leading hostesses.

One such sent him a card inscribed with the words, 'Lady X will be at home on April 26th. The card was promptly returned to her with the following words added, 'So will Bernard Shaw.'

PRESIDENT Calvin Coolidge found himself sitting next to a young lady at a public dinner. Using all her charm the young lady said archly, 'Mr President, I have made a bet with my friends that I can make you say at least three words to me during dinner.'

'You lose,' replied Coolidge grimly and relapsed into his customary silence for the rest of the meal



Fisheries Department

Catch for week 32, ending August 9, 2005

Licence type	Number of Licences	
	Eligible W/ending 09/08/05	Fishing W/ending 09/08/05
Total	36	33
L	2	1
R	10	10
X	16	16
Y	4	3
Z	4	3

Catch by species (Tonnes)

	Falklands	Korea	Other Nations	Total
Loligo	3173	0	0	3175
Illex	0	0	0	0
Martialia	0	0	0	0
Hakes	47	72	7	126
Blue Whiting	0	0	4	4
Hoki	33	12	148	193
Kingclip	11	20	5	36
Toothfish	9	0	0	9
Red Cod	27	11	16	54
Rav	11	686	3	700
Other	164	9	0	173
Total	3475	812	183	4470

Shipping activity from August 8 - 10

IN Berkeley Sound this week. The reefers *Saronic Breeze* and *Captain Mokeev* left on August 10 and 11 respectively after transhipping. The trawler *Feolent* left for the high seas last Thursday, also after transhipping.

At FIPASS the *Saint Brandan* arrived on August 10 to discharge cargo, and left the next day bound for Mare Harbour.

Several longliners were also in port with the *Elqui* still being held under arrest and due to be scuttled in the next few weeks. The *Isla Santa Clara* and the *CFL Valiant* also called at FIPASS during the week.

The trawler *Sil* came in to FIPASS on August 14 for bunkers.

The *Saint Brandan* called at Fox Bay on August 10 to discharge cargo, and then arrived at Mare Harbour on August 11 to discharge and load cargo.

Also at Mare Harbour were the *Indomitable* and *HMS Dumbarton Castle*.

There were a number of vessel movements in Port William with the reefers *Saronic Breeze*, *Captain Mokeev*, *Sagami* and *Palana* all calling in. The survey vessel *GSI Admiral* was also in Port William on August 9 and 13.

Ten trawlers called in to Port William throughout the week. *Robin M Lee*, *Jose Antonio Nores*, *Playa Pesmar Uno*, *Golden Touza*, *Primavera 1*, *Venturer*, *Argos Galicia* and *El Greco* all left for fishing grounds last week, while the *Golden Chicha* and *Sil* arrived on August 14 for transhipping.

Lastly, in Stanley Harbour, the trawlers *Loitador*, *Hermanos Touza* and *Castelo* all left for fishing grounds on August 9, 10 and 12 respectively.

Wool report - week ending August 12

by Neil Judd, Department of Agriculture

GREASY wool prices slipped almost "across the board" at sales in Australia. The only exceptions were 25 micron fleece wool lots, which remained steady. As shown in the attached "Micron Price Guide". Prices also struggled in New Zealand.

Adverse currency rate movements that occurred during the week and also a lack of buyer demand affected greasy wool prices.

Difficulties with European/Chinese textile trade arrangements, Australian debate over industry marketing and the PETA campaign (People for the Ethical Treatment of Animals, against mulesing of sheep, livesheep exports etc) have combined to create a "dark cloud" over the wool industry in the minds of some Australian wool traders and their clients.

In Australia 84.7% of the 66,481 bale offering was sold. Included in the offering were 5,479 bales of crossbred wool of which 90.3% was sold. In New Zealand, almost 30% of the 12,000 bale offering was passed in.

Auctions continue next week in New Zealand and Australia where almost 70,000 bales will be on offer. Sales resume in South Africa the following week.

Note:

*Exchange rates used to convert wool prices into pence per kg clean basis. Australian \$2.34 per 1£ sterling compared to \$2.30 per 1£ sterling on 15th July 2005.

*Information derived from AWEX market report and Wool Record Weekly.

*Values based on average auction floor prices from Australian Eastern markets

*Prices quoted correspond to average gross auction prices. It should be remembered that no selling or freight costs have been deducted from the stated prices.

*MPG prices designated with an "n" indicate that insufficient wool in the particular micron range was traded to determine a firm MPG quote.

Growers are strongly advised to seek assistance in evaluating offers for wool where only nominal prices are given.

Any woolgrower with a question regarding the wool industry, or requiring assistance to determine the merit of any wool price offer, is urged to contact Neil Judd at the Department of Agriculture on telephone 27355 or on email njudd@doa.gov.fk.

Week ending	Pence per kilogram clean for each micron category											
	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	28	30	32
10/01/2002	553	403	310n	294	293	288	283	266	232	208	199	185
13/12/2002	553n	484	446	451	446	437n	431n	407n	369n	265	217	201n
10/01/2003	557n	494	470	463	458	441	445	412n	375n	271	228	210n
04/07/2003	443n	408	449	411	414n	413n	405n	384n	351n	252n	213	201n
12/12/2003	397n	380	366	362	351	336	325	295n	272n	218n	187n	167n
09/01/2004	409n	392	380	369	356	337	326	295n	274n	215	187	161n
02/07/2004	421n	390	352	339	323	310	281n	266n	253n	211n	188n	169n
17/12/2004	395	368	327	306	295	282	269n	233n	218n	186n	168n	154n
14/01/2005	411n	383	341	316	307	297	284	244n	225	194n	176n	160n
04/02/2005	417	389	343	316	303	294	282	246n	226n	194n	177n	163n
04/03/2005	411	378	337	312	295	286	270	242n	223n	187	174	164n
08/04/2005	414	387	337	313	298	290	273n	244n	224n	189	174	164n
06/05/2005	416	381	334	304	293	288	273	246	228	187	174	164
03/06/2005	418	376	336	313	303	300	282n	256n	234n	197	180	167n
01/07/2005	412	373	336	322	317	313	288n	266n	240n	197	185	169n
08/07/2005	419	386	343	330	324	320	298	275	245	206	192	173
15/07/2005	408n	378n	340	324	318	314	294	278n	247n	204n	190n	173n
micron	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	28	30	32
05/08/2005	434	388	342	323	316	309	301n	274n	245n	205	190	175n
12/08/2005	416	376	332	316	306	301	293	274n	240n	201	185	171n
weekly change	-18	-12	-10	-7	-10	-8	-8	0	-5	-4	-5	-4
priceyearago	427	395	360	323	308	294	272	261	250	212	182	166

South Georgia Fisheries: Catch Figures Week ending August 12, 2005

Species	Max No. of Vessels	Total Catch	Total Effort
Toothfish	7	166 tonnes	707,234 hooks
Krill	4	4,355	38 trawls



on share prices

At close of business Monday, August 15, 2005

Desire Petroleum plc	43.25p	(+2.5p)
Falkland Oil and Gas plc	122.5p	(10.5p)
Falkland Islands Holdings plc	430p	(-7.5p)
Falkland Gold and Minerals Ltd	24.25p	(nil)
Standard Chartered PLC	1231p	(+28p)

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Stanley Darts Club

Results from Monday, August 15

Mens legs	
Gary Hewitt	50
James Lang	50
Graeme Hay	46
Colin Smith	46
Johny Ford	44
Tooty Ford	44
Len Ford	44
Rag Macaskill	42
Peter Goss	41
Tony Courtney	41
Geoff Greenough	41
Steve Watt	41
Alan Bonner	40
Tooty Morrison	39
Joe Joseph	38
Teddy Summers	37
Boy Miranda	35
Jimmy Curtis	35
Neville Hayward	34
Russel Smith	34
Willie Robson	33
Kevin Clapp	33
Wladimir Bruno	32
Leon Mitchell	32
Paul Anderson	31
Tony McLaren	31
Willy Harvey	31
Michael Summers	31
Paul Chapman	30
Shane Blackley	29

Ladies Legs	
Maggie Goss	41
Ann Murphy	30
Joan Middleton	29
Nora Smith	27
Hazel Collins	27
Cathy Jacobsen	26
Sheila Harvey	25
Tara Heathman	24
Pat Pratlett	24
Ally Ford	22
Maisey Crowe	22
Patsy Robson	22
Jenny Smith	21
Natalie Smith	21
Avril Bonner	20
Sibby Summers	20
Jenny McKay	19
Gail Miller	19
Jane Clement	18
Ellen Ferguson	17
Corina Bishop	17
Wendy Roberts	17
Teresa Clifton	17
Julie Ford	17
Jeanet Miller	16
Tanzi Jacobsen	15
Heather Smith	14
Monica Lumbum	14
Dylis Short	14
Sheila Stewart	14
Tamara Lang	13
Natalie Finn	13

League Position	pts	lgs
Tornado's	48	215
Rose B	43	193
Otto's Outlaws	41	175
Misfits	38	171
Snowmen	37	172
Kelpers	35	169
Narrower	32	153
Rose Missiles	29	148
Deanos	26	140
Men at Arms	25	142
Victory Seeds	25	132
Pale Maidens	23	126
Last Orders	20	123
Stray Dogs	17	122
Penguins	17	112
Vic Spear Chucker	15	113
Victory Spiders	15	101
Rose Mixers	14	116
Busty Babes	14	103
Armed & Dangerous	12	96
Maid's at Arms	11	90
Globe Goonies	9	90
Highbury Babes	6	89
Fl Dart Fingers	3	73
Spice Burgers	3	71

Ladies Total BOC	
Maggie Goss	57
Joan Middleton	26
Sheila Harvey	24
Nora Smith	24
Jane Clement	24
Teresa Clifton	23
Sibby Summers	23
Cathy Jacobsen	22
Jenny McKay	22
Tara Heathman	21
Dylis Short	21
Gail Miller	20
Heather Smith	19
Maisey Crowe	19
Natalie Smith	19
Wendy Roberts	19
Candy Blackley	17
Hazel Collins	17
Ann Murphy	17
Patsy Robson	17
Jan Parke	16
Jenny Smith	16
Jane Jaffray	15
Pat Pratlett	14
Ally Ford	13
Sheila Stewart	13
Corina Bishop	13
Lisa Jaffray	12
Julie Ford	12
Jeanet Miller	12
Michele Evans	11
Tamara Lang	10
Avril Bonner	9
Cherry Robson	9
Rowena Summers	9

Mens Total BOC	
Tooty Ford	123
Len Ford	105
Colin Smith	104
Gary Hewitt	102
James Lang	84
Alan Bonner	80
Johny Ford	80
Graeme Hay	77
Russel Smith	77
Joe Joseph	70
Steve Watt	69
Peter Goss	63
Rag Macaskill	62
Jimmy Curtis	59
Teddy Summers	58
Geoff Greenough	56
Tooty Morrison	55
Tony Courtney	52
Dale McConnick	50
Shane Blackley	50
Willie Robson	49
Kevin Clapp	48
Willy Harvey	47
Melvin Clifton	46
Boy Miranda	46
Jim Parke	42
Tony McLaren	41
Michael Summers	41
Kevin McLaren	40
Neville Hayward	37
James Greenland	36
Paul Smith	35
Neil Clifton	35
David Ford	34
Owen Betts	34
Martin Plato	34
Andrew Pollard	33
Michael Goss	33
John Jaffray	32
Ian Betts	32
Leon Mitchell	32
Tim Bonner	32
Paul Anderson	31
Adrian Minnell	31
Mark Pollard	31
William Whitney	31
Angus Macaskill	30
James Bates	30
Keith Dickson	30
Richard Bonner	30
Wladimir Bruno	30
Arthur McBain	29

3 Treble 20s	
Tooty Ford	5
Alan Bonner	5
Len Ford	4
Colin Smith	4
Gary Hewitt	2
Dale McConnick	2
James Greenland	2
Johny Ford	2
Jane Clement	1
Natalie Smith	1
Corina Bishop	1

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Melvyn is the 'mini' champion

By Pat Pratlett
 WHAT started off as a joke some fifteen years ago between Patrick Bernitsen and Ali Jacobsen has turned out to be a thoroughly entertaining couple of evenings each year.

Pat's mini Darts competition which was held in the Victory Bar on the weekend is a darts tournament with a difference. The difference being that the games of 301 with a double start are played using miniature darts so everyone should be on a level par. But as in the previous years it usually turns out with the odd exception that if you are lucky enough to survive the first round the darts do tend to start behaving themselves and end up where you really want them to.

Friday night kicked off with 64 players all eager to progress to the second night and thus have the chance of winning the £100 first prize. A very tasty meal of shepherd's pie and vegetables was prepared by Cathy and thoroughly enjoyed by all the dart players.

At the end of Friday evening the players had been whittled down to the last sixteen.

The Saturday evening saw some excellent darts being thrown with some very close matches. Teddy and Sibby Summers fought out a nail-biting game to see Teddy just edge Sibby out 2-1. If only Sibby could

have held her nerve I am sure she could have beaten her husband as she certainly had the crowd on her side. The only other two ladies left in the last sixteen were Maggie Goss who lost 2-0 to Richard Bonner and Ann Murphy who only just lost out to Joe Joseph by 2-1.

The semifinal line up saw Albert Sackett beating Teddy Summers by 3-2 and in the other semi Melvyn Clifton beat Peter Goss by the same margin.

The final was played over the best of seven legs and unfortunately for Albert who was celebrating his birthday Melvyn did not show him any mercy and Melvyn came out the winner by 4-2.

Over the two nights the regulars who have supported the tournament over the years were treated to a very high standard of darts as well as some very good humour. Many thanks must go out to Cathy and Ali for their hospitality and to Patrick for sponsoring the tournament. Final results were:

1st Melvyn Clifton, 2nd Albert Sackett, 3rd Teddy Summers 4th Peter Goss; who received money prizes of £100, £50, £20 and £10 respectively.

The winners will also receive a trophy on the dart's prize giving evening on October 1 in the FIDF hall.

Golf update from the Club Secretary

NO COMPETITION news this week as there was nothing scheduled for last Sunday. It was, however, a busy weekend at the golf club.

The clubhouse has been restocked and given an excellent spring-clean. A big thank you from all the members to Sharon Gilbert and Sarah Clement for their hard work. The Portakabin has also been given a good clean out: thanks to Rodney and Carole for doing that. Regulars on the course will notice the fence protecting the trees on the second hole has been fixed - Tony McMullen is the man we have to thank for this as well as some extra trees that he and Rodney have planted in the same area.

Next March will see the Golf Club hosting the 4th biennial Falkland Cup. The Falkland Cup is a team event competed for by the "Kelpers XI" (players born in the Falkland Islands) and the "Presidents XI" (all other eligible members). Although the Kelpers XI won the first two events, the Presidents XI are the current holders.

The tournament is the brainchild of Glenn Ross and runs on a similar system to the Ryder Cup with both doubles and singles matches played. The Falkland Cup has quickly established itself as one of the most eagerly awaited sporting events in the Islands.

Players qualify for their respective teams by gaining points in tournaments throughout the season.

The team captains play a vital role and are elected at the club's AGM. This year's captains are Rodney Lee for the Kelpers and Graeme Hay for the Presidents. One of the key stipulations of the Falkland Cup is that players have to have been a member for one season preceding the tournament.

Therefore anyone hoping to play in this prestigious event needs to be a paid up member by September 1, 2005.

We are always keen to encourage people to take up golf and are offering half price membership for the first year to anyone who has not been a member of any golf club before. This is an idea that we introduced last season and is one which proved popular, with at least four tournaments being won by members who joined under the scheme.

Normal membership is £130 but new members can join for £65 and be entitled to enter all club competitions (approximately 30 per year), full use of the clubhouse and facilities and unlimited access to the course. Anyone joining before September 1st will be eligible for the Falkland Cup, the Island's premier team event!!

Results from Monday August 15		
Narrower	7	8 Vic Scuds
Maid's at Arms	8	7 Rose Mixers
Globe Goonies	8	7 FIDF
Rose B	8	7 Misfits
Spiceburgers	6	9 Men at Arms
Deanos	10	5 Rose Missiles
Tornado's	13	2 Armed & Dang
Penguins	3	12 Otto's Outlaws
Pale Maidens	5	10 Snowmen
Spiders	4	11 Last Orders
Spearchuckers	3	12 Kelpers
Busty Babes	10	5 Highbury Babes

Newsflash!
 The FIDF team Fl Dart Fingers have finally left the bottom of the League table.

 Thank you to Alan Bonner and Andrew Pollard for compiling the dart statistics

South American News from

MERCOPRESS

Plane crash in Venezuela kills 160

A COLOMBIAN charter jet carrying tourists from Panama to Martinique crashed in Venezuela on Monday after its engines failed, killing all 160 aboard in one of the country's worst air disasters.

The West Caribbean airways MD-82 aircraft was en route to the French Caribbean island when it reported engine trouble and diverted to an airport in Venezuela. It crashed at a cattle farm near Venezuela's border with Colombia. "Unfortunately, there were no survivors from this accident," Colonel Francisco Paz, head of Venezuela's National Civil Aviation Institute, told local television.

Most of the passengers were local government officials in Martinique who had been on holiday with their families, an official at the Fort-de-France airport in Martinique said.

French television broadcast images of victims' relatives crying and shouting as an official read out the names of the plane's passengers at the airport in Martinique. "There are children who have lost both their mother and their father," said Andre Charpentier, the mayor of Basse-Pointe, a small community of 4,000 inhabitants in the north of Martinique.

The Fort-de-France airport official said the plane had been chartered by the Globe Trotters travel agency in Martinique.

In Seattle, Boeing spokesman Jim Proulx said the company was dispatching a team of air safety investigators to help search for the cause of the crash.

Boeing took over McDonnell Douglas, maker of the MD-82, in 1997.

Venezuelan Interior Minister Jesse Chacón said the aircraft had changed its route to try to land in the western Venezuelan city of Maracaibo, but lost altitude and crashed in the remote Sierra de Perija region near the border with Colombia.

"When it was flying over Venezuelan airspace, they had problems with one engine and then with another engine, and at that moment it went down," Chacón said.

Venezuelan rescuers in surgical masks waded knee-deep in mud and water searching for bodies in fields where the plane went down.

By midday, rescue workers had pulled 56 bodies from the charred remains of the aircraft, said Col. Antonio Rivero, head of Civil Protection agency.

Lagos: 'A great day for Chile'

IN A solemn joint house session Chilean Congress overwhelmingly approved on Tuesday a package of constitutional reforms which now fully reflect the "democratic spirit of the Chilean people," said President Ricardo Lagos.

"It's a great day for Chile," said President Lagos adding that the current 1980 constitution, "was born as an expression of an authoritarian (military) regime, which did not express the feeling of the majority of Chileans, or national unity."

The approved reforms entitle the Chilean president to remove any and all commanders of the three services and from the military police or Carabineros.

The National Security Council is no longer the guarantor of institutions, but rather an advisory body which will meet and debate when convened by the President.

As of March 2006, there will no longer be nominated or for life Senators and Presidential mandate is cut from six to four years with no immediate re-election.

The constitutional court is the only court in the land with the exclusive responsibility of interpreting

the constitution and constitutionality of bills.

The Lower House can name inquiry and/or monitoring committees with the approval of two fifths of elected Deputies.

On closing the session Senate president Sergio Romero said "we are before a new beginning which signals the definitive end of the prolonged political transition, based on an exemplary constitutional consensus."

"We look forward to a closer relation between the electorate and its elected representatives, new spaces of participation which will help consolidate economic development and a better quality of life for all Chileans," he added.

"I trust and hope that as we have reached a consensus on the Constitution, further on we can reach a consensus on the electoral system which really reflects the feeling of Chileans," said President Lagos.

This is the next major political reform, but will have to wait until 2006 when the new government takes office.

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Zoran. Happy 18th birthday love Mum, Dad and Saul



Gemma. Happy birthday Sweet-heart. From Nan and Grandad



Rachel Marshall please visit Joan and Barbara at Oasis

FALKLAND ISLANDS GOVERNMENT COMMITTEES

ACCESS TO INFORMATION
Please note that the following committee meetings will be open for public attendance during the forthcoming week:
Planning & Building Committee Extraordinary Meeting - Tuesday 23rd August at 9.00am in Gilbert House
Health & Medical Services Committee - Tuesday 23rd August at 12.15 in Gilbert House
Standing Finance Committee - Friday 26th August at 8.00am in the Liberation Room. Secretariat
*Members of the public can attend but not speak at Committee meetings.
Copies of the Agenda and Reports can be seen in the Secretariat at least three working days before the date of the meeting.

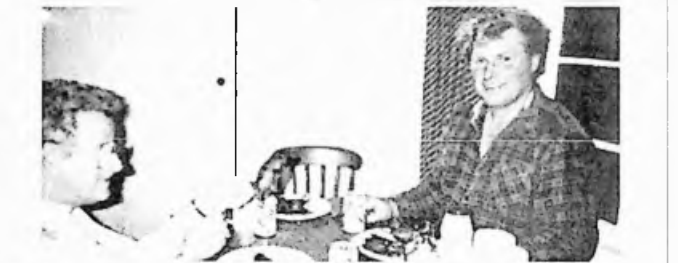
PERSONAL



To Nick Happy anniversary for 24th August. Sorry that this year's present can't be as spectacular as last year's! With all my love. Neats xxx



Max Nicholls. Wishing you a very happy 1st birthday Munchkin With lots of love from Mummy and Daddy xxx



Happy memories and happy birthday for Tuesday, lots love Heather and Robin



To Brandon. Happy 11th birthday for the 24th. Loads of love Mum, Dad, Bungle, Sam, Dan and Demi Rose xxx



We hope you will be cooking up a storm on Sunday, a very happy birthday Lots love Mum & Dad



Adrianna. Happy 10th Birthday for Tuesday. Quite the young lady, hope you have a lovely birthday. Lots of Love Mum, Jason and Stefan

Falkland Islands Meat Company
In order to comply with Immigration Ordinance requirements, applications are invited to fill the post of **Production Foreman**.
To consolidate its year round operation, FIMCo has the following positions available: **Production Worker/Butcher** and **Production worker**.
Full clean driving licence is required for all positions
Successful applicants are required to work on a rota basis, including weekends
For more details on the above positions please contact Tel 27013 fax 27113 or email manager@falklands-meat.com

The Sea Cadets will be holding their Extraordinary General Meeting on the 6th September at 7.00 at their Sea Cadets Unit Headquarters on the Bypass Road.
This will be chaired by His Excellency the Governor Mr H E Pearce.
All members of the public are warmly invited to attend.

Sam, Matthew and I are leaving the island after two years and what can only be described as a unique experience. So many people have touched our lives and we hope that we have done the same.
Helen John-Eccles.

Bridge results for 17 August
1st Walter Felton and Lil Johnson
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Job Descriptions and application forms for the above positions can be obtained from the Human Resources Department - telephone 27246, fax 27212 or e-mail drobson@sec.gov.fk.

All new entrants to Government service will be required to contribute 5% of basic pensionable salary to the Falkland Islands Pension scheme. FIG will make contributions on the employee's behalf at the rate of 10% of basic pensionable salary.

NOTICES

The Public Works Department invites suitably qualified or experienced builders to quote for repairs to the Sea Wall at Ross Road West, Stanley. It should be noted that it is a condition of this contract that the works be undertaken during October 2005.

A copy of the specification and scope of works are available from the Maintenance Manager's Office at PWD. Completed quotations are required to be submitted to the General Office of the Public Works Department by 0900hrs on the 5th September 2005.

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Applications must be submitted no later than the close of business on Thursday 25th August 2005

Sea Lion Island Limited has vacancies for the following positions to work at Sea Lion Lodge for the forthcoming season: General Manager, Trainee Assistant Manager, Front of House Manager and 2 Conservation Assistants.

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Deanos Bar have vacancies for part time and full time bar staff to commence work as soon as possible. Interested persons please contact Deanos Bar on 21296.

LEADERSHIP & PROMOTING TEAMWORK COURSE

Name of Training Event: LEADERSHIP & PROMOTING TEAMWORK

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RAFFLE PRIZES - RAFFLE PRIZE WINNERS

Big Foot Teddy Bear - Justine Peters, Steak Meal for 2 at Shortys Diner - Teresa Clifton, Bottle of Wine - Roger Spink, Lamb - Sarah Maskill-Bott, Dozen Fresh Eggs - Migs Cofre, Chocolate Cake - Carole Lee, Autographed copy of Fag Ash Blondes - Julie Fisher-Smith, F1 Wildlife A4 Colour Print - Teslyn Barkman, F1 Wildlife A4 Colour Print - Nick Rendell, F1 Wildlife A4 Colour Print - Terranne Ormond, F1 Wildlife A4 Colour Print - Emma Edwards, F1 Wildlife A4 Colour Print - Caroline Middleton, Split Endz Gift Voucher - Michelle Crowe, 2 Nights for 2 at Port Howard - St John Payne, Chocolate Cake - Lyndsay Bonner, Free Session of Swimming Pool with Aquarun - Jill Reeves, Free Use of Bouncy Castle - Mark Spruce, Teddy - Amanda Morris, Bottle of Wine - Diane Brown, Dolphin Ornament - Migs Cofre

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GOVERNMENT HOUSE SALE

10 Drury Street will be open between 1600 and 1800 on Friday 26th August and 1000 and 1200 on Saturday 27th August for a sale of surplus items. These include a dining room table and 8 chairs, a double bed, wardrobes, sofa, fridge and other household furniture. All items will be sold in lots. Sealed bids should be returned to Government House by 12.15 on Monday 29th August on the forms supplied. The successful bidder will be informed on Tuesday 30th August. Payment to be made by cash or cheque at Government House before collection. Collection of items by appointment only. For more details contact the Management Officer, Emma Forrester at Government House on 27433. Government House does not bind itself to accept the highest or any offer.

EUCHRE Tournament

Every 3 weeks at the Globe Tavern. There will also be waitress service at your game table. Starting from this Sunday 21st of August at 4pm. Plus this Sunday there will be free curry and rice. All welcome.

What's on at Stanley Arms this month

Friday 19th: 7.30pm prompt start. Quiz night hosted by Nikki. Funds raised will be given to the Stephen Jaffray Memorial Appeal. This is our last quiz night until Feb/March 2006. So before you get your gardening gear out come and use your thinking caps!
Friday 26th 8pm: Ann Summers is having another of her popular parties. Sorry Gents, but it's Ladies only. From 18's and over.

Female non-smoker is looking for place/room to rent from November onwards. Call Sandra 27260 day or 21993 evenings

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To Mike. Happy birthday, love Sharlene, Georgia and Grace xx

From Pandora's Box
Just opened a selection of new stock, including mini digital cameras at £16.50. Wind up torches (so no need for external charging), pedometers and lots more. See you there.

Hawkie and Sarah Jaffray are pleased to announce the birth of their son James Alexander on Saturday 13th August weighing 8½ lbs. A brother for Jessica.

Pam and Judith would like to thank everyone for their support over the years of running the Southampton Falkland Islands Reunion Party. Our final one on the 30th July was thoroughly enjoyed by all who came. The magnificent sum of £600 was raised and this is going to the KEMH to help fund the cost of a pump for the low air loss mattresses used in the elderly care unit.

International Tours & Travel Ltd
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NOTICES

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE that it is my intention to apply to the Summary Court to be held at the Town Hall, Stanley, Falkland Islands on 19th August 2005 at 9am for the authority to sell by retail intoxicating liquor at the premises known as Little Chartres Farm. GIVEN under my hand this 5th day of August 2005
Signature of applicant J G Woodward and L A Woodward

Wanted - One 20 foot container in reasonable condition
Tel. 22616

Wanted for Sea Lion Island - Up to 20 pullets, a cockerel and two milk cows. Tel: 21342

Wanted: One shed hand for approximately one week starting near the end of October. Contact Gavin and Deirdre on 42079

Public meeting: the Camp Roadshow comes to Stanley! This month's public meeting, on Tuesday 23rd August, will include a re-run of the Camp Road Shows. Chief Executive Chris Simpkins and Deputy Financial Secretary Keith Padgett will make a presentation on the economy. Councillors look forward to seeing you there. Court & Council Chamber, Town Hall, 5:00 pm

Thursday 25th August with Quiz Master: Kevin Ormond. Starting at 7.00pm. Entrance fee £20.00 for teams of four. Free buffet for all competitors. 1st, 2nd and spotlight prizes. Please call 22272 by Wednesday 24th August to enter.



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Ring tones for Christmas

By Rob Burnett

STANLEY and parts of East Falkland will soon benefit from a mobile telephone network, possibly by the end of the year, if plans by local telecommunications provider Cable and Wireless go ahead.

Traffic Manager for the company, Brian Summers, told *Penguin News* that despite objections raised about the siting of masts needed for the network, "ideally, we'd like to get it in by Christmas."

Cable and Wireless intend to have a Global System Mobile (GSM) network in place that will provide coverage for Stanley, Mount Pleasant, the road in between, and limited coverage as far as Goose Green.

The system would be compatible with standard UK mobile phone handsets and would include a voicemail and text messaging service. International text messaging would also become available, but not until "April or May" according to Mr Summers.

He explained that, "Providing your UK handset isn't 'simlocked', you would be able to remove your UK sim card, and insert a local Cable and Wireless one for use in the Islands."

Mr Summers was unable to give any indication as to the pricing structure at the moment as he said, "The whole pricing regime will be discussed with the government consultant Dr Doyle when he visits the Islands in September."

The Planning and Building Committee held a meeting on Tuesday at which they considered several planning applications from Cable and Wireless for the equipment needed to run the proposed network.

As well as one site on the Mount Pleasant Complex, there were three applications for masts in Stanley, one at the site of the Earth Station on Darwin Road, one on the South side of H Jones Road, to the East of Hillside Camp, and one in the Malvina Gardens, to the South of the Taxation Office.

It was the latter application that caused the most concern and prompted several letters of objection from members of the public who felt the proximity of this site to a children's playground and nursery may present health risks.

There was also an objection based, "solely on aesthetic grounds." The objector felt that, "The proposed mast structures are not only ugly, but are also very tall and will undoubtedly dominate Stanley." The author of the letter was also concerned that allowing these tall structures (up to 20 metres high) to be located in Stanley could set a precedent, "for further obtrusive development such as large advertisement boards for example."

The health risk concerns voiced by several objectors centered on the suggestion that emissions from the masts could be detrimental to health - especially among children.

Advising the committee, Chief Medical Officer, Dr Roger Diggle said that mobile technology is used worldwide and that there are masts in urban areas in every country in the world. He said that it was very difficult to prove that mobile phone technology was entirely safe but, "having said that, there is no evidence to suggest it is unsafe."

There had been a suggestion that the masts be located outside of

Stanley, as it was thought this would lessen the health risk. Dr Diggle dispelled this myth saying that the greater health risk came not from the masts, but from the telephone handsets themselves. Although the emissions from the handsets are much lower than the masts, the close proximity to the user's brain means the risk is potentially higher. With this in mind, the further away the GSM masts are from the handsets, the more powerful a signal the handsets would have to transmit.

In a letter to the Chairman of the Planning and Building Committee, Chief Executive Officer of Cable and Wireless in the Falklands, Rick Hall, moved to reassure committee members that the health risks were minimal.

He said, "... based on the current weight of scientific evidence there are no known adverse health effects from exposures below international guidelines." He said that typical exposure in Stanley would be less than 1000th of international guide lines, "at most."

Mr Hall said despite the lack of any evidence regarding a health risk, Cable and Wireless have still taken a "precautionary approach" to choosing the sites of the towers. He added, "The scrutiny of the proposed GSM service in Stanley is welcomed by Cable and Wireless," who, he said, were also willing to fund independent verification that all aspects of the network were, "well within the international guidelines in all cases."

Dr Diggle broadly agreed with Mr Hall and said at the meeting that he felt, "health is probably a small (factor)," adding, "No site is fundamentally unsafe." (continued on page 3)

News in brief

Fuel spillage due to failure in base of tank

HAVING contained the fuel leak discovered on August 13 at the Petroleum Storage Depot at the Mount Pleasant Complex, the MoD responded, through Defence Estates Overseas by contracting international engineering and environmental consultants, Parsons Brinckerhoff (PB). A team arrived late on August 16 and undertook an assessment.

The PB representative Tim Greaves said, "Any fuel spill is of course undesirable but the response to the spill was prompt and effective, such that only small amounts of fuel entered the sea."

PB have assessed that the likely cause of the spillage was due to a failure in the base of one of the storage tanks. The MoD is now planning to undertake inspections of the remaining tanks in order to avoid a reoccurrence.

Medi-vac to Monte

THE British Antarctic Survey (BAS) has completed a precautionary medical evacuation from its Rothera Research Station on the Antarctic Peninsula.

A spokesperson for BAS said that the member of staff was not in any danger and has been under the care of the research station's resident doctor. The BAS Medical Unit, based at Plymouth's Derriford Hospital, advised transfer to the UK for assessment and treatment.

On August 18, the BAS de Havilland Dash-7 aircraft left Canada for Rothera via Stanley. The aircraft with the patient arrived in Stanley for onward flight to UK via Montevideo yesterday.

New vet takes up post

A NEW Veterinary officer, Vic Epstein, will arrive this weekend. He comes from Goondiwindi in Queensland, Australia.

Year 11 receive their GCSE results



FALKLAND Islands Community School GCSE students received their results yesterday.

Director of Education, Sylvia Cole congratulated those who have achieved or exceeded their predicted grades, adding, "they must be feeling very proud of themselves." (More information on GCSE results next week)

Back L-R: Alex Pearce, Anna Connelly, Tecnie Ross, Tamara McCormick, Gilly Cotter, Emily Hancock, Stephen Biggs. Front: Mark Plunkett, Ashley Jaffray, Megan Middleton, Michael Brownlee and Liam Stevens.

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Comment by Acting Editor, Sharon Jaffray

IT seems that our editorial comments of late have been focusing on the Island's young people, not that this is a bad thing, they are the future of the Falklands and as such deserve every bit of support and encouragement that can be mustered.

Last week the excitement of the A level students was infectious. I have always experienced a huge sense of pride when academic results come in, remembering how I felt as a parent when my daughter was working her way through college and university. I take extra pleasure in their achievements, being of a certain age group that higher education was not readily available too. This week it will be the turn of the GCSE students to wait with bated breath for their results and I sincerely hope that they all receive the grades they have worked for.

At the public meeting on Tuesday a member of the public brought up the interesting concept of having some kind of recognition for all students in the form of a 'get together' - GCSE, AS and A Level students, graduates, the works. It was considered to be a good idea generally, although how to go about it could be an area for some interesting discussion. The ball was thrown into the court of the Director of Education at the meeting with Mrs Cole saying she had given the issue some thought concerning GCSE and A Level results but hadn't thought as far as graduates.

Personally I think it is a great idea - despite the inevitable muttering of some past achievers saying that their work was not recognised in any way. We are fortunate that the nature and size of our community is such that we are able to recognise folk's achievements. But why stop at FICS, college and university achievements?

Perhaps we could bring back the 'Beautiful Falklands Award' and introduce some new ones that show appreciation for community works - how about a 'Beyond the call of Duty' award (which might get rid of that much used phrase, "not in my job description mate")? We could end up with an annual function that recognises hard work and achievements and spurs others on to achieve not only in education but also within both the Stanley and Camp communities.

The possibilities are endless and need not be outrageously expensive, but will naturally incur *some* costs - so, the first question will be who will foot the bill for such an event? When would be the best time to hold the event, and where?

Write to us here at *Penguin News* with your suggestions for a good way to get achievers of all ages together to be recognised and to celebrate. We're all quick to comment when people don't act or perform go as we would like, however, we don't do nearly enough 'back patting' when all goes well.

European Computer Driving Licence

The Training Centre is pleased to announce that it now has new training CD ROMS for those wishing to take the European Driving Licence (ECDL) qualification. Those who purchased disks previously, which turned out to be faulty, are eligible to a free disk. Anyone wishing to undertake the ECDL for the first time may purchase a disk for £20 from the Training Centre.

The disks are available for MS Windows XP or MS Windows 2000. You can use the disks irrespective of whether you have these programmes installed on your computer, but when you take the tests, they should correspond to the programme you have used for the tutorials.

The Training Unit wishes to apologise to customers who purchased faulty disks. Unfortunately, this was a problem caused by the supplier and was outside our control. We hope that the delay in replacing these disks has not caused too much inconvenience. Those people who are already registered with the British Computer Society and have logbooks have three years from the date of taking the first successful test to complete all seven modules. On-line tests can be taken at the Training Centre twice a month.

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News from the Public Meeting

'Avoiding panic' key to Budget

AT the Public Meeting on Tuesday, the Chief Executive Chris Simpkins and the Deputy Financial Secretary Keith Padgett gave a presentation on the budget, outlining the process involved in preparing it, and how the reduction in fishing income is being managed.

The key to this, according to the Chief Executive is to, "avoid panic". He said that government hope they are managing a "temporary dip rather than a total loss of revenue" in the illex fishery. Mr Simpkins stressed that although there obviously had to be some reduction in capital investment, some projects would continue to be funded as they often contribute to the economy themselves. He cited the camp roads programme as an example as the number of jobs created by the programme is substantial.

He also explained that the government reserves, what he called "our rainy day fund" was kept at roughly two and a half times the

annual expenditure budget, and currently stands at approximately £80 million.

Education and health care were described by Mr Simpkins as "critical services" that would still have to make certain budgetary cuts, but it was hoped to keep the impact of this to the absolute minimum.

Finally, Mr Simpkins explained that the budget deficit for this financial year would be around £400,000. This is in the context of an approximate £8 million reduction in income since the illex fishery had to be closed.

Mr Padgett continued the presentation with a more detailed breakdown of the government's income and expenditure.

He told the meeting that 42% of the government's income comes from fishing, while 15% came from tax. Mr Padgett said 15% was an extremely low proportion of government income from tax, which in most other countries would be substantially higher.

Councillors aware of student fees issue

FOLLOWING last week's editorial regarding student university fees, Councillor Jan Cheek, who holds the education portfolio said she wished to "set the record straight" on the matter.

Mrs Cheek said that councillors are aware of the issue and that government officials have for some time, "made representations up to ministerial level" with regard to securing the substantially reduced 'home' fees for Falkland Islands students attending UK universities. Currently, the Falkland Islands Government are re-

quired to pay the much higher 'overseas' rates for university education for Falkland Islands students.

Mrs Cheek added that the matter is being pursued and also said that it was not just a Falkland Islands issue but affected all the Overseas Territories.

Councillor Summers said the view of the British Government is that it is a "residency issue" meaning that any British national who is not resident in the UK would still be subject to overseas fees. "We will keep hammering away at it," he said.

Gordon Forbes legal case to be resolved soon?

A MEMBER of the public raised the question of legal costs in the Falkland Islands Government (FIG) versus Gordon Forbes Construction (GFC) case, with costs so far amounting to £1.9 million pounds. The questioner asked when the case might be over and whether a more economical method of solving the dispute could have been used.

Councillor Summers responded by saying the £1.9 million already spent on the case was, "a horrible amount of money" but said that GFC were

claiming they were owed £3.6 million, so even with the amount already spent, FIG are, "still in positive ground".

Mr Summers said it was hoped the case would soon be resolved, but he couldn't be certain.

With regard to an alternative solution to the dispute other than legal action, Mr Summers said a less costly method would obviously have been explored if possible, but that in this case it was clear that there was, "no realistic prospect at the offset."

Concern over sewerage works and health and safety

SEVERAL other matters were also raised at the meeting.

A query about the sewerage pipe works being undertaken in front of the Jetty Centre and where Crozier Place meets Ross Road, prompted Councillor Summers to say that the, "job is not finished."

Councillors assured the meeting that the works being undertaken were the most cost effective and allowed for long term upgrading. They also assured that all areas affected would be suitably tidied up when work had been completed.

There was a question from the floor about the Island Plan which

Councillor Summers said, "Exists in a modified form, is currently with the printers and should be available soon."

FIG's view on health and safety was also queried, with particular reference to Public Works Department employees.

Councillor Summers said, "We're very cautious about health and safety," adding that were comprehensive legislation to be passed, "It would cost a huge amount of money."

Councillors did reassure the meeting however that where appropriate, safety equipment was provided and should be worn at all times.

'Protecting society from illegal imports'

IN response to a letter in the August 5, *Penguin News* in which Mount Pleasant resident Mr Clark complained of the treatment his St Helenian family received from Customs and Immigration officials on the incoming flight from Chile on July 23. Collector of Customs, Robert King has outlined the responsibilities of his department.

He said that one of the main responsibilities of the Customs and Immigration Department is to exercise controls in order to protect society from illegal imports. In fulfilling this role, customs officers have powers to examine at any time, personal baggage or other items carried by arriving passengers. They also have powers in respect of the search of persons "where there are reasonable grounds of suspicion." Mr King added that these procedures inevitably involve "some invasion of an individual's personal privacy."

"Customs and Immigration officers always endeavour to perform

their statutory obligations as discreetly as circumstances and available facilities will allow, and to avoid in so far as possible any undue delay and inconvenience to the travelling public as a whole." Mr King said the facilities available at Mount Pleasant Airport, "were unfortunately not designed with Customs activities in mind," adding, "only limited space is available for all the activities and processes conducted there."

In conclusion Mr King said he has closely examined the activities of the officers who were on duty in respect of the LAN flight of 23 July and is fully satisfied that their actions were justified, "that there was no discrimination and that their conduct was polite and professional."

He said however that he did accept that "more explanation could have been afforded to the individuals subjected to examination and I regret any additional distress this may have caused."

Dr Edwards comes home to take up GP post

DR Rebecca Edwards is to return to the Islands to take up a job share with Dr Richard Davies who is already practising in the Falklands.

Dr Edwards is the daughter of Councillors Norma and Roger Edwards and is married to Christopher Lee of Port Howard.

Since completing her training Dr Edwards has undertaken her Surgical Housemanship in Bolton and Medical Housemanship in Truro, Cornwall.

Because of her urge to return to the Falklands and work at the King Edward VII Memorial Hospital, Dr Edwards gave up her Medical Rotation course for a GP course. She has recently been working in a busy practice in Wadebridge, Cornwall and will take up her post in the Islands on October 1.

Other hospital staff movements include Dr Bennebroek who will arrive at the end of the year as a replacement for Dr Khanbhai who leaves in December.

Both locum Dentists, Julia Fisher



Dr Rebecca Edwards

and Esham Sulaiman are to leave at the end of this month and will be replaced with Verna Kane from Australia and Melt van der Spuy Hanekom from South Africa.

Jan McGuinness is leaving the Social Welfare Department while Rose Scully has taken up the post of Theatre Nurse. Malcolm Sommerville has been appointed as Hospital Engineer and will be starting in the next few months.

Falklands mobile phone network by Christmas

Continued from front page.
From an aesthetic point of view, the committee were reasonably satisfied with the proposed sites at the Earth Station and H Jones Road as they are close to existing masts. The proposed Malvina Gardens site is also near an existing mast used by the Fire Station. Cable and Wireless have volunteered to allow the Fire Station to use the GSM mast and eliminate the need for their own. This mast would also be partially obscured by trees surrounding the area. The committee approved all applications except for the Malvina Gardens site. It was felt that advice should be taken on the risk posed by the emissions, bearing in mind the close proximity of the playground and nursery.

Mr Summers said that if planning permission is not granted for the central Stanley mast, Cable and Wireless would still hope to have the system in place by Christmas

adding that even without the central mast, most of Stanley should still be covered by the other two sites.

He said that if the application for the Malvina Gardens site was turned down, "We will look for an alternative site."

One member of the public had suggested that Cortley Hill (which Cable and Wireless already use for other purposes) on the North side of the harbour be used to site a mast rather than in the centre of town.

Mr Summers said that although this site was, "a possibility" which is, "not completely ruled out," it is, "not a preferred site," for a number of reasons.

Firstly, there is limited power available at this site and certainly not enough to run a GSM base station. Secondly, Mr Summers said that in the next few years, the existing installation at the Cortley Hill site, "would not be needed."

They're full of beans at Kids Zone



Above: Tanya McCallum, Tara Hewitt, Brasserie Manager Sam Heale and Kerri-Anne Ross with her niece Emma-Jayne Burston get comfortable on the new bean bags.

THE Falklands Brasserie have contributed to the furnishings at Stanley Kids Zone.

The new Manager of the Brasserie, Sam Heal, presented Tanya McCallum, Manager Designate of Stanley Kids Zone, with four bean bags on Wednesday.

The new nursery at 3, Jersey Road plan to have an open day on

September 3, for anyone who is interested in having a look around the premises and will begin looking after children on Monday, September 5.

Tanya McCallum and the two carers, Tara Hewitt and Kerri-Ann Ross are all qualified Child Practitioners.

Brasserie chef to demonstrate his skills

THE Falklands Brasserie will soon be showing us all how to create tasty dishes from some of the finest local produce.

The first of a series of cooking demonstrations will take place in the 'K4' shop on Ross Road East, on Saturday September 3, at 11.30 am with Brasserie Head Chef, Sebastian Poll.

Organiser of the cooking event, Alex Olmedo, said that this first demonstration will be using lamb from the Falkland Islands Meat Company and will last approximately 45 minutes.

Suppliers of local produce can become involved in this initiative. "...we want to show how to use new products coming on to the market," said Alex who stressed that the demonstrations can take place at any retail outlet and are not exclusively for the Kelper Stores.

Sebastian is practising to attend cookery competitions in 2006 at the Hotel Olympia in London and Expo Gourmand in Santiago, Chile. He is developing recipes with local products and will be holding demonstrations on a regular basis.

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Your questions answered

Q WHEN the vessel *CFL Pioneer* was berthed at FIPASS a minimum number of crew were always on board or at least on hand to be able to move the vessel if required. If this was a requirement of the authorities why has the *Elqui* been allowed to remain at FIPASS without a standby crew?

Harbour Master, Jon Clark provided the following answer.

A THE *CFL Pioneer* was the first sizeable vessel to be berthed for an extended period at the east side of FIPASS. The characteristics of the berth for a relatively large vessel were largely unknown, such as susceptibility to weather and any stresses on the causeway pontoons. Hence a skeleton crew was required to be kept aboard as has been the practice at other berths at FIPASS.

The other circumstances of the two vessels were also different. The *CFL Pioneer* was laid up for

commercial reasons, was fully certified and in good condition, whereas the *Elqui* was forfeited to the Crown in the form of the Government of South Georgia and the South Sandwich Islands (GSGSSI) and, after the departure of the crew, was uninhabitable.

The Government of South Georgia has determined that the vessel should be disposed of in such a way that she should never again be used for fishing illegally, either by scrapping or scuttling. This is in the interest of all concerned, GSGSSI, the Falkland Islands Government (FIG) and commercial fishing companies.

Having now gained some experience of using this particular berth over a prolonged period, it is possible that the crewing requirement during lay-up may be relaxed in the future, provided the ship is watched and FIG indemnified against any mishap (as GSGSSI has done).

'Tab' to raise funds for the hospital

CORPORAL Mark Sefton and Corporal Jens Pedersen who both work at Hillside Camp in Stanley are planning a Sponsored 'tab' from Stanley to Mount Pleasant in the first week of October.

They are already beginning to look for sponsors with all funds raised going to the King Edward VII Memorial Hospital in Stanley.

Corporal Sefton of the Royal Air Force is the Master Chef at Hillside and with the support of Corporal Pedersen from the Army, the pair plan to cover the 37 miles

in military kit carrying 40 pounds over the course of a day.

The word 'tab' is a military term describing a method of advance by foot, which requires soldiers to run much of the flats and downs of a route whilst powering up the hills. The combination of the distance and the weight will prove to be a challenge.

With sponsorship from both military and civilian personnel the pair are hoping to raise a large sum for the hospital.

Veterans angry at UK Lottery refusal

THE Falklands Veteran Foundation have reacted angrily after being turned down by the National Lottery.

The charity hoped to build a refuge in the Falklands for veterans of the conflict and had appealed to the lottery for £80,000 to build a two storey refuge in Stanley overlooking the harbour.

Foundation volunteers have spent three years raising £20,000.

The Falklands Veterans Foundation have been granted a 50 year,

rent free lease on a plot of land on Rowlands Rise by the Falkland Islands Government.

The former soldier Simon Weston who suffered near fatal burns during the 1982 conflict led criticism of the Big Lottery Funds decision.

The appeal was turned down in a letter from the fund that questioned the lack of psychiatric support for veterans and the cost of the lengthy flights to and from the Islands.

Interference on the calling channel

THE Royal Falkland Island Police have received complaints from members of the public regarding unnecessary interference on the two metre-calling channel.

A spokesperson for the Police said that under the Telecommunication Ordinance there are three specific offences: to send any false

or misleading messages; to deliberately cause interference with the channel; or to transmit or operate radio equipment without a licence.

The spokesperson advised that the Police will take action against any person caught committing any of the above offences and any other relevant offences.

Correction to A Level results in last weeks Penguin News

Apologies to Alex Birmingham who we reported last week as having obtained a B in Chemistry and C's in Biology and Maths.

Alex actually achieved a B in Art and C's in History and Classics and plans to take a year out to save some money before going on to University

RIC patrol go west and create play park



Above L-R: Sanjay McKay, Chloe Ford, Tyler Hobman, Christopher Collins, Melissa Beckett, Michael Collins and Warren Miller with Lady and Lass the Woodward's family dogs.

THE Roulement Infantry Company (RIC), currently C Company of 1st Battalion King's Own Scottish Borderers, are out constantly around the Islands patrolling in their infantry role. They often look in on some of the more isolated settlements, to see if they can help out with anything.

During a more recent patrol, lead by Corporal Stuart Currie, they stopped in at Little Chartres on West Falkland to visit Jim and Lesley Woodward. The Woodward's open their farm to children throughout the year and one such open day coincided with the patrol's visit.

The Woodward's had held the ambition of building a playground for the children but due to a shoul-

der injury Mr Woodward had been unable to carry out the work.

Corporal Currie seeing the merits of the idea volunteered his patrol to help and set about the task of building the playground. Using various items found around the farm, the soldiers managed in no time, with creative minds to build a castle, a boat, a train and a fighter aircraft. The children and the Woodward's were all very pleased with the final results.

The patrol also found the experience very rewarding. Corporal Currie said, "It was a bit of a graft but the look on the kids faces when it was finished made it all worth it, we were very happy to help."

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Elqui prepares for her final voyage

FOLLOWING a conviction for illegal fishing and failure by the vessel owners to pay their fine, the longliner *Elqui* was awarded by the court to the Government of South Georgia and the South Sandwich Islands (GSGSSI).

Operations Manager for GSGSSI, Gordon Liddle explained that the principal objective of the GSGSSI has been to ensure that the vessel cannot fish illegally again. As the vessel has no commercial value to a legal operator and as GSGSSI would have no control over its final ownership were they to attempt to find a buyer, "sinking or scrapping were considered the only two options."

Scuttling has become the preferred option as the cost of removal to a scrap yard far outweighed the scrap value of the ship. This was largely because the ship was not in a fit condition to be flagged in the Falklands and sail to another port safely under its own power and the costs of towing are extremely high.

The vessel could not be sunk in the state in which it was left by its previous owners, Glencagles Corporation, so advice was sought from the Attorney General, the Marine Officer and several others. Mr Liddle said this was done to ensure that all the correct procedures were being followed and that there would be "no pollution risk whatsoever to the marine environment."

He added, "the Marine Officer has been consulted throughout the



cleaning process, continues to be so and is content with the work that is presently being undertaken, the Environmental Planning Officer is also in the picture."

The work presently being carried out is long and complex and includes the removal of all hydraulic fluids, this is to include emptying and cleaning storage tanks, hydraulic pipelines and hydraulically operated machinery.

Mr Liddle said the fuel tanks are not only being emptied but are being manually cleaned as they become empty, adding that this work is being done safely including the use of air sampling equipment to ensure that there are no dangerous concentrations of gas.

The engine lubricating oils have all been removed, both from

storage tanks which have been manually cleaned and from the main engines, generators and motors. These too have been manually cleaned to ensure no unacceptable hydrocarbons remain.

The galley fryers have been cleaned to remove cooking oils and all food and other domestic waste has been removed and burned.

Paints and batteries have been removed and all the fishing gear has, or is being, removed including lines, winches, deck lights, radars and other navigational equipment, plastic baskets, hooks and snood lines etc.

Mr Liddle said that some objects have been offered to the Museum and National Trust, in particular an "old and rather interesting binnacle compass on the monkey deck."

With the cleanup process completed the ship will be an empty shell with no remaining loose materials or oils, gasses etc on board that could cause any adverse environmental impact or any hazard to other shipping.

Mr Liddle described the project as "a costly exercise for the Government of South Georgia and the South Sandwich Islands but one that shows their determination to ensure that pirate fishermen do not profit from their crimes."

When selecting a site for scuttling the *Elqui* Mr Liddle said there are some issues that have to be borne in mind. It should be in waters sufficiently deep to ensure that it is not a navigational hazard and

that the ship will not immediately break up by pounding, thus releasing any deck timbers to the surface. Mr Liddle said that at the correct depth the timbers will "waterlog and remain permanently on the bottom."

The site should also be reasonably close to Stanley to reduce the towing time and the possibility of the ship sinking accidentally in a less favourable position.

It is planned to put the *Elqui* next to rocks or a natural reef because even if inshore trawling were to be permitted by FIG in the future, ships could not trawl immediately next to rocks therefore the *Elqui* would still not be a hazard. Mr Liddle stressed that there would be a minimal affect on marine life and that, carried out correctly, the hulk could, "provide a haven for fish and become an artificial reef."

A licence to scuttle the vessel in Falklands waters will be required from FIG, this will be considered at Executive Council on August 25.

Falkland Islands Salvager Lyle Craigie-Halkett has had the unenviable task of cleaning the ship which still contained rotting fish when work began.

Lyle reported that the work is slightly ahead of schedule and attributes this to the hard work of his gang, Gerard Smith, Gordon Peck and Arthur McBain plus the Sullivan Shipping launch crews.

Lyle has worked for the South Georgia Government on other occasions. He and his team removed several thousand tons of heavy fuel oil from the whaling stations at South Georgia in 1990/91 and more recently undertook the major clean up operation of the whaling stations in 2003/4.

After spending most of his life at sea, Lyle moved into salvage and has worked on some interesting projects around the world such as being involved in locating Vasco Da Gamma's three uncles ships that were lost off the coast of Oman in 1553. During another expedition in the South China Sea, Lyle discovered a silver ingot on a 12th century wreck and donated it to the Falklands Museum for their maritime section.



Salvager Lyle Craigie-Halkett on the bridge of *Elqui*

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Booklet remembers Dean Brandon

Dean Lowther Brandon was Colonial Chaplain to the Falkland Islands (1877-1892) and Dean of the Cathedral on its completion (1892-1907).

Through his 30 years of service in the Falkland Islands, Dean Brandon won over the hearts and affection of the Falklands people, pointing them towards God in his own manner. On horseback he rode across the islands from farm to farm visiting families wherever he found them. He had a magic lantern and carried this with him wherever he went. No one carried the torch higher for Christ than he did. There is perhaps no clearer evidence of this than in the building of Christ Church Cathedral, Stanley, for which Dean Lowther Brandon was responsible together with Bishop Stirling (the first Bishop of the Falkland Islands). It was a major project.

Lowther Brandon's arrival in the Falklands in 1877 was the catalyst to build a Cathedral Church, which would serve as the Cathedral of the South American Diocese and also the Parish Church of the Falkland Islands.

Nearly a century after the completion of those unforgettable thirty years of unique service from 1877-1907, Dean Brandon remains strong in the folk memory of the Falkland Islands, and has contributed to the binding of the Falkland Islands people.

He returned to his native Ireland after his service in the Falkland Islands, and spent the last



twenty five years of his life living and working among his people. He was born on 25th January 1846 and he died on the 16th July 1933, aged 87 years.

His memory lives on today in the Falkland Islands particularly because of his "magic lantern" and the part he played in the creation of the Cathedral, surely a monument to his life here.

A small but comprehensive booklet about Dean Brandon has been compiled by Canon Gerry Murphy, Chaplain to the Falkland Islands from March 1987 to October 1991.

The booklet will shortly be available for purchase priced at £2.50 (plus postage). All proceeds will go to the Christ Church Cathedral. You can order your copy now from Viv Perkins on telephone / fax 21325 or email justme@horizon.co.fk.

Older cemetery graves to be tidied up

AS contractors for the Public Works Department (PWD), and part of on-going maintenance and improvement to the Cemetery, we are now approaching the second season of a three-year programme.

To date, as well as routine grass maintenance, graves have been edged, paths cleared and weed killed, and gorse bushes removed or trimmed back. Very shortly some paths will be dug out and re-gravelled.

Grateful to the McKenzies of Moody Brook

WE would like to thank Charlie and Maud McKenzie of Moody Brook Homestead, for their kind and much appreciated hospitality on Friday, August 19.

We had been climbing Mt Tumbledown and came down to find a flat battery, owing to the lights having been left on. I shall not mention by whom, but suffice to

This coming season we would also like to clean up inside some of the older grave areas - removing moss, weeds and old wood etc. If any family would prefer for graves to be left as they are, please can they contact me, or the PWD Works Manager so their wishes can be respected. This area has graves that are 75-100 years or older.

Tim Miller
Stanley Nurseries

say possible divorce has now been prevented!

Charlie towed us round to his place and we were made to feel most welcome while waiting for the mechanic. Rebecca and Francesca would especially like to thank Maud for the sweets.

The Quince family
Mount Pleasant



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Bullying needs solution

RECENT correspondence has suggested that bullying in the workplace is a real problem and current practice does not seem to allow for a solution.

Should an employee feel they are being bullied then I would suggest that there is a need for an independent panel to review all evidence and report their findings, prior to action being taken, by the employer or either of the employees involved.

If the case is within FIG, and all appropriate steps taken by senior management to resolve the issues have failed, then the next step would be the appointment of three persons to sift through the evidence, call witnesses and review the problem from all points of view. As the review would be in-

ternal at this stage, and be reported back to the Chief Executive, one of those appointed would be from within FIG, and the other two would be non-government personnel.

The findings of this review body would be reported to all parties and provide the basis for further action, should it be required.

Appropriate disciplinary action could result, the case could be dropped, or if either employee or employer is still not satisfied then the matter may have to come before the court.

With this process in place any decisions taken would be seen as fair, open and transparent.

Phil Middleton
Stanley

Bureaucracy gone completely mad?

CAN someone suggest, why, (when I have recently signed a Power of Attorney and in the not too distant past, Mortgages and my Will, and have only been required to have witnesses who either have known me for a certain period of time, or may be not at all) do the Falklands require that for 12 month's Child Allowance (just over £600), I pay £5 to get the signature of a Commissioner of Oaths to entitle me to this payment?

It's actually not the money- although for some mothers it could be more of a hardship- it's the absurdity of the whole system.

I am informed that this signature is a requirement of a Statutory Declaration- so why not re-

move the declaration?

In a place where we are surely known by every Tom, Dick and Harry and where it seems highly unlikely that I could feign having a score of imaginary children away at college, why do we waste so much of both our time and that of the Commissioner of Oaths? Or is it to supplement the department's earnings?

With the best will in the world the staff of that department know me no better than those, for instance, in the Post Office who could witness my signature just as easily. This is surely bureaucracy gone completely mad?

Jane Cotter
Stanley

Hopeful that Argentines will recognise 'folly' of 1982

IN their recent debate/seminar in Argentina, Mr Bielsa and his cronies forgot one important point: his country illegally invaded and occupied our country.

They should consider this before laying the blame for the sinking of the Belgrano onto Mrs Thatcher.

I am still hopeful one day the Argentine Nation will recognise

and apologise for their folly of the 1982 Invasion and that they will recognise our right to self determination.

That will only come about when the Argentine Government shows that they have matured politically and cease their arrogant and intimidating attitude.

David Eynon
Stanley

Share your views, write to
Penguin News

Padded knickers and a pony named Bilbo



Falkland Islander Lisa Johnston writes of her experiences at the Akrotiri Saddle Club (ASC) in Cyprus

I HONESTLY didn't think I'd have to begin contemplating wearing padded knickers at least until I reached the grand old age of 80, but life in the horse-world makes a mockery of the norm.

Why this premature move into incontinence style underwear?

Well primarily due to riding an unschooled pony every morning in 35 degrees centigrade.

Believe me the sweaty friction that builds up between one's, ahem, delicate areas and a hot, synthetic saddle leads to injuries unmentionable in a family newspaper.

Sufficient to say my son recently enquired, "Mum why do you always scream when you sit down in the bath?"

All such horrors might have been avoided of course if I hadn't

been such a smart arse enthusiast and purchased a kindly tempered, but relatively untrained pony on behalf of the club. (Ponies are in short supply in Cyprus and have to be snapped up when they become available).

Bilbo, an allegedly Bulgarian cob-style four year old, is an absolute sweetheart, and will no doubt be a lifelong asset to Akrotiri Saddle Club.

Unfortunately what I didn't plan for was the fact that as the club's smallest adult, I'd be the one elected to train him over the summer holidays – and the hottest time of the year in Cyprus.

On the up-side, Bilbo (renamed 'fanny-grater' by my sniggering colleagues) is doing quite well.

Riding him on a right circle no longer requires me to yank his head round virtually to his tail, and he's now ceased to screech to a vicious halt when I inadvertently mumble 'good boy'.

Regarding the latter problem I can only assume that the English words 'good boy' must phonetically resemble a Bulgarian or Cypriot phrase akin to, "...stop right there you little b****rd or I'll hit you over the head with this here fence post."

All in all, I'm optimistic he should be ready for lessons with small adults in a month and hopefully he'll be trotting obediently around with a small grinning child on top in two months or more - fingers crossed.

Then again bearing in mind what horrific little bucking, bolting monsters the rest of the ponies are, I'm not sure why I'm being so pernickety about Bilbo's behaviour...

In fact apart from 'new pony' hysteria amongst our younger members, and one large thoroughbred with a nasty snake bite, life has been quiet at ASC.

Formal lessons ceased for a month due to the heat and I have had time to recover from the stresses of undertaking a riding instructor's certificate; a dreadful trauma involving weeks of confusing English horse terms, plus three lesson assessments.

Now I'm not going to bore you with details of the ghastly task that is a riding instructors assessment; suffice to list its components.

- One hatchet faced British Horse Society Assessor.
- Five untrustworthy ponies.
- Five smirking children.
- One nervous instructor (me).
- A SAND STORM.

Believe me the final assessment wasn't pretty.

While only being able to see half of my class at any given moment I struggled through an appallingly miserable forty minutes, optimistically barking orders, and with a fake smile plastered across my severely exfoliated face – to be followed by thirty minute debrief from 'hatchet face'.

Of course I only listened to the first few seconds, which included the words "Well done, you passed."

While she blathered on for another half hour about leg yielding, diagonals and other such jargon, I had long ago mentally retired to the bar, pint of lager in hand and a warm smug glow under my belt.

Still on the subject of horses but a little closer to home, I recently had the pleasure of introducing two Falklands horsewomen to the "pleasures" of European riding.

My good friend Debs Summers threw her leg over one of our liveliest mounts and proved to ASC members, that what qualifies as a buck in English terms, really doesn't even raise an eyebrow on a Stanley jockey.

Also Imojen Goss, would have made her jockey Dad, Will, and Grandad, Eric, very proud if they'd seen her trotting ever so elegantly over the Cyprus Bondu.

And on the subject of Islanders, any Falklands horse lovers who happen to be passing through this part of the world are more than welcome to give me a call (0035799931197) or lisajohnst@yahoo.co.uk if they fancy viewing an alternative horse life-style.

Working the other way, one of our Akrotiri Saddle Club Members, SAC Shelley Gray is on her way to the Falkland Islands, and has promised me faithfully she'll be saddling up Falklands style at the first opportunity.

So if you bump into her on horseback, chuck her a Heineken, tighten her tie-downs and say hello from her pal Lisa. Cheers.

Falklands girlguides attend the Surrey West International Gathering

BEFORE we go into the wonders of the International Camp Bernice Hewitt, Terri, and Cherie Clifford, would like to say a big thank you to the people of the Falkland Islands for the support and generosity that allowed them to participate and represent the Falkland Islands Guides at this International Camp.

During the flight from MPA to Brize Norton we kept busy with school coursework, watching films, occupying young children and sleeping. We were met on our arrival by Mr Dave Cowell, (husband of one of the Guides) and taken to our hospitality homestays in Weybridge. Bernice and Terri stayed with the family of one of the young guides attending the camp (Helen Baldwin). Cherie stayed with Val and Mike Ware several roads away. Cherie managed to navigate herself back to the Baldwins for Helen's mum Caroline to take them all to 'Spectrum' (a massive leisure centre in Guildford), where we spent over an hour enjoying the various activities in the swimming pool, - the favourite being the tubes.

The following day Caroline took us all to a Kingston Shopping Mall where we browsed, buying essentials. That evening we were invited to visit the Esher Guides, camping at Heyswood, to join them for supper and Campfire. They were having a New Zealand theme night and we were joining up with the New Zealand Guides and Guiders. The camp was set in a little wooded area where the girls produced renditions of the



From the left: Terri Clifford, Cherie Clifford and Bernice Hewitt

Maori dances.

The following day was the start of the International Camp.

Road maps were produced for us to navigate along the motorway and find the correct turnoffs to Farnham and then down the country lanes to Heron's Wey.

What a mass of tents! That was the first vision that caught our eyes, but then there were going to be almost 700 guides participating from 22 countries! We were in the sub-camp 'Dodgems' (the others were Carousel, Galleon, Rollercoaster, Deathslide and Helter-skelter). Our Sub-Camp leader was Shirley Day, and our QM (Quartermaster) was Lynn Thomas.

Lynn had earlier in the year been to the Falklands visiting the McPhee family where she had met Cherie. QM and her assistants pro-

vided us with yummy hot meals all through the camp. As well as the UK girl guides, within our sub camp there were guides from Australia, Alberta and Singapore.

Once all the girls had arrived, the sub camp leader greeted us and "the ground rules" were laid down. Each girl was given a blue denim bag with a pink ribbon on the strap to indicate which sub camp they were in (Dodgems being pink). These had to be worn at all times as they contained the guides individual health forms and as the camp wore on, became displays for all the badges and pins that were swapped between countries. Each girl was also given a SWInG 2005 polo shirt that was to be worn on the days that we were out of the camp area. We were then allocated our tents, allowed to unpack, and meet our new friends. One

of the rules was that we had to make as many friends as possible including one from every country participating in the Camp.

That afternoon during the Opening Ceremony Bernice looked really proud and excited as she represented the Guides from the Falklands and paraded the flag in the main marquee. We were welcomed to the Camp by both Sylvia Lambart (Camp Chief), and Cindy Barnes (County Commissioner). The Opening Ceremony also included the official camp song "Is this the way to Heron's Wey Camp" to the tune of "Is this the way to Amarillo", displaying the various activities that we would participate in.

Saturday and Sunday were taken up with various activities including horse riding, canoeing, air rifle shooting, archery, pedal carting, using the inflatables, Donuttin (which even Cherie and Australian leader Linda participated in – screaming like banshees down the slopes in rubber tubes), and the favourite Farnham Sport Centre. The latter where we were able to go swimming and enjoy a warm shower and a flushable toilet! (nothing beats a nice shower and flushing toilet).

Saturday evening was karaoke, and Sunday evening a Wide Game that we thoroughly enjoyed although it rained the entire game and we returned soaked with face paint smudged down our faces!

Article submitted by Terri, Cherie and Bernice.



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Saturday 27th August
 8.00 THE ASHES 4TH TEST HIGHLIGHTS Mark Nicholas presents highlights of the second day of the 4th Ashes Test between England and Australia at Trent Bridge
 8.30 ROOM 785
 8.35 TAZ-MANIA
 9.00 SHORT CHANGE Young people's consumer magazine with
 9.30 BLUE PETER
 10.00 THE SATURDAY SHOW
 11.30 MOVIE PRESENTATION: UNCLE BUCK (1989) Comedy starring John Candy and Macaulay Culkin
 1.00 NEWS
 1.10 FOOTBALL FOCUS
 2.00 GRANDSTAND Steve Rider is at Cardiff's Millennium Stadium for an all-Yorkshire affair as Leeds and Hull clash in the final of rugby league's Powergen Challenge Cup
 6.15 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER
 6.25 CARTOON TIME
 6.35 EDINBURGH MILITARY TATTOO Edinburgh Military Tattoo 2005 celebrates The Royal Navy and commemorates the 200th anniversary of the Battle of Trafalgar
 7.35 CASUALTY
 8.25 THE X FACTOR
 9.25 MOVIE PRESENTATION: BEST IN SHOW (2000) Spoof documentary about the world of dog shows. Starring Bob Balaban, Jennifer Coolidge, Christopher Guest, John Michael Higgins, Michael Hitchcock and Eugene Levy
 10.50 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 11.10 MATCH OF THE DAY
 12.30 [am] THE ASHES 4TH TEST HIGHLIGHTS
 1.00 [am] NEWS 24

Sunday 28th August
 8.30 ROOM 785
 8.40 STUPID Madcap fantasy comedy
 9.05 MATCH OF THE DAY
 10.30 NEWS 24 SUNDAY
 11.30 THE HEAVEN AND EARTH SHOW
 12.30 CD: UK
 1.20 HOLLYOAKS OMNIBUS
 3.20 THE ISLAND: EUROPEAN PREMIERE Jenni Falconer reports from the red carpet at the European premiere in London of the sci-fi cloning adventure, and talks to Ewan McGregor, Scarlett Johansson, Sean Bean and director Michael Bay
 3.40 OLIVER BEENE
 4.00 ONE TREE HILL
 4.35 THE SIMPSONS
 5.00 BARCLAYS PREMIERSHIP Newcastle United versus Manchester United at St James' Park.
 6.55 TFI CYPRUS
 7.05 TOP GEAR
 8.05 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 8.25 FRASIER American sitcom
 8.45 NEW TRICKS (New) Drama series Starring Amanda Redman, Dennis Waterman, Alun Armstrong, James Bolam, Keith Barron and Susan Jameson
 9.45 THE WEST WING Drama series Followed by: BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 10.30 ABSOLUTE POWER Sitcom
 11.00 WORLD RALLY CHAMPIONSHIP
 11.50 MOVIE PRESENTATION: RUSHMORE (1998) Quirky comedy. Starring Jason Schwartzman, Olivia Williams, Bill Murray, Luke Wilson, Seymour Cassel and Brian Cox
 1.20 [am] NEWS 24

Monday 29th August
 7.30 THE ASHES 4TH TEST HIGHLIGHTS
 ROOM 785
 8.10 POSTMAN PAT



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8.35 THE ICE CREAM MACHINE Comedy drama
 8.50 FAIRLY ODD PARENTS
 9.15 REALLY WILD SHOW
 9.40 BLUE PETER
 10.05 MOVIE PRESENTATION: THE MUPPETS TAKE MANHATTAN. Starring Liza Minnelli, Joan Rivers, Brooke Shields, Elliot Gould, James Coco and Art Carney
 11.35 CELEBRITY WEAKEST LINK
 12.30 STARS IN FAST CARS Followed by: BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 1.00 IT SHOULDN'T HAPPEN TO A TV MAKEOVER SHOW
 1.50 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 2.00 EMMERDALE
 2.45 MOVIE PRESENTATION: STUART LITTLE 2 (2002) Featuring the voices of Michael J Fox, James Woods and Melanie Griffith
 3.55 GROUND FORCE - A GARDEN FOR AFRICA '05
 4.55 CELEBRITY STARS IN THEIR EYES
 5.45 THE KING OF QUEENS Sitcom
 6.05 CORONATION STREET
 6.30 FINAL SCORE
 6.50 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 7.20 EASTENDERS
 7.50 THE BILL
 8.35 THE LENNY HENRY SHOW
 9.05 FAT FRIENDS
 9.55 ANN WIDDECOMBE TO THE RESCUE Series following the no-nonsense MP as she goes on the road to attempt to solve a variety of family crises, love quandries and workplace spats Followed by: BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 10.25 MONKEY TROUSERS Comedy sketch show
 10.50 KATH AND KIM Australian sitcom
 11.15 THE CHAMPIONSHIP
 12.05 [am] EDINBURGH FESTIVAL
 12.35 [am] NEWS 24

Tuesday 30th August

7.00 BREAKFAST
 10.15 ROOM 785
 10.25 RUGRATS
 10.35 KERCHING!
 11.00 THE ASHES 4TH TEST HIGHLIGHTS
 11.30 THIS MORNING
 1.30 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 2.10 HEARTBEAT
 3.00 HOW TO BE A PROPERTY DEVELOPER
 3.45 ROOM 785
 3.55 50/50

4.25 STINGRAY
 4.55 BARKING
 5.15 TIME TEAM
 6.05 DUKES OF HAZZARD MOVIE SPECIAL
 6.30 A SEASIDE PARISH Documentary series
 7.00 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 7.30 EASTENDERS
 8.00 THE BILL
 8.45 YOU ARE WHAT YOU EAT REVISITED
 9.10 SUPERNANNY
 10.00 NIP/TUCK Followed by: BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 10.50 MY LIFE AS A CHILD Six part series aimed at adults, in which children aged between 7 and 11 were given a camera to record their life over several months
 11.30 THE BIGGER PICTURE WITH GRAHAM NORTON Cutting-edge comedy
 12.00 HARDWARE Comedy series
 12.25 [am] NEWS 24

Wednesday 31st August

7.00 BREAKFAST
 10.15 ROOM 785
 10.20 FAIRLY ODD PARENTS
 10.35 STINGRAY
 11.00 MASTERCHEF GOES LARGE (New)
 11.30 THIS MORNING
 1.30 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 2.10 EMMERDALE
 2.55 HOW TO BE A PROPERTY DEVELOPER
 3.45 ROOM 785
 4.00 XCHANGE: AFRICA
 4.30 GIRLS IN LOVE
 4.55 A DIFFERENT LIFE Documentary series
 5.20 AIRLINE USA
 5.45 MALCOLM IN THE MIDDLE
 6.05 CORONATION STREET
 6.55 CREATURE COMFORTS
 7.00 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 7.30 BUFFY THE VAMPIRE SLAYER
 8.10 SPIRITUALITY SHOPPER (New) Presented by Olympic gold-medallist Jonathan Edwards
 9.00 LOST
 9.45 CAR NATION Documentary series exploring the role of cars in our lives Followed by: BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 10.45 MAKE ME A SUPERMODEL Model and actress Rachel Hunter fronts a series whose purpose is to find a potential new supermodel
 11.55 KEN DODD'S COMEDY HEROES Three-part series exploring the inspiration behind some of the nation's favourite comedians

12.40 [am] NEWS 24

Thursday 1st September

7.00 BREAKFAST
 10.15 ROOM 785
 10.25 THE CRAMP TWINS
 10.35 KERCHING!
 11.00 DIY SOS
 11.30 THIS MORNING
 1.30 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 2.10 HEARTBEAT
 3.00 HOW TO BE A PROPERTY DEVELOPER
 3.45 ROOM 785
 4.05 WRITING ACADEMY
 4.30 BLUE PETER
 5.00 SERIOUS DESERT
 5.25 ENTERPRISE
 6.05 CORONATION STREET
 6.30 THE BOX OFFICE BOYS
 7.00 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 7.30 EASTENDERS
 8.00 HOLBY CITY
 9.00 BAD GIRLS
 9.50 THE CULT OF THE SUICIDE BOMBER (New) Two-part series reveals for the first time on television the secret history of the Islamic suicide bomber. Followed by: BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 10.40 ARRESTED DEVELOPMENT Comedy series about a rich dysfunctional family
 11.00 BADDIEL AND SKINNER UNPLANNED
 11.25 CELEBRITY FEAR FACTOR UK
 12.10 [am] A BEAR'S TALE
 12.35 [am] NEWS 24

Friday 2nd September

7.00 BREAKFAST
 10.15 ROOM 785
 10.20 FAIRLY ODD PARENTS Children's animated series about a boy with magical fairy godparents
 10.35 BLUE PETER
 11.00 MASTERCHEF GOES LARGE
 11.30 THIS MORNING
 1.30 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 2.10 EMMERDALE
 2.55 HOW TO BE A PROPERTY DEVELOPER
 3.45 ROOM 785
 3.55 ATOMIC BETTY
 4.20 FINGER TIPS (New)
 4.35 THE WEEK ON NEWSROUND
 4.55 MY PARENTS ARE ALIENS
 5.15 THE GADGET SHOW
 5.40 THE CITY GARDENER
 6.05 CORONATION STREET
 6.30 SHOULD I WORRY ABOUT...? Ageing:
 7.00 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 7.30 EASTENDERS
 8.00 HOW CLEAN IS YOUR HOUSE?
 8.25 QUEER EYE FOR THE STRAIGHT GUY
 9.10 MURPHY'S LAW Crime drama series about a maverick undercover cop
 10.10 WHAT LEONARD COHEN DID FOR MEA celebration of the career of Leonard Cohen. Contributors include Nick Cave, Jarvis Cocker, Ian McCulloch, Arthur Smith, Kathryn Williams and Paul Morley Followed by: BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 10.40 ER Drama series
 11.25 MOVIE PRESENTATION: MISSION IMPOSSIBLE (1996) Fast-paced action thriller based on the vintage TV spy series. Starring Tom Cruise, Emmanuelle Beart, Jon Voight, Jean Reno, Kristin Scott-Thomas and Vanessa Redgrave
 1.10 [am] NEWS 24

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Your programmes - F.I.R.S.

Weekly schedule of programmes - as updated by FIRS

SATURDAY

5:00 IRN News & Childrens Corner
6:00 Weather, Flights, Ranges, Announcements, Job Shop & What's on Guide
6:17 The Archers
6:30 News Review
7:00 In Concert
8:00 Feature Presentation
8:30 Weather, Flights & The Fusion with Stacy
10:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/
530mw & 88.3fm

SUNDAY

5:00 IRN News & Chaplains Choice with Paul Sweeting
5:30 Classical Interlude with Kathy Biles
6:00 Weather, Flights, Ranges, Announcements, Job Shop & What's on Guide
6:15 Short Story
6:30 Feature Presentation
7:00 Sunday Evening Service
8:00 Slow Jams with Jock to include Weather & Flights at 8:30
10:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/
530mw & 88.3fm

MONDAY

7:00 IRN News & Breakfast Show with Ken (530mw & 88.3fm)
9:00 KTV Radio Nova
10:00 IRN News & Lifestyle with Liz to include:
12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
12:30 Calling The Falklands (repeat)
1:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/
530mw & 88.3fm

4:00 IRN News & People's Jukebox
5:00 IRN News followed by Jukebox
6:00 IRN News & The Archers
6:15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop followed by Country Crossroads
7:00 Comedy presentation
7:30 Music feature
8:30 Weather, Flights & The Vinyl Frontier with Myriam
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & KTV Radio Nova/
530mw & 88.3fm

TUESDAY

7:00 IRN News & Breakfast Show with Ken (530mw & 88.3fm)
9:00 KTV Radio Nova
10:00 IRN News & Lifestyle with Liz to include:
12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
12:30 One To One
1:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/
530mw & 88.3fm

4:00 IRN News & People's Jukebox
5:00 IRN News followed by Jukebox
6:00 IRN News & The Archers
6:15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop followed by Calling The Falklands
6:45 Simply Classical
7:45 Folk Music Show
8:30 Weather, Flights & 80's and 90's with Sheena
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & KTV Radio Nova/
530mw & 88.3fm

WEDNESDAY

7:00 IRN News & Breakfast Show with Ken (530mw & 88.3fm)
9:00 KTV Radio Nova
10:00 IRN News & Lifestyle with Liz to include:
12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
12:30 Calling The Falklands (repeat)
1:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/
530mw & 88.3fm

4:00 IRN News & People's Jukebox
5:00 IRN News followed by Jukebox
6:00 IRN News & The Archers
6:15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop followed by The Best Of... with Jock
7:30 Drama Presentation
8:30 Weather, Flights & FIBS Chart Show
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & KTV Radio Nova/
530mw & 88.3fm

THURSDAY

7:00 IRN News & Breakfast Show with Ken (530mw & 88.3fm)
9:00 KTV Radio Nova
10:00 IRN News & Lifestyle with Liz to include:
12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
1:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/
530mw & 88.3fm

4:00 IRN News & People's Jukebox
5:00 IRN News followed by Jukebox
6:00 IRN News & The Archers
6:15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop followed by Soul, Blues & Rock 'n' Roll with Liz
7:30 Feature Presentation
8:00 Pot Luck with Myriam to include Weather & Flights at 8:30
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & KTV Radio Nova/
530mw & 88.3fm

FRIDAY

7:00 IRN News & Breakfast Show with Ken (530mw & 88.3fm)
9:00 KTV Radio Nova
10:00 IRN News & Lifestyle with Liz to include:
12:15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
12:30 Caught In The Net/Camp Matters
1:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/
530mw & 88.3fm

4:00 IRN News & People's Jukebox
5:00 IRN News followed by Jukebox
6:00 IRN News & The Archers
6:15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop followed by The Information Hour to include:
Calling The Falklands
One To One (repeat)
Conservation Conversations (repeat)
Caught In The Net/Camp Matters (repeat)
7:30 Non-Stop Country Hour
8:30 Weather, Flights & Leather and Lace with Tansy
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & KTV Radio Nova/
530mw & 88.3fm

Any changes will be broadcast on FIRS.



98.5 FM:

SATURDAY 0000 Groove Collective
PT 2 0100 The Box 0300 Cox & Bumfrey
0500 Early Riser 0700 Forces Finest PT
1 0800 Saturday Breakfast 1000 The Score
1300 Forces Finest 1500 Cox & Bumfrey
1700 Ministry Of Sound 1900 David
Rodigan 2100 Club Culture 2300 The
Box PT 1
SUNDAY 0000 The Box PT 2 0100
Chill Out Room 0300 Sim Courtie 0500
Groove Collective 0700 UK Sunday Break-
fast 1000 Sim Courtie 1200 Access all
Areas 1400 Airplay UK 1700 The Source
1900 The Rock Show 2100 Up from the
Underground 2300 Chill Out Room PT1
MONDAY 0000 Chill Out Room PT 2
0100 Forces Finest 0300 BFBS Greatest
Hits 0400 Early Riser 0700 Hermina
Graham 1000 Adam Small 1300 Richard
Hutchinson 1600 Hatch & Duffus 1800

BFBS Greatest Hits 1900 UK Top 40
2200 Late Show with Lisa Davis
TUESDAY 0000 UK Late Show 0100
David Rodigan 0300 Greatest Hits 0400
Early Riser 0700 Hermina Graham 1000
Adam Small 1300 Richard Hutchinson
1600 Hatch & Duffus 1800 BFBS Greatest
Hits 1900 Evening Show 2200 Late Show
with Lisa Davis
WEDNESDAY 0000 UK Late Show
0100 Club Culture 0300 - 0000 As of
Tuesday
THURSDAY 0000 UK Late Show 0100
The Rock Show 0300 - 1600 As of
Tuesday, 1600 Hatch & Duffus 1800
BFBS Greatest Hits 1900 UK Evening
Show 2200 Late Show with Lisa Davis
FRIDAY 0000 UK Late Show 0100 Up
from the Underground 0300 BFBS Greatest
Hits 0400 Early Riser 0700 Hermina
Graham 1000 Adam Small 1300 Richard
Hutchinson 1600 Hatch & Duffus 1800
BFBS Greatest Hits 1900 Friday Dance
2100 Ministry of Sound 2300 The Groove
Collective



550 MW:

SATURDAY 0000 Classic weekend break-
fast 0200 Today 0400 Home Truths 0500
Dead Ringers 0530 G3 0600 News/
Allinson's albums 0700 Sport on Five
1400 Rockola 1500 The Classic Rock show
1600 Raven 'n' the blues 1700 Late night
live 2000 Up all night
SUNDAY 0000 Classic weekend break-
fast 0200 Weekend woman's hour 0300
Sunday Worship 0350 A point of view
0400 Broadcasting House 0520 The
Archers Omnibus 0618 Seven days 0700
BFG on Sunday 0800 Sport on Five 1400
The BFBS Radio 2 Comedy Hour 1500
News/The Archers 1515 A point of view
1530 Behind the glass: The Phil Ramone
story 1600 Home truths 1700 Late night
live 2000 Up all Night
MONDAY 0000 Morning Reports 0030
Wake up to money 0100 Today 0400
News/Simon Marlow's bank holiday gold
0700 Five live bank holidays special 1200
PM from BBC radio 4 1300 The Six
o'clock News 1330 Classic Rock 1430
Sport on five 1700 Late night live 1900 Up
all Night
TUESDAY 0000 Morning Reports 0030
Wake up to money 0100 Today 0400
News/Dave Windors's Gold 0600 BFBS
Radio 2 news 0610 Glen Mansell 0830

Richard Astbury 1100 BFBS Today 1115
The Archers 1130 Behind the glass The
Phil Ramone story 1200 PM From BBC
Radio 4 1300 The six o'clock news 1330
Rockola 1430 Sport on Five 1700 Late
night live 1900 Up all night
WEDNESDAY 0000 Morning Reports
0030 Wake up to money 0100 Today from
BBC Radio 4 0400 News/Dave Windors's
Gold 0600 BFBS Radio 2 news 0610 Glen
Mansell 0830 Richard Astbury 1100 BFBS
Today 1115 The Archers 1130 Don't
mention the war 1200 PM From BBC
Radio 4 1300 The six o'clock news 1330
Allinson's Albums 1430 Sport on Five
1700 Late night live 1900 Up all night
THURSDAY 0000 Morning Reports
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Richard Astbury 1100 BFBS Today 1115
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The six o'clock news 1330 Raven 'n' the
Blues 1430 Sport on Five 1700 Late night
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News/Dave Windors's Gold 0600 BFBS
Radio 2 news 0610 Glen Mansell 0830
Richrd Astbury 1100 BFBS Today 1115
The Archers 1130 Just a minute 1200 PM
from BBC Radio 4 1300 The six o'clock
news 1330 Nigel Rennie Country 1430
Sport on Five 1700 Brian Hayes 1900 Up
all night



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- BFBS1 96.5 FM Island wide and 98.5 MPA.
- BFBS2 550 MW Island wide.
- Radio Nova: BBC World Service on 106.5 FM and 530 MW and Deutsche Welle on 101.1 FM

Falkland Islands Defence Force Routine Orders



Thursday 1st September 2005
1900hrs Exercise de-brief & Training Programme Brief
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Phoenix Cinema Schedule - 27 August - 2 September, 2005

Weekday show starts - 20:00

Saturday shows starts - 1st Performance 09:30 2nd Performance 14:00 3rd Performance 20:00

Sunday shows starts - 1st Performance 13:00 2nd Performance 17:00 3rd Performance 20:00

Saturday 27 August	Sunday 28 August	Monday 29 August	Tuesday 30 August	Wednesday 31 August	Thursday 1 September	Friday 2 September
WAR OF THE WORLDS	MR & MRS SMITH	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED
BATMAN BEGINS	BATMAN BEGINS	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED
KINGDOM OF HEAVEN	THE DESCENT	THE DESCENT	THE PACIFIER	KUNG FU HUSTLE	THE DESCENT	SIN CITY

KUNG FU HUSTLE (15) 98 mins. Act/Com Stephen Chow, Kwok Chan
BATMAN BEGINS (12A) 141 mins. Act/Fantasy. Christian Bale, Michael Caine
MR & MRS SMITH (15) 119 mins. Thriller. Brad Pitt, Angelina Jolie
WAR OF THE WORLDS (12A) 116 mins. Action. Tom Cruise, Dakota Fanning

KINGDOM OF HEAVEN (15) 144 mins. Drama Sc. Orlando Bloom, Liam Neeson
THE DESCENT (18) 99 mins. Horror. Myanna Buring, Craig Conway
THE PACIFIER (PG) 95 mins. Comedy Sc. Vin Diesel, Lauren Graham
SIN CITY (18) 124 mins. Act/Thr. Jessica Alba, Bruce Willis



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- Chicken and Brandy Pate* £4.50

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- Sweet Thai Chilli Chicken* £11.95
- Pan-Fried Toothfish* £13.25
- Braised Lamb Shank* £13.55
- Pork Fillet Flamande* £12.90
- Pesto Fussili* £10.65

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Every Sunday

15:30hrs to 19:30hrs



Starters

- Clinton* £4.90
- J.F.K* £4.25
- Nixon* £4.00

Main Course

- New York New York* £4.60
- Stars And Stripes* £12.75
- Yankee Doodle Doo* £8.95
- Scooby Snack* £11.25
- Buffalo Bill* £6.30
- Uncle Sam* £7.10

Desserts

- Apple Pie with Cream*
£3.75
- Chocolate Fudge Brownies*
£3.75
- Chocolate Fudge Cake
with Cream* £3.25



The Reverend Dr Ewan Christian Brew Corlett 1922 - 2005



By Reverend Ian Faulds, Editor of the *Isle of Man Church Leader*. THE Reverend Dr Ewan Christian Brew Corlett (pictured above), son of Malcolm James and Catherine Anne Corlett, was born in Burma in 1922 and educated at Port Elizabeth, South Africa, King William's College, Oxford University (MA) and Durham University (PhD, Naval Architecture).

During a life packed with achievements, he went on to become a legend in marine and Church circles. He had a lifelong passion for the sea, initially wanting to pursue a career in the Royal Navy. When this was thwarted by a childhood illness, he directed his inter-

est in engineering to naval architecture and so began a career that was to peak with his appointment as Assessor to the Herald of Free Enterprise Inquiry in 1987.

It was his work in securing the return of Brunel's *SS Great Britain* to Bristol, however, that first brought him to the attention of the British people. When he left the British Aluminium Company (where he completed important work on *RY Britannia* and the water speed record boats for both Donald Campbell and John Cobb) in 1953, he received, as a parting gift, a print showing the great iron ship on her maiden voyage in heavy weather off Lundy Island.

Isambard Brunel and the background to the ship fascinated him and, in 1967, he wrote a letter to *The Times*, highlighting the national and international importance of the vessel, launched in 1843, which was lying aground at Gypsy Cove in the Falkland Islands.

This letter led to the formation of the *Great Britain* Project, to which he became technical adviser. He surveyed the vessel in the Falklands in 1969 (travelling to the Islands with Lord Chalfont on H.M.S. *Endurance*), carried out the background technical work which established the feasibility of a salvage attempt, and was on board with Prince Philip when the vessel was brought up the Avon and returned to her original build-

ing dock in Bristol.

He then advised on the technical aspects of her conservation and restoration and wrote the definitive technical history of the vessel, *The Iron Ship*. He remained involved throughout, even attending the 're-launch' of the ship, after a major restoration project, on 19th July this year.

In March, 1996 he received an award from the World Ship Trust, particularly recognising the importance of his contribution to the saving of the *S.S. Great Britain*. The award was presented to him by Prince Philip at Buckingham Palace. He had a broad interest in marine archaeology and researched or corresponded on a wide variety of topics, including the design and performance of twin hulled ships and the Graveney boat. He was the author of many technical papers and articles and a seminal book on *The Revolution in Merchant Shipping, 1950 to 1980*, something with which he had been closely involved. After an initial career in the UK, he moved back to the Isle of Man in 1976, where he moved to Port-e-Vullen, Maughold, which had been the family home since the seventeenth century. He continued to lead his consultancy business, Burness Corlett and Partners, on the Isle of Man until his retirement in 1988. Amongst his professional achievements, he was a liveryman of the

Worshipful Company of Shipwrights, becoming Prime Warden in 1990, Vice President of the Royal Institute of Naval Architects (1971-1982), Trustee of the National Maritime Museum (1974-1992), Fellow of the Royal Academy of Engineering (1978) and an Honorary Fellow of both the Nautical Institute and the Royal Institute of Navigation.

He received the Royal Institute of Navigation's bronze medal in 1980, and was awarded the OBE in 1985. His Christian faith was always a matter of great importance and, in 1988, he decided to train for the priesthood, being ordained in St. German's Cathedral, Peel, by Bishop Noël Jones in 1991. As a non-stipendiary curate for the Parish of Maughold from 1991 to 2004, he was active in taking services, making pastoral visits and generally supporting the Vicar. He was very proud of the fact that two direct ancestors of his had been Vicars of Maughold in the sixteenth century. He also served on the Diocesan Advisory Committee and personally visited and made security reports for every church in the Diocese. In 1946 he married Edna Lilian Buggs, who predeceased him in 2002. They had three sons, Nigel (b. 1950), Brian (b. 1953) and Malcolm (b. 1956) who all survive him - and who all follow in his engineering footsteps!

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General Practice

with Physiotherapist Karin Daelemans

Stages of tissue repair and the implications for (self) treatment

FOLLOWING a soft tissue injury like a ligament sprain, muscle tear, tendon strain etc, the body responds and goes through stages of healing. In the following outline, the number of days given for each stage is approximate. You have to be aware that the stages do overlap and that there are differences between individuals

1. Acute Stage – characterised by inflammatory reaction

During the first 48 hours post-injury vascular changes predominate. Plasma and cells leak into the surrounding tissue as oedema. The swelling can take a few hours to develop and the amount of swelling is dependent on which type of tissue is involved. Muscles tend to cause considerable swelling and bleeding but tendons do not easily swell. Within this stage, neutralization of chemical irritants, cleaning up of the dead tissue, early formation of new cells and formation of new capillaries begins. Usually this stage lasts 2-3 days. Clinically signs of inflammation are present with swelling, redness, heat, pain and loss of function. Treatment is aimed at relieving

and promoting healing.

The RICE- principle has to be commenced as soon as possible. RICE - Relative rest (relative rest rather than complete immobilisation, move around within pain limits), Ice, Compression (with tubigrip, bandage etc) and Elevation. Exercises are limited to gentle movements within the pain free range.

2. Repair stage

This stage is characterised by the synthesis and deposition of collagen. The immature collagen replaces the exudates that initially formed the clot. Some tissues -like bones, synovial joint lining and skeletal muscle- are capable of direct regeneration. All other soft tissues have to reconstruct the damaged tissue by scar tissue formation. Scar tissue does not have the exact same properties or tensile strength as the tissue it is rebuilding but it should resemble the tissue closely to ensure that normal function is regained. Initially the immature scar tissue is thin and unorganised and can easily be injured if overstressed. However, appropriate and graduated movement and loading will stimulate growth and alignment and minimizes any adhesions

to surrounding tissue.

Clinically the signs of inflammation decrease gradually until absent. Pain can be caused when stressing the damaged tissues.

At this stage you can gradually increase your functional movements (things you would perform during your normal daily activities) when there is enough tensile strength within the wound to withstand this. In practice you will still be guided by pain on movement. You can gradually increase your range of movement into mild discomfort but stay clear of pain.

3. Remodelling stage

The scar tissue is attempting to take on the physical characteristics of the tissue it is replacing. It starts 14 to 21 days after injury and continues for 6 months or more. Initially the immature scar tissue is weak and the fibres are randomly organised. During the remodelling stage the fibres will get rearranged in a linear and lateral orientation. Immature scar tissue is converted to mature strong scar tissue. Because remodelling

of maturing scar tissue occurs in a response to stresses placed on it, it is important to use controlled forces that duplicate normal stresses on the tissues.

In this stage it is important to gradually return to all your normal activities and sport. Your range of movement should return to normal and should be pain free although if you really overstretch the tissues they may stay sore for quite a while longer.

When it goes wrong!

Pain that recurs from an old injury may be the result of too early return to function, before proper healing has occurred, resulting in re-injury.

It can also be caused by tearing of scar tissue that has adhered to the surrounding tissues and therefore will not have good mobility. This is generally due to too long a rest period or immobilization.

Or by contractures or poor mobility in structures which become stressed with repeated or vigorous activity. This may happen if you do not ensure you regain your full movements.

Physiotherapy notice board

CAMP VISIT: As has happened in the previous years, the physiotherapist is available to do home visits in Camp in September.

This is a service specifically aimed at people who find it difficult to come into town. Where possible mini-clinics should be organised to minimise my travel time

Anyone out in camp who requires a physiotherapy assessment and/or advice can contact reception at KEMH on 28000 and leave their details. I will then get back to you and discuss it with you.

If you have **BORROWED ANY EQUIPMENT FROM THE PHYSIOTHERAPY DEPARTMENT** in the past and forgotten to return it, could you please

drop it off at reception.

I did an equipment check recently and I specifically seem to be missing a wobble board, a wobble disc, weights and Tens machines amongst other things. Please understand these things were lent to you on a short-term basis and other people might need them now.

MISSED APPOINTMENTS. In the last month, four hours of physiotherapy time have been wasted by people not keeping their appointments and not notifying reception.

Although it is nice to have time for a cup of tea and just sit down and have a chat rather than work, it does mean that other patients have to wait longer for an appointment. So please, if you can't keep an appointment, cancel it!

Recipes for the Falkland Islands

Spotted dog soda bread

Ingredients

- 1 lb flour
- 1 level teaspoon bicarbonate of soda
- 1 tablespoon caster sugar
- 1 level teaspoon salt
- 1 level teaspoon mixed spice
- 4 oz sultanas
- grated rind of one lemon
- 1 egg beaten
- 12 fluid ounces of milk.

Method

Sieve flour and bicarb together then add sugar, salt, spice, sultanas and lemon rind. Mix well.

Place the beaten egg and milk in a jug and make up to 14 fluid ounces if necessary.

Make a well in the centre of

the dry ingredients and add most of the egg mixture.

Work quickly to mix to a soft consistency, not too wet or sticky and avoid over mixing.

When it coheres turn onto a floured surface and pat into a round loaf. Place on a baking sheet and using a sharp knife cut a deep cross on the top.

Bake at 200C (400F) gas mark 6 for 30 - 40 minutes.

Serve while still warm with butter and jam. If the bread is a day old, toast before serving.

For a savoury version replace the sugar, spice, sultanas and lemon rind with black olives, sunblushed tomatoes and caramelised onions.



Fisheries Department

Catch for week 33, ending August 16, 2005

Licence type	Number of Licences	
	Eligible W/ending 16/08/05	Fishing W/ending 16/08/05
Total	43	41
L	2	2
R	11	11
X	16	16
Y	7	5
Z	7	7

Catch by species (Tonnes)

	Falklands	Korea	Other Nations	Total
Loligo	3878	2	6	3886
Illex	0	0	0	0
Martialia	0	0	0	0
Hakes	69	52	60	181
Blue Whiting	1	0	99	100
Hoki	87	18	473	578
Kingclip	10	9	40	59
Toothfish	49	0	3	52
Red Cod	21	15	46	82
Ray	13	546	37	596
Other	163	3	111	277
Total	4291	645	875	5811

Shipping activity from August 15 - 22

TWO reefers were in Berekely Sound this week. *Frio Marathon* in for transshipping and the *Astra* leaving on August 20.

As well as the tanker *Baltic Pride* which was in for bunkers, there were also five trawlers in Berekely Sound. The *Esperanza* left on August 18 after transshipping, and the *In Sung 205* and *Agnes 2* left on August 17 and 18 respectively after bunkering. The *Pratadina 28* and *Aurora II* both left for fishing grounds on August 20 after transshipping.

At FIPASS, the *Elqui* remained under arrest, and the longliner *Koryo Maru II* arrived on August 20. Also at FIPASS, the survey vessel *GSI Admiral* left for the high seas on August 21 after two days in port for a crew change, and to take on stores and water. The tanker *Baltic Pride*, left for fishing grounds

on August 16 after coming in for bunkers and stores.

The yacht *Le Sourire* arrived at the Government Jetty on August 19 for a port visit.

At Mare Harbour, the *Saint Brandan* arrived on August 11 to discharge and load cargo, and the *Indomitable* and *HMS Dumbarton Castle* arrived on August 22 and 8 respectively, both for a port visit.

There were two reefers in Port William with the *Palana* and the *Astra* both in for transshipping.

There were eight trawlers in Port William during the week. *Playa Pesmar Dos*, *In Sung 207*, *Arpon* and *Figaro* all left for fishing grounds after coming in for licences. *Petrel* and *Argos Vigo* both came in for medical and transshipping, the *Igueldo* for transshipping and the *Aurora II* for a crew change and an Inquest.

Wool report - week ending August 19

by Neil Judd, Department of Agriculture

IN another very disappointing week for Falkland Islands' wool-growers, greasy wool prices slipped "across the board" at sales in Australia and New Zealand. As shown in the attached Micron Price Guide. Price falls added to those experienced last week.

Adverse currency movements during the week meant that price falls, once expressed in terms of pence per kilogram clean, were actually worse than those noted in Australian and New Zealand market reports (prices in their own local currencies).

Non fleeces wool types were also reported down in price for the week, however losses were less for lower VM lots.

In Australia 86% of the 53,001 bale offering was sold. Included in the offering were 4,681 bales of crossbred wool of which 89.7% was sold. In New Zealand, 17% of the 14,000 bale offering was passed in.

Auctions continue next week in New Zealand and Australia where almost 65,000 bales will be on offer. Sales resume in South Africa.

Note:

*Exchange rates used to convert wool prices into pence per kg clean basis. Australian \$2.38 per 1£ sterling compared to \$2.34 per 1£ sterling on 15th July 2005.

*Information derived from AWEX market report and Wool Record Weekly.

*Values based on average auction floor prices from Australian Eastern markets.

*Prices quoted correspond to average gross auction prices. It should be remembered that no selling or freight costs have been deducted from the stated prices.

*MPG prices designated with an "n" indicate that insufficient wool in the particular micron range was traded to determine a firm MPG quote.

Growers are strongly advised to seek assistance in evaluating offers for wool where only nominal prices are given.

Any woolgrower with a question regarding the wool industry, or requiring assistance to determine the merit of any wool price offer, is urged to contact Neil Judd at the Department of Agriculture on telephone 27355 or on email njudd@doa.gov.fk.

Week ending	Pence per kilogram clean for each micron category.											
	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	28	30	32
10/01/2002	553	403	306	294	293	288	283	266	252	208	199	185
13/12/2002	553n	484	456	451	446	437n	431n	407n	369n	265	217	201n
10/01/2003	557n	494	470	463	458	451	445	412n	375n	271	228	210n
04/07/2003	443n	408	409	411	414n	413n	405n	384n	351n	252n	213	201n
12/12/2003	397n	380	366	362	351	336	325	295n	272n	218n	187n	167n
09/01/2004	409n	392	380	369	356	337	326	295n	274n	215	187	161n
02/07/2004	421n	390	352	339	323	310	281n	266n	253n	211n	188n	169n
17/12/2004	395	368	327	306	295	282	269n	233n	218n	186n	168n	154n
14/01/2005	411n	383	341	316	307	297	284	244n	225	194n	176n	160n
04/02/2005	417	389	343	316	303	294	282	246n	226n	194n	177n	163n
04/03/2005	411	378	337	312	295	286	270	242n	223n	187	174	164n
08/04/2005	414	387	337	313	298	290	273n	244n	224n	189	174	164n
06/05/2005	416	381	334	304	293	288	273	246	228	187	174	164
03/06/2005	418	376	336	313	303	300	282n	256n	234n	197	180	167n
01/07/2005	412	373	336	322	317	313	288n	266n	240n	197	185	169n
08/07/2005	419	386	343	330	324	320	298	275	245	206	192	173
15/07/2005	408n	378n	340	324	318	314	294	278n	247n	204n	190n	173n
05/08/2005	434	388	342	323	316	309	301n	274n	245n	205	190	175n
micron	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	28	30	32
12/08/2005	416	376	332	316	306	301	293	274n	240n	201	185	171n
19/08/2005	405n	361	323	306	297	291	284	269n	238n	195	182	165
weekly change	-11	-15	-9	-10	-9	-10	-9	-5	-2	-6	-3	-6
price year ago	425	395	346	320	302	290	270	259	250	211	183	169

South Georgia Fisheries: Catch Figures Week ending August 19, 2005

Species	Max No. of Vessels	Total Catch	Total Effort
Toothfish	7	188 tonnes	657,990 hooks
Krill	4	2,066	161 trawls



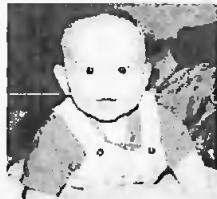
on share prices

At close of business Monday, August 22, 2005

Desire Petroleum plc	40.75p	(-2.5p)
Falkland Oil and Gas plc	119.5p	(-3.0p)
Falkland Islands Holdings plc	427.5p	(-2.5p)
Falkland Gold and Minerals Ltd	25p	(+2.5)
Standard Chartered PLC	1184p	(-47p)

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Stanley Darts Club

Results from Monday, August 15



Mens Total BOC	
Tooty Ford	132
Len Ford	110
Colin Smith	109
Gary Hewitt	108
James Lang	90
Johny Ford	90
Alan Bonner	84
Graeme Hay	84
Russel Smith	81
Joe Joseph	73
Steve Watt	73
Peter Goss	68
Rag Macaskill	68
Teddy Summers	63
Jimmy Curtis	62
Geoff Greenough	61
Tooty Morrison	57
Tony Courtney	56
Shane Blackley	56
Willie Robson	53
Kevin Clapp	52
Dale McCormick	50
Willy Harvey	50
Boy Miranda	48
Jim Parke	47
Melvin Clifton	46
Michael Summers	44
Tony McLaren	42
Neville Hayward	41
Kevin McLaren	40
Andrew Pollard	38
James Greenland	37
Paul Smith	35
Neil Clifton	35
Leon Mitchell	35
Adnan Minnell	35
Mark Pollard	35
David Ford	34
Owen Betts	34
Martin Plato	34
Michael Goss	34
John Jaffray	34
Ian Betts	34
Tim Bonner	34
William Whitney	32
Keith Dickson	32
Richard Bonner	32
Wladimir Bruno	32
Paul Anderson	31
Morms Blackley	31
Angus Macaskill	30
James Bates	30

League Position	pts	igs
Tornado's	51	228
Rose B	45	202
Otto's Outlaws	44	188
Misfits	40	179
Snowmen	37	174
Kelpers	36	176
Narrower	32	155
Rose Missiles	29	154
Deanos	29	152
Victory Scuds	28	143
Men at Arms	25	148
Pale Maidens	25	135
Last Orders	20	128
Stray Dogs	19	132
Vic Spear Chucker	18	124
Penguins	18	119
Rose Mixers	16	124
Victory Spiders	15	107
Busty Babes	11	107
Armed & Danger	12	96
Globe Goonies	11	99
Maid's at Arms	11	94
Highbury Babes	8	98
Fl Dart Flingers	3	79
Spice Burgers	3	74

Ladies Total BOC	
Maggie Goss	60
Joan Middleton	28
Teresa Clifton	26
Nora Smith	25
Sibby Summers	25
Sheila Harvey	24
Jane Clement	24
Dylis Short	23
Cathy Jacobsen	22
Jenny McKay	22
Tara Heathman	21
Gail Miller	20
Heather Smith	20
Maisey Crowie	19
Natalie Smith	19
Wendy Roberts	19
Ann Murphy	18
Patsy Robson	18
Landy Blackley	17
Hazel Collins	17
Jan Parke	16
Jenny Smith	16
Janet Jaffray	15
Pat Pratllet	14
Ally Ford	13
Sheila Stewart	13
Corna Bishop	13
Lisa Jaffray	12
Julie Ford	12
Jeanet Miller	12
Michele Evans	11

Ladies legs	
Maggie Goss	44
Ann Murphy	31
Joan Middleton	30
Nora Smith	30
Hazel Collins	28
Cathy Jacobsen	28
Sheila Harvey	25
Tara Heathman	24
Pat Pratllet	24
Ally Ford	23
Maisey Crowie	23
Patsy Robson	22
Jenny Smith	22
Natalie Smith	21
Avril Bonner	21
Sibby Summers	21
Jenny McKay	19
Gail Miller	19
Wendy Roberts	19
Teresa Clifton	19
Jane Clement	18
Corna Bishop	18
Ellen Ferguson	17
Julie Ford	17
Jeanet Miller	17
Sheila Stewart	17
Tanzi Jacobsen	16
Heather Smith	16
Monica Lumbum	14
Dylis Short	14
Tamara Lang	14
Natalie Finn	14

Mens legs	
Gary Hewitt	53
James Lang	51
Graeme Hay	49
Colin Smith	48
Johny Ford	47
Tooty Ford	47
Len Ford	46
Rag Macaskill	45
Steve Watt	44
Peter Goss	43
Geoff Greenough	43
Alan Bonner	42
Tony Courtney	41
Joe Joseph	41
Tooty Morrison	40
Teddy Summers	39
Russel Smith	37
Boy Miranda	36
Jimmy Curtis	36
Neville Hayward	35
Wladimir Bruno	35
Leon Mitchell	34
Michael Summers	34
Willie Robson	33
Kevin Clapp	33
Tony McLaren	33
Shane Blackley	32
Paul Anderson	31
Willy Harvey	31
Paul Chapman	30
Neil Clifton	30
Jim Parke	30

3 Treble 20s	
Tooty Ford	5
Alan Bonner	5
Len Ford	4
Colin Smith	4
Gary Hewitt	2
Dale McCormick	2
James Greenland	2
Johny Ford	2
Tony Courtney	2
Maunce Blackley	2
Corina Bishop	1
Natalie Smith	1
Jane Clement	1

Results from Monday August 23		
Maid's At Arms	4	11 Vic Scuds
Spearchuckers	11	4 Busty Babes
FIDF	6	9 Pale Maidens
Snowmen	2	13 Tomados
Otto's Outlaws	13	2 Narrower
Last orders	5	10 Stray Dogs
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THE PLANNING ORDINANCE 1991 NOTICE OF PLANNING APPLICATIONS RECEIVED

Notice is hereby given that the following applications for planning permission have been received;

Application No	Address	Description	Developer
57/93/R05	17A Ross Road West, Stanley	Renewal of temporary planning permission for use of Portakabin as dwelling	Mr D Clarke
12/97/R05	The Trough, Airport Road, Stanley	Renewal of temporary planning permission for creation of car park.	The Fighting Pig Band
101/97/R05	The Boat House, Ross Road, Stanley	Renewal of temporary planning permission for container and storage unit	Mr D Eynon
66/99/R05	Beaver Hangar Slipway, Ross Road, Stanley	Renewal of temporary planning permission for siting of a container for storage of boating equipment	Mirror Dinghy Association
88/05/PB	25 Eliza Crescent, Stanley	Extension and re-location of dwelling and provision of off-street parking.	Mr D Hawksworth
89/05/PB	11 Brandon Road/ 1 Dairy Paddock Road (now known as 1 Davis Street West)	Erection of dwelling	Mr S Wilson
90/05/PB	Maiden Haven, Moody Brook Road, Stanley	Extension to building to create sail loft	Mr C Freeman
92/05/P	2 Philomel Place, Stanley	Removal of existing dwelling and erection of larger 1 1/2 storey dwelling	Mr J Halliday
93/05/P	Gordon Lines, Stanley	Extension to shed	Mr M McKay
95/05/P	Admiralty Cottage, 2 John Biscoe Road, Stanley	Retrospective application for erection of 6m antenna and supporting ropes.	Stevadore & Fishery Services Ltd Mr D. G Fiddes
96/05/P	Land south west of Bypass Road, Stanley	Outline application for erection of 5 dwellings	
97/05/P	Surf Bay, East Falkland	Outline application for erection of permanent fish hatchery and tank plus public toilet	CFL Fortuna Fish Farming Ltd Rugrats Nursery
98/05/P	Units 1B & 2, Beauchene Complex, John Street, Stanley	Temporary use of building as nursery.	Mr M Jones & Miss K Marsh
99/05/PB	5 Anderson Drive, Stanley	Erection of dwelling	Falklands Brasserie Ltd
100/05/P	31, 33 & 35 Coastal Road, Gordon Lines, Stanley	Outline application for erection of 4 steel warehouses with off-street parking.	Mr D Eynon (SAMS Ltd)
101/05/PB	Falklands Brasserie, 3 Philomel Street, Stanley	Extension to restaurant	Mr P Ford
102/05/PB	The Boat House, Ross Road, Stanley	Erection of new entrance and sign	Mrs A Crowie
103/05/PB	Plot 37, Fitzroy Ridge, MPA Road, East Falkland	Siting of Portakabin and Wyseplan for use as dwellings	Mr & Mrs P Watson
104/05/PB	72 Davis Street, Stanley	Construction of workshop	Ms D Hoy
105/05/PB	20 Endurance Avenue, Stanley	Extension to dwelling	Miss J Sackett
106/05/PB	2 Dean Street, Stanley	Extension to dwelling	
107/05/PB	26 Davis Street, Stanley	Erection of dwelling	

The next Planning & Building Committee meeting at which these applications will be considered is due to be held on Thursday, 8th September 2005 in the Liberation Room, Secretariat, commencing at 9.00 a.m.
Members of the Public may attend to observe the workings of the Committee.
Environmental Planning Department, P.O. Box 611, Stanley. Public Notice No: 09/05 Dated this 24 day of August 2005



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To John. You always could pull the birds. Happy 19th birthday for Sunday Hope you have a great day (and night!) Dad, Rosita, Christopher and Phillip



Happy Birthday for Wednesday Baldylocks. My turn to be in the kitchen for a change? Lots of love, Squiggle



To our brother Johnny, happy birthday for today (26th August). Have a great day and happy hangover. Love from Karen, Jill, Spurs and Marilyn and June of St Helena



Happy birthday, who needs the 'Go-black' now! Love Sandra



For the 27th/30th August Imogen, happy 11th birthday sweetheart, have a super day, all our love and hugs Nannie and Grandad
To Will, Have and enjoy this one, love from Mum and Dad

Congratulations go out to Sally, Andrew and Layla Bone in Southampton. Congratulations on the birth of your babies. Bring back Lindsay and Beverley safely. Look forward to seeing you all very soon. Big hug to big sister Layla. Lots love always, Colleen, Beverley Adam, Simon and Barbara



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The closing date for applications for all of the above post is

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Job Descriptions and application forms for the above positions can be obtained from the Human Resources Department - telephone 27246, fax 27212 or e-mail drebson@fcc.gov.fk

All new entrants to Government service will be required to contribute 5% of basic pensionable salary to the Falkland Islands Pension scheme. FIG will make contributions on the employee's behalf at the rate of 10% of basic pensionable salary.

The Public Works Department invites suitably qualified or experienced builders to quote for the re-covering and associated small works to the Secretariat Roof at Ross Road, Stanley. It should be noted that it is a condition of this contract that the works be undertaken during November and December 2005.

A copy of the specification and scope of works are available from the Maintenance Manager's Office at PWD. Completed quotations are required to be submitted to the General Office of the Public Works Department by 0900hrs on the 5th, September 2005.

The Falkland Islands Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest of any quotation.

HELP WANTED:

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Application forms are available from the Administrator's Office, Ascension Island Government, Georgetown, Ascension Island by telephoning 00 247 7000 extension 100 or by email from alberta.knipe@ascension.gov.ac.

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Commonwealth Scholarships 2006-2007

The Director of Education has received information from the Commonwealth Scholarship Commission, which asks for nominations from the Falkland Islands for Scholarships.

The 2006 Prospectus is expected to arrive anytime. The Falklands is invited to submit the name of one candidate for funding in one of the following categories -

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All items will be sold in lots. Sealed bids should be returned to Government House by 1215 on Monday 29th August on the forms supplied. The successful bidder will be informed on Tuesday 30th August. Payment to be made by cash or cheque at Government House before collection. Collection of items by appointment only.

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NOTICES

The Sea Cadets will be holding their Extraordinary General Meeting on the 6th September at 7.00 at their Sea Cadets Unit Headquarters on the Bypass Road. This will be chaired by His Excellency the Governor Mr H E Pearce. All members of the public are warmly invited to attend.

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Baton relay: by road, sea and horse Off to college

THE Commonwealth Games Queen's Baton Relay has reached the Falkland Islands.

Yesterday the baton journeyed from Stanley to Port Howard by Islander aircraft before being transported by various modes - including by foot, motorbike, Land Rover and on horseback - to Fox Bay.

West Falklands residents were then invited to a reception at the Southern Cross Social Club at Fox Bay where they had the opportunity to examine the impressive baton close up.

The baton - which traditionally carries the Queen's message to the athletes - uses technology to allow people from all over the world to keep track of its progress on its way to the Opening Ceremony of the Melbourne 2006 Commonwealth Games.

Technology housed inside the baton enables everyone to pinpoint the baton's location via the internet - where supported by satellite coverage - and a camera mounted in the baton can transmit video footage of key moments to the official Commonwealth Games website, www.melbourne2006.com.au.

From Fox Bay, the baton was moved to *HMS Dumbarton Castle* for its return journey to East Falkland - including a quick helicopter flight to the highest peak in the Islands, Mt Usborne, for a photo opportunity. The baton team then spent last night at Darwin Lodge and hosted a reception in the Goose Green community hall in the evening.

Today, the baton will be carried by a series of relay runners from Mount Pleasant, with Group Captain Gordon Moulds starting the relay at 9.00am. The baton is expected to be delivered to His Excellency the Governor at his residence at around 3.30pm. More than 110 people are predicted to carry the



Above: Nigel Knight of Coast Ridge Farm on Chris Lloyd's mare *Realm*, carries the baton on the road to Fox Bay. He was accompanied by his son Keith on *Red Adair*, another of Chris' horses.

baton during today's relay.

According to the Games' official website, the Melbourne 2006 Queen's Baton Relay is the world's longest and most inclusive relay - travelling to all 71 nations of the Commonwealth in a year and a day.

"The design and technological features of the baton that will travel this epic journey reflect the relay's efforts to showcase the diversity of the Commonwealth and unite its communities in celebration of the Melbourne 2006 Commonwealth Games."

Seventy-one lights on the front of the baton indicate the 71 nations of the Commonwealth that the Queen's Baton will visit on its journey to the Games. These progressively light up as the baton arrives in each Commonwealth country, symbolising "the gathering of the nations at the four-yearly festival of sport and culture."

The baton will be flown out of the Islands on Saturday.

● **Next week: pictorial coverage of the baton's progress throughout the Falklands.**

Police tackle 'worrying' underage drinking trend

A DRAMATIC increase in underage drinking over the past year is "evident and worrying" according to police.

A paper on the subject is to be discussed by the Police Committee at its meeting next week and advises finding an approach to stopping the trend "at the earliest opportunity."

According to the document, the youths concerned are drinking a concoction of alcohol that is being obtained from various methods and ranges, "...from getting adults to buy it for them to stealing it from

family and friends." Police say the prominent night where offending takes place is either Friday or Saturday, particularly between 8pm and 10pm.

The social reasons why this age group offends is complex and lengthy, police say. They recommend the Drug Awareness and Resistance Education programme is targeted at the Community school, "...because this is now the age group that alcohol is affecting."

As a possible solution, the paper suggests empowering parents who

have problems with their children and putting the responsibility on the child and the parent.

"For those parents that are unwilling to take the responsibility then the court could deal with it in conjunction with the child.

"This form of punishment on the child will be much more beneficial and keeps within the aims of keeping families together."

This issue and more are to be discussed by the Police Committee which meets at Government House on Monday, September 5, at 10am.

THIRTEEN Falklands students are heading to college this month after they gained GCSE passes last week.

Seven students will go to Peter Symonds College in Winchester, four will go to Chichester College, one will study at Bootham College, York and another will head to Atlantic College in South Wales.

Two others achieved sufficiently high grades to attend college but have deferred entry until next year.

Director of Education, Sylvia Cole, congratulated the Year 11 students who reached or exceeded their predicted grades. She said the results were as expected and produced "few surprises". However she added, "Some students will feel that, with more attention to their studies and some harder work, they could have done better."

With a very broad intake of students, Mrs Cole said, results in external exams will always give a wide range. "Mixed ability classes reflect pupils who have talents in many areas; these could well be utilised in jobs in the Islands, rather than studies in the UK."

Mrs Cole singled out Emily Hancox and Liam Stevens who performed particularly well in their GCSEs and who, "...are to be congratulated on their grades through which they achieved a high number of points."

Close behind them, she said, were Ashley Jaffray and Gillian Cotter.

According to Mrs Cole, some students are already enquiring about re-sits and, she said, "I am confident that higher grades can be achieved with some hard work and revision."

Stanley burials for seamen

TWO fishermen who lost their lives in separate incidents at sea last month have been buried in Stanley's cemetery.

An inquest into the death of Basuki, an Indonesian man who died on August 10, was opened and adjourned, however his body was released for burial. His funeral was held on August 22.

Vietnamese seaman Nguyen Van Thanh died on August 19 and an inquest into his death is expected to be opened next week. He was buried in Stanley on Wednesday afternoon.

Summer time begins

Government clocks will be advanced one hour to Summer Time at 2am on Sunday, September 4.



Penguin News



Comment by Managing Editor, Jenny Cockwell

HOW glad I am to live in the Falkland Islands.

It's sometimes easy to lose sight of this, usually around the time I start to crave a night out in which not one single person knows:

- a) my name
- b) the job I do
- c) who I'm related to and who I'm not - and, in fact, my entire family and relationship histories.

However after a few weeks away, in which I had time to enjoy being anonymous and had the chance to explain where the Falklands are (particularly entertaining was chatting to one charming fifteen-year-old who thought Argentina was part of Spain...), it is lovely to be home.

My last visit to Britain was only two years ago but the place has a different feel to then. Many people no longer feel safe in their homes and there was an undeniable inherent distrust in foreigners in around 90% of the people I met.

This was highlighted to me when asked by a gentleman - who had only minutes earlier reiterated his love of his country - what Islanders' impressions of the UK are now and just how desirable it is to be British in 2005.

His exact words were "Why on earth would Falkland Islanders wish to be associated with Britain as it is today? This country has gone down the pan and all anyone cares about is not their neighbour but themselves."

This me, me, me attitude seems to have been recognised by most Brits as the fundamental problem with their country. And, I believe, it could present problems for the Falklands as we strive to retain our place in the British consciousness.

I had an interesting - albeit rather disturbing - conversation with three men during a night out in Liverpool. It's fair to say this small group, consisting of a plastic surgeon, a social worker and a PR account manager - all in their early thirties - could be considered a representative cross section of modern Britain but I hope their opinions don't reflect those of the majority.

For their collective view was that the fact Britain spends a million pounds a day to defend "a measly two and a half thousand people at the other end of the world" while the UK public everyday witnesses people on their streets living in poverty, is outrageous.

I know this is an argument we've all heard before, but it pays to remember that the traditional supporters of Falkland Islanders in Britain have become the older generation - a generation who's voice inevitably cannot compete with the thirty-something movers and shakers of today.

As time moves on, we have our work cut out in our appeal to the great British public to support our wish to be a part of them.

I WAS overwhelmed by the hospitality extended to me by the staff of the *Shrewsbury Chronicle* during my week with them; the team was dedicated and busy but still made time for me to ask untold questions.

There were many parallels between the *Chronicle* and *Penguin News* - after all, in essence we are both community newspapers - and so it was, I looked forward to my scheduled morning in court with curiosity. Would their courts be full of drink drivers and speeders like ours?

Hmmm, not quite. While the court proceedings themselves were identical to home, that's where the similarities ended.

The court room was one of three Magistrate's Courts housed in the one building and the defendants were predominately homeless men charged with theft. Add to that the metal detectors and bag searches we went through to enter the building and the bullet proof screens the defendants appeared behind, and it makes one glad to be able to call the Falklands home.

Perhaps the lack of anonymity borne from small community life really isn't a terribly high price to pay...

Falklands Brasserie

What's on at the Brasserie?

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Royal Marine trainer bows out

AFTER two busy years, the Falkland Islands Defence Force (FIDF) said good bye to its Royal Marine training instructor this week.

WO2 Nick Watson was with the force in the role of Permanent Staff Instructor (PSI) and left the Islands yesterday to take up a position at the Commando Training Centre in Lymington.

When he arrived in 2003, WO2 Watson brought with him extensive experience from his twenty-odd years with the Royal Marines during which he served in all three commando units. His career has taken him to a number of "very interesting" countries, varying from "temperate, to arctic, to jungle, to desert."

He was accompanied to the Falklands by his wife Ali and their two sons, Callum and Tom.

So, with his extensive experience, how did the Falkland Islands Defence Force - in the past sometimes christened by Islanders as "Dad's Army" - measure up?

On the eve of his departure, WO2 Watson was full of praise for the small force describing their role in the defence of the Falkland Islands as "massively important." They provide a very valuable contribution to the defence of their own country," he said.

He described the term "Dad's Army" as "naive" and added, "it's very shallow to knock somebody who is prepared to give up their quality family time to do something that is overwhelmingly beneficial for their own country."

He praised the level of commitment to be found among the force, which, "...from the majority is very impressive - it can't be faulted. This is particularly bearing in mind, whereas I only have one job, many of the people in the FIDF have three, sometimes more."

He added, "I have thoroughly enjoyed working here and I have the highest respect for the command and control within the FIDF."

As a result of the reduced budget for FIDF, councillors have decided the now vacant post of Permanent Staff Instructor will not be filled immediately and will instead be "gapped" for a year. Will the FIDF cope?

"The FIDF have outstanding talent inherent within the force, there will be no problems; however the



WO2 Nick Watson RM, now heading to the Commando Training Centre in Lymington.

PSI brings current military doctrine and thinking to the force, the benefits of which are obvious." WO2 Watson said.

And what would this Royal Marine say to potential new recruits? "I would urge any individual who has the slightest interest in trying to do something worthwhile for their country to give it a go. If they don't like the thought of flying around in helicopters or rigid raiders at night or firing different weapon systems or living off the land whilst still maintaining an operational role they can always sit on their sofas and watch videos about it."

He urged people to try it: "If they don't like it, at least they can turn around and say 'it isn't for me'. To sit and be the armchair critic, having never tried it, is just puerile."

However he added that signing up shouldn't be taken lightly: "They have to join up in the knowledge that if anything went wrong, they would be expected to bear arms."

While his wife takes up a nursing course at Plymouth University, WO2 Watson now heads back to the Commando Training Centre.

Of their time here, he says, "I have found my job very fulfilling here and the family quality of life has been second to none. Coming from a unit that was very 'time-away' intensive, it has been fantastic to have had such quality family time."

He added, "I would like to thank everyone who has made my and, more importantly, my family's stay here so special."

Child Allowance signatures: law needs to be changed

THE Attorney General says the law needs to be changed following a letter from an angry parent published last week in *Penguin News*.

In a letter entitled 'Bureaucracy gone completely mad, Mrs Jane Cotter expressed incredulity at having to obtain the signature of a Commissioner of Oaths before being entitled to her £600 Child Allowance.

This week the Attorney General, David Lang, agreed with Mrs Cotter.

He said the requirement for the signature on the Family Allowance form to be acknowledged before a

Commissioner of Oaths is not laid down in the Family Allowance Regulations.

He said he believes it was made by the Post Office so that anybody who deliberately lies on the form can be "prosecuted for perjury".

The form was approved by the Attorney General's Department and based on a form originally devised in 1988.

Mr Lang said it will require a change in the law to deal with the problem, adding, "we will try to achieve this as soon as we can."

Argentina's argument is 'weaker than Saddam's'

SADDAM HUSSEIN'S historic argument for his actions in invading Kuwait were "better than those put forward by Argentina for invading the Falklands in 1982" according to a visiting author.

Graham Pascoe (right) is working together with Peter Pepper on the first book to thoroughly research the early history of the Falklands from a British angle. It is to be released to coincide with the 25th Anniversary of the Islands' liberation in 1982.

Mr Pascoe is now in the Islands for two weeks, researching the book.

He lives and works in Germany, training professional translators and interpreters and has been interested in the Falkland Islands since his childhood - he took music lessons from a Falklands lady called Mabel Steele who lived at 'Falkland House' in Brighton. He started writing a book about the Islands in 1973 but gave up when he married and had a family.

In 2002, the 20th anniversary of the Argentine occupation, he decided it was time to "do it properly" and restarted his book. His first step was to go to the Falkland Islands annual reception at Lincoln's Inn where he met Harold Briley, who recommended he contact Peter Pepper, a man also working on a book about the Falklands. Mr Pascoe said he and Peter have kept in touch ever since.

The book, entitled *Falklands Saga - A Critical History of the Falkland Islands* is a joint work between the two men and is, at present, more than 500 pages with countless footnotes.

Mr Pascoe said he and Peter hope the book will correct most of the "nonsense" that has been talked about the Falkland Islands. "not only by the Argentines but by lots of other people as well," and present the history of the Islands as it actually happened.

Maps

He said the very first maps of the Islands are being analysed and have so far revealed some interesting facts.

The first map to depict the Falklands is now in Istanbul and was made by the Portuguese in 1519. As a result, Mr Pascoe said, "we think the balance of evidence is that the Portuguese discovered the Islands because there are two maps with a Portuguese connection." Another exists in Paris, France.

The Argentines are keen to prove that the map in Paris was made by Spaniards. Mr Pascoe said, "If it was made by the Spaniards, it proves it must be Spanish and Argentina inherited the Islands from Spain."

However, Mr Pascoe said, "We demonstrate conclusively that it was not done by the Spaniards, they want to say it was the Magellanes expedition who discovered it for the King of Spain and we prove that it wasn't, that it couldn't have possibly have been, that the map is made by the Portuguese."

Mr Pascoe said he has translated, for the first time ever as far as he is aware, the text which accompanies this map. "It was written by a complete crackpot in the 16th century



who wrote hundreds of pages on everything." He referred to the Falklands as the Islands of Sampson, or Islands of the Giants - however Mr Pascoe says that none of the man's writings are relevant.

According to Mr Pascoe the man acquired the map and wove a story around it. The interesting thing, he said, is that this man acquired the map from an old Portuguese ship's captain in Lisbon which produces another link with the Portuguese.

Mr Pascoe said it is a pity the English speaking world have been unaware of the maps although both have been published in France: the one in Istanbul was published in 1938 and again in 1955. "It is part of the book that we are bringing together all these bits that are not known in other countries."

Mr Pascoe said he would particularly like to see - but is not sure if they even exist - photographs of the British ships in the Falklands in World War I. (There is one blurred photograph in the Imperial War Museum taken in Port William.) He said there is a slim possibility that a photograph may have been taken at the time and the importance of it has not been realised. He is also keen to acquire photographs of ships in the second World War, such as *HMS Exeter* and *Cumberland*.

Other items which Mr Pascoe would like to photograph are the declarations handed out by the Argentine hijackers who landed on Stanley racecourse in 1966 and by Fitzgerald, who landed on the racecourse two years earlier and planted an Argentine flag. The Falklands archives unfortunately does not contain copies of either.

The Pascoe/Pepper book is critical of the Argentine claim to the Falklands, with self-determination being a crucial theme. Three cases comparable to the Argentine claim to the Falklands are referred to within the book: Heligoland, Diego Garcia and the invasion of Kuwait by Saddam Hussein in 1990.

Mr Pascoe said Saddam's historic argument for his actions were actually "better than those put forward by Argentina for invading the Falklands in 1982...it needs to be said that Argentina are acting like Saddam Hussein."

If anyone would like to get in touch with Mr Pascoe he is staying at The Waterfront on Ross Road and can often be found at the Government Archives during the day. He is in the Falklands until September 10.

Arlette and Martin surprise their guests

ARLETTE Bedford and Martin Bloomfield treated their family and friends to a series of surprises when they celebrated their wedding in June.

The ceremony took place at the Blue Palace Resort in Elounda on the island of Crete on June 1.

Arlette met Martin, who is a sergeant with the Logistic Corps, during his second tour in the Falklands in 2002.

The couple organised their Greek style wedding and kept it a secret from their guests.

After the ceremony everyone was ushered onto golf trolleys and transported to the beach, from which they had to board a small boat, still not knowing where they were heading. Their trip took them to a floating restaurant, the Kalidon, where they were greeted by a Greek trio playing 'Here comes the Bride'.

The group enjoyed a beautiful Greek meal washed down with lots of wine and the very potent Greek Raki.

Later in the evening more Greek music was high on the agenda, accompanied by a troupe of Greek dancers Arlette and Martin had hired for the occasion. Arlette's mother Kita commented that no one was allowed to remain seated and were soon dancing Greek style in and out of other restaurants where drinks were lined up for everyone.

"The Greek hospitality is second to none," she said, and soon



holiday makers and locals joined the line of dancers back to the Kalidon in. "the longest conga I have seen in ages."

Kita extended her thanks to all the family and friends (and complete strangers) who made Martin and Arlette's day such a happy occasion.

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FALKLAND ISLANDS

Freedom of Gosport granted to veterans

VETERANS of the Falklands War have received the Freedom of Gosport.

A hundred and fifty veterans returned last Wednesday, August 24, to the town on the western side of Portsmouth Harbour, the place from where many Task Force ships sailed in 1982 to liberate the Falklands.

This time the veterans were there for a happier occasion - to receive the Freedom of Gosport from the Mayor. Councillor Graham Burgess.

The entire Council of Gosport, the Royal British Legion, the Gurkhas, and many veterans families and other supporters took part in the ceremony. The 17 Port and Maritime Regiment of the Royal Logistics Corps formed the Guard of Honour in the wet weather, which did nothing to dampen spirits.

Prayers for fallen

The ceremony began in Falklands Gardens overlooking the harbour with a service conducted by the Reverend Peter Sutton, Chaplain to the Mayor. They sang three hymns, Praise my Soul the King of Heaven, He Who Would Valiant Be and Eternal Father Strong to Save. Fallen comrades were remembered in the prayers.

Councillor Burgess, presented the Freedom scroll to the Falklands Veterans Foundation (FVF), which is based in Gosport and declared the Freedom to be for all veterans.

He praised the FVF for its eminent services to the Borough, and to Falklands veterans and their families.



Main picture: The Veterans on parade for the ceremony at Falklands Gardens, Gosport; Inset: Derek Cole, co-founder of the FVF, accepts the Freedom of Gosport Scroll from the Mayor.

lies. He remembered and acknowledged all those who took part in the campaign and especially their families, who, he said, also had made "tremendous sacrifices in a war that was a fight for freedom against tyranny".

Derek Cole, Chief Executive and co-founder of the FVF, and a Petty Officer on *HMS Intrepid* during the war, accepted this - again on behalf of all veterans and Colin Waite, the other co-founder of the FVF, then delivered the acceptance speech.

The ceremony ended with a blessing, the General Salute, and the National Anthem.

Parade

Spectators applauded as the veterans, members of the British Legion and the Guard of Honour all marched through Gosport High Street. They were led by two Scottish pipers from the Rose and Thistle band, and the Band of the Brigade of Gurkhas.

The salute was taken by the Mayor, accompanied on the dais by

Rear Admiral Jeremy Larken, DSO, Captain of *HMS Fearless* in 1982 and by Lady Fieldhouse, widow of Lord Fieldhouse of Gosport, Commander-in-Chief in 1982.

Afterwards everyone attended a lively reunion in a marquee in Walpole Park. Organisers said they were grateful to the Falkland Islands Company and the Horace Moore Charitable Trust for supporting the event.

Peter Pepper



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Q Is it true that Falkland Islands Customs have stopped the import of television equipment to the Falkland Islands from South America?

If this is correct, on what grounds was this decision made, who made this decision and for what reason, and why have the public not been informed?

A Crown Counsel Ros Cheek provided the following response

Television equipment may properly be imported to the Islands with the exception of unauthorised decoders as provided for in the Broadcasting Ordinance 2004.

It is an offence under section 5 of that Ordinance to make, import, sell or let for hire or offer or expose for sale or hire any unauthorised decoder. It is similarly an offence to have possession of an unauthorised decoder for commercial purposes.

An "unauthorised decoder" is defined in some detail under the Ordinance but in simple terms

means a decoder which is designed, adapted or used to receive an encrypted transmission without payment to the relevant service provider.

It should be noted that purchase of a decoder and payment of accompanying subscription in Chile, for example, would not usually authorise its import or use in the Falkland Islands.

The Ordinance was introduced to provide a system of licensing for the provision of re-broadcasting services and to prevent breaches of the international law of copyright by introducing measures to combat piracy.

The proposed law was first made public as a Bill in September 2004. The Ordinance was brought into force in July 2005 by publication of a notice in the Gazette. The Falkland Islands customs department will necessarily exercise controls in order to deter the unlawful importation of unauthorised decoders. The Royal Falkland Islands police will investigate any matters of unlawful possession of such decoders.

Falklands Councillors at work overseas

FALKLANDS councillors are once again on the move.

Ian Hansen and Richard Cockwell are this week attending the 51st Commonwealth Parliamentary Association (CPA) Plenary Conference and Small Countries conference in Fiji and later in the month Roger Edwards will join an EU Partnership Working Party.

This is the first meeting of this partnership working party set up to provide a forum for discussion between representatives of the Overseas Territories. Member States and relevant Directorates within the European Commission and will be held in Brussels on 21st September.

The group will discuss the current situation regarding Rules of Origin and proposals for the future.

According to a spokesperson for Gilbert House, Rules of Origin play

a large part in the development of the Falkland Islands, "particularly with regard to the marketing of fish products in the EU. They will also have an impact on any future business development aimed at these markets.

"It is therefore important that all opportunities to participate in discussions on future policy are taken and that the points that affect our development are clearly put to the Commission."

Following that meeting, Roger Edwards, joined by Councillor Jan Cheek, will attend the Labour and Conservative Party Conferences in late September/early October. Jan Cheek will also attend this year's meeting of the Overseas Territories Consultative Council, as will Councillor Norma Edwards.

Challenging rescue from Berkeley Sound

A fisherman has been safely airlifted to hospital, thanks to the perseverance of the team at 78 Squadron.

During what pilots Richie Smith and Dave Kay described as a "routine but challenging" operation a crewman from a Chilean fishing boat was airlifted to safety on Sunday.

In the early hours, 78 Squadron's Search and Rescue were called for the emergency sea rescue of the 27 year old Chilean fisherman from Berkeley Sound.

The weather had closed in on Mount Pleasant with the cloud base down to 200 feet when Flight Lieutenants Kay and Smith piloted their Sea King, supported by Sergeant Beano Green and Master Air Crewman Nick Petch towards Berkeley Sound. Temperatures were so low

it was not possible for them to gain altitude in order to use radar to navigate and the crew had to resort to night vision aids to assist them.

On reaching the vessel in Berkeley Sound, conditions had not improved. The vessel was pitching by up to 15 feet in the rough swell and with the sun still down over the horizon the rescue was impossible. Having seen the fisherman on his feet and mobile the crew made the call that his situation was not critical and returned to Stanley.

Once the sun had begun its welcome rise above the horizon the crew returned to the Chilean vessel. The sea state had not improved but the increased visibility meant the crew could carry out a safe rescue and the crewman was soon safely in Stanley's King Edward VII Memorial Hospital.

1970s kitchen, loud but fun



Museum Manager, Leona Roberts, and Assistant Manager, Colin Patterson-Smith work their magic on chairs for the 1970s kitchen

GET digging in your sheds and lofts - the next phase of the development at Cartmell Cottage is under way.

The Museum is looking for a wide range of items for the house that serves as a living archive of domestic life in the Falklands, and is asking for your help.

The 1849 house has been restored and furnished in period style, showing how Islanders lived in the 1850s and the 1940s. It provides a unique insight into domestic life in the Islands and has proved to be very popular with visitors, both local and overseas.

It is hoped that this year a 1970s kitchen can be added to the house and that the upstairs rooms can be furnished.

Thanks to several very generous donations by members of the public, furniture will not be a problem. However, small items are still needed, particularly bits and pieces for the pantry, such as milk basins, jugs, bottles and jars, a chopping board, biscuit tins (and all sorts of grocery tins and boxes), crockery and sugar bins. Also, a record player, dart board and an old 2-metre set.

"We are not looking for anything especially fancy - just the basic everyday items," says Museum Manager Leona Roberts, "and these are the hardest to come by because most were just dumped."

Objects do not need to be in pristine condition - Cartmell Cottage is very much a normal, working house, Leona says.

Some large pieces are still missing though, such as a mangle and, vitally, a Rayburn stove. Anyone who can help is reminded that loans are just as welcome as donations.

The 1970s kitchen is expected to be popular and is the last major phase of work at Cartmell Cottage.

"This room is going to be fun, although it might be a little loud," says Leona. "The house has existed from the earliest days of Stanley and this room will help us to demonstrate home-life through the history of the capital."

She added, "Although there are no set opening hours for Cartmell Cottage, Museum staff are always happy to open up the house to show you around - just call the Museum to arrange a time - you will be glad that you did."

'I did everything I could to defend Chile'

"I DID everything possible to make Argentina lose the war."

That was the spectacular statement made to a Chilean television programme on Wednesday by General Fernando Matthei, a former Commander of the Chilean Air Force who was responsible for the secret coordination with the British in 1982.

In the interview, the former Chilean Air Attaché to London claimed full responsibility for the strategic link with the Royal Air Force, which proved vital in gathering intelligence for the British Task Force and ensured a quick defeat of the Argentine forces with a minimum of British losses.

Kids' 'street life' must stop at school gate

STANLEY school children have behaviour problems that "weren't there a few years ago," the Director of Education, Sylvia Cole, has told her staff.

During a 'teachers day' on Wednesday, before the beginning of the new school year, Mrs Cole said the behaviour problem was something that teachers were going to have to look at and have "strong poli-

"The whole Argentine nation can feel resentment towards me, but I insist Chile had nothing to do with the Malvinas (war). It was me, on my own," stressed the former member of the military Junta headed by General Pinochet in the interview.

"We couldn't anticipate Argentina would commit such a folly, but General Galtieri said Malvinas was the first step and that following that was the recovery of other (disputed) territories."

General Matthei stated, "I did every thing I had to do to defend Chile - that's what I'm paid for - friendship with the Argentines was somebody else's problem..." MP

cies" on. She said it was essential that all staff "came from the same direction" on the issue and, no matter what language the children use outside of school, "...we must make it clear that we are not into it."

Mrs Cole told the group that they should not be seen to condone anything that "continues their street life" within the school.

Obituary: Dr Bruce Marsden 1922-2005



By the family of the late
Dr Bruce Marsden

BRUCE Marsden was born on the Wirral, was educated in Worcestershire and spent the rest of his life in the West Country.

He often liked to say that he lived all his "earthly" life on the very colourful Devonian Red Sandstone.

In 1939 he began his medical training at Manchester University where he was to meet his wife-to-be and fellow medical student Molly. He qualified in 1945 and was soon to be called up for service in the Royal Navy. He married Molly in December 1946 and soon after, embarked on a round the world tour of duty on the aircraft carrier *HMS Glory*.

Before being "demobbed" he also served on *HMS Illustrious* and at RNAS Yeovilton where he started his career in general practice. In 1953 he moved to a single

handed practice in mid Devon caring for his 3,000 patients 24 hours a day and almost 365 days a year (with a lot of help from Molly!).

In 1981 he retired from the practice, moved to Exmouth and prepared for a lifelong ambition to work in the Falkland Islands on a one year Overseas Development Agency (ODA) contact as doctor in the KEMH.

At the end of March 1982 he embarked on an 11th hour cruise on the school cruise ship *Uganda* as a medical officer. A few days into the cruise, the Falklands were invaded and the ship was commandeered by the MOD as a hospital ship for the Task Force. A few months later Molly was to enjoy the comforts of the ship, sailing between Ascension Island and Stanley.

Bruce had again narrowly escaped the war but was to be pressed into service soon after the surrender. He arrived in the Islands on one of the first Hercules transport planes to land at RAF Stanley. His first major role was to visit patients on outlying islands with the help of a Royal Navy helicopter and the flight deck of *HMS Hydra*. As an ex-Royal Navy man, he was in his element.

Bruce enjoyed three postings to the Islands and spent two very happy years working in the KEMH. His second posting as Senior Medical Officer followed the hospital fire in 1984. The medical services were working at

full stretch and hospital patients had been transferred to the former Brewster accommodation block situated behind Sulivan House.

His final posting followed a chance encounter with Dr McLroy at the KEMH while visiting the Islands as a passenger on board a visiting cruise ship. The hospital was in urgent need of a locum doctor and Bruce obliged without hesitation (and permission from Molly.)

His interest towards the Islands was not entirely born out of altruism as Bruce's main hobby was philately. At the age of nine, his father's collection was divided between his three boys and Bruce's third happened to include the Falklands. His interest in and love of the Islands grew as a result.

Sir Rex Hunt had him summed up as he would often remark that the only reason that Bruce was in the Islands was "because of his stamps." He was an active member of the Falkland Islands Philatelic Study Group up until his death.

Twenty-eight years of general practice in rural Devon provided an ideal grounding for life at the KEMH. Bruce was always struck by the similarities between his Devon and Falkland Island patients.

He felt that qualities such as a respect for life, resourcefulness and a generosity of spirit were common to both communities. He is survived by his wife Molly, five children and nine grandchildren.

Aspartame: Medical reassurance

THE Senior Medical Officer has reassured the public after a letter sent to *Penguin News* raised the alarm about aspartame.

Robin Goodwin outlined the benefits his family have experienced from cutting aspartame out of their daily diet and warned others of the possible effects this product could have on them.

Mr Goodwin said he intended to take the matter up with councillors to recommend that all imports of products containing aspartame should be stopped or at least retailers should "display large warning signs in their shops so that people are aware and can make their own informed choice to purchase or not."

Chief Medical Officer, Dr Roger Diggle explained that aspartame is a naturally occurring amino acid that is sweet tasting and therefore can be used to sweeten foods without having to use sugar - amino acids are the building blocks of proteins.

Dr Diggle assured that the safety of aspartame has been exhaustively tested worldwide including the Federal Drugs Administration (FDA) in the US and the Food Standards Agency in the UK. He said the FDA in particular, is "very stringent regarding the safety of all the products available in the US."

However, he added, "even if a food substance is found to be safe, there will be a number of people who will react adversely to it. Examples of this are chocolate and bananas causing migraine and 'E' numbers causing hyperactivity in children. Aspartame will be no different, so there will be some people who are affected by it. The only option for these individuals is to avoid foods containing it."

Dr Diggle said that assessing food safety is a complex process that requires exhaustive analysis of data and laboratory testing. He said the Falkland Islands Government could not possibly undertake this kind of assessment. "The Falklands are therefore not in a position to unilaterally ban a substance simply because of pressure groups who largely communicate through the internet."

"Readers can be assured that the Food Standards Agency in the UK (where most of our foodstuffs come from) continuously monitor food safety and communicate regularly with the relevant departments of the Falkland Islands Government (FIG). Aspartame is currently being reassessed by the European Food Standards Agency, whose report is likely to be completed some six months from now."

Dr Diggle said any recommendations will be "carefully examined by FIG"

Pleasant day out for Leisure Centre children



The Leisure Centre children with the crew of Red Watch. Picture: MPC Photo section

A LARGE group of children enjoyed a visit to Mount Pleasant last week as part of the holiday programme organised by Stanley Leisure Centre.

On Thursday, Rachael Freeman of the Stanley Leisure Centre, along with 26 children aged between 5 and 16, arrived at Mount Pleasant to visit the Dog Section and the Fire Service.

At the Dog Section the children were shown where the dogs lived and then given a display highlighting the abilities and obedience

of the dogs. This was followed up by a display of 'man work', where the dog forces an attacker into submission.

The Dog Section are primarily used for the security of Mount Pleasant and, when required, always put on an excellent display.

For the second part of the visit the group dropped in to meet Red Watch of Mount Pleasant Fire Service.

Under the command of Sergeant Dave Jessop and Corpo-

ral Lee Goupillot the children had the opportunity to don all the fire equipment before getting the chance to take a ride in the fire engines and activate the sirens and blue lights. They were then treated to a demonstration of the pumps on board the fire engines.

Though the main role of the Mount Pleasant Fire service is to cover the airfield and the rest of the complex, they also cover Darwin and Goose Green if commitment allows.

Correction

In last week's *Penguin News* it stated in the article entitled 'Dr Edwards comes home to take up GP post' that Rose Scully had taken up the post of Theatre Nurse at the KEMH.

Rose Gulley has in fact taken up the post of Theatre Nurse.

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Recognise and encourage efforts of students - both young and old

WITH the imminent return northwards for the students attending college or university, an opportunity has been missed for recognition of passed achievements and some encouragement for the future.

Sadly the community appears reluctant to acknowledge academic or vocational achievement for those attending full time courses overseas, or who strive to complete distance learning modules.

Locally obtained NVQ's are congratulated with certificate presentation and reception at Government House: A level results appear as newspaper headlines, and A/S level students do not merit a mention. GCSE results are released during the school holidays, when students are away on holiday, looking at future college residency or hoping for local employment.

Throughout the year many adults gain module passes, degrees and postgraduate qualifications through home study or attendance at colleges.

Some are through FIG sponsorship, but many others through personal financing and family sacrifice. Although it is possible to negotiate UK rates for course fees at some colleges, the total costs are still considerable. The gain in personal satisfaction is more than

matched by substantial benefits to the community as a whole.

I would suggest that all these achievements deserve recognition. However, when the matter was raised at the Councillors Public Meeting, the classic game "of pass the buck" was played. Comments were called from the Director of Education, suggestions of asking Government House, mutterings of who was going to pay for the food and drink, and jokes over providing alcohol for young adults.

However, the main point was missed. If the object of the exercise is for community recognition, then I would suggest that it is for the councillors in their role as the elected leaders in our community to take control and host a public reception.

Perhaps the councillor with portfolio responsibility for Education and Training would be the host, the refurbished Town Hall the venue, with corporate sponsorship to help off-set the costs. Banks throughout the student world are known to be obliging towards future customers and are keen to foster good relationships with community programmes called "investors in people".

**Phil Middleton
Stanley**

Thanks for a grand day out - and good luck

THANK you to Stanley Kids Zone and the Falklands Gun Club, especially our instructor Jon Butler, for a fantastic afternoon of clay pigeon-shooting following on from the recent Stanley Kids Zone (SKZ) quiz night.

Good luck to Tanya and staff as SKZ open their doors and congratulations to the directors and steering-group members past and present for all their hard work. Alan, Alison, Christina, Jan and Jason

'Garrison deserves better'

LISTENING to the deliberations of the Legislative Council on Friday August 26, I was surprised and concerned when, during the motion for adjournment, Councillor Cockwell made the following mention of the Mount Pleasant road: "I would like to give some credit to some unsung, and possibly vilified in some ways, members of the community, that is the people who look after the MPA road. It must be depressing for them to hear all the ire and expertise which is being thrown at them for the condition of the road." unquote. He then went on to say, "Except when wet the road is not in bad condition."

As I have been trying recently to raise awareness of the deplorable state of this road, I want to state categorically that at no time have I ever questioned the ability of the work force or their workmanship: they can only work within the guidelines and with the tools they are given by the Falkland Islands Government (FIG).

It is the decision makers shirking responsibility of providing sufficient funding over the years to enable them to carry out realistic, permanent road surfacing (black topping) that is at fault, a responsibility shared for many years now by successive councillors.

To suggest that the road is not in a bad state is a nonsense. It makes a mockery of the sign posted by the side of the road as you come out of the Mount Pleasant complex which gives the military statistics for winter 2005 as: 77 acci-

dents, five injuries, no fatalities and a cost of £112,000 for vehicle repairs. The Royal Falkland Islands Police also confirm they they have dealt with a further 13 road traffic accidents (RTAs) on the MPA road so far this year and a total of 26 in 2004. All of these vehicles have ended up off the road either upside down or on their side in the ditch.

Even these statistics do not appear to cause our current councillors undue concern and this attitude of indifference, bordering on arrogance, has decided me not to bother to present my petition to them but I will do so to the next council when elected at the forthcoming general election in November this year.

I was also disturbed recently on hearing one of our possible prospective Legislative councillors, Phil Middleton relate during an interview on Falklands radio how one opponent to blacktopping the MPA road had suggested to him that it would turn Stanley into a garrison town!

Stanley began its existence as a garrison town and has been so in modern times since 1966.

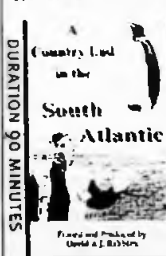
We are a garrison town and proud of it - as long as we have bully boy politicians in our neighbouring country trying to intimidate us we always will be.

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Our garrison deserves better.
**John Allan
Stanley**

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From the Falklands to Shrewsbury and back

By Jenny Cockwell

SHREWSBURY may seem a world away from the Falkland Islands but the two have many friends in common, as I discovered when I spent a week with the Shropshire town's newspaper.

The most obvious link is of course Charles Darwin, who collected myriad plant and animal specimens in the Falklands in 1833, and a number of locations throughout the Islands are named for the great scientist. But the connection between Shrewsbury and the Falklands extends further than the famous naturalist.

My seven days with the *Shrewsbury Chronicle*, a weekly paper with a circulation of around 19,000, was busy and varied. The *Chronicle* is a community newspaper which reflects the lives of all its readers in Shrewsbury and its surrounding area.

Penguin News is put together by a staff of just three; our jobs consist of a number of roles - from reporting, to editing and selling advertising. At the *Chronicle*, with its staff of more than twenty people, roles are more defined. I ventured out with reporters and the paper's photographer, explored the multi-million pound operation that is the advertising department and watched the paper take form under the expert eye of the editorial team.

I also spent time at the *Shropshire Star*, a daily newspaper based in Ketley, near Telford, with a circulation of around 250,000 and a staff of hundreds. The *Star* and the *Chronicle* are both owned by Midlands News Association; their staff, from managing editors down to junior reporters, went out of their way to share their knowledge and experience to help *Penguin News* develop.

On top of my packed itinerary, I had a number of visitors. Before my arrival in Shropshire, I knew of just one Shrewsbury native living in the Falklands: Jan Miller, who runs the market garden in Stanley with her husband, Tim. But besides Jan, and, of course, Charles Darwin, that was where I suspected the Falklands' connection with Shrewsbury ended.

How wrong I was. A small piece on the front page of the *Shrewsbury Chronicle* invited anyone with links to the Falklands to get in touch and I was amazed by the number of callers I had.

My first visitor was a charming woman whose enthusiasm for the



Above (from left): Doreen Green in 1953 and now; Mark Quinn with his South Atlantic Medal.

Falkland Islands was infectious. Doreen Green, aged 78, spent a decade of her life in Stanley, from 1952, accompanying her late husband, John, as he took up a post as Assistant Secretary of the Falkland Islands Dependencies Survey, the forerunner to the British Antarctic Survey.

'I loved the life'

Two of Mrs Green's three children, Judith and Robert, were born in the Falklands and, looking back on her South Atlantic adventure she said: "I loved my years there. I loved gardening, stacking peat - I loved the life." The family lived on John Street.

After only a short time in office, Mr Green was promoted to Secretary of the Falkland Islands Dependencies Survey and he held the post until his family's departure from the Islands in 1961.

Mrs Green said leaving was difficult: "I walked to the top of Philomel Hill, looked over at The Narrows and said to the place, 'I am going to miss you'."

"And miss it I did. We had a wonderful social life and we met so many interesting people there." In particular she mentioned Mrs Joan Bound, whose friendship she enjoyed during her time in the Islands.

Fire fighters' strike

Paul Bowen, a fire fighter from RAF Shawbury, also holds fond memories of his time in the Falklands. He and five colleagues spent eight months at Mount Pleasant during the UK fire fighters' strike of 2002 and 2003.

Their task was to replace the military firemen from the Falklands who were forced to return to Brit-

ain to provide cover during the strike.

Mr Bowen said he took every opportunity to explore the islands on his days off. "We had so many trips out from the base. The wildlife is second to none - we saw penguins, seals and dolphins - and the fishing was great. There was just plenty to do, including sunbathing of course." He asked that his best wishes be passed on to the team at Stanley Fire Station, under the leadership of Gardner Fiddes.

My other visitors included John Griffiths who spent just a few days in the Islands on his way south to Halley base in Antarctica, where he spent two years with FIDS, Roy Bound, who was a member of the construction team which built Discovery House on South Georgia in 1962 and Peter Richards, a former policeman who visited the Falklands while on holiday in 2000.

Previously, Peter had applied to join the Royal Falkland Islands Police however, shortly before he was due to leave Britain, he was seriously assaulted while on duty and was unable to take up the new job.

His holiday in 2000 was clearly a delight; he told me, "I loved it, absolutely loved it."

Mr Richards was only passing through Shrewsbury on his way home to Carlisle from a holiday in Venezuela. He explained he is now involved with the RAF Millom Museum and is keen to obtain a Falklands flag for a display which commemorates the many nationalities who made up the allied forces in World War Two. He happened to pick up a copy of the *Chronicle*, saw my name, and popped in for a

chat. I duly promised to find a flag for the museum and he continued on his way to Carlisle.

HMS Intrepid

Not everyone that I met had happy memories of the Falklands. One of my visitors was Mike Quinn, who was just 22 years of age when he travelled to the South Atlantic. His visit was far from a pleasure; he was a steward aboard *HMS Intrepid*, sent to the Falklands as part of the British Task Force.

In addition to his duties as a steward, Mr Quinn also worked on deck, loading missiles. During one meeting, he recalled watching from *Intrepid* while *HMS Antelope* sank in San Carlos waters and helping to care for a number of Welsh Guards injured during the bombings of the *Sir Galahad* and *Sir Tristram*.

Now, 23 years later, Mr Quinn says the 1982 conflict is always with him. While he describes the war as "a very humbling experience" that was both "nerve-racking and exciting" he continues to have feelings of guilt about the ordeal; this is, of course, a well documented reaction in those who survive a hostile situation, as is the depression Mr Quinn suffered upon his return home: "I was completely useless for two months..."

He said he was "in awe" of the fighting soldiers transported around the Falklands by *HMS Intrepid*: "I couldn't have done the things they did."

Mr Quinn remained in the Navy until 1988 and he now works for a logistics company near Whitchurch in Shropshire.

He fears the Falklands conflict is being forgotten by Britain. "...just like Korea," and doubts the government's ability to launch a similar response to a hostile invasion of British territory.

"Britain has no ability now to do it again, certainly not alone. We would have to have outside help and that makes us very vulnerable."

When Charles Darwin first visited the Falklands, its occupants were a scattering of gauchos, farming livestock on the otherwise uninhabited land. Little could he have known all those years ago that war would one day be waged over the Islands.

Nor, more happily, could he have imagined the Falkland Islands would be a home from home - whether for just a few days, months or for many years - to people from his very own town.



Above: The *Shrewsbury Chronicle* news team

Fishing, shooting, climate change: ExCo's August meeting

Environmental officer to issue bird kill licences Fishing fees set

LICENCES to shoot turkey vultures will now be granted by the Environmental Planning Officer (EPO), with a maximum limit on each of twenty birds.

His Excellency the Governor described this as a "tricky issue" and said Executive Council had a "full discussion" of a report by the Director of Agriculture.

Members decided the Governor's power to issue licences to shoot protected birds should be delegated with respect to turkey vultures only to the Environmental Planning Officer (EPO).

In the absence of the EPO the delegated power will be exercised by the Director of Agriculture (DoA).

In exercising this delegated power the Executive Council decided the EPO/DoA should:

(i) seek advice in respect of each licence application from representatives of the Tourist Board, Falklands Conservation, Farmers and the Department of Agriculture;

(ii) limit any licence to the shooting of a maximum of twenty birds;

(iii) require every licensee to provide a full report detailing when, where and how many birds were shot; and

(iv) ensure that the information submitted under (iii) above is passed to the Environmental Committee and Falklands Conservation.



Picture: Alan Henry

The EPO will be required to follow the procedures and criteria set out above in taking a decision on the licence applications received from Pebble Island and North Arm.

The Governor reported that applications for licences to shoot any other species of protected bird should be submitted to Executive Council. "Executive Council's decision on any such application should take account of the views of the EPO and the bodies referred to in paragraph 2.3 (i) above."

It was also decided that Falklands Conservation should be invited to conduct a programme of island-wide turkey vulture censuses. "...with a

view to identifying the size and status of the turkey vulture population, together with a study of turkey vulture feeding behaviour."

Falklands Conservation carries out regular censuses of the principal bird species in the Falkland Islands.

Mr Pearce reported, "Beauchene Island is a particularly important location for breeding colonies of black-browed albatross and rockhopper and gentoo penguins. Falklands Conservation have sought permission to visit Beauchene Island to undertake censuses of these species. ExCo gave their agreement to this."

Climate Change Convention will apply to Falklands

THE Falkland Islands Government (FIG) is to sign up to the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change and the Kyoto Protocol of that Convention.

Following thorough research by the previous and current Environmental Planning Officers, His Excellency the Governor, Mr Pearce said it should be relatively easy for the government to collect the statistics required and to meet the obligations imposed by the Convention and the Kyoto Protocol. He said Executive Council therefore agreed the Foreign and Commonwealth Office should be informed that FIG wishes these arrangements to be applied to the Falkland Islands.

A number of other varied items

were also discussed by Executive Council, including the helicopter refuelling site at Fox Bay which has "reached the end of its useful life and needs to be replaced."

Councillors approved various arrangements requested by the Ministry of Defence in connection with the construction of the new facility, and to the provision of a temporary fuel store for use during the construction.

Mr Pearce said there has been considerable local interest in the proposals by Cable and Wireless to establish a mobile phone service in the Falkland Islands.

The Planning and Building Committee had earlier in the week considered two applications from Cable and Wireless for the siting of

mobile phone masts, and permission was sought from ExCo for the lease of Crown land on which to place these two masts.

Mr Pearce said that councillors agreed to grant the request in principle, but noted that the Planning and Building Committee had decided to defer until its next meeting consideration of the proposal to site a mast to the north of St Mary's Walk.

Also agreed by Executive Council was the appointment of Mr Mike Evans as the new Rural Business Association representative on the Board of Falkland Landholdings. Proposals for the restructuring of the Apprenticeship Committee, including a new Committee membership and new terms of reference were also approved.

Mineral resources: open door closed to allow 'more flexibility'

OPEN door licensing throughout Falklands waters has been closed for an indefinite period.

At the July meeting ExCo amended the Offshore Petroleum Licensing Regulations 2000 in order to enable the Falkland Islands Government (FIG) to suspend the operation of the open door licensing system for offshore hydrocarbon exploration.

Mr Pearce explained that at last week's meeting ExCo decided to exercise these powers and to "close open door licensing throughout the controlled waters of the Falkland Islands for an indefinite period." A notice will appear in the *Gazette* to that effect.

Councillor John Birmingham, holder of the Mineral Resources portfolio, said the move will give

the government the ability to be "...more flexible in a very competitive industry."

He said the decision to close the licensing has been made to "...enable FIG to ask for interest in and offer areas around the Falklands for exploration with the minimum of red tape."

MoU

A Memorandum of Understanding has been agreed with the UK's Maritime Coastguard Agency (MCA) for long-standing arrangements with the government under which the MCA provides various survey and certification services for the Falkland Islands Shipping Register.

Mr Pearce said Executive Council approved the terms of the Memorandum.

ExCo also approved the making of the Merchant Shipping (Registration of Ships) Amendment Regulations 2005.

The purpose of this amendment to the regulations, Mr Pearce said, is to "clarify the way in which the Merchant Shipping Ordinance 2001 and the Merchant Shipping (Registration of Ships) Regulations 2001 apply to fishing vessels which were registered under the pre-2001 arrangements."

Mr Pearce said the effect of this is, "...to make it clear that vessels already registered on the old Stanley Register are not obliged to meet the new and more stringent eligibility requirements of the Ordinance and Regulations in order to remain on the Register."

A NUMBER of shipping and maritime issues have been considered by members of Executive Council at their latest meeting.

The meeting considered recommendations by the Fisheries Committee for the fees to be charged for various categories of fishing licences during the 2006 season.

His Excellency the Governor, Mr Howard Pearce, reported, "ExCo took decisions on all of the recommendations received from the Fisheries Committee with the exception of the fees for longline licences, which it returned to the Fisheries Committee for further consideration. The details of the new fees are being published."

Two decisions were also taken with regard to the *Elqui*, the longliner which was recently arrested for illegal fishing in South Georgia waters.

Mr Pearce said it was decided that, because of the circumstances leading to the berthing of the *Elqui* at (Stanley's port) FIPASS and the shared interest of the Falkland Islands and South Georgia Governments in removing the vessel from further commercial use, harbour dues and berthing fees should be waived for the period of the lay-up.

He added, "It was also decided that the South Georgia Government should be licensed to scuttle the fishing vessel in Falklands waters. The scuttling is likely to take place soon, following completion of the current clean-up work on the vessel."

Mr Pearce assured that the clean-up process on the vessel has been "extremely thorough".

"It has involved the removal from the vessel of all hydraulic fluids, fuel, engine lubricating oils, paints, batteries, fishing and other associated gear, loose domestic equipment, refrigerant and welding gases, pyrotechnics and medical drugs. All of these items have been safely disposed of ashore in the Falkland Islands.

"The galley has been thoroughly cleaned to remove cooking oils, and all food and other waste has been removed and burnt.

"All liferafts and other loose materials have also been removed. Some objects of particular interest, including an old binnacle compass, have been offered to the Stanley Museum."

The result, he said, is that when the vessel is scuttled it will not cause any adverse environmental impact or hazard to shipping. "Both Falklands Conservation and the Marine Officer have been fully consulted and are content."

Also discussed by Executive Council were freight rates for the coastal shipping service, about which Mr Pearce said there has "apparently been some confusion".

Full details of these rates, he said, are to be published.



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3-9 September 2005

TIDES AROUND THE ISLANDS

03	0555	1.38	Moonrise 0810	The times and heights of high and low tides (in metres) at Stanley. Time given is FMT. <i>Add 1 hour for Stanley Summertime</i> For Camp, make the following changes: Fox Bay + 2 hr 30m Roy Cove + 3 hrs 30m Port Howard + 3hrs 19m Teal Inlet + 3 hrs 30m Sea Lion Is + 1 hr 15m Hill Cove + 4hrs Berkeley Sound + 1 hr 11 m Port San Carlos + 2 hr 5.5 m Darwin Harbour - 56m
SAT	1121	0.58	Moonset 2145	
	1731	1.63	07 0115 0.46	
	2358	0.35	WED 0725 1.47	
Sunrise	0622		1319 0.41	
Sunset	1719		1942 1.51	
Moonrise	0640		Sunrise 0713	
Moonset	1713		Sunset 1826	
04	0618	1.40	Moonrise 0823	
SUN	1149	0.51	Moonset 2302	
	1804	1.63	08 0141 0.52	
Sunrise	0719		THUR 0752 1.49	
Sunset	1821		Sunset 1827	
Moonrise	0751		0823 1.42	
Moonset	1922		2021 1.42	
05	0025	0.37	Sunrise 0711	
MON	0639	1.42	Sunset 1827	
	1218	0.45	Moonset 0839	
	1834	1.62	Moonset	
Sunrise	0717		09 0210 0.60	
Sunset	1822		FRI 0823 1.49	
Moonrise	0803		1435 0.46	
Moonset	2035		2109 1.32	
06	0050	0.41	Sunrise 0708	
TUES	0701	1.44	Sunset 1829	
	1247	0.42	Moonrise 0855	
	1907	1.58	Moonset 0022	
Sunrise	0715			
Sunset	1824			

(See www.michaelstevens.horizon.co.fk for tide charts)

STANLEY LEISURE CENTRE

STANLEY LEISURE CENTRE		
Telephone: 27291/27285 Fax: 27284 e-mail: admin@leisure1.sec.gov.fk for bookings and enquires		
Opening Schedule Commencing Saturday 3 rd SEPTEMBER 2005		
Swimming Pool	Sports Hall / Squash Courts	
SATURDAY 3 rd SEPTEMBER 2005		
Canoing	10:00-11:00	Public
Public	11:00-16:00	Public
Adults	16:00-18:00	Public
12:00-13:00 Junior Activities		
CLUBS ON TODAY		
TABLE TENNIS CLUB 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM		
SUNDAY 4 th SEPTEMBER 2005		
Public	11:00-17:00	Public
Adults	17:00-19:00	Public
Between 11:00-12:00 Junior Activities		
CLUBS ON TODAY		
TABLE TENNIS CLUB (FITTA) 3:00 - 5:00 PM SHORT TENNIS CLUB 3:00 - 5:00 PM FOOTBALL CLUB 6:00 - 7:00 PM		
MONDAY 5 th SEPTEMBER 2005		
School	09:00-10:00	Public
OAP - Physio Adults Parents & Toddlers	10:00-12:00	Public
Lanes (Adults)(2 Lanes Swm Club)	12:00-13:00	Public
Closed	13:00-14:00	Public
OAP - Physio Adults Parents & Toddlers	14:00-16:00	Public
S.L.C Swm School	16:00-17:00	Public
Public - (2 Lanes Adults Swims)	17:15-19:00	Public
Adults	19:00-21:00	Public
CLUBS ON TODAY		
S.L.C SWM SCHOOL 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM BADMINTON CLUB 7:00 - 8:00 PM		
TUESDAY 6 th SEPTEMBER 2005		
School	09:00-10:00	Public
OAP - Physio Adults Parents & Toddlers	10:00-12:00	Public
Lanes (Adults)	12:00-13:00	Public
OAP - Physio Adults Parents & Toddlers	13:00-16:00	Public
Stanley Swimming Club	16:00-17:00	Public
Public	17:00-19:00	Public
Ladies Hour	19:00-20:00	Public
Private Hire	20:00-21:00	Public
CLUBS ON TODAY		
STANLEY SWIMMING CLUB 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM NETBALL CLUB 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM		
LADIES 5-A-SIDE 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM FOOTBALL CLUB 8:00 - 9:00 PM		
WEDNESDAY 7 th SEPTEMBER 2005		
School	09:00-10:00	Public
OAP - Physio Adults Parents & Toddlers	10:00-12:00	Public
Lanes (Adults)(2 Lanes Swm Club)	12:00-13:00	Public
OAP - Physio Adults Parents & Toddlers	13:00-15:00	Public
Closed	15:00-16:00	Public
S.L.C Swm School	16:00-17:00	Public
Public	17:00-19:00	Public
Adults	19:00-21:00	Public
CLUBS ON TODAY		
S.L.C SWM SCHOOL 4:00 PM - 4:45 PM CRICKET CLUB 8:00 PM - 9:00 PM		
THURSDAY 8 th SEPTEMBER 2005		
Closed for Cleaning	09:00-16:00	Public
S.L.C Swm School	16:00-17:00	Public
Public - (2 Lanes Adults Swims)	17:00-19:00	Public
Adults	19:00-21:00	Public
CLUBS ON TODAY		
S.L.C SWM SCHOOL 4:00 PM - 4:45 PM HOCKEY CLUB 6:00 - 7:00 PM		
SQUASH CLUB 6:00 - 8:00 PM BADMINTON CLUB 7:00 - 8:00 PM		
FRIDAY 9 th SEPTEMBER 2005		
School	09:00-10:00	Public
OAP - Physio Adults Parents & Toddlers	10:00-12:00	Public
Lanes (Adults)(2 Lanes Swm Club)	12:00-13:00	Public
OAP - Physio Adults Parents & Toddlers	13:00-16:00	Public
Stanley Swimming Club	16:00-17:00	Public
Public	17:00-19:00	Public
Adults	19:00-20:00	Public
CLUBS ON TODAY		
STANLEY SWIMMING CLUB 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM		

CLUBS AND CONTACTS

CHURCH SERVICES

CATHEDRAL

SUNDAY

8am Holy Communion (BCP) 10am Morning Service & Junior Church 7pm Evening Service

Tel: 21100.Fax 21842, The Deanery, 17 Ross Road, Stanley
Rector - Rev Paul Sweeting

TABERNACLE - Barrack Street (free church)
Sunday Services 10.00am and 7.00pm. Family Service second Sunday morning of the month

Communion first Sunday morning and third Sunday evening of the month
Midweek Bible Study Tuesday 7.30pm at 2 Drury Street

St. MARY'S
SUNDAY: 10am (MPA 6.30pm).
Week days 9am

St. CUTHBERT'S (MPA)
SUN: 10.30am All-age Worship
Every 2nd Sun Communion
6.30pm Holy Mass
Mon 07.00am Mass

Other activities will be posted as and when they are arranged

BAHA'I FAITH

For information on meetings please ring Margo Smallwood on 21031 or check our website: www.horizon.co.fk/bahai_falklands

HOSPITAL PHARMACY

Monday to Friday mornings 10.00am - 12.15pm. Mon, Tue, Thu and Fri afternoons 14.30 - 17.00; Weds afternoons 13.30 - 15.30

MUSEUM

Monday - Friday 09.30 - 12.00 & 13.30 to 16.00; Saturday & Sunday 14.00 - 16.00. Tel: 27428

TREASURY

Monday - Friday Tel. 27143 8am - 12 noon

LIBRARY

Monday - Friday 08.45 - 12.00 and 13.30 - 17.45; Saturday 10am - 12 noon; 14.00 - 17.00pm Tel: 27147

VETERINARY DEPARTMENT

Consultation hours: Phone 27366
Mon Wed Fri 8.30am - 9.30am; 1.00pm - 2.00pm. 4.00pm - 4.30pm. Tues Thurs 1.00pm - 2.00pm
Consultations by appointment only

BADMINTON CLUB Mondays 7-9 Thursdays 7-9pm Trudi Clarke, Tel:21131

SQUASH CLUB Thursdays 5-9pm Contact Roger Spink Tel 21128

NETBALL CLUB Tuesdays 6-7pm. All are welcome Contact Daphne Arthur

Almond Tel: 22038

THE F1 GUN CLUB New members welcome Contact: Graham Didlick on 22282

or Steve Dent on 22021

F.I. RIFLE ASSOCIATION Contact Secretary G Goodwin 21246

CRICKET ASSOCIATION New junior and senior players welcome, contact Roger

Diggle 21716

STANLEY GOLF CLUB Competitions on Sunday at 8.45 am. Contact Graeme Hay on 22555 www.horizon.co.fk/golf

ASTHMA SUPPORT GROUP - Meets second Tuesday of every third month in Day Centre at 5pm Contact G. France on 21624

FALKLAND ISLANDS RED CROSS New members welcome Contact Keith Biles, Tel. 21897 (Chairman); Elizabeth Marrow 21921 (Secretary); Jean Diggle 21716 (Treasurer)

GUILD OF SPINNERS, WEAVERS & HANDICRAFTS Meetings on Monday evening at 7.30pm and Thursdays 1.30 - 3.30pm Contact M Smallwood 21031

CANCER SUPPORT & AWARENESS TRUST - Contact Theresa Lang (Chairman) 21235 Alison Ward (Secretary) 21851, Derek Howatt (Trustee) 21385, Shiralee Collins 21579

FIODA Chairman - Geoff Pring, tel. 21786 Secretary - Richard Fogerty, tel 21343 Treasurer - Alison Inglis, tel 22817

DIABETES SUPPORT GROUP Holds meetings quarterly - for further details contact Chairman Sharon Middleton on 21393

STANLEY SWIMMING CLUB Coaching Tuesdays 4-5pm, Fridays 4-5pm
STANLEY SUB-AQUA CLUB - Contact David McLeod Phone: 20836 (day), 20843 (home)

THE ROYAL BRITISH LEGION - FALKLAND ISLANDS BRANCH Meets on the first Monday of every month at the Hillside Mess at 7.45pm Contacts Chairman Michael Stevens (21936)/Secretary Bruce Wilks (22438), Treasurer Richard Morrison (22316)

STANLEY SHORT MAT BOWLS CLUB Friday 6.00 - 8.00pm Contact Greta Skene 21488

JELLY TOTS CLUB meets Tuesday 1.30 - 3.30pm and Thursday 10-11.30am in the Parish Hall, all parents and carers with children aged 0 - 5 years are welcome. For more information contact: Zoe Crookford - 22694 Chairperson, Michelle King - 21784 Treasurer, Wendy Luxton - 21882, Secretary, Sue Wilks - 22438, Alison Roose - 22955

THE SHACK YOUTH CLUB - Open every Thursday night, School years 3/4 5.15pm to 6.45pm School years 5/6 7.00pm to 8.30pm, Friday night School years 7/8/9 7.30 to 9.00 Any queries or information contact Stevie or Katie Burston phone/fax 21677

SHORT TENNIS CLUB - Sunday 3 - 5pm Contact Gordon Lennie Tel 21667 or Steve Pointing on 21616 for further details

KARATE CLUB Wed 6-7pm and Sat 11-12m Contact Jan on 22441

AA BASED ALCOHOL AWARENESS GROUP Thursdays 7.30pm - 8.30pm
KEMI Day Centre All Welcome
HANDY HOME GROUP - Wednesday evenings at the Parish Hall 7 - 8.30pm

TABLE TENNIS CLUB - Sunday 3 - 5pm. Contact Michael Stevens on 21936 for more details

RUGBY CLUB Tuesday evenings 7 - 8pm FIDF Drill Hall

Emergency Radio Frequencies

The Public are advised that in the event of an emergency where no other form of communication are available, that the Royal Falkland Islands Police maintain a 24 hour listening watch on the following frequencies

VHF 2 metre Band

147.725 (Duplex - 0.6) Pebble Island repeater (out of action at the moment, currently being relocated and combined with Port Howard repeater)

146.625 Stanley, Alice

147.825 (Duplex - 0.6) Mount Alice repeater

Marine Band

156.800 Channel 16 (Stanley area)

2.182 MHz HF

In the event that communications fail on all the above frequencies then the RFIP may be contacted direct on 153.650 (duplex + 1.6) *It is unlikely that this frequency will be functional from West Falkland*

It must be stressed that calling the Royal Falkland Islands Police on any of these frequencies must only be done in the event of an emergency

Saturday 3rd September

8.30 ROOM 785
 8.40 TAZ-MANIA
 9.00 SHORT CHANGE Young people's consumer magazine
 9.30 BLUE PETER
 10.00 THE SATURDAY SHOW
 11.30 MOVIE PRESENTATION: BEETHOVEN'S 2ND (1993) Family comedy sequel. Starring Charles Grodin, Bonnie Hunt, Nicholle Tom, Christopher Castle, Chris Penn and Debi Mazar
 12.50 CARTOON TIME
 1.00 NEWS
 1.10 FOOTBALL FOCUS
 2.00 MOVIE PRESENTATION: BACK TO THE FUTURE (1985) Rip-roaring time-travel comedy. Starring Michael J Fox, Christopher Lloyd, Lea Thompson, Crispin Glover, Claudia Wells and Thomas F Wilson
 3.45 CARTOON TIME
 4.00 WORLD CUP 2006 - QUALIFIERS Live, full-match coverage as Wales v England
 5.55 THE SIMPSONS
 6.15 CARTOON TIME
 6.30 WORLD CUP 2006 - QUALIFIERS (Including BFBS Weather Report) Live, full-match coverage as Scotland v Italy
 8.25 CASUALTY @ HOLBY CITY
 9.25 THE X FACTOR
 10.15 SHOWBIZ HISSY FITS WITH JULIAN CLARY
 11.05 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 11.25 MOVIE PRESENTATION: TWISTER (1996) Fast-paced action adventure about tornado chasers. Starring Helen Hunt, Bill Paxton, Cary Elwes, Jami Gertz, Lois Smith and Alan Ruck
 1.00[am] NEWS 24

Sunday 4th September

8.30 ROOM 785
 8.40 STUPID
 9.05 MOVIE PRESENTATION: BABE - PIG IN THE CITY (1998)
 10.30 NEWS 24 SUNDAY
 11.30 HOLLYOAKS OMNIBUS
 1.30 THE SIMPSONS
 1.55 GRAND PRIX Coverage of the Italian Grand Prix from Monza
 3.45 ONE TREE HILL
 4.25 MOVIE PRESENTATION: BACK TO THE FUTURE II (1989) Time-travel adventure sequel. Starring Michael J Fox, Christopher Lloyd, Lea Thompson, Thomas F Wilson, Elisabeth Shue and Harry Walters Jr.
 6.05 THE SIMPSONS
 6.50 TFI CYPRUS
 7.00 TOP GEAR Motoring magazine presented by Jeremy Clarkson, Richard Hammond and James May
 8.00 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 8.10 FRASIER American sitcom about a Seattle-based radio psychiatrist
 8.35 NEW TRICKS Drama series featuring an eccentric bunch of policemen
 9.35 THE WEST WING Drama series about the workings of the Oval Office Followed by: BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 10.20 ABSOLUTE POWER Political comedy starring Stephen Fry and John Bird
 10.50 IMAGINE Alan Yentob goes on a road trip across Texas and Mexico with the enigmatic writer DBC Pierre to discover the truth behind his bizarre life story
 11.35 THE SLAVERY BUSINESS (New) Three-part series which looks at Britain's part in the slave trade.

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OPENING HOURS
 MONDAY TO FRIDAY
 1.30PM TO 6PM
 SATURDAY BY APPOINTMENT

Starring Robert Pugh, Jack Shepherd, John Standing, Ben Crompton and Rupert Frazer
 12.35 [am] NEWS 24

Monday 5th September

7.00 BREAKFAST
 10.15 ROOM 785
 10.30 MAKE AND DO
 10.40 THE STORYMAKERS
 11.00 MASTERCHEF GOES LARGE
 11.30 THIS MORNING
 1.30 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 2.10 EMMERDALE
 2.55 HOW TO BE A PROPERTY DEVELOPER
 3.45 ROOM 785
 4.00 THE REALLY WILD SHOW
 4.30 THE TRIBE (New) Post-apocalyptic drama series
 5.20 THE CROCODILE HUNTER DIARIES
 5.40 THE KING OF QUEENS
 6.05 CORONATION STREET
 6.30 MY HERO
 7.00 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 7.30 EASTENDERS
 8.00 THE BILL
 8.45 THE LENNY HENRY SHOW
 9.15 FAT FRIENDS
 10.05 ANN WIDDECOMBE TO THE RESCUE
 10.35 MONKEY TROUSERS Comedy sketch show written and performed by the cream of British comedy talent
 11.00 KATH AND KIM Australian sitcom about a mother and daughter living in suburbia
 11.25 THE CHAMPIONSHIP
 12.15[am] EDINBURGH FESTIVAL
 12.50[am] NEWS 24

Tuesday 6th September

7.00 BREAKFAST
 10.15 ROOM 785
 10.30 MAKE AND DO
 10.40 THE STORYMAKERS
 11.00 MIND YOUR OWN BUSINESS
 11.30 THIS MORNING
 1.30 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 2.10 HEARTBEAT
 3.00 GREATEST EVER... MACHINES (New) Motorcycles
 3.45 ROOM 785
 3.55 50/50
 4.25 BLUE PETER
 4.55 BARKING Lighthearted drama series

5.15 TIME TEAM
 6.05 CORONATION STREET
 6.30 BFBS REPORTS
 7.00 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 7.30 EASTENDERS
 8.00 THE BILL
 8.45 YOU ARE WHAT YOU EAT
 9.10 SUPERNANNY
 10.00 NIP/TUCK Followed by BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 10.50 MY LIFE AS A CHILD
 11.25 THE BIGGER PICTURE WITH GRAHAM NORTON
 11.55 HARDWARE Comedy series
 12.20[am] NEWS 24

Wednesday 7th September

7.00 BREAKFAST
 10.15 ROOM 785
 10.30 MAKE AND DO
 10.40 THE STORYMAKERS
 11.00 MASTERCHEF GOES LARGE
 11.30 THIS MORNING
 1.30 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 2.10 EMMERDALE
 2.55 GREATEST EVER... MACHINES
 3.45 ROOM 785
 3.55 MUCHA LUCHA
 4.05 RULE THE SCHOOL (New) documentary series
 4.35 GIRLS IN LOVE
 4.55 A DIFFERENT LIFE Documentary series
 5.20 AIRLINE USA Docusoap
 5.45 MALCOLM IN THE MIDDLE
 6.05 CORONATION STREET
 6.30 AFRICAN SCHOOL Documentary series about Masindi Secondary School in Uganda
 7.00 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 7.30 BUFFY THE VAMPIRE SLAYER
 8.10 OUTTAKE TV (New)
 8.30 WORLD CUP 2006 - QUALIFIERS Live, full-match coverage as Ireland v England Followed by: BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 11.00 LADETTE TO LADY (New) Series following ten of Britain's most notorious ladettes at an old-fashioned ladies' finishing school
 11.50 RONNIE BARKER'S COMEDY HEROES
 12.35 [am] NEWS 24

Thursday 8th September

7.00 BREAKFAST
 10.15 ROOM 785
 10.30 MAKE AND DO
 10.40 THE STORYMAKERS

11.00 DIY SOS Home improvement mishaps remedied by Nick Knowles
 11.30 THIS MORNING
 1.30 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 2.10 HEARTBEAT
 3.00 GREATEST EVER... MACHINES Fighter Planes: A celebration of modern technology, this series debates the best of the best
 3.45 ROOM 785
 4.05 SPLASH CAMP (New)
 4.30 BLUE PETER
 5.00 SERIOUS DESERT
 5.25 ENTERPRISE
 6.05 CORONATION STREET
 6.30 THE WORLD'S MOST PHOTOGRAPHED Adolf Hitler
 7.00 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 7.30 EASTENDERS
 8.00 HOLBY CITY
 9.00 BAD GIRLS
 9.50 THE CULT OF THE SUICIDE BOMBER Former CIA agent Robert Baer follows the trail of the suicide bomber cult as it spreads into the Israeli-Palestinian conflict Followed by: BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 10.40 ARRESTED DEVELOPMENT Comedy series about a rich dysfunctional family
 11.00 BADDIEL AND SKINNER
 11.25 CELEBRITY FEAR FACTOR UK
 12.10[am] A BEAR'S TAIL
 12.35[am] THE ASHES: FIFTH TEST (New) Mark Nicholas looks back at the crucial first day's play at The Oval
 1.00 [am] NEWS 24

Friday 9th September

7.00 BREAKFAST
 10.15 ROOM 785
 10.30 MAKE AND DO
 10.40 THE STORYMAKERS
 11.00 MASTERCHEF GOES LARGE
 11.30 THIS MORNING
 1.30 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 2.10 EMMERDALE
 2.55 GREATEST EVER... MACHINES Sports Cars
 3.45 ROOM 785
 3.55 ATOMIC BETTY
 4.20 FINGER TIPS
 4.35 THE WEEK ON NEWSROUND
 4.55 MY PARENTS ARE ALIENS drama series
 5.15 THE GADGET SHOW
 5.40 THE CITY GARDENER
 6.05 CORONATION STREET
 6.30 BFBS REPORTS
 7.00 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 7.30 EASTENDERS
 8.00 HOW CLEAN IS YOUR HOUSE?
 8.25 QUEER EYE FOR THE STRAIGHT GUY
 9.10 MURPHY'S LAW Crime drama series about a maverick undercover cop
 10.10 MY LIFE IN FILM (New) Sitcom about an aspiring low-budget filmmaker whose over-active imagination transforms everyday life into classic cinematic adventures Followed by: BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 10.40 ER Drama series set in the busy emergency room of a Chicago hospital
 11.25 THE ASHES: FIFTH TEST
 11.50 FRIDAY NIGHT WITH JONATHAN ROSS (New)
 12.50[am] NEWS 24

Billings correct at time of going to press but subject to change until actual transmission. Time into BFBS Radio/Television for up-dates.

Your programmes - F.I.R.S.

Weekly schedule of programmes - as updated by FIRS

SATURDAY

5:00 IRN News & Childrens Corner
6:00 Weather, Flights, Ranges, Announcements, Job Shop & What's on Guide
6:17 The Archers
6:30 News Review
7:00 In Concert
8:00 Feature Presentation
8:30 Weather, Flights & The Fusion with Stacy
10:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

SUNDAY

5:00 IRN News & Chaplains Choice with Paul Sweeting
5:30 Classical Interlude with Kathy Biles
6:00 Weather, Flights, Ranges, Announcements, Job Shop & What's on Guide
6:15 Short Story
6:30 Feature Presentation
7:00 Sunday Evening Service
8:00 Slow Jams with Jock to include Weather & Flights at 8.30
10:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

MONDAY

7:00 IRN News & Breakfast Show with Ken (530mw & 88.3fm)
9:00 KTV Radio Nova
10:00 IRN News & Lifestyle with Liz to include
12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
12:30 Calling The Falklands (repeat)
1:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm
4:00 IRN News & People's Jukebox
5:00 IRN News followed by Jukebox
6:00 IRN News & The Archers
6:15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop followed by Country Crossroads
7:00 Comedy presentation
7:30 Music feature
8:30 Weather, Flights & The Vinyl Frontier with Myriam
10:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

TUESDAY

7:00 IRN News & Breakfast Show with Ken (530mw & 88.3fm)
9:00 KTV Radio Nova
10:00 IRN News & Lifestyle with Liz to include
12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
12:30 One To One
1:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm
4:00 IRN News & People's Jukebox
5:00 IRN News followed by Jukebox
6:00 IRN News & The Archers
6:15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop followed by Calling The Falklands
6:45 Simply Classical
7:45 Folk Music Show
8:30 Weather, Flights & 80's and 90's with Sheena
10:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

WEDNESDAY

7:00 IRN News & Breakfast Show with Ken (530mw & 88.3fm)
9:00 KTV Radio Nova
10:00 IRN News & Lifestyle with Liz to include
12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
12:30 Calling The Falklands (repeat)
1:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm
4:00 IRN News & People's Jukebox
5:00 IRN News followed by Jukebox
6:00 IRN News & The Archers
6:15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop followed by The Best Of... with Jock
7:30 Drama Presentation
8:30 Weather, Flights & FIBS Chart Show
10:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

THURSDAY

7:00 IRN News & Breakfast Show with Ken (530mw & 88.3fm)
9:00 KTV Radio Nova
10:00 IRN News & Lifestyle with Liz to include
12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
1:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm
4:00 IRN News & People's Jukebox
5:00 IRN News followed by Jukebox
6:00 IRN News & The Archers
6:15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop followed by Soul, Blues & Rock 'n' Roll with Lizz
7:30 Feature Presentation
8:00 Pot Luck with Myriam to include Weather & Flights at 8.30
10:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

FRIDAY

7:00 IRN News & Breakfast Show with Ken (530mw & 88.3fm)
9:00 KTV Radio Nova
10:00 IRN News & Lifestyle with Liz to include
12:15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
12:30 Caught In The Net/Camp Matters
1:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm
4:00 IRN News & People's Jukebox
5:00 IRN News followed by Jukebox
6:00 IRN News & The Archers
6:15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop followed by The Information Hour to include
Calling The Falklands
One To One (repeat)
Conservation Conversations (repeat)
Caught In The Net/Camp Matters (repeat)
7:30 Non-Stop Country Hour
8:30 Weather, Flights & Leather and Lace with Tansy
10:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

Any changes will be broadcast on FIRS.



98.5 FM:

SATURDAY 0000 Groove Collective PT 2 0100 The Box 0300 Cox & Bumfry 0500 Early Riser 0700 Forces Finest PF 1 0800 Saturday Breakfast 1000 The Score 1300 Forces Finest 1500 Cox & Bumfry 1700 Ministry Of Sound 1900 David Rodigan 2100 Club Culture 2300 The Box PT 1
SUNDAY 0000 The Box PF 2 0100 Chill Out Room 0300 Sim Courtie 0500 Groove Collective 0700 UK Sunday Breakfast 1000 Sim Courtie 1200 Access all Areas 1400 Airplay UK 1700 The Source 1900 The Rock Show 2100 Up from the Underground 2300 Chill Out Room PT 1
MONDAY 0000 Chill Out Room PT 2 0100 Forces Finest 0300 BFBS Greatest Hits 0400 Early Riser 0700 Hermina Graham 1000 Adam Small 1300 Richard Hutchinson 1600 Hatch & Duffus 1800 BFBS Greatest Hits 1900 UK Friday Dance 2100 Ministry of Sound 2300 The Groove Collective

BFBS Greatest Hits 1900 UK Top 40 2200 Late Show with Lisa Davis
TUESDAY 0000 UK Late Show 0100 David Rodigan 0300 Greatest Hits 0400 Early Riser 0700 Hermina Graham 1000 Adam Small 1300 Richard Hutchinson 1600 Hatch & Duffus 1800 BFBS Greatest Hits 1900 Evening Show 2200 Late Show with Lisa Davis
WEDNESDAY 0000 UK Late Show 0100 Club Culture 0300 - 0000 As of Tuesday
THURSDAY 0000 UK Late Show 0100 The Rock Show 0300 - 1600 As of Tuesday 1600 Hatch & Duffus 1800 BFBS Greatest Hits 1900 UK Evening Show 2200 Late Show with Lisa Davis
FRIDAY 0000 UK Late Show 0100 Up from the Underground 0300 BFBS Greatest Hits 0400 Early Riser 0700 Hermina Graham 1000 Adam Small 1300 Richard Hutchinson 1600 Hatch & Duffus 1800 BFBS Greatest Hits 1900 Friday Dance 2100 Ministry of Sound 2300 The Groove Collective



550 MW:

SATURDAY 0000 Classic weekend breakfast 0200 Today 0400 Home Truths 0500 Radio 4 live 0530 Don't mention the war 0600 News/Allinson's albums 0700 Sport on Five 1400 Rockola 1500 The Classic rock show 1600 Raven n' the blues 1700 Late night live 2000 Up all night
SUNDAY 0100 Classic weekend breakfast 0300 Weekend woman's hour 0400 Sunday Worship 0450 A point of view 0500 Broadcasting House 0600 The Archers Omnibus 0718 Seven days 0800 BFG on Sunday 0900 Sport on Five 1500 The BFBS Radio 2 Comedy Hour 1600 News/The Archers 1615 A point of view 1630 Behind the glass The Phil Ramone story 1700 Home truths 1800 Late night live 2100 Up all night
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Thursday 8th September 2005

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Weekday show starts - 20:00

Saturday shows starts - 1st Performance 09:30 2nd Performance 14:00 3rd Performance 20:00

Sunday shows starts - 1st Performance 13:00 2nd Performance 17:00 3rd Performance 20:00

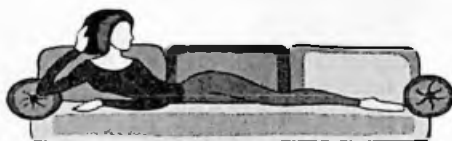
Saturday 3 September	Sunday 4 September	Monday 5 September	Tuesday 6 September	Wednesday 7 September	Thursday 8 September	Friday 9 September
MONSTER-IN-LAW	BATMAN BEGINS					
STAR WARS: EP III	THE DESCENT					
THE DESCENT	WEDDING CRASHERS	WEDDING CRASHERS	MR & MRS SMITH	KUNG FU HUSTLE	WEDDING CRASHES	THE DESCENT

KUNG FU HUSTLE (15) 98 mins. Act/Com Stephen Chow, Kwok Chan
BATMAN BEGINS (12A) 141 mins. Act/Fantasy. Christian Bale, Michael Caine
MR & MRS SMITH (15) 119 mins. Thriller. Brad Pitt, Angelina Jolie

WAR OF THE WORLDS (12A) 116 mins. Action. Tom Cruise, Dakota Fanning
THE DESCENT (18) 99 mins. Horror. Myanna Buring, Craig Conway
WEDDING CRASHERS (15) Comedy Sc. Owen Wilson, Vince Vaughn



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Councillors debate 2005 Fisheries Bill (continued from page 11)

Cockwell in favour: 'this will benefit all Islanders'

RICHARD COCKWELL, Chairman of the Fisheries Advisory Committee, supported the Bill.

He said he had shared the Honourable Mike Summers' concerns and frustrations over the time the Bill had taken to come through and that he personally regretted the fact that a special Legislative Council meeting was called in which to discuss it.

He said that although he respected Councillor Edwards' concerns, he didn't believe that this Bill could be compared with the Stanley Fisheries issue, saying, "The Stanley Fisheries issue was a group of inexperienced people who decided they were going to set up and manage something which they had no experience in whatsoever, with a consequent disaster. We now have an experienced fishing industry with experienced fishing companies, who are in a very different position. I don't think that the policy behind Stanley Fisheries was wrong, it was just the implementation which was wrong."

He said one thing he regretted which is not clear is "...the protection of smaller fishing companies, who feel exposed because of the issues of eligibility and granting of

ITQ and PQ." He added, "I hope that this will be dealt with within the life of this Council."

Councillor Cockwell gave his personal assurance that he did not believe that anybody who had been involved in the formulation of the Bill had any intention that smaller fishing companies should be disadvantaged. "If anything, the contrary, they should be encouraged to be able as long as they qualify to obtain ITQ."

Councillor Cockwell expressed his gratitude to the people who have spent "many, many gallons of midnight oil producing this Bill and working on the drafting of this Bill, which has been very complex."

"It's one of the most complex bills we have had for a long time. And in particular the Attorney General and the Director of Fisheries and, of course, Mike Hartle, who was the economic advisor at the time and also the members of the working group, who went through every single clause."

He said the Bill would make a big difference not only to the Falkland Islands fishing industry but to Falkland Islanders themselves. "There is not a Falkland Islander

who is not touched and has not benefited from the fishing industry and the setting up of the fishing industry in the Falklands and this gives the industry a chance to develop and expand."

He added "More of the money which has been generated by our industry, which we never see in the Falkland Islands, will pass through the Falkland Islands and we will see the benefit of it."

Councillor Cockwell corrected Councillor Roger Edwards on a point he had made (below) that the government could not recover any ITQ once it had been granted to qualifying companies, he said, "Clause 33 is grounds in which the grant of individual transferable quota provision may be revoked, so there are ways in which it can be revoked."

However, on Tuesday Councillor Edwards said that is incorrect. He said, "Clause 33 allows the Director of Fisheries to revoke the grant of ITQ to a company but not to recover quota."

"All that government can do is ensure quota is sold on, or transferred in some way, to another company the name of which appears on the relevant Eligibility Register."

Roger Edwards 'against the Bill as it stands'

ROGER EDWARDS declared an interest in the Falklands fishing industry saying his interest is presently only in toothfish. "For which there is no provisional quota under this particular ordinance."

Councillor Edwards said that although he was not entirely happy with the Bill as it stands, he agreed with the Chief Executive that an awful lot of work has been done towards it, adding, "much of the Bill was bits and pieces that were desperately required in the Falklands."

He said legislation was required to look after the safety of the vessels, the crews, and the personnel involved in the fishery.

However, he added, "My prime problem with this Bill is the time-scale involved. Government gives these rights for a period of 25 years and, during that period of 25 years, government cannot be given those rights back. They may purchase them somewhere along the way but they have no rights to get them back. Yes, we have heard that ExCo

can sit and discuss to see how the companies are doing - those companies that have these rights. They do not have the powers to take those rights back. They can force a company to sell them on. Twenty five years is an awful long time. If we think back 25 years, there was a group of people in these Islands from the Foreign and Commonwealth Office talking about lease-back to the Argentines. The Falklands war has happened, we didn't even have a fisheries zone. It wasn't until 1986 that the Falklands Interim Conservation Zone was brought into being. We had no licensing policies at all, there were no local fishing licenses. Twenty five years is an awful long time and my feeling is that it is too long to give these rights out without Government under any circumstances getting them back."

"They claim, through this Bill, that conservation is going to be better controlled. Well, those fishing companies who now have these

rights are going to be pushing like hell that the ITQ is never reduced to zero because that is all Government can do."

Councillor Edwards said he had argued some time back within council that should ITQ fall to zero for a couple of years then the government should have the rights back, so they could properly oversee conservation. He said that was refused.

Lastly, he said, it is a matter of a level playing field for all the fishing companies. "In the presence of the members of the public only the other day, the Chairman of the Fisheries Advisory Committee, when asked about what criteria would be imposed, said we don't know because we don't know who is going to apply - surely that must be a very, very odd response?"

Councillor Edwards did not vote in favour of the Bill. "Even though my interests in fishing would be enhanced under this Bill, I am afraid I cannot support this Bill as it stands."

Councillor Jan Cheek: in favour of 'investment that will boost the Falklands'

JAN CHEEK declared her interest in the fishing industry and referred interested parties to the Register of Members' Interests, which has, in full detail, all her fisheries interests as a boat owner, as an operator and as a director of several fishing companies.

Councillor Cheek said that over the years the policy has taken to devise, there has been huge input from many members of the industry and officials, adding "it hasn't been undertaken lightly."

"Undoubtedly some companies, such as those I operate, will benefit from the added security. But that added security should encourage the kind of investment that will boost the Falkland Islands' share of the value of a huge fishery of which, at the moment, only a tiny fraction

of that income comes ashore.

"I am also in favour of this Bill because of the strengthening of the powers of conservation measures. The Director of Fisheries will be able to reduce any fishery by whatever percentage conservation requirements dictate - even to the point of reducing a given fishery to zero."

"I think this is incredibly important. Serious fishing companies and the Falkland Islands interests are served by long-term sustainability and I believe this Bill works very hard to strengthen it."

"Not only does it strengthen powers in terms of conservation measures but it extends the power of enforcement of regulations for those who wish to poach or cheat in any way will find it much harder to get away with it on technicali-

ties in the future. The powers of the Director of Fisheries are much strengthened."

"I am especially pleased, as a responsible Councillor, individual human being, that there are additional powers to deal with the maltreatment of crews. We've been deeply frustrated in years past by our inability to deal with that problem and I am hoping that with the way that these (powers) can be enforced, vessel owners will think carefully about the kind of officers they employ and realise that in this part of the world, at least, maltreatment of crews is totally unacceptable."

Councillor Cheek said that having declared her interest she did support the Bill for the reasons she had outlined.

Birmingham, Hansen and Luxton: in favour

COUNCILLOR John Birmingham said he didn't think the Bill had everyone's full approval adding, "there are certain aspects of this that I am a little bit concerned about."

He said his only interest was to promote and push forward the fishing industry of the Falkland Islands.

He then read out an anonymous letter councillors had received which intimated that the Bill would only serve to better councillors. (On Tuesday Councillor Birmingham explained he had read the letter out to demonstrate the kind of misunderstanding that exists concerning the fisheries legislation.)

He said he thought people on the streets would be talking about the Bill, "more than ordinary members of the public have been discussing anything to do with fishing over the last three years."

In addressing Legislative Council he said he was a supporter of the Bill and had been convinced from some ago that it was the "way ahead" but he agreed with Councillor Roger Edwards' that the 25 year time scale is a long time. He said that there would be controls in place to "prevent anyone doing anything illegal or dishonest."

He said 25 years ago the situation in the Falklands was different. "How many people owned their own farms 25 years ago? I would suggest not too many and, looking back, I would also suggest that some people may well think that they perhaps made the wrong decision for buying them. Times do change, we have to move on. There is a risk to this Bill but there is a risk to everything."

Ian Hansen chose to be brief admitting, "...there are those who have far more experience in the fishing industry than I," however he added, "We are all aware of its importance."

Councillor Hansen said he had listened to views of all the fishing industry and, he hoped he had an understanding of the different concerns that have been expressed.

He said the conclusion he had reached is that the advantages of the Bill for the fishery and for the Falkland Islands "far outweighs the disadvantages," adding, "I believe the fundamental policy is right and correct."

Councillor Stephen Luxton declared an interest and briefly elaborated on it before saying he thought the important point to the Bill is that it is about bringing control of the fishery of the Falkland Islands "back to the hands of the Falkland Islanders."

He added, "it's about strengthening our domestic industry and, more than anything else, perhaps, about bringing more money back into the Falklands. At the moment, we only have a very small proportion of the potential income from the Falkland Islands fisheries actually come back into the Falklands and I think this is a step in the right direction in terms of bringing those assets home."

He concluded, "I am not 100% happy with every single provision...but, as Councillor Hansen said, I think the advantages very much outweigh the disadvantages."



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Fisheries Department

Catch for week 34, ending August 23, 2005

Licence type	Number of Licences	
	Eligible Winding 23-08-05	Fishing Winding 23-08-05
Total	42	42
L	2	2
R	9	9
X	16	16
Y	7	7
Z	8	8

Catch by species (Tonnes)

	Falklands	Korea	Other Nations	Total
Loligo	2978	2	8	2988
Illex	0	0	0	0
Martialia	0	0	0	0
Hakes	72	49	120	241
Blue Whiting	15	0	148	163
Hoki	147	11	385	543
Kingclip	12	18	73	103
Toothfish	22	0	2	24
Red Cod	17	4	76	97
Ray	22	421	27	470
Other	141	4	159	304
Total	3426	509	998	4933

Shipping activity from August 22-28

BERKELEY Sound has had three reefers in for transshipping. *Frio Marathon, Kraskino* and *Frión Oceanic*.

Shanghai Reefer was in the area for bunkers and stores.

The tanker *Centaurus* arrived for bunkers on August 26 and trawlers *Foros* and *New Polar* for bunkers on August 23 and 27 respectively.

Tamar FI arrived at the East Jetty to load cargo on August 22.

The combo *Protegat* arrived at FIPASS on August 25. Longliners *Viking Bay* and *Polar Pesca 1* both called at FIPASS on August 24: 17-

king Bay left for Cape Town on August 26.

The reefer *Astra* remains in Port William to tranship with *Shanghai Reefer* commencing transhipment on August 27.

Trawlers *Argos Pereira, Patricia Nores, Petrel, Piscator, Baffin Bay, Costa Do Cabo, Argos Galicia, Venturer, El Greco, Esperanza* and *Beatriz Nores* all made brief visits to Port William before departing for fishing grounds.

The yacht *Le Sourire* arrived in Stanley Harbour on August 23 for a port visit.

Wool report - week ending August 26

by Neil Judd, Department of Agriculture

GREASY wool prices remained relatively stable at sales in Australia (some micron categories gained a penny or two per kg clean), slipped a bit at the "fine end" in New Zealand, but held up at the "broader end".

Prices in South Africa were reported down markedly, however price movements basically brought South African greasy wool prices back into line with "normal" compared to Australian and New Zealand markets.

Prices for non-fleece wool types were also reported quite firm during the week. Better style, finer, low VM types in particular were in demand.

In Australia 89.2% of the 51,393 bale offering was sold. Included in the offering were 4,445 bales of crossbred wool of which 91% was sold. In New Zealand, over 25% of the 24,350 bale offering was passed in.

Auctions continue next week in New Zealand and Australia where almost 71,000 bales will be on offer.

Note: *Exchange rates used to convert wool prices into pence per

kg clean basis, Australian \$2.37 per 1L sterling compared to \$2.38 per 1L sterling on 15th July 2005.

*Information derived from AWEX market report and Wool Record Weekly.

*Values based on average auction floor prices from Australian Eastern markets.

*Prices quoted correspond to average gross auction prices. It should be remembered that no selling or freight costs have been deducted from the stated prices.

*MPG prices designated with an "n" indicate that insufficient wool in the particular micron range was traded to determine a firm MPG quote.

Growers are strongly advised to seek assistance in evaluating offers for wool where only nominal prices are given.

Any woolgrower with a question regarding the wool industry, or requiring assistance to determine the merit of any wool price offer, is urged to contact Neil Judd at the Department of Agriculture on telephone 27355 or on email njudd@doa.gov.fk

Week ending	Pence per kilogram clean for each micron category											
	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	28	30	32
10-01-2002	553	403	306	294	293	288	283	266	232	208	199	185
13-12-2002	552n	484	456	451	446	437n	431n	407n	369n	265	217	201n
10-01-2003	557n	494	470	463	458	451	445	412n	375n	271	228	210n
04-07-2003	443n	408	409	411	414n	413n	405n	384n	351n	252n	213	201n
12-12-2003	397n	380	366	362	351	336	325	295n	272n	218n	187n	167n
09-01-2004	409n	392	380	369	356	337	326	295n	274n	215	187	161n
02-07-2004	421n	390	352	339	323	310	281n	266n	253n	211n	188n	169n
17-12-2004	395	368	327	306	295	282	269n	233n	218n	186n	168n	154n
14-01-2005	411n	383	341	316	307	297	284	244n	225	194n	176n	160n
04-02-2005	417	389	343	316	303	294	282	246n	226n	194n	177n	163n
04-03-2005	411	378	337	312	295	286	270	242n	223n	187	174	164n
08-04-2005	414	387	337	313	298	290	273n	244n	224n	189	174	164n
06-05-2005	416	381	334	304	293	288	273	246	228	187	174	164
03-06-2005	418	376	336	313	303	300	282n	256n	234n	197	180	167n
01-07-2005	412	373	336	322	317	313	288n	266n	240n	197	185	169n
08-07-2005	419	386	343	330	324	320	298	275	245	206	192	173
15-07-2005	408n	378n	340	324	318	314	294	278n	247n	204n	190n	173n
05-08-2005	434	388	342	323	316	309	301n	274n	245n	205	190	175n
micron	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	28	30	32
12-08-2005	416	376	332	316	306	301	293	274n	240n	201	185	171n
19-08-2005	405n	361	323	306	297	291	284	269n	238n	195	182	165
26-08-2005	409	361	323	307	298	292n	284n	270n	240n	197n	184n	166n
weekly change	4	0	0	1	1	1	0	1	2	2	2	1
price year ago	432	394	350	322	301	289	269	258	249	210	185	170

South Georgia Fisheries: Catch Figures Week ending August 26, 2005

Species	Max No. of Vessels	Total Catch	Total Effort
Toothfish	6	184 tonnes	460,039 hooks
Krill	1	497 tonnes	51 trawls



on share prices

At close of business Monday, August 29, 2005

Desire Petroleum plc	42.00p	(+1.75p)
Falkland Oil and Gas plc	120.00p	(+0.5p)
Falkland Islands Holdings plc	412.5p	(-15p)
Falkland Gold and Minerals Ltd	25.00p	(nil)
Standard Chartered PLC	1207.00p	(+23p)



Stanley Darts Club

Results from Monday, August 29

Mens		League Position		pts		legs		Ladies Legs	
Total BOC									
Tooty Ford	142	Tomado's	54	243	Maggie Goss	46	Gary Hewitt	36	
Len Ford	116	Rose B	47	212	Ann Murphy	33	Graeme Hay	52	
Colin Smith	115	Otto's Outlaws	45	194	Joan Middleton	33	James Lang	51	
Gary Hewitt	112	Misfits	43	190	Nora Smith	31	Colin Smith	50	
Johnny Ford	97	Snowmen	37	174	Cathy Jacobsen	30	Johnny Ford	50	
James Lang	90	Kelpers	36	180	Hazel Collins	29	Len Ford	49	
Graeme Hay	88	Narrower	34	164	Pat Pratlett	26	Rag Macaskill	47	
Alan Bonner	86	Rose Missiles	31	162	Sheila Harvey	25	Peter Goss	46	
Russel Smith	84	Victory Scuds	30	152	Tara Heathman	25	Steve Watt	46	
Steve Watt	78	Deanos	29	157	Ally Ford	23	Geoff Greenough	45	
Joe Joseph	75	Men at Arms	28	159	Maisey Crowe	23	Alan Bonner	45	
Rag Macaskill	72	Pale Maidens	25	141	Jenny Smith	23	Joe Joseph	44	
Peter Goss	71	Stray Dogs	21	141	Natalie Smith	23	Tooty Morrison	43	
Teddy Summers	67	Penguns	20	128	Sibby Summers	23	Teddy Summers	42	
Jimmy Curtis	64	Vic Spear Chucker	19	131	Patsy Robson	22	Tony Courtney	41	
Geoff Greenough	63	Victory Spiders	17	116	Avril Bonner	21	Jimmy Curtis	39	
Tooty Morrison	60	Rose Mixers	16	130	Teresa Clifton	21	Russel Smith	39	
Shane Blackley	57	Busty Babes	14	111	Gail Miller	20	Ally Ford	38	
Tony Courtney	56	Armed & Dangerous	14	106	Jenny McKay	19	Boy Miranda	37	
Kevin Clapp	56	Globe Goonies	11	105	Wendy Roberts	19	Michael Summers	37	
Willy Harvey	55	Maid's at Arms	11	100	Jeanet Miller	19	Neville Hayward	36	
Willie Robson	54	Highbury Babes	10	108	Jane Clement	18	Kevin Clapp	35	
Dale McCormick	50	FDan Fingers	3	79	Corina Bishop	18	Richard Bonner	35	
Boy Miranda	48	Spice Burgers	3	79	Sheila Stewart	18	Wladimir Bruno	35	
Jim Parke	48				Ellen Ferguson	17	Owen Betts	34	
Melvin Clifton	48				Julie Ford	17	William Whitney	34	
Tony McLaren	47				Tanzi Jacobsen	16	Keith Dickson	33	
Michael Summers	46				Heather Smith	16	Paul Anderson	33	
Neville Hayward	43				Michele Evans	16	Morris Blackley	32	
Kevin McLaren	42				Monica Lumbum	15	Ferry Bonner	31	
Andrew Pollard	39				Dylis Short	15			
James Greenland	39				Rowena Summers	15			
Mark Pollard	37								
David Ford	37								
Neil Clifton	36								
Leon Mitchell	36								
Martin Plato	36								
Michael Goss	36								
John Jaffray	36								
Paul Smith	35								
Adrian Mannell	35								
Ian Betts	35								
Tim Bonner	35								
Richard Bonner	35								
Wladimir Bruno	35								
Owen Betts	34								
William Whitney	34								
Keith Dickson	33								
Paul Anderson	33								
Morris Blackley	32								
Ferry Bonner	31								

Ladies Total BOC

Maggie Goss	63
Joan Middleton	28
Teresa Clifton	28
Nora Smith	27
Sibby Summers	26
Sheila Harvey	24
Jane Clement	24
Cathy Jacobsen	24
Tara Heathman	24
Dylis Short	23
Jenny McKay	22
Heather Smith	22
Natalie Smith	22
Wendy Roberts	21
Ann Murphy	21
Gail Miller	20
Maisey Crowe	20
Candy Blackley	20
Patsy Robson	19
Jenny Smith	19
Hazel Collins	18
Pat Pratlett	17
Jan Parke	16
Janet Jaffray	16
Corina Bishop	14
Ally Ford	13
Sheila Stewart	13
Jeanet Miller	13
Lisa Jaffray	12
Julie Ford	12
Michele Evans	12
Cherry Robson	12
Ellen Ferguson	12

Mens legs

Gary Hewitt	36
Graeme Hay	52
James Lang	51
Colin Smith	50
Johnny Ford	50
Tooty Ford	50
Len Ford	49
Rag Macaskill	47
Peter Goss	46
Steve Watt	46
Geoff Greenough	45
Alan Bonner	45
Joe Joseph	44
Tooty Morrison	43
Teddy Summers	42
Tony Courtney	41
Jimmy Curtis	39
Russel Smith	39
Boy Miranda	38
Michael Summers	37
Neville Hayward	36
Kevin Clapp	35
Wladimir Bruno	35
Tony McLaren	35
Willie Robson	34
Leon Mitchell	34
Willy Harvey	34
Shane Blackley	34
Paul Anderson	33

Results from Monday August 30

Vic Scuds	9	6	Otto's Outlaws
Tomado's	15	0	FIDF
Narrower	9	6	Rose Mixers
Men At Arms	11	4	Kelpers
Armed & Darg	10	5	Last Orders
Deanos	5	10	Rose B
Stray Dogs	9	6	Globe Goonies
Penguns	9	6	Maid's at Arms
Rose Missiles	8	7	Spearchuckers
Misfits	11	4	Busty Babes
Pale Maidens	6	9	Spiders
Spiceburgers	5	10	Highbury Babes



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Falklands Gun Club - Shotgun

WITH the recent return of all Island Games shooters the winter season continued this weekend with a 50 bird skeet competition.

The club was privileged to have Mr Mike Hooper, Commonwealth Games Federation Chief Executive visiting the range. Mike, not known for his clay shooting prowess, held his own, hitting a total of eight birds in what can only be described as challenging conditions.

The wind and rain were against all shooters on the day but Stevie Burrows managed to hold off all competition and take first honours.

Jon Butler and Steve Dent were unable to find previous form but

with constant problems with the low house bird and the wind, all shooter's scores were well below the expected level.

Henry McLeod made the journey in from Camp and in true style managed to take second place without any practice in the past weeks!

Well done to all shooters. The next arranged shoot is on September 11, which will be another Skeet competition.

If you are keen to join the club, please contact Steve Dent, Jon Butler or Graham Didlick for details. Alternatively we meet most Sundays at 1330 hrs on Phillips Point Range. Shooters of all standards are most welcome.

This week's Skeet scoresheet - summary

Name	Rnd 1	Rnd 2	Total	%
Stevie Burrows	21	18	39	78%
Henry McLeod	19	19	38	76%
Steve Dent	16	16	32	64%
Jon Butler	17	14	31	62%
Ricardo Leyton	12	11	23	46%
Mike Hooper	4	4	8	16%

Thank you to Alan Bonner, Marc Pollard and Andrew Pollard for compiling the darts statistics

Victory Bar & Bonners Haulage Dart Tournament Saturday, September 3, in the FIDF Drill Hall. Doors open at 6.30pm, bar until 1am. £2 on the door. For further information contact the Darts Club Chairman, Willie Harvey on 21772

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FLIGHT INFORMATION

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Sun 4 Sept	Mon 5 Sept	Tue 6 Sept	Weds 7 Sept
Thurs 8 Sept	Fri 9 Sept	Sat 10 Sept	Sun 11 Sept
Tue 13 Sept	Weds 14 Sept	Thurs 15 Sept	Fri 16 Sept
Sun 18 Sept	Mon 19 Sept	Tue 20 Sept	Weds 21 Sept
Thurs 22 Sept	Fri 23 Sept	Sat 24 Sept	Sun 25 Sept
Tue 27 Sept	Weds 28 Sept	Thurs 29 Sept	Fri 30 Sept

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To Errie - Happy 8th birthday sweetheart, have a lovely day and hope you get lots of lovely presents. Lots of love always from Granny, Grandad Mon, Bilbo, Carn's and Neil x



To Dean - Have a lovely birthday, and a lovely party this afternoon. Lots of love from Mum, Nanny, Dad and Lauren

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To David John and D.J. Happy 24th birthday for the 7th. Lots of love Nana and Melissa Jayne



David John
Happy 24th birthday for the 7th. Cool hair do - Football top magic. Loads of love Mum

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PUBLIC NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR PLANNING PERMISSIONS RECEIVED - The public are advised that, due to a clerical error for which the Environmental Planning Department apologies profusely, the list of applications as published in the *Penguin News* on 26th August was incomplete. A complete list of applications is available for viewing on the noticeboard in the Secretariat. Any objections to any of the applications must be received before the 8th September. Our apologies for any inconvenience caused.

PUBLIC NOTICE
The Environmental Planning Department received an Outline Planning Application (number 97/05/P) from CFL, to develop a Fish Hatchery at Surf Bay (Stanley). It was due to be considered at the next Planning and Building Committee on the 8th September 2005. This notice is to advise the public that CFL have withdrawn their application. As this Application has caused much concern about the impact of the proposal on Surf Bay, from the community, it was felt that the withdrawal of the application should be brought to the public's attention.

I would like to thank everybody who contacted me on the sad loss of my dad, Calby Clarence Hirtle. I would love to hear from you all and to stay in contact with my dad's family and friends, but I have misplaced telephone numbers and addresses. Thank you all once again for your kind words of comfort and my dad is missed very much. I hope to hear from you all soon. Kind regards. Julie Carole Hirtle

Trevor and all the family of the late Marjorie Berntsen, would like to express their thanks and gratitude to all who phoned, sent cards and flowers during their sad bereavement. Special thanks to all the nursing staff at KEMH for their great care to Marjorie during the last couple of weeks and also to Paul Sweeting for the wonderful service.

Alex, Carol, Rorsin, Clodagh, Byron & Mairead are pleased to announce the arrival of the latest addition to The Stewart-Reid family. Murray George Alexander caught Mum napping when he made an unscheduled appearance on the 9th of August in Punta Arenas, Chile. Although early, he weighed in at 3.025 kgs. We would like to thank everyone in Punta Arenas and in the Falkland Islands for all the help and support over the last few months. Also everyone else for their e-mails etc which helped to keep Carol sane.

Our sincere apologies to Sally and Andrew Bone for the typing error in last week's notice. *Penguin News* would like to congratulate Sally and Andrew on the birth of Lindsay.



To Brooklyn Ford Happy 6th birthday for Tuesday 6th September. Have a great party on Sunday. Lots of love Mum, Dad, Bronwen, Nan and Grandad S and Nan and Grandad C, all your aunts and uncles, Dominic, Angel, Amber, Katie and Rebecca xxxx

FALKLAND CRAFT FAIR

Friday 9th September: take your entries to the F.I. Community School between 3pm and 6pm

Saturday 10th September: Craft Fair open between 2pm and 5pm

Sunday 11th September: Craft Fair open between 2pm and 4.30pm
Prizegiving at 4pm followed by raffle draw
Entries to be collected at 4.30pm

Enter as many items as you want. There is no charge for entering. Admission fee for viewing the show: adults 50p, children 25p
Raffle tickets on sale 20p each.

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**FALKLAND ISLANDS GOVERNMENT
VACANCIES**

Store Person/HGV Driver – Public Works Department

Requirements

Candidates must have an HGV license. Must be prepared to work overtime as required. Due to nature of job applicants need to be physically fit

Salary £13,062 per annum in Grade G

Further info Ralph Harris, Telephone 27183

Mechanic – Public Works Department

Requirements

Experience in DAF, Caterpillar and Volvo equipment is essential. Basic welding and fabricating skills would be advantageous as would a HGV license. Applicants must be prepared to work away from home for long periods and be prepared to work overtime as required. The ability to work unsupervised is essential

Salary Commencing in Grade FE15,492 per annum

Further Info Ralph Harris, Workshop Manager, Phone 27183

The closing date for applications for all of the above posts is

Friday 9th September 2005

Job Descriptions and application forms for the above positions can be obtained from the Human Resources Department - telephone 27246, fax 27212 or e-mail drobison@sec.gov.fk

Note All new entrants to Government service (permanent positions) will be required to contribute 5% of basic pensionable salary to the Falkland Islands Pension scheme. FIG will make contributions on the employee's behalf at the rate of 10% of basic pensionable salary.



FALKLANDS CONSERVATION

Temporary Pelagic Seabird Observer:
1st October – 31st December

To undertake sea seabird mitigation trials onboard fishing vessels. The applicant will hold a science based degree and have extensive experience of seabird mitigation design, and must be familiar with current pelagic mitigation practices. The candidate will produce scientific reports for observer trips and a summary report to be published in an international scientific journal

Temporary Team Leader – Penguin Census:

1st November – 31st November

To lead the West Falkland penguin census. The applicant will hold a science based degree and have practical experience of the range of techniques required to count colonial seabirds and dispersed territorial land birds. A previous knowledge of sites would be desirable.

Temporary Assistant/Guide – Penguin Census:

1st November – 31st November

To assist the West Falkland penguin census. The applicant must have experience of off-road driving and be familiar with the colonies and access tracks on West Falkland.

Full details of the positions are available at the Stanley office (Tel – 22247) **Deadline for applications: 16th September 2005**

HELP WANTED:

Synergy Information Systems has an opening for a Technical Assistant, beginning in early September. This is a highly technical job, especially in areas of computer hardware maintenance, with an emphasis on EPOS systems and networking. Training will be given, but fully qualified and experienced applicants would be preferred, with education to A level or equivalent. A clean driving licence would be an advantage. Salary will be commensurate with qualifications and experience. Interested applicants should send their CV and copies of qualification certificates to The Studio, 9 Ian Campbell Drive, Stanley. Please contact Nikki Buxton, Managing Director, or Christian Williams, Technical Assistant on 22051 or email gentoo@horizon.co.fk for more details.

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MP travel has a vacancy at its MPA office. Reasonable rates of pay offered for a job share of between 11 and 17 hours per week only. Often involves weekend working and being available on call at 10 minutes notice. No travel time or allowance paid. Attention to detail, good computer and accounts skills required. Closing date for entries 26th September 2006. All enquiries telephone 22626 or 76691.

Customer Care Assistant required to work at **The Kelper Stores**. Duties will include, dealing with customers, stock control and presentation, handling and recording money. Hours will include evenings, weekends and Public Holidays. Applicants need to be over eighteen years of age and capable of moving heavy boxes. They should have a good employment record, be capable of working without supervision and with initiative. Please Contact Mhari on 22270 or pop into any K shop for an Application Form

Wanted one general assistant for PN, TR and Quality Shearers. applicants must be prepared to go anywhere, do anything. Apply to Port North.

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Sodexo Defence Services wishes to thank their customers for their support over the last 4 years.

APPLICATIONS FOR PERMANENT RESIDENCE

Notice is hereby given that **Christopher Andrew Williams** has applied through the Principal Immigration Officer to be granted a Permanent Residence Permit by the Governor.

Any person who knows of any reason why this permit should not be granted should send a written and signed statement of the facts, giving grounds for their objection, to the Immigration Officer, Customs & Immigration Department, Stanley by 23rd September 2005

Notice is hereby given that **Sarah May Bo Lam** has applied through the Principal Immigration Officer to be granted a Permanent Residence Permit by the Governor.

Any person who knows of any reason why this permit should not be granted should send a written and signed statement of the facts, giving grounds for their objection, to the Immigration Officer, Customs & Immigration Department, Stanley by 23rd September 2005

Shorty's Diner - New Chinese Menu as follows:

- Sweet & Sour Chicken
- Pork Steamed rice with peas
- Squid rings in chilli sauce
- Stir fry beef with beansprouts & mushrooms
- Side order - Prawn crackers
- All dishes served with your choice of noodles, rice or chips
- Call 22855 to place your orders.
- Chinese Meals available for Wednesday Takeaway Evenings but is also part of our daily menu.

Falklands Conservation's Charity Ball tickets are now available from Beauchene Trading, Kelper Stores, MP Travel based at MPA and the FC Office. To reserve your table please phone Falklands Conservation. Each table seats eight, so get together with friends and book now! There will be a shortened Auction of fantastic items, a complimentary drink supplied by the Falklands Brasserie on arrival, tapas served to your table and free wine on tables courtesy of Beauchene Trading. Due to the support of Consolidated Fisheries Ltd the ball this year will be the best yet. There are also the usual few nice surprises along the way, with live music from Platonio to keep us all dancing until 1.30am. The bar will close at 1am. So dust off your ball gowns and suits and come along to the Charity Ball on Friday 23rd of September starting at 7.30.

PUBLIC NOTICE

**FALKLAND ISLANDS GOVERNMENT COMMITTEES
ACCESS TO INFORMATION**

Please note that the following committee meetings will be open for public attendance during the forthcoming week.

Police Committee - Monday 5th September at 10.00 am at Government House
Housing Committee - Wednesday 7th September at 1.30pm in the Liberation Room, Secretariat

Environment Committee - Wednesday 7th September at 9am in the Library, Agriculture Department.

Planning & Building Committee - Thursday 8th September at 9.00am in the Liberation Room, Secretariat

Stanley Lands Committee - Thursday 8th September at 1.30pm in the Liberation Room, Secretariat

Members of the public can attend but not speak at Committee meetings.

Copies of the Agenda and Reports can be seen in the Secretariat at least three working days before the date of the meeting.

**ACCESS OF PUBLIC INFORMATION
EXECUTIVE COUNCIL PAPERS**

The following Executive Council papers were considered at the meeting of Executive Council held 25th August 2005 are available for viewing, during normal working hours in the Clerk of Councils Office, Gilbert House, Stanley

Paper Title	No:
Coastal Shipping Freight Rates – Cattle and Calves	214/05
The Falkland Islands joining the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate change (FCCC) and the Kyoto Protocol	203/05
Cable and Wireless: Application to lease two FIG sites within Stanley for the erection of mobile phone masts	204/05
Merchant Shipping Registration of Ships Amendment Regulations 2005	215/05
Memorandum of Understanding, MCA/Falkland Islands	200/05
Visit to Beauchéne Island by Falklands Conservation	210/05
Restructuring of Apprenticeship Committee	196/05
RBA representative on FLH Board	216/05

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FLH has for sale (freehold) by tender Pleasant Island situated in Port Pleasant (Fitzroy), this island is approximately 400 acres in size and has some tussac on its borders, it has not been stocked for three years. Rights of access will be granted from Fitzroy settlement. FLH gives no warranty on the condition of the land being sold. For further information and arrangements to view interested parties should contact the farm manager Fitzroy. Offers in writing should be placed in a sealed envelope and marked Pleasant Island, and to reach the General Manager FLH no later than 4.30pm on Friday 9th September 2005. FLH does not bind itself to accept any tender received.

Epson Stylus 800+ Printer £40
15 sheets Armstrong Soundsoak Wall panels 600 x 2700mm £5 per sheet or offers to Gail or Vernon on Tel 21439 or 32236

Long-tailed fleece shearing vests Any chest size and back length - measured from the nape of the neck to the tail £12.50 each. Please ring Shirley on 42094

1 pine cot, covers to toddler bed c/w mattress and bedding
1 Moses basket c/w bedding
Baby monitor and alarm
Baby bath
Baby bottles and accessories
Play pen (new)
Car seats, infant and toddler
2 in 1 pushchair
Contact Margaret or Mike evenings or weekends on 21852

Video Recorder £30
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Home made beef burgers 48p each
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1 x Air Pistol £30
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Mothercare wooden playpen very little use £60.00. Suzi (SJ410) Jeep with a quantity of spares including engine, £600.00 for further information call David Thorsen 22404 after 5pm

1 Nikon Coolpix 5700 digital camera. 5.0 megapixels, 8x zoom. Comes complete with 2 memory cards, battery & charger and case. 6 months old, paid £595, offers of £300 accepted. Contact Marlene Short on 22861.

1 x dark red, 3 door - V8 Discovery, excellent condition - £5,000 ono. Contact Ian or Sheila on 21661 lunchtimes and evenings.

Fisher Price Doll's House, complete with furniture and people £40
Hansol 17" computer monitor £90
Size 11/12 Roller Blades, near new £60
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Diamond back bike 20" £40
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FOR SALE/NOTICES

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1 x 4 x 3 2 £2 65
1 x 2 x 3 2 £1 32
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Plasterboard 12 5mm £9 50
Roof felt £20.00 per 40mm roll
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1 Car for sale
Mitsubishi Pajero, short wheel base. Any offers?
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Mini lava lamp
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Pine varnished shoe rack
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Hoover Turbo Suction
Kodak 2.0 meg pixel digital camera
Goretex Pro boots (size 8)
For more information call 032346 from military or 32346 C & W, if no answer please leave a message

1 Landrover 90 for spares - offers 1 x Tricity Bendix Tumble Dryer in excellent condition £200.00
For further details on the above items contact Glynis King on tel: 21790 after 6pm, or leave a message.

Kawasaki KLR 250.
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Exercise for the young at heart
What? Exercise class run by the physiotherapist for all abilities. Who? Anyone who wants to exercise! Even if you think you are too unfit of too old or have got a specific problem which stops you! Just come along and give it a go! Where? Day room at KEMH (downstairs)
When? Friday 9 September at 10.30am

What to wear? Comfortable fitting clothes and shoes
There is no need to book, just come along and bring a friend!

New stock being opened at Sew What includes quality crochet cotton in 4 new shades (crochet hooks are still in stock), a wide range of lace and satin ribbon, ribbon roses and daisies, toy fill (BS standard), slip stop fabric and sewing machines. Sew What, at 5 Jersey Road, is open Saturdays from 12 to 4pm. Camp orders welcome.

NOTICES

The Sea Cadets will be holding their Extraordinary General Meeting on the 6th September at 7.00pm at their Sea Cadets Unit Headquarters on the Bypass Road. This will be chaired by His Excellency the Governor Mr H. Pearce. All members of the public are warmly invited to attend.

Room to let Must be of clean and tidy habits
1 large unfurnished bedroom
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Shellfish back on the menu

FALKLANDS oysters and mussels will be back on sale in the shops again this weekend, after tests for toxins proved negative.

The Senior Veterinary Officer, Steve Pointing, this week confirmed three successive negative tests on samples submitted for analysis for the most important shellfish toxins and added, "The results obtained locally have been confirmed by further testing in an approved overseas laboratory."

Testing will continue on a regular basis during the remainder of the winter and spring period and will be carried out more frequently during late spring and into summer when the risk of algal blooms increases with higher sea water temperatures.

Mr Pointing assured the public will be informed "immediately" if any test result shows cause for concern.

A clear result has also been received in *histeria* testing of milk from Stanley Dairy.

However, the Chief Medical Officer said, "Ideally we need four successive negative weeks before 'at risk' people can start drinking unpasteurised and unboiled milk."

Digital Journal

ALMOST thirty years of reference material contained in *The Falkland Islands Journal* has been produced on CD by a Stanley company.

At a launch party held last night, Nikki Buxton of Synergy Information Systems Ltd, officially launched the digitisation of *The Falkland Islands Journal* from 1967 to today. Full story on page 3

Argentine annoyance at Falklands fishing law

NEW fishing legislation passed in the Falklands has reportedly prompted the Argentine government to prepare a series of measures "to discourage and eventually sanction" companies who own long-term licences to fish in Falklands waters.

Legislative Council approved long term property rights last month as part of the new Falkland Islands fishing law.

Buenos Aires-based newspaper *Clarín* yesterday reported that officials from the Argentine Ministry of Foreign Affairs confirmed, "...the political decision to act against the unilateral move from the Islands, although they did not wish to reveal the detail."

An article written by Adriana Ruffa which appeared on the website *Pesca y Puerto* called for Argentina to denounce the "British presumption to grant rights over fisheries resources which it does not own."

She continues, "...at the same time all companies must be warned that Argentina does not, nor will it recognise licences, concessions or property rights issued by the occupying government on the Islands."

She urges, "A system of legal safeguards which discourages those potentially interested in exploiting the Malvinas (sic) fisheries resources - some of whom will certainly have substantial interests on the continent - must be laid down by law."

An instrument such as this

would clear up the future as it would be the best way to convince the islanders that they cannot do anything without a good relationship with Argentina...

Responding to Ms Ruffa's report, Councillor John Birmingham said, such articles "go no way" towards "helping build a mature and responsible relationship between the Falkland Islands and Argentina."

He said he had no concerns about the legality of the Fisheries Bill passed by Legislative Council last month and added, "We have the full support of the British Government and I take no notice of flimflam written in the Argentine press."

As for the concept that Argentina could penalise companies that fish in Falklands waters by banning them from Argentine waters, Councillor Birmingham commented, "They have jurisdiction over their own territory of which clearly the Falkland Islands are not a part."

However, he added, "If they choose to behave in an old fashioned, third world way, and punish private companies for actions those companies take overseas, it just shows the present Argentine government for what it is."

A fishery source said such moves as suggested by Ms Ruffa would be unlikely to punish Falkland Islands companies directly; instead, foreign companies with links in the Falklands would be more likely to be affected.

£45,000 fines for Quark/Freiremar

TWO fishing companies have each been fined £45,000 for exceeding the quota on a licence to fish in South Georgia waters.

In July Quark Fishing Ltd, a Falkland Islands company, and its Spanish partners Freiremar SA were found guilty of breaching licence conditions by exceeding quota in the valuable Patagonian toothfish fishery of South Georgia. The charge related to the use of the Spanish-flagged vessel, *Ibsa Quinto*.

Also in July, Quark was found guilty on a further matter, that as owner of the Falklands-flagged vessel *Jacqueline*, they failed to comply with a licence condition relating to the minimisation of seabird mortality in the course of longline fishing. For this offence, the company was yesterday fined £2,500.

Falklands councillor, Mike Summers, is the Managing Director of Quark Ltd and was present during yesterday's proceedings.

In issuing the penalties for the offence relating to the *Ibsa Quinto*, the Senior Magistrate, Clare Faulds, said she did not agree with the defence's submission that the catch weighing procedure carried out by the Government of South Georgia was a mitigating factor. Although she accepted there had been no attempt to conceal the overcatch of approximately 15 tonnes, Mrs Faulds said nevertheless, "... an overcatch there was."

She acknowledged the financial suffering Quark and Freiremar have experienced as a result of being refused a licence for 2005 and set the fine at £45,000 each.

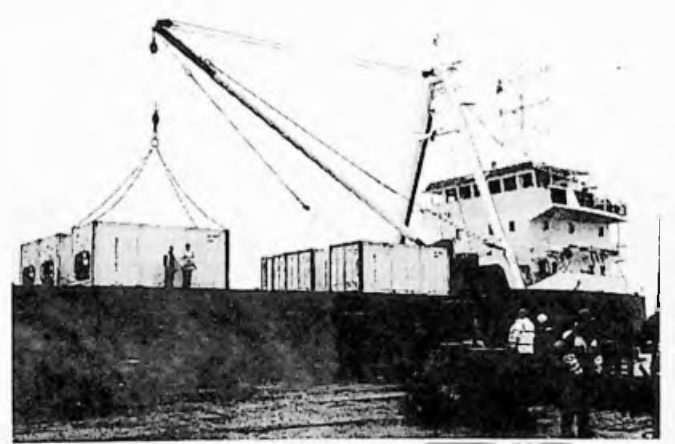
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End of an era with Marianne Danica's final call

THE arrival of the charter vessel *Marianne Danica* in Stanley on Wednesday evening signalled the end of an era for the Falkland Islands Company Ltd (FIC).

The vessel's visit was the last trip solely chartered by the FIC's freight service, Darwin Shipping Ltd. From now on, Darwin Shipping will bring freight to the Falklands in conjunction with the Ministry of Defence's shipping service.

The decision to work with the MoD ships was made, the FIC said in June, in an effort to "combat the impacts of escalating fuel and charter costs on freight rates."



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Penguin News



Comment by Managing Editor, Jenny Cockwell

ONLY two months remain before we head to the polls, and the excitement of the November electoral contest is already building - well, at least in the *Penguin News* office.

Sadly, we haven't had confirmation for quite some time from any new candidates intending to stand however, if the whisperings around town are anything to go by, the competition could be pretty fierce with a larger pool of nominees to choose from than we've seen in the last decade.

As with previous elections, *Penguin News* will be offering candidates space for their manifestos, something I always look forward to with ill-concealed glee. Not, as some may think, because the manifestos are placed in the paper unedited and we get to have a giggle at who doesn't know the difference between 'their, there and they're'.

Rather because it's like catalogue clothes shopping - often it's the same old fashions but every now and then you spot a new concept that really makes you gasp.

So what will the hot topics for the election be?

The MPA Road? Underage drinking? Oil production in the Falklands?

The first will undoubtedly be a focus for new candidates - I expect the seasoned nominees will probably avoid its very mention. The second will probably be avoided by all - hey, who wants to alienate parents?

As for the third, my bet is all candidates will wish to address the issue but will anyone actually dare to be pro production - or for that matter, anti?

Personally, I'm hoping to hear workable suggestions for an alternative to the closed-door decision making that goes on at General Purposes Committee.

Regular readers will be only too familiar of my discomfort with this system, which only reinforces the (hopefully incorrect) belief that councillors agree with each other all the time.

Surely it is the right of the public to hear what the people who are supposed to represent them are saying in debate.

Or would this concept scare people away from public life?

Potential candidates, if you had to debate issues in public would you withdraw from the race? Or would you relish the opportunity?

First Sea Lord unveils 1982 Merchant Navy Memorial



Admiral Sir Michael Layard (*Atlantic Conveyor*) laying his wreath with Sir Alan looking on. Picture: M Rix

VETERAN of the Falklands War, Admiral Sir Alan West, First Sea Lord and Chief of Naval Staff, has unveiled a new memorial to the Merchant Navy.

At a special service held at Tower Hill in London on Sunday Sir Alan paid tribute to the crucial contribution made by the Merchant Navy during the Falklands War which saw the loss of the merchant vessel *Atlantic Conveyor* as a result of enemy action.

During the 1982 war Admiral West commanded *HMS Ardent* which was lost due to enemy action.

He said, "Men and women of the Merchant Navy worked shoulder to shoulder with those of the Royal Navy during the campaign to liberate the Islands, as they did in the two world wars of the last century, and have done so since."

Sukey Cameron, the Falkland Islands Government (FIG) Repre-

sentative to the UK, laid a wreath at the new memorial on behalf of the "people and the Government of the Falkland Islands."

FIG paid for the bronze plaque for the Roll of Honour around the Memorial and also sponsored an advertisement in the official brochure.

Among the large crowd in attendance were the Chairman of the Falklands Chapel, Captain Barrow, Chairman of the South Atlantic Medal Association, Captain Martin Reed, author Leslie Thomas CBE, who is a Patron of the Memorial and visited the Islands on the *QE2* last November and Captains Green and Roberts from the *Sir Tristram* and *Sir Galahad* respectively.

Dr John Marek, AM, also attended, representing the Welsh Assembly; as a Westminster MP he visited the Islands on an FIG sponsored visit in 1997. RN/PN

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New management team for Sea Cadets

THE Stanley Sea Cadets have a new management committee.

At an Extraordinary General Meeting chaired by His Excellency the Governor in his role as honorary president, the new committee of five was elected. Leon Mitchell, Julie Courtney, John Clifford, John Maskell-Bott and Caren Middleton were all elected.

Mr Pearce told the gathering on Tuesday evening the Annual General Meeting held last month was, "never properly convened" and resulted in a "limbo situation".

The Governor does not normally attend such meetings and he explained that he had been asked to attend as the Sea Cadets Unit has been, "...going through a somewhat difficult period in recent months."

This "difficult period", he said, had led to the resignations of the Officer in Charge, Mr Keith Reddick, and the First Officer, Mr Timothy Minto. Mr Pearce said he "regrets but respects" their decisions to resign.

Mr Pearce thanked Ken Newton for taking over as acting officer.

He said he recognised the work Mr Reddick and Mr Minto had put in over the years and added, "...we have a lot to be grateful to them for."

Outgoing Chairman, Dr Barry Elsbey added his thanks to Mr Reddick for his work: "It's hard when you're 8,000 miles from head office; Keith has done sterling work to maintain things at such a distance."

He also thanked Mr Minto for, "...all his hard work and his very good humour."

Mr Elsbey said with the election of the new committee, the Unit is now at a "crossroads" adding, "the new committee will be fired with new enthusiasm and will help to take it forward for the children."

He said that, particularly in light of recent concerns over the level of underage drinking in Stanley, the Sea Cadets is "a good thing to support."

He added it is often said there is nothing for young people to do and responded, "The Sea Cadets offer something to do."

Journal goes digital

Eerie New Orleans prediction



Above: Christian Williams and Nikki Buxton of Synergy Information Systems with the new CD *Journal*.

AN EASY and exciting new way to access Falklands information and history is now available on CD ROM.

Gentoo Designs, the graphic branch of Synergy Information Systems Ltd, in cooperation with the Falkland Islands Development Corporation, the Foreign and Commonwealth Office (FCO) and Queen's University Belfast has launched a digital form of *The Falkland Islands Journals* from 1967 to the present.

This extensive archive of historical data has been designed and placed onto a CD, with easily accessible information, a comprehensive index and a powerful integrated search tool.

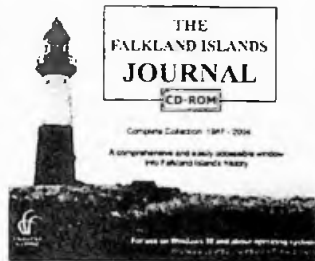
All of the work on the project was carried out in the Falklands with the CD produced in Stanley using a sophisticated publishing suite provided by the FCO's Economic Diversification Programme.

Nikki Buxton, Managing Director of Synergy Information Systems Ltd said she is confident that *The Falkland Islands Journal* CD will appeal to a wide audience.

"For Falkland Islanders, it will provide a comprehensive and easily accessible window into their history; for the business traveller it will offer an overview of the Islands for reference material; for the tourist it will appeal as an item 100% designed and produced in the Islands as well as for the interesting content, and for the serious researcher or historian it will be an invaluable reference tool."

At a reception held last night to launch the CD, Ms Buxton told invited guests there were times when "it looked like the day would never come" that *The Falkland Islands Journal* CD-ROM would be complete, with the project taking six years to complete.

She thanked everyone at FIDC for the "solid support" they had given the project over the past few years which has been "instrumental in bringing Jim McAdam's original vision to life." Miss Buxton also extended her thanks to His Excel-



lency the Governor, and the team at Government House, "as the award of the FCO Economic Diversification grant enabled us to buy the necessary equipment to complete the project." She added her thanks to retailers who have agreed to sell the CD for recognising that it will have a wide appeal to their customers, and the past and present employees of Synergy and Gentoo Designs who contributed to the digitisation of the *Journal*, "especially Christian Williams, who was a key member of the final production team."

Jim McAdam of Queen's University Belfast said that, as the editor of the *Journal*, he welcomes the production of the CD ROM. He said as interest grows in the *Journal* he gets, "more and more requests for back issues, many of which are now out of print, so it meets a demand on that front."

He continued, "On another front, it will help increase the awareness of the *Journal* and the contribution it makes to recording all aspects of the history, natural and social history, heritage and culture of the Islands."

Mr McAdam said he would draw people's attention in particular to the annual publication of local children's winning entries for the Alastair Cameron History prizes: "I believe these lay down a firm foundation in their history and culture of young people in the Islands - surely this can be no bad thing."



Above: An example of New Orleans's stunning architecture just days before the hurricane hit; Inset: Jane and Gary Clement during their US holiday

A STANLEY couple who returned home this weekend from a holiday in the southern United States say they heard warnings of the flooding of New Orleans a week before the historic city was hit by Hurricane Katrina.

Incredibly, just a few days before the disaster, Gary and Jane Clement were told by a guide in New Orleans that the city could be destroyed by flood should a hurricane

hit. Gary said, "The guide even showed us where the weak points were in the levee and where it would break if a natural disaster struck."

The pair spent four days in the city, which Gary described as "a fantastic place." He said, "We stayed in the French Quarter where every second building was a bar with live music. It's incredible to think that probably all those buildings are wrecked now."

Argentina refuses over-flight permission

OVER-FLIGHT permission has been refused by Argentina for a Chilean DAP flight to carry spares for a fishing vessel in the Falklands.

Director of Civil Aviation, Andrew Newman, confirmed this week that DAP had requested permission to carry out a charter flight to Stanley Airport on August 30.

The purpose of the flight was to bring spare parts to the Falklands for a fishing vessel for which

the Falkland Islands Company Ltd (FIC) were the agents. Mr Newman said his department communicated through FIC for all the documentation required, the documents were in order and permission was issued.

However Civil Aviation received word via the FIC agents that the flight was no longer being made to the Islands because Argentina had refused over-flight permission.

Falklands War movie opens in Buenos Aires

ILLUMINATED by Fire, which opens this week in Buenos Aires is the first major Argentine film to portray the horrors of the ten week 1982 Falklands War.

Argentine director Tristan Bauer says he hopes the film will help Argentines come to grips with a humiliating defeat that also helped

topple the Galtieri dictatorship. Argentine movie critic Julia Montesoro said the film should spark a debate about the debt Argentina owes its veterans, most of whom never received decent pensions or assistance for post-combat disorders.

MP

Fishing: £45,000 fines for Quark and Freiremar

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With regard to *Jacqueline's* breach of a licence condition, Mrs Faulds said while she accepted no birds were caught during the 2004 season, steps were not taken to ensure full compliance.

Mrs Faulds did not award pro-

secution costs during yesterday's proceedings. Instead she will hear representations from counsel next Friday, September 16.

Outside court yesterday afternoon, South Georgia's Director of Fisheries, Miss Harriet Hall, declined to comment upon the fines.

What's on at the Brasserie?

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Court news

Korean fines total £65,000

THE owners and captain of a Korean fishing vessel have been fined £65,000 for misreporting catches.

In court on Monday, the Dong Yang Fisheries Company Ltd, owners of the vessel *Esperanza*, and the ship's captain Kim Myeong Se entered guilty pleas to three charges each.

Both parties were represented in court by Richard Marlor.

The prosecution alleged that catch reports filed to the Fisheries Department between August 18 and 26 underestimated the actual level of by-catch on board *Esperanza* and that approximately seven tonnes of squid was not declared in a transhipment log filled out around August 18.

The excessive level of by-catch meant the vessel had also breached a licence condition, resulting in the third criminal charge.

Mr Marlor said the offences had been committed "inadvertently, by an inexperienced crew working for a company with a long standing record here." He said there had been no deliberate attempt to mislead.

He said Mr Kim believed all fish had been transhipped on the night of August 17, however he took full responsibility for the error.

He added that Mr Kim accepted the by-catch was significantly higher than the 10% allowed by the Fisheries Department and also took responsibility for this; again he said

there had been no deliberate attempt to conceal and mistakes had been made, "due to his crew's inexperience."

He reminded the court that the finances of Dong Yang Ltd, along with many other fishing companies, are "bad" and urged the Senior Magistrate to show "leniency".

After a two hour adjournment, Senior Magistrate, Clare Faulds said the total potential penalty facing the *Esperanza's* owners was £105,000, however she recognised the company was suffering from poor economic conditions.

Taking into account the value of the catch held on the vessel (which the Crown wished not to be forfeited), she fined the company £65,000 and ordered the payment of prosecution costs totalling £2,500.

She commented, "The master's intention in providing false information is not clear but whatever it may have been I consider his conduct to be a serious breach of the fishery legislation. The breach of the terms of the fishing licence condition is also serious. It is not clear whether the owner was aware what was going on, but in any event the owner is equally culpable under the Fisheries Legislation."

Mrs Faulds fined the captain £2,500 and ordered him to pay £500 prosecution costs.

Probation for assault by beating

STANLEY man Gary McGill has received 18 months' probation in the Magistrate's Court.

Mr McGill had pleaded guilty to a charge of assaulting Cara McGill on July 20 and the case was adjourned for a pre-sentence report to be prepared.

On Wednesday, Defence lawyer Ian Warburton said his client had benefited from time spent with the Social Welfare Department during the preparation of the report and is seeking counselling on a weekly basis.

Senior Magistrate Clare Faulds told Mr McGill the report suggests there is hope that the difficulties are being addressed, but stressed that it was a serious offence particularly in view of his previous offences.

Mrs Faulds said she thought a restriction on Mr McGill's freedom

could be achieved by probation rather than imprisonment under the condition that he continued with counselling on a weekly basis.

Mr McGill was also bound over to keep the peace for one year and ordered to pay £70 costs.

Also in court was Barry Charles O'Dean who entered no plea to a charge of threatening behaviour, alleged to have taken place on July 17.

Mr O'Dean's lawyer, Richard Marlor, requested an adjournment saying he had seen his client for the first time on Tuesday and had only received advance disclosure from the prosecution that morning.

Mrs Faulds agreed to an adjournment until Tuesday, September 13, and imposed one bail condition, that Mr O'Dean should not approach Miss Trina Bemtsen.

August temperatures in line with the average

TEMPERATURES in August were almost exactly in line with averages for this time of year, although rainfall was the third highest ever recorded in the Islands.

The mean maximum temperature was 5.7C, identical to the average. The highest temperature recorded was on the 10th when it reached 10.2C, and the lowest temperature being 1.3C occurred on the 18th. The mean minimum of 0.7C compares with the average of 0.5C. The lowest temperature of the month, -3.6C was recorded on the 19th and the highest minimum of 5.4C was recorded on the 10th.

Rainfall was higher than the average of 36.4mm, recorded as

49.1mm. The wettest day was on the 16th, when a total of 13.1mm was recorded.

Snow/sleet fell on a total of 13 days, which was slightly above the average of 12.2 days. Snow lay for three days. Both hail and fog occurred on three days.

The average sunshine for August of 96.7 hours was not matched by this year's total of 90.4 hours.

It was slightly less windy than might be expected, but the mean speed was 13.8 knots, compared to the average of 14.7kts. The maximum gust, 52kts was on the 8th, against a record for August of 69kts.

There were gales on two days, the 8th and 9th.

Cigarette theft captured on video camera

A PRE-SENTENCE report is to be prepared on a man who stole from his employer for seven consecutive days.

William Fredrick Whitney (61) pleaded guilty to a charge of stealing seven cartons of cigarettes to the value of £279.30 from the Falkland Islands Company Ltd (FIC).

The court heard that Mr Whitney had worked for the FIC for 24 years as a driver/handyman. Crown Prosecution Ros Cheek said that the FIC stock controllers had noticed a significant amount of cigarettes missing in July and, as a consequence, a video camera had been set up in the Food Hall.

On the footage, Mr Whitney was seen removing a carton of cigarettes from a shelf and place them in a bin bag before leaving. Ms Cheek said this was repeated every morning for seven days at which stage the Police were informed.

When interviewed by the Police Mr Whitney admitted taking some cigarettes, "but only on a few occasions." Ms Cheek said that when

asked what he did with the cigarettes, Mr Whitney had given the "unbelievable account" that he had "burned" them. She said that as Mr Whitney does not smoke it could only be assumed he gave them to somebody else but added that there was no evidence that he had benefited from it.

In mitigation Ian Warburton said that Mr Whitney suffers from serious health problems stemming from a stroke he suffered which left him with regular heart problems and short term memory, adding that Mr Whitney was eager for the matter to be dealt with at the earliest opportunity.

Senior Magistrate Clare Faulds said the whole scenario required more information. She said she understood that Mr Whitney would like it over with quickly, but that dealing with the matter quickly might not help him and may not result in the appropriate penalty. She adjourned the case for a pre-sentence report to be prepared. Mr Whitney will reappear in court on October 19.

Guilty plea to underage sexual intercourse

A TWENTY-FOUR year old man has pleaded guilty to having sexual intercourse with an underage girl.

Police were notified to the offence when informed by the Social Work Department that an underage girl had fallen pregnant.

Mr Smith voluntarily attended the police station on August 4 and in an interview said he had been in a relationship for eight months with the girl and that the relationship had been sexual for five months.

An interview with the girl's

mother revealed that she was aware of the relationship but not aware it was sexual until her daughter became pregnant.

She said Mr Smith continued to support her daughter and the couple wish to raise the child together.

Senior Magistrate Clare Faulds said it was a serious matter but that the relationship appears to be of "some substance." She adjourned the case until October 19, to allow for a pre-sentence report to be prepared.

Motorbike crash results in fine for youth

A YOUTH who crashed his motorbike on Brandon Road has been fined.

The sixteen year old admitted driving without due care and attention on July 7, resulting in a collision with another bike. He had been travelling in convoy with two friends, also on motorbikes. A witness to the incident said the defendant appeared to be travelling over the speed limit prior to the crash

and when the motorbike in front of him stopped, his brakes failed and the collision occurred. He slid for some distance along the road before eventually coming to a stop.

The youth apologised to the court for the incident and confirmed he had offered to pay for the damage to his friend's bike.

The Senior Magistrate fined the boy £100 and instructed him to pay prosecution costs of £50.

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Generous donation gets Sharon on-line



Above: Sharon Middleton is now able to sit back and enjoy her computer to the full

A PARTIALLY sighted Stanley woman is now happily finding her way around her computer as a result of a generous donation from a local business.

Sharon Middleton has suffered partial sight for many years and has experienced difficulty reading from her computer monitor. Sharon said she would have to be as close as two centimetres from the screen to see.

On hearing of her trouble, David Dunford of Saddle Computers, a West Falklands based business which supplies, repairs and offers

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The new monitor has a particularly large font which helps Sharon to enjoy her computer to the full.

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Interactive war museum: new project needs support

I AM writing in the hope of finding support with what I see as a major step towards a museum that is available 24-7 and is available to all.

2007 will see the 25th anniversary of the Falklands War, a crucial part of history not only in the Falklands and Great Britain but also in Argentina and, in some ways, the rest of the world.

We have seen many books, articles, stories and we know the story has not yet ended as the dispute continues. The one thing we have not seen is the establishing of a dedicated museum. Though I feel this would be the greatest tribute to those who never returned. I have to admit that I would agree, that the setting up and running of such a venture would likely not be sustainable without heavy funding.

With this in mind I have continually sought other avenues to help keep history alive. I tried to save *HMS Fearless* and hope that my efforts may yet see her put to further use. Though I have deliberated long over how best to put across the full picture, I now feel that I have the right idea and just need to find support and funding to see this take shape and develop.

The greatest advance for man has been the introduction of computers and the World Wide Web. This medium has developed faster than anything in mans history and is set to continue to grow. This medium is being used by people in every country in the World today and is used as a point for reference more times a second than the use of a dictionary in a month.

The idea is simply to create the largest single reference point in regards to the Falklands and the Falklands War in the world, and make it available to the world.

This single web site would be available with information on every aspect of the war, though it would go much further to include a full history of the Falklands, the build up to and the war of 1982 and how things changed right through to today. This would be a three sided view including the Falklands, the UK and Argentine.

The main aim will be to bring together the largest library of pictures and news reel footage of all aspects, including personal pictures, of which there were many thousands taken by troops before, during and after the war. These will be catalogued and digitally mastered to be archived and used on the site.

Where possible, interviews will be made with people who were there, and follow ups to the many that took place over the years. The equipment, clothing, vehicles, armour, ships, planes, food and all the other items that went to make the armed forces of that time will be detailed with pictures detailing

all aspects.

There will be a DVD produced which will be provided for schools, libraries and offered for sale which will be a potted version that will be interactive and allow the user to link directly to the web site where an internet connection is available. A number of mobile displays with fully interactive booths will be built which could be set up at museums and venues providing the story directly through dedicated servers.

A full listing of books, films, memorabilia and other media will be available with direct links for buying through the site those items still available. There will be a fully detailed catalogue of museums where items and displays can be seen with relevance to the Falklands War.

I feel that this would be a major step towards providing a permanent record and a unique way of bringing history to everyone without the overheads of running a building and maintaining displays - all though we will aim to get people to go and see what is on display throughout museums and other establishments.

The aim will be to provide a detailed record of all memorials, and a photographic record of them for all to see along with detailed locations. With details of associations and charities linked to Veterans and the Falklands.

The cost involved in such a project will be quite high, as there is a need to incorporate as much new technology as possible, though it can be stage managed with funding being sought for each stage. The costs would be incurred in sourcing the material, securing Crown Copyright for release of documents, pictures and media, computers, cameras, video cameras, storage and office space for project management, server space and domain names, new media team, researchers, travel to gather info and pictures and conduct research. Anticipated costs will be around £250,000 to complete the main part of the project for launch in 2007, with anticipated on-going production after this time to continue to build the archive.

The aim is to find funding through whatever means are available including the lottery, charitable donations and through corporate sponsorship, which will be reflected on the site.

This is a major project that will be a world first and something which will ensure that the Falklands remain as part of the world's history, visible to all.

I look forward to your comments and hope that you will look at this as a project you would be willing to help and support.

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Your letters

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Anti-Aspartame campaign continues

IN RESPONSE to the article 'Aspartame: Medical reassurance' in last weeks *P.N.*, I submit the following.

It is thanks to the wonders of the internet and its wealth of information that I found out about Aspartame and its dangers.

I am not trying to scare people, I am just presenting the facts as they are.

Dr Diggle said that Aspartame is a naturally occurring amino acid. I wish to correct him in that aspartic acid is an amino acid, not Aspartame. The methyl ester which connects the phenyl and the aspartic acid in the aspartame molecule, breaks down into methyl alcohol in the stomach and then is turned into formaldehyde in the liver and it is stored in the brain plaques, just like the plaques in dentistry, where it continues to do incalculable neurotoxic damage. Of course if any manufacturer labelled their products with this information, few would use it.

Phenylalanine is an amino acid normally found in the brain. People with the genetic disorder, phenylketonuria (PKU) cannot metabolise phenylalanine. This leads to dangerously high levels of phenylalanine in the brain (sometimes lethal).

It has been shown that ingesting aspartame, especially along with carbohydrates can lead to excess levels of phenylalanine in the brain even in people who do not have PKU. This is not just a theory, as many people who have eaten large amounts of aspartame over a long period of time and do not have PKU have been shown to have excessive levels of phenylalanine in the blood.

Excessive levels of phenylalanine in the brain can cause the levels of serotonin in the brain to decrease, leading to emotional disorders such as depression. (There are a great many people locally suffering from depression - is there a connection?)

It was shown in human testing that phenylalanine levels of the blood were increased significantly in human subjects who chronically used aspartame. Even a single use of aspartame raised the blood phenylalanine levels. In his testimony

before the US Congress, Dr Louis J Elsa's showed that high blood phenylalanine can be concentrated in parts of the brain, and is especially dangerous for infants and foetuses. He also showed that phenylalanine is metabolised much more efficiently by rodents than by humans.

Many products do carry a warning about Phenylalanine, but there are many products containing Aspartame that do not show this.

I understand Dr Diggle's point of view because we follow the guidelines of Britain and their health administration approves the use of Aspartame. Britain in fact was the country that backed the USA to get Aspartame onto the global market, without their approval this would never have happened.

The reason behind supporting the Federal Drugs Administration (FDA) of America was money. Aspartame sweetener is a multi billion dollar industry and the FDA will fight very hard to protect it regardless of the known health risks.

Can we afford to doubt the following extract from Dr Betty Martini D Hum: "Aspartame has been linked to a host of devastating central nervous system disorders. When aspartame was approved for use, Dr H J Roberts, director of the Palm Beach Institute for Medical Research, had no reason to doubt the FDA's decision. 'But my attitude changed,' he says, 'after repeatedly encountering serious reactions in my patients that seemed justifiably linked to aspartame.'

"Twenty years on, Roberts has coined the phrase 'aspartame disease' to describe the wide range of adverse effects he has seen among aspartame-guzzling patients.

"He estimates: 'Hundreds of thousands of consumers, more likely millions, currently suffer major reactions to products containing aspartame. Today, every physician probably encounters aspartame disease in everyday practice, especially among patients with illnesses that are undiagnosed or difficult to treat.'"

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Police Committee concerned by underage drinking

THE Police Committee has heard the incidence of juvenile drinking in public or at home has dramatically increased over the past 12-18 months, and needs to be addressed. "sooner rather than later."

Chief Police Officer Dave Morris told the committee that the drinking occurs mostly on Friday and Saturday nights between 8pm and 10pm, usually in groups which vary in age and size. Children aged as young as ten wander around the streets late at night in groups ranging from three to 60 people. He said every weekend police have to "deal with these youngsters."

The offenders have been found to be drinking concoctions of various alcohol that have been mixed with either orange juice or coke. The alcohol is obtained from maybe the parent's alcohol cupboard or by older friends. Mr Morris said this is then "shared between the gang."

"Peer pressure seems to be one of the main reasons for most of these young children. Mostly they look up to the leader of the gang and whatever the leader does they think is cool and must copy."

He added. "The punishment for these offences should be child targeted and not parent related."

When a child is caught drinking alcohol, as a general rule, they are given a Citeable Caution, on

the second occasion they could face juvenile court. Mr Morris said the effect this has on a 13 or 14 year old is minimal. "The parents are left with the cost and the child has gained some kudos from her/his peers."

A Young People's Working Group has recently been formed at the suggestion of His Excellency the Governor, Howard Pearce, and Mr Morris asked that the group consider whether, for a first time offence, a Citeable Caution could be offered to any child that fully co-operates with the police.

A second offence could involve a Conditional Discharge coupled to a curfew order whereby a child has to stay in the parents nominated address between the hours of 8pm-6am on Thursday, Friday and Saturday evenings for one month and if the child were to go missing between those hours during the curfew month their parents must report them.

The police would then have to go out, find the child, arrest them and return them to the nominated address. The child and parent would have to appear before the Magistrate again for further punishment and Social Services would also be required to have weekly meetings.

If a child were to offend for a third time and be arrested, the curfew period should be extended for two to three months with the ba-

sis of curfew being that the juvenile would be required to undertake some sort of alcohol awareness education.

The Attorney General, David Lang, told the meeting that parents do not take a responsible attitude to the actions of their children. He said, the proposal Mr Morris made, "assumes too much we could control what the court does." In addition he said the police should have the power to take children home after a certain hour, "in the interest of the child," and added that greater control was needed on adult drinking in the streets.

Mr Morris said the rise of juvenile alcohol consumption is "evident and worrying." He said the Drug Awareness and Resistance Education (DARE) should now be aimed more at the children in the Falkland Islands Community School because this is now the age group that alcohol is affecting.

Drinking to excess?

Also at the Police Committee meeting, Government Chief Executive Chris Simpkins asked whether there are regular visits to public houses by uniformed Police Officers at present; he suggested that this could identify whether pub goers were being served alcohol when drunk.

Mr Morris said that visits could be introduced but added that

visits by uniformed officers. "can cause incidents at times."

Councillor Jan Check said that the ordinance states people should not be served alcohol when intoxicated but she had heard that customers were "served as long as they can stand up and pass money over."

Mr Lang also said that he had received a number of creditable reports of people leaving public houses in a state of "extreme intoxication," and referred to a case where a had man died in an intoxicated state following a fall outside his home.

Speaking to *Penguin News* on Tuesday, Victory Bar landlady Cathy Jacobsen said her staff refuse to serve customers if they appear incapable and that it was normal to order a taxi for customers who arrive at the Victory in an intoxicated state.

Mrs Jacobsen said she would invite anyone who had any doubts as to how the pubs operated to "visit the establishments."

Robert Macaskill said the policy at the Rose Bar is to refuse to sell alcohol to customers, "before they become drunk and become a nuisance to other customers." He added however that it is not "illegal to get drunk if anyone wishes to do so."

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Failure to do this will mean that when the vehicle licence is renewed it will automatically be backdated to the expiry date of the previous vehicle licence. There is no requirement to inform the licensing bureau if the vehicle licence is still valid.

No vehicle covered by a VORN should be used, allowed to be used or parked on any designated road or public place. Before the vehicle is used again the licensing bureau should be informed and the vehicle licence renewed.

If anyone has any questions relating to the VORN please contact Sgt Tom Whistler, on 27222 or email ops@police.gov.fk.

Cooking up a storm at K4



Falklands Brasserie head chef Sebastian Poll at K4 on Saturday.

CHIEF Sebastian Poll shared his culinary secrets with shoppers in K4 at the weekend.

Sebastian is the head chef at Falklands Brasserie and on Saturday he headed to the East Stanley store where, under the watchful eye of onlookers, he cooked two dishes using lamb from Sand Bay abattoir.

He revealed two of the tastiest ways to serve lamb: Roast French Rack of Lamb with Rosemary and Pink Peppercorn Crust served with Potato and Pecorino Cheese Timbale and Merlot Demi Glace Sauce and Lamb Shanks Casserole with White Beans and Saffron Potato Mash.

Falklands Brasserie director, Alex Olmedo said the cooking demonstration provided the chance to show off the new "quality products" developed by the Falkland Islands Meat Company and to show easy ways to use new cuts of meat. "...which may seem difficult to prepare."

Carol Peck, a self-proclaimed "keen cook", went along to the demonstration and said she found it "very interesting."

She explained, "It's always good to pick up a few tips from a

professional. It was also really good to see him using all local ingredients, all things you can find here. Often you find a really good recipe then struggle to find the ingredients."

Alex said the morning's activities are part of a series of cooking demonstrations "using only local produce as the main ingredients" and a long term plan for the creation and development of recipes for inclusion in a new book.

He added that Sebastian will attend international competitions and exhibitions, all the while striving to find "interesting and innovative ways of cooking and presenting food."

Alex said he was grateful to Kelper Stores Ltd for the use of K4.

Vera Bonner was also at the demonstration which she described as "excellent." She added, "...it was a great shame there weren't more people there."

Vera was so inspired by Sebastian's cooking, she tried one of his recipes at home on Sunday.

She said she intends to go along to the next demonstration which is due to take place at the Scafish Chandlery later this month.

Watercolours support charities

PROCEEDS from the sale of art by Patricia Glasswell, whose work is on show in the Falklands Brasserie this week, will go to two South Atlantic charities.

At a 'private viewing' held at the Brasserie on Monday evening, His Excellency the Governor said the proceeds from Mrs Glasswell's work will go to Falklands Conservation and the newly formed South Georgia Heritage Trust.

The objective of the new charity, Mr Pearce said, is to raise funds in order to preserve the wildlife heritage of South Georgia and to promote environmental conservation on the island.

Mrs Glasswell visited the Falklands with her husband in February and stayed as the guests of His Excellency and his wife. While here she spent many hours painting and it is these works, along with more she painted upon her return to the UK, that are on show in the Brasserie.

Her watercolours have sup-



ported a number of charities in recent years, including the Hospital of St John in London and a fund for earthquake victims in India.

Sixteen paintings were sold at Monday evening's private viewing. The entire collection remained on show in the Brasserie throughout the week.

First day cover commemorates baton relay



A LIMITED edition commemorative cover has been produced utilising the specialist talents of a local artist, Stanley based printing equipment and the steady hand of philatelic bureau staff.

Sonia Felton's design of Rockhopper Penguins passing the baton encapsulates the spirit of the event. The baton itself is a faithful representation of the size, shape and detail, including the 71 "lights". After much searching in hidden cupboards, a full sheet of the First Participation Common-

wealth Games 1982 sets of Mail Ships overprints was discovered. These stamps tie this cover with the first day cover produced for that event, which featured Rifle Shooting.

The covers were printed using Michael Stevens' laser printing equipment, and passed to the Philatelic Bureau for cancelling with the date September 2, 2005. These covers are available through Falkland Collectibles and make an ideal souvenir for all participants in this unique event.

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In good hands: Her Majesty's Commonwealth Games baton



1. John Birmingham hands the baton to Susan Whitney; 2. His Excellency the Governor in receipt of the baton; 3. Tasmin Tyrrell heads along the By-Pass Road; 5. The baton aboard HMS Dumbarton Castle; 6. Group Captain Gordon Moulds starts Friday's relay from Mount Pleasant; 7. It's a family affair for Sheila, Lesley and Ross Stewart; 8. Ben Watson hands the baton over to Hannah Arthur-Almond.

By Patrick Watts

IT WAS Gerald Cheek, a competitor in full-bore rifle shooting at the 1982 Commonwealth Games in Brisbane, who had the honour of formally handing the Queen's Baton to His Excellency the Governor.

The reception of the baton by Mr Pearce at Government House marked the conclusion on Friday, September 2, of the official programme which welcomed the Baton to the Falklands.

Hundreds of school children cheered the baton all the way from the Liberation Memorial to the entrance of Government House.

With the West Falklands population having had their opportunity to view the baton on the previous day, it was the turn of East Falklands residents on Friday. Military personnel based at the Mount Pleasant Complex (MPC) and Camp school children and their teachers began the 35 miles relay to Stanley from MPC.

More than 100 people had volunteered to take part in the historic event - some running, some jogging, some walking. Great-grandmother Joyce Allan completed her stint in fine style, while the youth movements joined together and passed the baton between themselves as it headed for Stanley.

Closer to home, the youngsters were required to share the load, carrying the baton between them, as the seven-hour long 'marathon' hit the streets of Stanley. Motorised Dennis Middleton, proudly drove his chair, with baton, from St Mary's Church to the entrance of Government House, before handing over to Gerald Cheek for the final leg.

In the long history of the Commonwealth Games, the baton had never previously been to the



Above: Children line the road to Government House as Gerald Cheek delivers the baton.

Falklands. In preparation for the 2006 Commonwealth Games in Melbourne, the Australians were determined that all 71 competing countries of the Commonwealth would have an opportunity to see the Baton which left Buckingham Palace on March 14.

The Falklands was the 48th country visited and the remaining 23 countries will also place their hands on the baton before it enters the 100,000-capacity Melbourne Cricket Ground for the Opening Ceremony of the XVIII Commonwealth Games on March 15 - one year and one day after it left London.

It is believed that the Falk-

lands will be the only country hosting the baton in winter, and the Falkland Islands Overseas Games Vice-Chairman Steve Dent was pictured holding the baton in deep snow on the top of Blue Mountain.

The accompanying official team also confirmed their first pictures of the baton being held on horse-back, with Nigel Knight having the honour at Fox Bay.

His Excellency the Governor who hosted a dinner and reception on Friday in recognition of the presence of the baton, described its arrival here as, "an important and historical sporting occasion for the Islands which

will provide considerable positive publicity for the Falklands."

The Chief Executive Officer of the Commonwealth Games Federation, Mike Hooper, who accompanied the baton to the Falklands, congratulated the local Overseas Games Association Committee on, "...their splendid and innovative programme which took the baton to East and West Falklands and across Falklands Sound by the Royal Navy (*HMS Dumbarton Castle*) and helicopter."

● Patrick Watts is the Chairman of the Falkland Islands Overseas Games Association



'What did carrying the Queen's Baton mean to you?'



"I WAS very pleased, indeed honoured, to be able to carry the baton on Friday. There were just two of us - Tony Pettersson and I - at the Brisbane Games in 1982, and we were the first people ever to represent the Falkland Islands, so it meant a lot to me.

"It was a great opportunity to be part of the relay. I appreciated it very much." *Gerald Cheek (64)*

"I THOROUGHLY enjoyed being a part of the relay - it was so well organised, and I felt honoured to be a part of it.

"It was a great honour to be part of, especially for a great-grandmother." *Joyce Allan (71)*

"ALONG with the World Cup, the 2006 Commonwealth Games will be one of the biggest sporting events in the world next year. The carrying of the Queen's Baton into the arena and the reading of the message inside it, is normally the highlight of the Games opening ceremony.

"Be it 50 metres, 100 metres or even half a mile, I think it was an honour to be able to carry the baton, even more so, since it was (hopefully) the first of many visits of the baton to the Falkland Islands.

"I was lucky enough to run 1 km in the baton relay for the 1990 Commonwealth Games in Auckland, New Zealand. However I think this time round, it was more special, as it was the first visit of the baton to the Falklands." *Craig Paice (31)*

"CARRYING the baton meant a lot of different things to me, most of which I can't really put into words.

"Because I've been to the Commonwealth Games (shooting for the Falklands) I felt I should be part of it and it was bloody brilliant." *Susan Whitney (55)*

"I WAS surprised at how big and heavy the baton was - I had to swap hands quite a few times over the half mile!

"I felt very proud to be part of such a huge worldwide event, a special and historic event for the Falklands.

"The Commonwealth Games is such a prestigious sporting meet, involving such a diversity of people that it is humbling and honouring to think of being even such a small part of it." *Hannah Arthur-Almond (14)*

"WE were really pleased to have carried the baton along the MPA road. I ran with my children Lesley (11) and Ross (7) who managed to jog for the entire 1km.

"As so many people throughout the islands took part in the relay, we wanted as a family to take part together and are glad we had the opportunity to do so." *Sheila Stewart (36)*

"I FELT that it was an achievement for me personally and the Falklands in general to have the baton here.

"I was proud to represent Gilbert House, which showed representation from all areas of Falklands life." *Councillor John Birmingham (52)*

IT WAS an honour for BFSAI personnel to participate in this Falkland Islands event; the level and breadth of our involvement clearly demonstrates the nature of our relationship with the local community.

"The organisers did a superb job to put together such a comprehensive programme that included air, land and sea elements.

For me personally it was a great privilege to be a part, especially getting to start the relay from MPA to Stanley. *Group Captain Gordon Moulds (48)*



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10	0240	0.70	Moonrise	1209	The times and heights of high and low tides (in metres) at Stanley. Time given is FMT. Add 1 hour for Stanley Summertime	
SAT	0858	1.47	Moonset	0511		
	1526	0.51	14	0308		1.18
	2214	1.20	WED	0734		0.98
Sunrise	0706			1349		1.49
Sunset	1830			2059		0.31
Moonrise	0923		Sunrise	0657		
Moonset	0142		Sunset	1836		
11	0315	0.81	Moonrise	1336		
SUN	0943	1.44	Moonset	0553		
	1635	0.54	15	0357	1.27	
	2344	1.12	THUR	0856	0.83	
Sunrise	0704			1502	1.61	
Sunset	1832			2149	0.20	
Moonrise	1000		Sunrise	0655		
Moonset	0304		Sunset	1838		
12	0358	0.92	Moonrise	1512		
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	1816	0.53	16	0432	1.36	
Sunrise	0702		FRI	0947	0.64	
Sunset	1833			1601	1.75	
Moonrise	1053			2232	0.14	
Moonset	0413		Sunrise	0653		
13	0134	1.11	Sunset	1839		
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	1220	1.41	Moonset	0638		
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Canoeing	10.00-11.00 Public
Public	11.00-16.00 Public
Adults	16.00-18.00 Public
Between 12.00-13.00 Junior Activities	
CLUBS ON TODAY	
TABLE TENNIS CLUB 1.00 AM - 11.00 AM	
SUNDAY 11th SEPTEMBER 2005	
Public	11.00-17.00 Public
Adults	17.00-19.00 Public
Between 11.00-12.00 Junior Activities	
CLUBS ON TODAY	
TABLE TENNIS CLUB (FITTAI) 3.00 - 5.00 PM SHORT TENNIS CLUB 3.00 - 5.00 PM FOOTBALL CLUB 6.00 - 7.00 PM	
MONDAY 12th SEPTEMBER 2005	
School	09.00-10.00 School
OAP - Physio, Adults, Parents & Toddlers	10.00-12.00 School
Lanes (Adults) (2 Lanes Swim Club)	12.00-13.00 Public
OAP - Physio, Adults, Parents & Toddlers	13.00-15.00 School
Closed	15.00-16.00 Public
S.L.C. Swim School	16.00-17.00 Public
Public - (2 Lanes Adults Swims)	17.15-19.00 Public
Adults	19.00-21.00 Public
CLUBS ON TODAY	
S.L.C. SWIM SCHOOL 4.00 PM - 5.00 PM BADMINTON CLUB 7.00 - 8.00 PM	
TUESDAY 13th SEPTEMBER 2005	
School	09.00-10.00 School
OAP - Physio, Adults, Parents & Toddlers	10.00-12.00 School
Lanes (Adults)	12.00-13.00 Public
OAP - Physio, Adults, Parents & Toddlers	13.00-14.00 Public
OAP - Physio, Adults, Parents & Toddlers	14.00-16.00 School
Stanley Swimming Club	16.00-17.00 Public
Public - (1 Lane Swimming Club)	17.00-18.00 Public
Public	18.00-19.00 Public
Ladies Hour	19.00-20.00 Public
Private Hire	20.00-21.00 Public
CLUBS ON TODAY	
STANLEY SWIMMING CLUB 4.00 PM - 5.00 PM FOOTBALL CLUB 6.00 PM - 7.00 PM LADIES'S-A-SIDE 7.00 PM - 8.00 PM FOOTBALL CLUB 8.00 - 9.00 PM	
WEDNESDAY 14th SEPTEMBER 2005	
School	09.00-10.00 Public
OAP - Physio, Adults, Parents & Toddlers	10.00-12.00 Public
Lanes (Adults) (2 Lanes Swim Club)	12.00-13.00 Public
OAP - Physio, Adults, Parents & Toddlers	13.00-15.00 School
Closed	15.00-16.00 School
S.L.C. Swim School	16.00-17.00 Public
Public	17.00-19.00 Public
Private Hire	19.00-20.00 Public
Adults	20.00-21.00 Public
CLUBS ON TODAY	
S.L.C. SWIM SCHOOL 4.00 PM - 4.45 PM VOLLEYBALL CLUB 7.00 PM - 8.00 PM CRICKET CLUB 8.00 PM - 9.00 PM	
THURSDAY 15th SEPTEMBER 2005	
Closed for Cleaning	09.00-12.00 School
Closed for Cleaning	12.00-13.00 Public
Closed for Cleaning	13.00-15.00 School
Closed for Cleaning	15.00-16.00 Public
Closed for Cleaning	16.00-17.00 Public
S.L.C. Swim School	17.00-19.00 Public
Public - (2 Lanes Adults Swims)	17.00-19.00 Public
Adults	19.00-21.00 Public
CLUBS ON TODAY	
S.L.C. SWIM SCHOOL 4.00 PM - 4.45 PM ROCKY CLUB 6.00 - 7.00 PM SQUASH CLUB 8.00 - 9.00 PM BADMINTON CLUB 7.00 - 8.00 PM	
FRIDAY 16th SEPTEMBER 2005	
School	09.00-10.00 School
OAP - Physio, Adults, Parents & Toddlers	10.00-12.00 School
Lanes (Adults) (2 Lanes Swim Club)	12.00-13.00 Public
OAP - Physio, Adults, Parents & Toddlers	13.00-15.00 School
Stanley Swimming Club	16.00-17.00 Public
Public - (1 Lane Swimming Club)	17.00-18.00 Public
Public	18.00-19.00 Public
Adults	19.00-20.00 Public
CLUBS ON TODAY	
STANLEY SWIMMING CLUB 4.00 PM - 5.00 PM JUNIOR CRICKET CLUB 8.00 PM - 8.00 PM	

CLUBS AND CONTACTS

CHURCH SERVICES

CATHEDRAL SUNDAY:
8am Holy Communion (BCP) 10am Morning Service & Junior Church 7pm Evening Service
Tel: 21100/Fax 21842, The Deanery, 17 Ross Road, Stanley
Rector - Rev Paul Sweeting.

TABERNACLE - Barrack Street (free church)
Sunday Services 10.00am and 7.00pm. Family Service second Sunday morning of the month.
Communion first Sunday morning and third Sunday evening of the month. Midweek Bible Study Tuesday 7.30pm at 2 Drury Street

St. MARY'S SUNDAY: 10am (MPA 6.30pm). Week days: 9am

St. CUTHBERT'S (MPA) SUN: 10.30am All-age Worship Every 2nd Sun Communion 6.30pm Holy Mass Mon: 07.00am Mass
Other activities will be posted as and when they are arranged

BAHA'I FAITH

For information on meetings please ring Margo Smallwood on 21031 or check our website: www.horizon.co.fk/bahai_falklands

HOSPITAL PHARMACY

Monday to Friday mornings 10.00am - 12.15pm; Mon, Tue, Thu and Fri afterwards 14.30 - 17.00; Weds afternoons 13.30 - 15.30

MUSEUM

Monday - Friday 09.30 - 12.00 & 13.30 - 16.00; Saturday & Sunday 14.00 - 16.00. Tel: 27428

TREASURY

Monday - Friday Tel: 27143 8am - 12 noon

LIBRARY

Monday - Friday 08.45 - 12.00 and 13.30 - 17.45; Saturday 10am - 12 noon; 14.00 - 17.00pm Tel: 27147

VETERINARY DEPARTMENT

Consultation hours: Phone 27366 Mon Wed Fri 8.30am - 9.30am; 1.00pm - 2.00pm. 4.00pm - 4.30pm. Tues Thurs 1.00pm - 2.00pm
Consultations by appointment only.

BADMINTON CLUB Mondays 7-9 Thursdays 7-9pm **Trudi Clarke, Tel: 21131**

SQUASH CLUB Thursdays 5-9pm **Contact Roger Spink Tel: 21128**

NETBALL CLUB Tuesdays 6-7pm. All are welcome **Contact Daphne Arthur Almond Tel: 22038**

THE FI GUN CLUB New members welcome **Contact: Graham Didlick on 22282 or Steve Dent on 22021**

F.I. RIFLE ASSOCIATION **Contact Secretary G Goodwin 21246**

CRICKET ASSOCIATION New junior and senior players welcome, **contact Roger Diggle 21716**

STANLEY GOLF CLUB Competitions on Sunday at 8.45 am. **Contact Graeme Hay on 22555** www.horizon.co.fk/golf

ASTHMA SUPPORT GROUP - Meets second Tuesday of every third month in Day Centre at 5pm **Contact G. France on 21624**

FALKLAND ISLANDS RED CROSS New members welcome **Contact Keith Biles, Tel: 21897 (Chairman); Elizabeth Marrow 21921 (Secretary); Jean Diggle 21716 (Treasurer)**

GUILD OF SPINNERS, WEAVERS & HANDICRAFTS Meetings on Monday evening at 7.30pm and Thursdays 1.30 - 3.30pm. **Contact M Smallwood 21031**

CANCER SUPPORT & AWARENESS TRUST - **Contact Theresa Lang (Chairman) 21235 Alison Ward (Secretary) 21851, Derek Howatt (Trustee) 21385, Shiralee Collins 21579**

FIODA Chairman - **Geoff Pring, tel. 21786** Secretary - **Richard Fogerty, tel. 21343** Treasurer - **Alison Inglis, tel. 22817**

DIABETES SUPPORT GROUP Holds meetings quarterly - for further details contact Chairman **Sharon Middleton on 21393**

STANLEY SWIMMING CLUB Coaching Tuesdays 4-5pm, Fridays 4-5pm

STANLEY SUB-AQUA CLUB - **Contact David McLeod Phone: 20836 (day), 20843 (home)**

THE ROYAL BRITISH LEGION - FALKLAND ISLANDS BRANCH Meets on the first Monday of every month at the Hillside Mess at 7.45pm. **Contacts: Chairman Michael Stevens (21936) / Secretary Bruce Wilks (22438), Treasurer Richard Morrison (22316)**

STANLEY SHORT MAT BOWLS CLUB Friday 6.00 - 8.00pm. **Contact Greta Skene 21488**

JELLY TOTS CLUB meets Tuesday 1.30 - 3.30pm and Thursday 10.11.30am in the Parish Hall. All parents and carers with children aged 0 - 5 years are welcome. For more information contact: **Zoe Crockford - 22694** Chairperson, **Michelle King - 21784** Treasurer, **Wendy Luxton - 21882**, Secretary, **Sue Wilks - 22438**. **Alison Roose - 22955**

THE SHACK YOUTH CLUB - Open every Thursday night. School years 3/4 5.15pm to 6.45pm School years 5/6 7.00pm to 8.30pm. Friday night School years 7/8/9/30 to 9.00 Any queries or information contact **Stevie or Katie Burston phone/fax 21677**

SHORT TENNIS CLUB - Sunday 3 - 5pm **Contact Gordon Lennie Tel. 21667** or **Steve Pointing on 21616** for further details

RUNNING CLUB - Wednesdays 5pm - Meet at Stanley Leisure Centre. **Contact Carol Peck 21724**

KARATE CLUB Wed 6-7p.m. and Sat 11-12a.m. **Contact Jan on 22441**

AA BASED ALCOHOL AWARENESS GROUP Thursdays 7.30pm - 8.30pm **KEMH** Day Centre, All Welcome

HAND CHIME GROUP - Wednesday evenings at the Parish Hall 7 - 8.30pm

TABLE TENNIS CLUB - Sunday 3 - 5pm. **Contact Michael Stevens on 21936** for more details

RUGBY CLUB Tuesday evenings 7 - 8pm **FIDF Drill Hall**

Emergency Radio Frequencies

The Public are advised that in the event of an emergency where no other form of communication are available, that the Royal Falkland Islands Police maintain a 24 hour listening watch on the following frequencies.

VHF 2 metre Band

147.725 (Duplex - 0.6)... Pebble Island repeater (out of action at the moment, currently being relocated and combined with Port Howard repeater)

146.625... Stanley, Alice

147.825 (Duplex - 0.6)... Mount Alice repeater

Marine Band

156.800... Channel 16 (Stanley area)


2.182 MHz HF

In the event that communications fail on all the above frequencies then the RFIIP may be contacted direct on 153.650 (duplex + 1.6). It is unlikely that this frequency will be functional from West Falkland.

It must be stressed that calling the Royal Falkland Islands Police on any of these frequencies must only be done in the event of an emergency

Saturday 10th September
 8.30 ROOM 785
 8.40 TAZ-MANIA
 9.00 SHORT CHANGE
 9.30 BLUE PETER
 10.00 DICK AND DOM IN DA BUNGALOW
 12.00 TOP OF THE POPS RE-LOADED
 12.45 SPORTSROUND
 1.00 NEWS
 1.10 FOOTBALL FOCUS
 2.00 GRANDSTAND Hazel Irvine presents live coverage of the third World Athletics Final from Monaco, the grand finale of the Golden League and grand prix seasons in track and field. There's also top-class racing with the Irish Champion Stakes from Leopardstown and a look back at 25 years of sweat, toil, tears and joy from the annual Great North Run
 6.10 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 6.20 THE O.C. American drama series set in the wealthy coastal community of Orange County
 7.00 HOLLYWOOD'S GREATEST ACTION STUNTS
 7.40 THE X FACTOR
 8.30 MOVIE PRESENTATION: AMERICAN OUTLAWS (2001) Wild West tale. Starring Colin Farrell, Scott Caan, Ali Larter, Gabriel Macht, Gregory Smith and Harris Yulin
 10.10 THE WHITE STRIPES: VIDEO EXCLUSIVE World exclusive of the new White Stripes video for My Doorbell
 10.15 LAST NIGHT OF THE PROMS Followed by: BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 11.35 BIG FIGHT LIVE Coverage of World Super-Middleweight Champion Joe Calzaghe's title defence against Evans Ashira, from the Cardiff International Arena. Welshman Calzaghe, fighting in front of a home crowd, will be looking to continue his unbeaten record in his 17th title defence against Evans. The action also includes British boxing sensation Amir Khan's second professional fight, as he takes on Coventry based Baz Carey
 1.05[am] NEWS 24

Sunday 11th September
 8.05 TEST CRICKET - ASHES HIGHLIGHTS Mark Nicholas presents all the action from the third day of the final Ashes Test between England and Australia at The Oval
 8.35 MATCH OF THE DAY
 10.00 SUNDAY A.M.
 11.00 HOLLYOAKS OMNIBUS
 1.00 THE SIMPSONS
 1.45 CARTOON TIME
 1.55 GRAND PRIX Live coverage of the Belgian Grand Prix from Spa Francorchamps
 3.45 OLIVER BEENE
 4.10 SHARKS - THE SILENT KILLERS Documentary profile of nature's ultimate killing machine
 5.00 BARCLAYS PREMIERSHIP Bolton Wanderers face Blackburn Rovers in a Premiership match at the Reebok Stadium
 6.55 TOP GEAR Motoring magazine
 7.55 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 8.15 FRASIER American sitcom about a Seattle-based radio psychiatrist
 8.40 NEW TRICKS Drama series
 9.40 THE WEST WING Drama series about the workings of the Oval Office Followed by: BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 10.25 TEST CRICKET - ASHES HIGHLIGHTS Mark Nicholas presents all the action from the fourth day of the final Ashes Test between England and Australia at The Oval



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10.50 ABSOLUTE POWER Sitcom following the exploits of two PR men
 11.20 IMAGINE
 12.10 [am] NEWS 24

Monday 12th September
 7.00 BREAKFAST
 10.15 ROOM 785
 10.30 MAKE AND DO
 10.40 THE STORYMAKERS
 11.00 MASTERCHEF GOES LARGE
 11.30 THIS MORNING
 1.30 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 2.10 EMMERDALE
 2.55 BEST AND WORST PLACES TO LIVE IN THE UK
 3.45 ROOM 785
 4.05 THE REALLY WILD SHOW
 4.35 THE TRIBE Post-apocalyptic children's drama series
 5.20 THE CROCODILE HUNTER DIARIES
 5.45 THE KING OF QUEENS Noel Cowards: Sitcom about a working man making what he can of family life
 6.05 CORONATION STREET
 6.30 MY HERO
 7.00 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 7.30 EASTENDERS
 8.00 THE BILL
 8.45 WILL AND GRACE (New) American sitcom
 9.10 FAT FRIENDS
 10.00 EXTRAS (New) Comedy series from Ricky Gervais and Stephen Merchant Followed by: BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 10.30 THE ASHES: FIFTH TEST Mark Nicholas presents all the action from the last day of the final Ashes Test between England and Australia at The Oval
 10.55 KATH AND KIM
 11.20 THE CHAMPIONSHIP
 12.10[am] NEWS 24

Tuesday 13th September
 7.00 BREAKFAST
 10.15 ROOM 785
 10.30 MAKE AND DO
 10.40 THE STORYMAKERS
 11.00 MIND YOUR OWN BUSINESS
 11.30 THIS MORNING
 1.30 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 2.10 HEARTBEAT
 3.00 THE PAUL O'GRADY SHOW
 3.50 ROOM 785
 3.55 50/50
 4.25 BLUE PETER
 4.55 BARKING Lighthearted drama series
 5.15 TIME TEAM
 6.05 CORONATION STREET

6.30 BFBS REPORTS
 7.00 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 7.30 EASTENDERS
 8.00 THE BILL
 8.45 IS THIS THE WORST WEATHER EVER? (New) Hurricanes. Everyone frets about the weather and recently the weather's given us plenty to get worked up about
 9.10 SUPERNANNY
 10.00 NIP/TUCK Followed by BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 10.50 MY LIFE AS A CHILD Series in which children aged between 7 and 11 were given a camera to record their life over several months, resulting in a unique insight into British family life today
 11.30 FILM 2005 WITH JONATHAN ROSS
 12.00 HARDWARE Comedy series about life in a local hardware shop
 12.25[am] NEWS 24

Wednesday 14th September
 7.00 BREAKFAST
 10.15 ROOM 785
 10.30 MAKE AND DO
 10.40 THE STORYMAKERS
 11.00 MASTERCHEF GOES LARGE
 11.30 THIS MORNING
 1.30 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 2.10 EMMERDALE
 2.55 THE PAUL O'GRADY SHOW
 3.45 ROOM 785
 3.55 MUCHA LUCHA
 4.05 RULE THE SCHOOL Documentary series
 4.30 GIRLS IN LOVE Teen drama
 4.55 A DIFFERENT LIFE Documentary series examining the lives of travelling children of all kinds
 5.20 HOW LONDON WAS BUILT (New) Bridges: Adam Hart Davis presents a guided tour of London and her landmarks
 5.45 MALCOLM IN THE MIDDLE Sitcom
 6.05 CORONATION STREET
 6.30 AFRICAN SCHOOL Documentary series about school life in Uganda
 7.00 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 7.30 ALIAS (New) Action drama series
 8.10 SPIRITUALITY SHOPPER Presented by Olympic gold-medalist Jonathan Edwards
 9.00 LOST
 9.45 CAR NATION Documentary series exploring the role of cars in our lives Followed by: BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 10.45 LADETTE TO LADY Series following some of Britain's most

notorious ladettes at an old-fashioned ladies' finishing school
 11.35 KILL ME IF YOU CAN Starring: Alan Alda, Talia Shire, John Hillerman, Barnard Hughes, Virginia Kiser and Edward Mallory
 12.25 [am] NEWS 24

Thursday 15th September
 7.00 BREAKFAST
 10.15 ROOM 785
 10.30 MAKE AND DO
 10.40 THE STORYMAKERS
 11.00 DIY SOS
 11.30 THIS MORNING
 1.30 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 2.10 HEARTBEAT
 3.00 THE PAUL O'GRADY SHOW
 3.50 ROOM 785
 4.05 SPLASH CAMP
 4.30 BLUE PETER
 5.00 STUPID Madcap fantasy comedy
 5.25 ENTERPRISE
 6.05 CORONATION STREET
 6.30 THE WOLF GOES TO ICELAND A BFBS Production
 7.00 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 7.30 EASTENDERS
 8.00 HOLBY CITY Popular hospital drama
 9.00 BAD GIRLS
 9.50 THE NEW AL-QAEDA (New) Jihadi.com: Peter Taylor peers into the murky world of the internet jihadi Followed by BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 10.50 ARRESTED DEVELOPMENT Comedy series about a rich dysfunctional family
 11.10 BADDIEL AND SKINNER UNPLANNED
 11.35 CELEBRITY FEAR FACTOR UK
 12.20[am] A BEAR'S TAIL
 12.45 [am] NEWS 24

Friday 16th September
 7.00 BREAKFAST
 10.15 ROOM 785
 10.30 MAKE AND DO
 10.40 THE STORYMAKERS
 11.00 MASTERCHEF GOES LARGE
 11.30 THIS MORNING
 1.30 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 2.10 EMMERDALE
 2.55 THE PAUL O'GRADY SHOW
 3.45 ROOM 785
 3.55 ATOMIC BETTY
 4.20 FINGER TIPS
 4.35 THE WEEK ON NEWSROUND
 4.55 MY PARENTS ARE ALIENS Lighthearted drama series
 5.15 MAYBE IT'S ME (New)
 5.40 LOCATION, LOCATION, LOCATION (New)
 6.05 CORONATION STREET
 6.30 BFBS REPORTS
 7.00 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 7.30 EASTENDERS
 8.00 HOW CLEAN IS YOUR HOUSE?
 8.25 QUEER EYE FOR THE STRAIGHT GUY
 9.10 MURPHY'S LAW Crime drama series
 10.10 MY LIFE IN FILM Sitcom about an aspiring low-budget filmmaker Followed by: BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 10.40 ER Drama series
 11.25 4MUSIC PRESENTS... GOLDFRAPP Edith Bowman interviews Goldfrapp singer Alison Goldfrapp about her career
 11.50 FRIDAY NIGHT WITH JONATHAN ROSS
 12.50[am] NEWS 24

Billings correct at time of going to press but subject to change until actual transmission. Time into BFBS Radio/Television for up-dates.

Your programmes - F.I.R.S.

Weekly schedule of programmes - as updated by FIRS

SATURDAY

5:00 IRN News & Childrens Corner
6:00 Weather, Flights, Ranges, Announcements, Job Shop & What's on Guide
6:17 The Archers
6:30 News Review
7:00 In Concert
8:00 Feature Presentation
8:30 Weather, Flights & The Fusion with Stacy

10:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

SUNDAY

5:00 IRN News & Chaplains Choice with Paul Sweeting
5:30 Classical Interlude with Kathy Biles
6:00 Weather, Flights Ranges, Announcements, Job Shop & What's on Guide
6:15 Short Story
6:30 Feature Presentation
7:00 Sunday Evening Service
8:00 Slow Jams with Jock to include Weather & Flights at 8.30

10:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

MONDAY

7:00 IRN News & Breakfast Show with Ken (530mw & 88.3fm)
9:00 KTV Radio Nova
10:00 IRN News & Lifestyle with Liz to include

12.15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop

12.30 Calling The Falklands (repeat)
1.00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

4:00 IRN News & People's Jukebox
5:00 IRN News followed by Jukebox

6:00 IRN News & The Archers
6:15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop followed by Country Crossroads

7:00 Comedy presentation
7:30 Music feature
8:30 Weather, Flights & The Vinyl Frontier with Myriam

10:00 BFBS/96.5 & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

TUESDAY

7:00 IRN News & Breakfast Show with Ken (530mw & 88.3fm)
9:00 KTV Radio Nova
10:00 IRN News & Lifestyle with Liz to include

12.15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop

12.30 One To One
1.00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

4:00 IRN News & People's Jukebox
5:00 IRN News followed by Jukebox

6:00 IRN News & The Archers
6:15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop followed by Calling The Falklands

6:45 Simply Classical
7:45 Folk Music Show
8:30 Weather, Flights & 80's and 90's with Sheena

10:00 BFBS/96.5 & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

WEDNESDAY

7:00 IRN News & Breakfast Show with Ken (530mw & 88.3fm)
9:00 KTV Radio Nova
10:00 IRN News & Lifestyle with Liz to include

12.15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop

12.30 Calling The Falklands (repeat)
1.00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

4:00 IRN News & People's Jukebox
5:00 IRN News followed by Jukebox

6:00 IRN News & The Archers
6:15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop followed by The Best Of... with Jock

7:30 Drama Presentation
8:30 Weather, Flights & FIBS Chart Show

10:00 BFBS/96.5 & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

THURSDAY

7:00 IRN News & Breakfast Show with Ken (530mw & 88.3fm)
9:00 KTV Radio Nova
10:00 IRN News & Lifestyle with Liz to include

12.15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop

1.00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

4:00 IRN News & People's Jukebox
5:00 IRN News followed by Jukebox

6:00 IRN News & The Archers
6:15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop followed by Soul, Blues & Rock 'n' Roll with Liz

7:30 Feature Presentation
8:00 Pot Luck with Myriam to include Weather & Flights at 8.30

10:00 BFBS/96.5 & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

FRIDAY

7:00 IRN News & Breakfast Show with Ken (530mw & 88.3fm)
9:00 KTV Radio Nova
10:00 IRN News & Lifestyle with Liz to include

12.15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop

12.30 Caught In The Net/Camp Matters
1.00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

4:00 IRN News & People's Jukebox
5:00 IRN News followed by Jukebox

6:00 IRN News & The Archers
6:15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop followed by The Information Hour to include

Calling The Falklands
One To One (repeat)
Conservation Conversations (repeat)
Caught In The Net/Camp Matters (repeat)

7:30 Non-Stop Country Hour
8:30 Weather, Flights & Leather and Lace with Tansy

10:00 BFBS/96.5 & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

Any changes will be broadcast on FIRS.

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radio

98.5 FM:

SATURDAY 0000 Groove Collective PT 2 0100 The Box 0300 Cox & Bumfrey 0500 Early Riser 0700 Forces Finest PT 1 0800 Saturday Breakfast 1000 The Score 1300 Forces Finest 1500 Cox & Bumfrey 1700 Ministry Of Sound 1900 David Rodigan 2100 Club Culture 2300 The Box PT 1

SUNDAY 0000 The Box PT 2 0100 Chill Out Room 0300 Sim Courtie 0500 Groove Collective 0700 UK Sunday Breakfast 1000 Sim Courtie 1200 Access all Areas 1400 Airplay UK 1700 The Source 1900 The Rock Show 2100 Up from the Underground 2300 Chill Out Room PT 1
MONDAY 0000 Chill Out Room PT 2 0100 Forces Finest 0300 BFBS Greatest Hits 0400 Early Riser 0700 Hermina Graham 1000 Adam Small 1300 Richard Hutchinson 1600 Hatch & Duffus 1800

BFBS Greatest Hits 1900 UK Top 40 2200 Late Show with Lisa Davis
TUESDAY 0000 UK Late Show 0100 David Rodigan 0300 Greatest Hits 0400 Early Riser 0700 Hermina Graham 1000 Adam Small 1300 Richard Hutchinson 1600 Hatch & Duffus 1800 BFBS Greatest Hits 1900 Evening Show 2200 Late Show with Lisa Davis

WEDNESDAY 0000 UK Late Show 0100 Club Culture 0300 - 0000 As of Tuesday

THURSDAY 0000 UK Late Show 0100 The Rock Show 0300 - 1600 As of Tuesday 1600 Hatch & Duffus 1800 BFBS Greatest Hits 1900 UK Evening Show 2200 Late Show with Lisa Davis

FRIDAY 0000 UK Late Show 0100 Up from the Underground 0300 BFBS Greatest Hits 0400 Early Riser 0700 Hermina Graham 1000 Adam Small 1300 Richard Hutchinson 1600 Hatch & Duffus 1800 BFBS Greatest Hits 1900 Friday Dance 2100 Ministry of Sound 2300 The Groove Collective

Radio 2 news 0710 Glen Mansell 0930 Richard Astbury 1200 BFBS Today 1215 The Archers 1230 Behind the glass The Phil Ramone story 1300 PM From BBC Radio 4 1400 The six o'clock news 1430 Rockola 1530 Sport on Five 1800 Late night live 2000 Up all night

WEDNESDAY 0100 Morning Reports 0130 Wake up to money 0200 Today from BBC Radio 4 0500 News/Simon Marlow's Gold 0700 BFBS Radio 2 news 0710 Glen Mansell 0930 Richard Astbury 1200 BFBS Today 1215 The Archers 1230 White van man speaks 1300 PM From BBC Radio 4 1400 The six o'clock news 1430 Allinson's Albums 1530 Live dates 1800 Late night live 2000 Up all night

THURSDAY 0100 Morning Reports 0130 Wake up to money 0200 Today 0500 News/Simon Marlow's Gold 0700 BFBS Radio 2 news 0710 Glen Mansell 0930 Richard Astbury 1000 BFBS Today 1215 The Archers 1230 Sitrep 1300 PM 1400 The six o'clock news 1430 Raven 'n' the Blues 1530 Live dates 1800 Late night Live 2000 Up all night

FRIDAY 0100 Morning Reports 0130 Wake up to money 0200 Today 0500 News/Simon Marlow's Gold 0700 BFBS Radio 2 news 0710 Glen Mansell 0930 Richard Astbury 1200 BFBS Today 1215 The Archers 1230 Quote, unquote 1300 PM from BBC Radio 4 1400 The six o'clock news 1430 Nigel Rennie Country 1530 Sport on Five 1800 Brian Hayes 2000 Up all night

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SATURDAY 0100 Classic weekend breakfast 0300 Today 0500 Home Truths 0600 Radio 4 live 0630 On the dooted line 0600 News/Allinson's albums 0800 Sport on Five 1500 Rockola 1615 The Classic rock show 1715 Raven 'n' the blues 1800 Late night live 2100 Up all night

SUNDAY 0100 Classic weekend breakfast 0300 Weekend woman's hour 0400 Sunday Worship 0450 A point of view 0500 Broadcasting House 0600 The Archers Omnibus 0718 Seven days 0800 BFG on Sunday 0900 Sport on Five 1500 The BFBS Radio 2 Comedy Hour 1600 News/The Archers 1615 A point of view 1630 Behind the glass. The Phil Ramone story 1700 Home truths 1800 Late night live 2100 Up all Night

MONDAY 0100 Morning Reports 0130 Wake up to money 0200 Today 0500 News/Simon Marlow's gold 0700 BFBS Radio 2 news 0710 Glen Mansell 0910 Richard Astbury 1200 BFBS Today 1215 The Archers 1230 Boothby Graillie in no particular order 1300 PM from BBC Radio 4 1400 Six o'clock News 1430 Classic Rock 1530 Sport on live 1800 Late night live 2000 Up all Night

TUESDAY 0100 Morning Reports 0130 Wake up to money 0200 Today 0500 News/ Simon Marlow's gold 0700 BFBS



- FIBS 88.3 FM in Stanley area. 96.5 FM. 102FM Mount Maria and 530 MW Island wide.
- BFBS1 96.5 FM Island wide and 98.5 MPA.
- BFBS2 550 MW Island wide.
- Radio Nova: BBC World Service on 106.5 FM and 530 MW and Deutsche Welle on 101.1 FM

Falkland Islands Defence Force Routine Orders

Thursday 15th September
1900hrs Logging and reporting exercise.

Saturday 17th September
0930hrs Pistol shoot.



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Phoenix Cinema Schedule - 10 - 16 September, 2005

Weekday show starts - 20:00

Saturday shows starts - 1st Performance 09:30 2nd Performance 14:00 3rd Performance 20:00

Sunday shows starts - 1st Performance 13:00 2nd Performance 17:00 3rd Performance 20:00

Saturday 10 September	Sunday 11 September	Monday 12 September	Tuesday 13 September	Wednesday 14 September	Thursday 15 September	Friday 16 September
MADAGASCAR	WAR OF THE WORLDS					
WEDDING CRASHERS	KUNG FU HUSTLE					
WAR OF THE WORLDS	FANTASTIC FOUR	FANTASTIC FOUR	THE DESCENT	MADAGASCAR	FANTASTIC FOUR	MR & MRS SMITH

KUNG FU HUSTLE (15) 98 mins. Act/Com Stephen Chow, Kwok Chan
MR & MRS SMITH (15) 119 mins. Thriller. Brad Pitt, Angelina Jolie
WAR OF THE WORLDS (12A) 116 mins. Action. Tom Cruise, Dakota Fanning

THE DESCENT (18) 99 mins. Horror. Myanna Buring, Craig Conway
WEDDING CRASHERS (15) 118 mins. Comedy. Sc. Owen Wilson, Vince Vaughn
MADAGASCAR (U) 86 mins. Animation. Voices: Ben Stiller & Chris Rock



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All smiles at Stanley Kids Zone

Veterans' news



Above: The Kids Zone team receive their new equipment (l-r) Kerri-Ann Ross, Marlene Short, Alex Olmedo of Direct Imports Ltd, Tara Hewitt, Andrew Newman and Tanya McCallum.

STANLEY'S newest child care centre opened its doors to the public on Saturday morning.

The open morning at Stanley Kids Zone at 3 Jersey Road attracted an impressive number of guests. Tea, coffee and cakes were laid on, and visitors were given a tour of the building to see what

exactly was on offer.

The majority of inside works have been completed with minor decorating still ongoing. Outside works will progress as the weather warms up, as the huge garden area is expected to be well used during summer.

Alex Olmedo of Direct Imports

Ltd donated a wide selection of nursery equipment including changing mats, colourful cushions, drinking cups, coat hooks and hand towels.

The directors of Kids Zone have expressed their "huge thanks" to Alex for his donation.



COPIES of the South Atlantic Medal Association's spring newsletter are now available in the Falklands.

Anyone who wishes to have a copy should contact the Chairman of the Falklands branch of SAMA82, Gary Clement.

The newsletter features news and events from the SAMA82 calendar, pictures of veterans visiting the Falklands, a column by Dr Rick Jolly and much more.

It is edited by David Connert and published by The Recycler Limited. Contributions to the next newsletter are welcome.

David can be contacted on sama@therecycler.com.

New Nursery

Stanley Kids Zone

Qualified staff

Stanley Kids Zone is now open for business.

Opening hours are from 7.30am - 5.30 pm Monday to Friday. £2.50 per child per hour.

SKZ is situated at 3 Jersey Road, and comprises one large playroom for babies and toddlers, one large room for older children with separate bathrooms for both groups, plus many other facilities.

Transport is available for school runs.

For further information or to make a booking please contact Tanya McCallum on 21954 during opening hours or Wendy Luxton on 21882 day and evenings.

Feel free to drop by for a look.

Stanley Services Limited

Stanley Services Limited has an immediate vacancy for a young and enthusiastic person to join the company as trainee to learn all aspects of the customer service and stock handling.

The ideal candidate should be confident and outgoing, have a good sense of humour, physically fit, self-motivating, be able to work as part of a team, have some experience in operating computers and an interest in undertaking a wide variety of tasks including:

- Dealing with enquiries from the General Public
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This is an excellent opportunity and would ideally suit a meticulous person who is keen to learn new skills and use their own initiative.

A competitive salary and terms of employment will be offered to the successful candidate. For further information and an application form please contact Gareth Goodwin on 22622 or call in to our office on the Airport Road. Closing date of applications is Wednesday 21st September

General Practice

with the hospital administration staff

A look at the system used when opticians visit

THOMAS H Collison Ltd are currently the visiting opticians and usually visit the King Edward VII Memorial Hospital (KEMH) twice a year.

Once we have confirmation of their dates, reception staff organise the clinics and appointments for any patients that have been referred by the doctors. We also send out appointments for patients with diabetes who need to be seen once a year, we arrange for some to be seen at each visit rather than take up a huge block of appointments in one visit.

Once the patients with diabetes and those who have been referred by the doctors have been allocated appointments, the remaining appointments are offered to the public on a first come first served basis. The opticians have advised us that an examination for healthy eyes is only needed every three years.

People aged between 16 and 64 who are entitled to free medical treatment are entitled to a free eye examination once every three years. (A patient with a defined long-term medical condition receives free eye tests as determined by the doctor). OAP's (over 64 years) are entitled to a free examination every two years. Anything

more frequent than this incurs a charge of £20. Children under 16 and those in higher education between the ages of 16-18 years are also entitled to free examinations.

After the visit, spectacles usually start to arrive within three to four weeks. Upon arrival the spectacles are checked and the relevant charges are applied to the cost. We then forward the spectacles in the post with an invoice.

For people aged between 16 - 63 years the charges are:

- Frames: Cost plus 33% government charge and 10% administration/handling charge
- Lenses: Charged at cost

The following patients are entitled to a free pair of spectacles:

- Children under 16 years and those between 16-18 years in full time education (as frequently as the prescribing optician determines)
- OAP's over the age of 64 years once every two years (every two years).
- Welfare recipients (every three years)
- Patients with defined medical conditions which are affecting the eyesight, for example a patient with diabetic retinopathy, but not a patient with diabetes who is simply short-sighted).

If the value of the frame is over £40 the above charges will be applied to the difference

At other times, while the opticians are not here, reception staff do their utmost to help the public with any requests for ordering new glasses/contact lenses and with any repairs that are within their capabilities. Otherwise the spectacles will need to be returned to the opticians for repair and will then be forwarded to the patient when returned with an invoice for the cost of the repair. Local repairs are charged at £5 for people between 16 and 63 years old. They are free for all other patients.

Thomas H Collison Ltd has been the visiting optician to the KEMH for the last five years. Opticians are usually contracted in from elsewhere and are not employees of T H Collison.

The last optician who was here in April, Mr Graham Hay-Smith, worked for the National Health Service and was an Ophthalmologist.

Currently the contract is up for renewal and we would be interested to hear from people who have any comment and ideas on how to improve the service that is provided.

I wish I'd said that..

AN infatuated young man was sending his girl friend a telegram which read: "Ozzy loves his Woogy Woogy Woogy."

"You can have another 'Woogy' without it costing any more," said the post office clerk.

"No thanks," replied the young man after a pause for reflection, "I think that would sound rather silly."

ON the first night of one of his plays Oscar Wilde stood in the foyer of the theatre receiving bouquets of flowers from his admirers. One member of the audience who was far from being one of his admirers and wished to humiliate him presented him with a rotten cabbage.

"Thank you my dear fellow," said Wilde, "every time I smell it I shall be reminded of you."

DEAN Inge, the Dean of St Paul's Cathedral, was also a journalist. On arrival in America he was asked whether it was true to say that he was a pillar of the Anglican Church.

"I don't know about that," he replied, "but I am two columns in the *Evening Standard*."

Recipes for the Falkland Islands

Pork pittas with salsa

Pork, pan fried in Mexican spices is stuffed into toasted pitta with avocado, red onion, tomato and coriander and topped with a dollop of Greek yoghurt. Simple, and there is lots of fresh pork available in the shops at the moment.

Ingredients

1 tablespoon olive oil
1 lb 2 oz diced pork
4 tablespoons spicy seasoning such as Old El Paso Spice Mix for Fajitas
4 large pittas
100g tub Greek yoghurt (optional)

for the salsa

1 red onion, peeled and chopped
1 ripe avocado stoned, peeled and chopped
4 large tomatoes, roughly chopped
Small handful roughly chopped fresh coriander
Juice of one lime.

Method

Heat the oil in a pan and fry the pork over a medium heat for 3 - 4 minutes. Add the spicy seasoning mix to the pan and stir to coat the pork. Cook for a further 4-5 minutes until cooked through.

Meanwhile make the salsa. Put the onion in a bowl and add the

avocado, tomatoes, coriander and lime juice. Mix well, season to taste and set aside.

Toast the pittas until lightly golden, then slit down the side and stuff with the pork, a dollop of salsa and a spoonful of Greek yoghurt. Serve immediately.

You can make your own seasoning by mixing 1 crushed clove of garlic, 1 teaspoon ground ginger and ½ - 1 teaspoon of cayenne pepper.

Serves 4

Preparation time: 10 minutes

Cooking time: 10 minutes

Approx 550 calories per serving

Quick tip

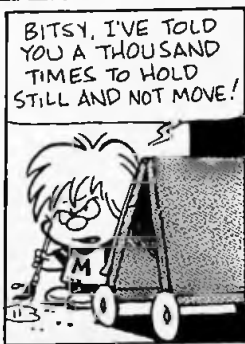


Onions... Who wants to peel the onions?

Peeling onions can be a tery time.

To make the task a little easier, cover the onions with boiling water and let stand for three minutes.

Drain off, rinse with cold water and peel.



Fisheries Department

Catch for week 35, ending August 30, 2005

Licence type	Number of Licences	
	Eligible W/ending 30/08/05	Fishing W/ending 30/08/05
Total	46	44
L	2	2
R	10	9
X	16	16
Y	7	6
Z	11	11

Catch by species (Tonnes)

	Falklands	Korea	Other Nations	Total
Loligo	2946	1	8	2955
Illex	0	0	0	0
Martialia	0	0	0	0
Hakes	11	16	65	92
Blue Whiting	2	0	196	198
Hoki	71	17	826	914
Kingsclip	5	4	52	61
Toothfish	43	0	3	46
Red Cod	12	3	171	186
Ray	16	232	29	277
Other	208	2	185	395
Total	3314	275	1535	5124

Shipping activity from 28/8/05 - 4/9/05

BERKELEY Sound has been visited by the longliner *Hong Jin 101* to tranship and the reefers *Asira* and *Frio Posiedon* for fenders and bunkers respectively.

Tankers *Centaurus*, *Libra*, and *Baltic Pride* have also been in the area for bunkers.

Tamar FI departed FIPASS for a coastal voyage on September 5. The longliners *Argos helena*, *Argos Georgia* and *Jacqueline FI* have all called at FIPASS for inspections.

The longliners *Hong Jin 101*,

and *In Sung 22* have been in Port William for inspections while reefers *Frio Posiedon* and *Frio Marathon* have called for customs and transhipment respectively.

Trawlers *Igueldo*, *Golden Touza*, *Hermanos Touza*, *Kalaxtori*, *Ferralemes* and *Teucro* called at Port William and have now all departed for fishing grounds. *Golden Chicha*, *El Greco* and *Esperanza* remain in the area.

The yacht *Le Sourire* remains in Stanley Harbour on a port visit.

Letter: anti-Aspartame campaign continues

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Dr Diggle also mentions that the EU are currently carrying out further research into aspartame. What he also failed to submit is that this investigation is being carried out because there is sound scientific evidence that aspartame is linked to the rapid increase in tumours and cancer on tests done in Italy on rats. Not only is this information available on the internet but is available in several archived news paper reports by some leading news groups.

I did take the matter up with Councillors, but quite honestly believe that it will fall on deaf ears. The Falkland Islands are moving on at an ever faster pace and with it comes better understanding of the workings of the rest of the world. For years people on the Islands were not given too much information, but the internet and global communications has changed all that. Where once Islanders could not get a second professional opinion, they can now. There are many methods available to them to achieve this and because of this our administration are being more and more left behind.

Contrary to Dr Diggle's com-

ment about the majority of food stuffs coming from Britain, almost half of this now comes from Latin America, you only have to look on the shelves and read the foreign language on the tins.

Readers need not have to believe me, but a simple test that you can do will demonstrate whether you suffer from aspartame poisoning. Don't use any products known to contain any sweeteners for 60 days. Let me know what happens.

I personally already know, as my addiction to diet cola proved. I craved for it for three weeks but refused to give in. Now I am past that moment and seldom even think about it. Remember it's not just Coke that has it in. We removed around thirty products from our home and even now we cannot be sure we are 100% aspartame free, because some manufacturers do not put it on the label, even though it is in the contents.

My daughter is living proof of what it did to her and I intend to do everything I can to ensure the health and safety of our citizens is secured. That's a promise.

Robin Goodwin
corridale@horizon.co.fk

Wool report - week ending August 31

by Neil Judd, Department of Agriculture

GREASY wool prices were considerably cheaper at the fine end of the micron spectrum at sales in Australia last week, but relatively firm at the broader end. Wool prices generally remained unchanged in New Zealand.

• Lots with high vegetable matter and low style attracted reduced buyer interest and as a consequence fell in price by more than superior lines of wool.

• Prices for non-fleece wool types were also reported in "buyers favour" during the week.

• Chinese buyers dominated proceedings on the Australian auction floors once again. For the third consecutive month China purchased over 60% of the Australian wool clip. Indian interests overtook Italy as the second biggest customer.

• In Australia 87.6% of the 56,505 bale offering was sold. Included in the offering were 4,564 bales of crossbred wool of which 95.3% was sold. In New Zealand 86% of the 11,820 bale offering was sold.

• Auctions continue next week in New Zealand. South Africa and Australia where almost 80,000 bales will be on offer.

Note:

*Exchange rates used to convert wool prices into pence per kg clean basis. Australian \$2.39 per 1£ sterling compared to \$2.37 per 1£ sterling previous week.

*Information derived from AWEX market report and Wool Record Weekly.

*Values based on average auction floor prices from Australian Eastern markets.

*Prices quoted correspond to average gross auction prices. It should be remembered that no selling or freight costs have been deducted from the stated prices.

*MPG prices designated with an "n" indicate that insufficient wool in the particular micron range was traded to determine a firm MPG quote.

Growers are strongly advised to seek assistance in evaluating offers for wool where only nominal prices are given.

Any woolgrower with a question regarding the wool industry, or requiring assistance to determine the merit of any wool price offer, is urged to contact Neil Judd at the Department of Agriculture on telephone 27355 or on email njudd@doa.gov.fk

Week ending	Pence per kilogram clean for each micron category.											
	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	28	30	32
10/01/2002	553	403	306	294	293	288	283	266	232	208	199	185
13/12/2002	553n	484	456	451	446	437n	431n	407n	369n	265	217	201n
10/01/2003	557n	494	470	463	458	451	445	412n	375n	271	228	210n
04/07/2003	443n	408	409	411	414n	413n	405n	384n	351n	252n	213	201n
12/12/2003	397n	380	366	362	351	336	325	295n	272n	218n	187n	167n
09/01/2004	409n	392	380	369	356	337	326	295n	274n	215	187	161n
02/07/2004	421n	390	352	339	323	310	281n	266n	253n	211n	188n	169n
17/12/2004	395	368	327	306	295	282	269n	233n	218n	186n	168n	154n
14/01/2005	411n	383	341	316	307	297	284	244n	225	194n	176n	160n
04/02/2005	417	389	343	316	303	294	282	246n	226n	194n	177n	163n
04/03/2005	411	378	337	312	295	286	270	242n	223n	187	174	164n
08/04/2005	414	387	337	313	298	290	273n	244n	224n	189	174	164n
06/05/2005	416	381	334	304	293	288	273	246	228	187	174	164
03/06/2005	418	378	336	313	303	300	282n	256n	234n	197	180	167n
01/07/2005	412	373	336	322	317	313	288n	266n	240n	197	185	169n
08/07/2005	419	386	343	330	324	320	298	275	245	206	192	173
15/07/2005	408n	378n	340	324	318	314	294	278n	247n	204n	190n	173n
05/08/2005	434	388	342	323	316	309	301n	274n	245n	205	190	175n
12/08/2005	416	376	332	316	306	301	293	274n	240n	201	185	171n
19/08/2005	405n	361	323	306	297	291	284	269n	238n	195	182	165
26/08/2005	409	361	323	307	298	292n	284n	270n	240n	197n	184n	166n
02/09/2005	403	358	315	301	293	288	282	269	241	198	184	165
weekly change	-6	-5	-8	-6	-5	-4	-2	-1	1	1	0	-1
price year ago	426	389	348	318	300	283	265	255	247	210	185	170



on share prices

At close of business Monday, September 3, 2005

Desire Petroleum plc	41.00p	(-1.00p)
Falkland Oil and Gas plc	119.50p	(-0.50p)
Falkland Islands Holdings plc	397.5p	(-15.00p)
Falkland Gold and Minerals Ltd	24.50p	(-0.50p)
Standard Chartered PLC	1187.00p	(-20.00p)

South Georgia Fisheries: Catch Figures

Week ending September 2, 2005

Species	Max No. of Vessels	Total Catch	Total Effort
Toothfish	3	51 tonnes	135,311 hooks
Krill	1	173 tonnes	19 trawls

Hot shots Toot and Joan share the victory

THE Bonner's Haulage/Victory Bar Tournament is a combination of what, in the past, were two separate competitions - Bonner's Haulage and the Victory Bar each sponsored a tournament. Interest in the big tournaments was wavering some four years ago so they decided to combine the two.

This is the third year that the tournament has been played for in its present format. On alternate years it is played under the preferred rules of the two businesses. This year it was the Victory Bar's turn to present the prizes and the rule of league players being seeded was utilised - this prevents some of the top players meeting in the first round of the competition.

The first round of the ladies competition which attracted 54 entries contained some good games and a few surprises. Cathy Jacobsen (Jnr) beat Caroline McLaren, Hannah Humphreys put Caroline Villegas out of the running and Maisie Crowie beat Glynis Newman.

Number one seed, Maggie Goss was on form in the second round, having received a bye in the first, and beat Candy Blackley 2-0; number two seed Joan Middleton beat Maggie Battersby and Cathy Jacobsen (Snr) kicked into action beating Michelle King 2-0.

The last eight was a line up of Maggie Goss, Leann Ford, Sharon Jaffray, Cathy Jacobsen (Snr) Joan Middleton, Jane Clement, Nora Smith and Hazel Collins.

Cathy and Joan fought their way to the final and a lively game ensued. Cathy managed to win one leg but Joan's experience showed through in the final leg and she claimed the title.

Maggie and Nora shared third place.

The men's competition attracted 81 players all keen to take the cup.

Some of the interesting early games were Gary Clement beating Lewis Morrison 2-1, Leon Mitchell beating Michael Goss 2-1, Mark Pollard getting one leg off Colin Smith and K Beddington beating Peter Goss 2-1.

In the last 16, number one seed Toot Ford beat Russell Smith, Johnny Ford beat K Beddington, Colin Smith put Joe Joseph out of the competition, Jimmy Curtis beat Graeme Hay, Lenny Ford evicted Steve Watt, Jamie Lang put an end to Teddy Summers' run, Gary Hewitt beat Rag Macaskill and Ali Bonner beat John Battersby, Ali having only played one game to reach the last 16 due to seeding and a bye.

In the quarter finals Jimmy Curtis beat Joe Joseph but had his dreams of the cup shattered in the semi-finals by Toot Ford who had beaten Johnny Ford in the previous round.

Lenny Ford beat Jamie Lang and Gary Hewitt ended Ali Bonner's run resulting in a Gary Hewitt, Toot Ford final.

The final was played over nine legs and was a great game to watch, with the crowd cheering at nearly every shot as the pair put on a great display of darts.

Toot took the game 5-3 and was more than happy to get his hands on the Bonner's Haulage/Victory Bar Cup.

Toot has worked for Bonner's Haulage for some 19 years and has claimed a prize in the competition each year for the five years it was run as Bonner's Haulage, as well as the last three years it has been run combined with the Victory Bar.



1. Joan Middleton (right) winner of the ladies competition with Cathy Jacobsen from the Victory Bar who took second place and also presented the prizes. 2. Winner Toot Ford and Gary Hewitt who took second place. 3. Cathy Jacobsen (Snr), Lenny Ford and Jimmy Curtis (joint third place) and Cathy Jacobsen (Jnr) representing the Victory Bar at the prize giving. 4. Ali Jacobsen partakes of some dutch courage on his wife Cathy's behalf before she battles it out in the final (Gail Rogers to the left of the picture). 5. Gary Clement keeps listeners up to date with the proceedings via the Falkland Islands Radio Service.



South American News from

MERCOPRESS

Antarctic cruise company adds a vessel

A CHILEAN based cruise company is incorporating a second vessel for this coming season's tours of Antarctica, beginning in Puerto Montt and concluding in Ushuaia, Argentina, with a call in Punta Arenas.

Diego Hurtado, C & O Tours CEO who visited Punta Arenas over the weekend with foreign tourist operators said the company for the last three years has been successfully operating Antarctic cruises with the Norwegian flagged *Nordnorge* which has a 350 passenger capacity and a crew of 70.

But for this coming season "we've chartered the twin vessel *Nordkapp*, since we anticipate a very promising summer". The vessels have an 11,500 tons displacement and are 123 metres long.

The normal fifteen days cruise leaves from Puerto Montt, sails along the Chilean channels, calls at Punta Arenas before heading to Antarctica and back to Ushuaia.

"Europeans, Americans, Japanese and Australians are our main clients for these cruises, but this year we are promoting additional, before or after, two to four days packages in the region," revealed Mr Hurtado.

The additional packages in-

clude Patagonia, Chile's lakes area, the central valley where most of Chilean wineries are located and even more distant destinations such as Macchu Picchu in Peru, Easter Island and Iguazu falls in Argentina.

With this in mind Mr Hurtado invited tourist operators from Europe and United States to tour Chilean Patagonia and the Torres del Paine Park, which will also be offered as a pre or post Antarctic cruise option.

"Actually it was a very interesting experience because many of the European and American tour operators believed Torres del Paine had a similar landscape to Antarctica," admitted Mr Hurtado who emphasised that "our intention is to convert those fifteen days in 18 - 20 days, consolidating the spirit of the Antarctic cruises."

"We're not really in the pleasure cruise business since most tourists consider them cultural experiences and those additional days we are promoting are targeted along that line," highlighted Mr. Hurtado.

"Those five days in Antarctica visiting scientific bases, rookeries, historic sites, sighting whales and other marine life really have an impact on visitors."

Punta cardio-surgery hub for south Chile

CHILEAN national health authorities confirmed Punta Arenas as a heart surgery and homodynamic hub with jurisdiction over the south of the country.

Although it's a long term objective conditioned to the new Magallanes Region hospital currently under construction, Jorge Flies, head of regional health services said the benefits are already evident.

"We are seeing an increase in the number of heart surgeries in Punta Arenas as well as in the formation of specialists such as cardiologists and homodynamic experts," said Dr Flies who emphasised the region. "is becoming a pole

of cardio-surgery development," one of six in the whole of Chile.

The decision also implies a change in official Chilean policy because these types of highly sophisticated treatment centres are usually located in densely populated areas and choosing Punta Arenas includes a territorial concept.

Until only recently all heart surgery patients from Magallanes were flown to Santiago.

"Another immediate impact of making Punta Arenas a regional heart surgery centre is that the medical population and support personnel will significantly increase plus all the equipment logistics needed," added Dr Flies.

Chile stabilises fuel prices for next 12 months

GASOLINE in Chile will remain below the 620 pesos per litre benchmark during the next ten months, following the government's decision to intervene in the fuel market to help mitigate the impact of hurricane Katrina and international crude prices.

September prospects indicated gasoline could have reached 750 pesos a litre, equivalent to 1,40 US dollars with similar rises for jet fuel, cooking kerosene and diesel.

The first stage of the new Chilean government fuel policy has been

to disengage the current import parity with Gulf of Mexico fuel prices, which means that government owned oil company ENAP will strictly accommodate prices to production costs.

In October the second stage of the plan is to create a new oil price stabilisation fund which will receive resources from the exceptional international value of copper.

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Happy birthday Mark
Proof that the way to your heart is through your stomach. From your mate Ronnie



To **Jordan Cole**
Our little Digger Operator!
Have a fantastic 3rd Birthday on 11th September. We hope you enjoy Chile. Love you very much Big Hugs and Kisses From Mum & Dad XXXXXXXXXXXX
To Jordan
We hope you have a great 3rd Birthday in Chile. Make sure Mum and Dad spoil you rotten and buy lots of diggers. Love you always from Nana, Grandpa and Uncle Marcus xxx



To my big brother **Scott**
Happy 17th birthday. Now you can have 4 wheels. Love Shaleena-Jade



For **Martin Benjamin** of Malvina House Hotel celebrating his birthday on Friday 9 September. Hope you have a fantastic birthday, enjoy the party!! Loads of love Mum, Dad, Meals, Ariene, Melissa & Adele XXXXX"

Bridge results: 1st Sue Goss and Sharon Halford
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WANTED
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- Bookkeeping and/or Customer Service qualification would be an advantage, but not essential
- Preference will be given to applicants who have had previous experience in producing, analysing and presenting figures of a financial and marketing nature
- Computer literate
- Ability to communicate in good English both verbally and in written format
- Good at team work and supervising others
- Holder of a full drivers licence is essential

Further information and a job description can be obtained by contacting Jo Ellick, Manager, Customer Services on free phone 131. Written applications including a CV should be addressed and submitted to Manager Customer Services, Cable & Wireless.
P O Box 584 by Monday 19th September 2004 at 4.00 pm.

APPLICATIONS FOR PERMANENT RESIDENCE

Notice is hereby given that Christopher Andrew Williams has applied through the Principal Immigration Officer to be granted a Permanent Residence Permit by the Governor.

Any person who knows of any reason why this permit should not be granted should send a written and signed statement of the facts, giving grounds for their objection, to the Immigration Officer, Customs & Immigration Department, Stanley by 23rd September 2005.

Notice is hereby given that Sarah May Bo Lam has applied through the Principal Immigration Officer to be granted a Permanent Residence Permit by the Governor.

Any person who knows of any reason why this permit should not be granted should send a written and signed statement of the facts, giving grounds for their objection, to the Immigration Officer, Customs & Immigration Department, Stanley by 23rd September 2005.

The Public Works Department invites suitably qualified or experienced builders to quote for the repair and associated small works to the Black Top Store building at Megabid, Stanley. It should be noted that it is a condition of this contract that the works be undertaken during October and November 2005.

A copy of the specification and scope of works are available from the Maintenance Manager's Office at PWD. Completed quotations are required to be submitted to the General Office of the Public Works Department by 0900hrs on the 3rd October 2005.

The Falkland Islands Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest of any quotation.

Department of Agriculture- Camp Burning

To all farm owners, please note that as from the 15th September 2005 through to the 30th March 2006, permission is required from the Director of Agriculture to burn grass fires in accordance with the Grass Fires Bill 2002.

Please apply in writing to the Director of Agriculture or email: eking@doa.gov.fk

For further information, or a copy of the 'Guidelines for Burning Reseeds' please telephone Glynis King on 27322

Director of Minerals & Agriculture
05 September 2005

PUBLIC NOTICE FALKLAND ISLANDS GOVERNMENT COMMITTEES ACCESS TO INFORMATION

Please note that the following committee meetings will be open for public attendance during the forthcoming week:

Falkland Islands Development Board - Tuesday 13th September at 9.00am in the Chamber of Commerce
Agricultural Advisory Committee - Wednesday 14th September at 2.00pm in the Chamber of Commerce

Members of the public can attend but not speak at Committee meetings. Copies of the Agenda and Reports can be seen in the Secretariat at least three working days before the date of the meeting.

FALKLAND CRAFT FAIR

Friday 9th September: take your entries to the F.I. Community School between 3pm and 6pm

Saturday 10th September: Craft Fair open between 2pm and 5pm

Sunday 11th September: Craft Fair open between 2pm and 4.30pm
Prizegiving at 4pm followed by raffle draw
Entries to be collected at 4.30pm

Enter as many items as you want. There is no charge for entering.
Admission fee for viewing the show: adults 50p, children 25p
Raffle tickets on sale 20p each.

LOVE IS IN THE AIR Charity Blind Date.



DATE: Saturday 8th October.
TIME: 8pm to 1am.
VENUE: Town Hall.
ENTRY: £5.00 on the door.

We are proposing to hold a charity blind date competition in aid of the following charities: The Stephen Jaffray memorial fund and Cancer Awareness Trust in the town hall on Saturday 8th October 2005.

Doors open at 8 p.m. blind date starts at 9 p.m.,

Followed by a country night

No entry after 11p.m. bar closes at 12.30a.m finish at 1a.m.
No under 18's.

We Require

8-12 single ladies

8-12 single gentlemen

For a great night, don't be shy, you might get the partner of your dreams!!

Contestants from MPA are welcome too.

Write your name, address and contact number to P.O Box 509.

No later than 23rd September 2005

SECURITY OFFICERS

Falkland Security Services Limited are now looking to recruit and train a number of security officers to work with their existing team during the next cruise vessel season.

No previous experience is necessary, however applicants should be:

Physically fit

Confident and polite when dealing with the public

Willing to learn

In reasonable command of English, both spoken and written

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The work is part-time and includes the screening of passengers and crew, luggage and ships stores at the Public Jetty and FIPASS. Good rates of pay, with overtime, are offered. For further details please contact: Mark Spicer on 21295 weekdays and evenings

Millers Restaurant and Tearooms has an immediate vacancy for a waitress to work weekday lunch-times and some afternoons, with more hours becoming available soon. For more information please contact Jeanette Miller on 21572 or call in at Millers on John Street.

Globe Tavern Job Vacancies

For part time bartenders, experience an advantage, but not necessary. Call 22703

Wanted for Port Howard Lodge

A person to help with the day to day running of a busy Lodge. Duties to include meeting of Islander aircraft, driving tourists, gardening, general maintenance and also assisting with domestic chores within the Lodge. A clean driving license is essential.

Contact Sue Lowe Port Howard Lodge Tel 42187

Falklands Brasserie Job Vacancy

Chef required to work for the Brasserie, must be fully qualified with at least two years of experience in busy restaurant. Position available from beginning of October 2005. Please call the Operations Manager on 21159 for further information, terms and conditions of employment.

Customer Care Assistant required to work at **The Kelper Stores**.

Duties will include, dealing with customers, stock control and presentation, handling and recording money. Hours will include evenings, weekends and Public Holidays

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Please Contact Mhari on 22270 or pop into any K shop for an application form

MPA travel has a vacancy at its MPA office. Reasonable rates of pay offered for a job share of between 11 and 17 hours per week only. Often involves weekend working and being available on call at 10 minutes notice. No travel time or allowance paid. Attention to detail, good computer and accounts skills required. Closing date for entries 26th September 2006. All enquiries telephone 22626 or 76691.

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The Public Works Department invites suitably qualified or experienced builders to quote for the re covering and associated small works to the Secretariat Roof at Ross Road, Stanley. It should be noted that it is a condition of this contract that the works be undertaken during November and December 2005.

A copy of the specification and scope of works are available from the Maintenance Manager's Office at PWD. Completed quotations are required to be submitted to the General Office of the Public Works Department by 0900hrs on the 26th September 2005.

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1 x Ford Escort MK4 diesel car, comes complete with second set of brand new tyres on alloy rims and brand new spare windscreen £750
1 x Philips VCR £75
1 x Samsung DVD player £75
1 x Computer
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1 x dark red, 3 door - V8 Discovery, excellent condition - £5,000 ono. Contact Ian or Sheila on 21661 lunchtimes or evenings

BARGAIN - Mitsubishi Montero (Shogun Pinan), 5 years old, less than 16,000 miles & lovely condition. Regularly serviced. Only £3950.
Contact Gardner on 21214 after 5pm or Karen at karendrysdale@btinternet.com

VISITOR'S SITE GUIDE now selling at £5 per copy. This beautiful book is full of information making it an ideal reference book or gift
You can purchase these at Falklands Conservation Office, FIC outlets and Beauchêne.

FOR SALE/NOTICES

For sale - Good quality pine timber
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Plasterboard 12.5mm £9.50
Roof felt £20.00 per 40mm roll
Gloss paint white and red £10 per 3.5 lt. Roy Smith tel 21136

FIC Ltd has for sale by tender one Mitsubishi Delica, two short-wheelbase Mitsubishi Pajeros, one Suzuki Jeep and one Daihatsu HiJet van. All vehicles are accident damaged and will be sold as-seen. For further information, viewing, or a copy of the tender form please contact Stephen Luxton at the FIC Spares Section on tel 27678 fax 27679 or email fic.auto@horizon.co.fk. Completed tenders must be received by 4.00pm Friday 16th Sep 2005.

NURSERY SALE - Cot with 2 mattresses £50. ELC Animal Skittles (new) £10. Fisher Price Chatterphone (new) £10. Braun Thermoscan Electronic Thermometer (new) £10. Mothercare navy cozzytoes for buggy (new) £10. Snowsuit blue/white striped 12-18 months (new) £10. Boy's Anorak hooded padded grey/red 2-3 years (new) £10. Girl's Shoes Clarks navy buckles size 6 1/2 E (new) £10. Lots more nursery equipment and children's clothing (6 months to 3 years, new / second-hand, boys / girls). Also attractive pink/green floral-design sheet and pillowcases for single bed (new) £10. DVD Player £30, Video Player (doesn't record) £10. Tel. Alison or Jason on 22817 or visit 9 Short Street between 11am - 1pm on Saturday 10 September or catch us at the Flea Market on Sunday

1 x Senao Cordless Radio Telephone Unit with 2 x handsets, base unit and aerial, Brand New £175.00
1 x Black 19" monitor ex condition £75.00
1 x Car stereo, "Ministry of Sound" CD/MP3 Player, Brand New £90.00
Phone Glen or Margaret on 21982 evenings

Public Notice - Sale of Government Vehicle
Tenders are invited for the purchase of a Series III Land Rover situated at Fox Bay Village. The vehicle is not in running order and is suitable for purchase for spare parts only. Arrangements to view the vehicle can be made by contacting the Village Agent, Mr Ken Halliday, either in person, on telephone 27370, or on e-mail foxbay.fig@horizon.co.fk. If required a low resolution digital photograph of the vehicle can be e-mailed to prospective tenderers by the Village Agent.
Tenders in writing should be submitted in sealed envelopes endorsed "Series III Land Rover" to The Chairman, Tender Board, Secretariat, Stanley, to reach him on or before 4.30 p.m. on Monday 26th September 2005. Government does not bind itself to accept the highest or any tender.

NOTICES

Girls new and used shoes, clothes and toys. Aged 2-3 years
BN1-301 Portable DVD player with over 300 arcade games, plus 2 x controls and car power adaptor.
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Suzuki Siderek For further details contact Ricardo Gatica 73075 after 6pm

Inshore coastal vessel "Laura Jay" Length: 10m Beam: 4m Hull material: fibreglass Vessel consists of: storage locker forward, bridge aft and main hold.
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1 Trust Direct Webscan Scanner complete with Ulead Photo Express software. Capable of scanning normal documents and also negatives and slides. Offers of £70. Contact Marlene Short tel 22861.

New stock of DMC kits being opened at Sew What including x-stitch, tapestry, blackwork and accessories. These top quality kits come in a range to suit all abilities. Sew What, at 5 Jersey Road, is open Saturdays from 12 to 4pm. Camp orders welcome

Karate sessions now started again Wed 6-7pm Sat 11 - 12pm in the Junior School Hall. Beginners also welcome

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NOTICES

Amendment to Stanley Kids Zone advert
on page 12.
Cost should read £2 per hour per child.

Feliz segundo aniversario. Gracias por los (?) dos años pasados. Te amo hoy mañana y siempre. Gringa

From Stanley Services Ltd
Next Argos order closes on 14th September 2005 for arrival early December from Autumn-Winter 2005 Catalogue Argos web site www.argos.co.uk

From the Stanley Arms
Friday 9th September at the Stanley Arms. Country night with KJ Extention till 12.30. £2.00 on the door, with proceeds going to Combat Stress

Wanted
Cindy Cars have vacancies for full time and part time drivers. Please contact Cindy on 22123

Please note: *Re Access to information notice on page 18: Agricultural Advisory Committee - Wednesday 14th September at 2.00pm held in the Department of Agriculture library not in the Chamber of Commerce*

Flea Market in the Town Hall on the 11th September. For tables contact John on 21443

Responsible 13 year old available to walk dogs. For one hour £3.00 / £4.00 depending on size of dog. Contact 21212 after school Ask for Tom

Members of Falklands Conservation would you be interested in helping with tussac planting on the week end of the 17/18 September. If you would call FC office on 22247.

Child Health Clinic
Wednesday 14th September
4 - 5.30 pm in the KEMH Day Centre
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Friday 16th September
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Early baby rushed to Monte

BABY Ty Wilkinson rests in a neo-natal ward in Montevideo today, oblivious to the well co-ordinated, international effort which led to his safe arrival.

Born three months too early, Ty was evacuated from the Falklands on Wednesday morning. He is now with his parents Johan and Alistair in the British Hospital in Montevideo and reported to be doing well.

His young life began at Stanley's King Edward VII Memorial Hospital (KEMH); Johan delivered her son at around 10.30 on Tuesday evening after only the second trimester of her pregnancy. He weighed in at just 1.2 kilograms.

The KEMH does not have the facilities to care for premature babies which is why Ty was flown to Uruguay. Within minutes of his birth he was moved into an incubator where Dr Tony Rocke and theatre technician Eric Black worked to stabilise him and prepare him for medical evacuation. He was placed onto a ventilator.

In the early hours of Wednesday morning, Ty, his parents and a team from the KEMH were col-

lected by the British Forces Search and Rescue team's Sea King helicopter. They were flown to Mount Pleasant where they boarded a waiting VC-10 aircraft for the flight to Montevideo, along with Wing Commander Tim Webster and Flt Lt Tess King from the British Forces medical centre.

Yesterday, Flt Lt King said the two and a half-hour flight to Montevideo went "very well."

She explained, "We were there to look after Jo primarily - we left Ty in the capable hands of Tony. We were there in case things took a turn for the worse which, thankfully, they didn't."

She added, "Overall, we're very happy with how it all turned out, and a big thank you must go to all involved."

Chief Medical Officer, Dr Roger Diggle agreed, saying Ty's treatment and evacuation went "remarkably smoothly" and "all our training and preparation for aeromedical transfers paid off."

He described the Royal Air Force as "brilliant" in that, "...they were prepared to accom-

modate all our requests regarding timing of the helicopter's arrival at KEMH and the availability of the VC-10, etc."

Johan's sister, Andrea Clausen - whose husband, Gus, also made the journey to Montevideo in his role as hospital engineer - yesterday said mother and baby are doing well. "Ty is making considerable efforts to breathe unaided but is still having a little help. We hope he will be coping alone by Friday."

She cautiously added that, although it is "very early days", the outlook is "positive".

On behalf of Jo and Alistair's families, Andrea thanked everyone who was involved in Ty's care, "...from the hospital staff to the military and the fire service who were there for the helicopter's landing in the middle of the night and the immigration team who organised Ty's passport."

She said the entire operation went, "...exactly as it should have - it was so well orchestrated, and everyone was, "...incredibly professional. We are all really grateful."

Unauthorised decoders are 'against the law'

IT IS illegal to bring unauthorised decoders into the Falkland Islands, the government's Chief Executive has reminded the public.

Chris Simpkins said it appears the passing of the Broadcasting Ordinance last year has led to some misunderstandings among residents "with regard to the legality of decoders brought into the Islands from South America," and he explained the present legal provisions.

It is an offence to bring unauthorised decoders into the country and Customs officers have the power to seize them. Mr Simpkins explained that an unauthorised decoder is one which has been imported for the purpose of receiving encrypted transmissions without the authority of the person making transmissions which it receives.

"Therefore people can import decoders if, for example, they can produce an agreement with or letter from the company making the transmissions which shows that the importer is authorised to use the decoder in the Falkland Islands."

He added, "It is unlawful to receive an encrypted broadcast and then re-broadcast it for receipt by other people without a licence from the government."

KTV have not been awarded a monopoly to re-broadcast TV programmes or a monopoly to provide satellite decoders, Mr Simpkins confirmed.

He added, "...the Attorney General will be happy to provide advice to anyone requiring further clarification."

Cathedral funeral services

THE funeral service for Falklands artist, Mike Peake, takes place in Christ Church Cathedral at 2.00pm this afternoon.

The funeral of the late Bob Stewart will be held on Monday, at 2.00pm at Christ Church Cathedral.

Southampton sails in

THE latest South Atlantic patrol ship, *HMS Southampton* is expected to arrive in the Falklands this month.

The Type 42 destroyer under Commander Rob Vitali spent time in war ravaged Sierra Leone before heading for the south Atlantic to replace *HMS Portland*.

After going through the Patagonian canals *HMS Portland*, which left the Falklands in August, is returning to England up the West coast of South America.

Waiting for junior

HIS EXCELLENCY the Governor has joined his wife Caroline in her native Holland to await the arrival of their first child.

All being well, the baby is due at the end of the month and Mr and Mrs Pearce are expected to remain overseas until the end of October.

In Mr Pearce's absence, the First Secretary, Miss Harriet Hall, has taken on the role of Acting Governor.

Who's the new guy at school?



Above: Infant and Junior School pupils Leo Benjamin and Max Jaffray welcome their new headteacher, Nick Barrett, to an art lesson. More about Mr Barrett on page 3.

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Comment by guest writer, Layla Crowie

Layla Crowie is a student at the Falkland Islands Community School. She has spent the past two weeks on work experience with Penguin News.

ON MY first day of work experience, I attended a meeting of the Police Committee where they discussed the issue of underage drinking.

While I listened to what the committee had to say, I was struck by the thought that progress could be made if only adults would talk to us adolescents. Some of the information given at the meeting was, in my view, incorrect and I think that by talking to us, you could definitely set a few facts straight. After all it's us you're trying to help.

We could help you understand more about the reasons why some choose to drink. It's all too easy to just blame peer pressure: most want to escape their problems at home and school and resort to drinking to stop being so unhappy.

We can set you straight on how young the youngest drinkers really are and what punishments might really work - such as not being allowed out of any adult's sight any day of the week. There's nothing more embarrassing than being picked up by parents, police officers or someone from Social Services after school and being escorted home.

It is easy to feel adults don't really have a clue about this and I'm not the only one who feels this way. If you just took the step of coming to us and talking the issues out, and listening to our views, I'm sure the majority of teenagers would co-operate.

Most of our views are the same: change the laws on underage drinking and smoking - maybe by lowering or relaxing the age limit - and make certain adults are more open-minded in their approach to us. Most of all, remember we are human too, with our own feelings and thoughts.

I really do feel progress could be made just by taking us seriously. We're constantly being told to act in a more mature way but this is difficult when we're not treated in a mature way.

Most of all, I would ask adults to stop harping on about this issue: it is not actually the huge problem that people make out. The *minority* is into underage drinking - not the majority. If we were all to start doing it, then you could consider it a huge problem.

The level of generalisation at the meeting was another thing that bothered me. Not all of us drink, but this is not the message that is being put across. It leads me to feel, why bother not drinking when we are all just going to be shoved in with the lot that does drink?

I don't believe all the points brought up in the paper at the Police meeting were incorrect - but some certainly were. For instance, neither my peers nor I have ever seen a 10 year old drunk! Twelve year olds, yes, but not 10 year olds. Nor have any of us seen a group of kids the size of 60 out together in town. Fifteen or twenty, maybe, but you will not find 60 kids that all like each other enough to hang out together.

Maybe over-exaggeration is half the problem.

Atmosphere

Landscapes of the Falkland Islands
by
DESIGN IN NATURE

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'Positive' entry into local meat market

ALL MEAT processed during the export season has been delivered to customers and the Falkland Islands Meat Company (FIMCo) has been paid, the Falkland Islands Development Board (FIDB) has heard.

At a meeting on Tuesday morning, Falkland Islands Development (FIDC) General Manager, Julian Morris told the board an earlier concern over a possible labelling problem on meat packaging has, to date, not materialised into a claim and General Manager of FIMCo, John Ferguson and Rodney Lee (a director) will be meeting customers at the Anuga trade show in Germany in October.

Sheep skins which were prepared at Sand Bay Abattoir missed a short-notice shipment on the *St Brendan* to Simunovic in Chile in August. Mr Morris said there is the possibility of a price reduction if the customer chooses to dispute the timing, which could result in a maximum loss of £43,000.

Councillor Stephen Luxton asked if there had been any investigation into getting better quality skins tanned and returned to the Falklands for retail. Mr Morris responded that risk finance had been approved for a container of skins to be sent for that purpose. He said he hoped to get a number of skins into Uruguay and have 400 returned to the Falklands for retail.

Meat market development

FIMCo's entry into the local beef market continues "positively" said Mr Morris, with volumes above forecast, "due to the mix of carcass con-

firmations." Financial Controller Bernadette Lang explained that sales are down due to some of the more valuable cuts not being available on poorer quality animals.

Mr Morris told the meeting further investment is needed to improve the quality of the meat on sale.

The total amount needed is £25,000, he said. This includes £10,000 for a delivery vehicle, £5,000 for multi decks for displaying meat in stores, £3,000 for labelling, and £7,000 for equipment and promotions. This would ensure that a constant temperature is maintained from the chiller to the customer, said Mr Morris.

He said the time to pay this money back, at a projected £1,000 per week in extra sales, would be 19 months. He added that the increased sales would cause only a marginal additional cost due to "increased efficiency."

The board approved the investment; member Stuart Wallace, who had declared an interest in this item because of his involvement in the retail sector, said he was "happy to support the project" because he thought it was "essential to support the rural community."

Councillor John Birmingham said he was "sure retailers will be happy" with the arrangement, however he downplayed this comment when Mr Wallace asked him to clarify why he had made such a statement, particularly after he had shown his support for the project.

• More news from FIDB on page 6.

FOGL's 2D survey grows by £7,000 km

FALKLAND Oil and Gas Limited (FOGL) has extended its 2D survey by a further 7,000 km.

This is in addition to an 8,000 km 2D survey which commenced in June.

The seismic survey vessel *GS/Admiral* has been commissioned by the company to undertake this programme.

FOGL says its objective is to define 20 drillable prospects from the leads identified when it completed a 9,450 km 2D seismic survey. The aim of the current 15,000 km programme is to "work up" the 50 key leads that have been previously identified and "identify drillable prospects".

The 15,000 km survey is split approximately 6,000 km over the 2002 licence area and 9,000 km over the 2004 licence area.

To date 4,560 km of this survey

has been recorded and the whole survey is expected to be completed late this year or early 2006; FOGL anticipates that the results of the survey will be processed in the first half of 2006.

Once the 15,000 km extension survey has been completed, FOGL intends to carry out a 3D seismic programme in the areas of highest prospectivity.

Commenting on the announcement, John Armstrong, Executive Chairman of FOGL, said, "We have undertaken a vast amount of seismic surveying since our initial public offering (IPO) and the results continue to be encouraging."

"This 2D seismic contract extension will further enable us to define the full potential of our assets and, together with the planned 3D survey, will enable us to identify our 20 drillable prospects."

Citation for Mount Pleasant-based winchman

AN AIRMAN based at Mount Pleasant has been honoured for his efforts to save a family swept into the North Sea in March.

Master Aircrew Nick Petch was the winchman of a Sea King helicopter involved in the dramatic rescue effort to save a Leeds mother and her two children, who were in Scarborough for a day trip.

According to the *Yorkshire Post*, Mr Petch's citation for the NCO's Air Force Cross says he performed feats of remarkable bravery during

the operation, as towering waves reached as high as the aircraft's rotor blades.

Lowered time and again into the raging sea, Master Aircrew Petch managed to pluck the woman and her son from the sea but, sadly, both died later in hospital.

The body of the woman's daughter has never been found.

Mr Petch is currently serving with the Search and Rescue crew based at Mount Pleasant.

Double identification for sheep

TO ASSIST farmers who find the present system of identifying sheep prior to movement, "onerous and not exact" the Department of Agriculture is looking at an identification system to replace the movement tags used at present.

The Senior Veterinary Officer Steve Pointing put a paper to the Agricultural Advisory Committee on Wednesday which recommended a system of double identification of sheep.

Mr Pointing said the double identification options could include a station and age mark as one form of identification, in addition to another approved unique identification system.

The current legislation for live-stock movement and identification was introduced in 2002 and complies with EU directives. Mr Pointing explained that although the Falkland Islands is not obliged to comply with EU legislation, "it is a condition of being able to export meat to the EU that we have a system of identification in place that allows the veterinary section of the Department of Agriculture to trace animals back to the farm of origin."

The EU has recently bought in

new legislation which comprehensively details the system of identification for sheep and goats that is expected to be introduced in all EU member states. Mr Pointing stressed that the new legislation does not apply to third countries such as the Falklands but added that it has been considered when making recommendations.

Director of Agriculture and Minerals Phyl Rendell, said the department was working to "get ahead of the EU" adding it would be preferable to have a system in place "before being told to have it in place."

Mr Pointing said identification would generally be applied on the farm of birth at lambmarking time and that initially the use of the identification would be voluntary, "but may become compulsory at a later date." He said the cost of the identification systems would be borne by the farmer.

Mike Summers, Chairman of the committee said the primary objective is that the EU requirements for dead sheep is met and suggested the issue be discussed in farmer groups. He added that ideally guidelines need to be in place, "before people are ordering tags for 2006."

Martin weds Tracy in Lincoln

THE wedding of Martin Howells and Tracy Young took place earlier in the year.

Martin is the son of Roger and Anne Howells of Stanley and Tracy is the daughter of Jimmy and Betty Lee of Lincoln. The couple were married at the Bailgate Methodist Church in Lincoln.

The groom's friend Adam Buckthorpe was best man and the bridesmaids were the bride's sister Carey, Martin's sister Melissa and Carly Hockney a family friend. They were also attended by two pageboys, Nathaniel McNarry, the groom's nephew, and Joshua Carey, the bride's nephew.

The bride looked stunning in a long gown of dark red satin and carried a spray of red and gold lilies and roses. The bridesmaids wore long gowns of gold satin and carried bouquets the same as the brides.

The groom and the other men in the wedding party looked very smart in long black jackets and trousers with red and gold waistcoats and gold cravats. The pageboys wore matching waistcoats and cravats with black trousers.

The service was followed by a reception at Our Lady's Church Hall, Lincoln where a friend of the



bride provided a magnificent buffet. A good time was had by all and the evening ended with a disco.

The bride and groom spent two nights at the Branston Hall Hotel in Lincoln. They spent their honeymoon in Crete a few weeks later.

Twenty years on, the ozone hole is larger

TODAY is the twentieth anniversary of the discovery of the ozone hole over Antarctica.

To mark International Day for the Preservation of the Ozone Layer this year, scientists at British Antarctic Survey (BAS) commemorate their discovery of the Antarctic ozone hole and commend the historic international agreement that they believe will lead to its eventual recovery.

Jonathan Shanklin, one of the researchers who made the discovery says, "The 2005 hole is larger and deeper than the holes that formed when the discovery was made but the situation would be much worse if the Montreal Protocol had not come into force."

"This agreement shows us that global action by governments to stop the release of ozone depleting chemicals really can help society to successfully mitigate a global environmental problem."

He said large losses of Antarctic ozone are still being experienced each spring because CFCs and other chemicals live for a long time in

our atmosphere. "However, the ban ensures that we will see an improvement in the future. We now need to take similar actions to control greenhouse gasses, otherwise we will bequeath future generations a significantly different climate from that of today."

Covering an area of around 22 million square kilometres this year's hole is a little smaller than the record-breaking event in August 2003.

Measurements made during August and September at BAS' Halley and Rothera Research Stations reveal a 50% reduction on normal ozone levels over the base of the Antarctic Peninsula and the Weddell Sea, and a 20% reduction over the tip of South America and the Falkland Islands.

The increased ultra violet light reaching the surface poses a medical hazard to people living under the "hole" and without suitable protection people face the prospect of rapid sunburn and potentially more serious skin damage.

Engineering works cause flight delays

ENGINEERING work has been blamed for a number of delays with the airbridge from the UK to the Falklands in recent weeks.

This week, the flight due to arrive in the Falklands on Wednesday was delayed by a day and will now depart this morning.

Captain Jim Philippson of Media Ops at Mount Pleasant said the problems have essentially been an engineering issue, "...as engines on the airframe needed servicing. As you can imagine this is not a small feat on an airframe the size of a Boeing 747."

Initially, another airframe was

required to fill the service Air Atlanta is contracted to provide, which resulted in a delay.

Following on from this there was a further small delay on a northbound flight as it was required to transfer essential medical equipment for the casualty evacuation service.

Captain Philippson assured, "The Defence Transport and Movement Agency (DTMA) always maintains close contact with the contractors to ensure the safety and serviceability of the service."

From Istanbul to the Falklands

MOVING from Istanbul, a city of over 13 million, to Stanley, a town of 2,500, is a big change for Nick Barrett, and his family.

Nick is the new head teacher of the Infant and Junior School in Stanley, but the difference is not as great as it might seem. He says they lived in an outer suburb of Istanbul, just 10 minutes from the Black Sea, a town similar to Stanley in many ways. It was about the same size and safe enough to allow his sons to roam in freedom with their friends, much like Stanley.

Their home in the UK is a 300 year old thatched cottage in the middle of a hamlet in North Bedfordshire, so they have experience of living in a small community. Originally hailing from Bristol, Nick has taught in the UK at Chipping Sodbury (birthplace of JK Rowling), Bath and London. Besides teaching, Nick has worked for the BBC, where he met his wife Lesley, and as a software consultant for Capita Education Services in Bedford.

Nick and Lesley have three sons; Christopher is just starting his

A Levels at Peter Symonds College in Winchester. James is in Year 9 at Community School and Andrew who is in Year 5 at the Infant and Junior School.

Living overseas is not a new experience for the Barretts. Nick and Lesley, moved to Cairo soon after they were married and Christopher, was born there. They have also lived in Colombia as well as Turkey.

One of Nick's great heroes is Isambard Kingdom Brunel. In 1970 he had an early link with the Falklands as he watched the *SS Great Britain* come home to Bristol after her final voyage from Stanley. Along with tens of thousands of others he saw the ship pass under another of Brunel's great masterpieces, the Clifton Suspension Bridge. On the 150th Anniversary of the Great Western Railway he attended Brunel's Banquet which began on the *SS Great Britain*.

Nick enjoys sport, amateur dramas and computers.

Whilst living in the Falklands he hopes to take up golf, enjoy the amazing wildlife and travel in South America.

Senior vet moves on to pastures new

SENIOR Veterinary Officer Steve Pointing is leaving the Department of Agriculture at the end of November. Director of Minerals and Agriculture Phyl Rendell told the Agriculture Advisory Committee on Wednesday.

He said Mr Pointing, who has been with the department for seven

years, has a very good opportunity to move to in the UK and she would be "very sorry to lose him," a sentiment echoed by the other committee members.

Chairman of the committee Mike Summers, added that Mr Pointing had done a "fine job" during his time in the Islands.

Correction

A front page story which appeared in last week's *Penguin News* incorrectly stated that Quark Fishing Ltd and Freiremar AS were each fined £45,000 for offences relating to the use of the vessel *Ibsa Quinto*. The figure should have read £40,000. Our apologies for this error.

Darts, dogs and damp ditches - the Port Howard two-nighter

By Rodney Lee

THE weekend began with people flying in by FIGAS, driving overland and even two brave - or crazy - people crossing Falkland Sound on jet skis.

The conditions could not have been described as calm, judging by the way they seemed to need an immediate and considerable amount of liquid medication.

The usual cups of tea and coffee then started to flow along with a lot of excited chatter from folk who hadn't seen one another for a while before the more serious political and other subjects got going.

It was then off to the Social Club in the evening and well through the night where it appears it must have got very dark because there were muddy shoes and even trousers sitting at the entrances to houses the next morning after their owners had mistakenly walked into swamps and ditches on the way home.

The next day the dog handlers started the day, showing what their dogs could do (and couldn't, in some cases) in the Dog Handler's Association annual competition. In the main, it was a very good competition with some excellent dog handling displays, highlighted by the winner penning the sheep in a very quick time of 6.28 minutes.

One noticeable exception was an old veteran - who has won just a few competitions before. He thought his dog could not see the sheep (rather than not understand the slightly slurred, unfamiliar sound



Above: Winning dog handler Paul Peck of Shallow Bay with Bet

of his master's voice which was immediately obvious to the audience) and put his glasses on the poor mutt.

Instead, however, he discovered the problem was his own rather blurred vision, which had worsened

to the extent it made him unsteady on his feet and so he had to take the spectacles back; between them, master and dog gave an entertaining performance, rather than a competition winning one.

The end result was victory for Paul Peck with *Bet*, second and third Les Morrison with *Duel* and *Sam* respectively and fourth was Sam Sinclair with *Tracy*.

In the evening the Harps darts tournament got underway and again a fair amount of skill was in evidence but possibly this time outweighed by some pretty rubbish play as well! (It has been suggested that Mike Summers, as a matter of urgency, should make an effort to get an appointment to get his eyes tested - having witnessed his darts playing and driving skills...)

There were over 60 entrants between the two competitions (ladies and men's) and without doubt the semi finals and finals were the best ever seen on the West with Carole Lee coming out on top in the ladies, Shirley Pole-Evans second and Teresa Clifton third.

Wayne Brewer was first in the men's competition having had an exceptionally entertaining final against Keith Alazia who was second with Leon Mash beating a very unstable but lucky Roy Murphy for third place!

As Carole and Wayne were the defending champions, we were wondering if this is the first time a man and women have won the same competition for two consecutive years in the Falklands?

As usual, thanks must go to people of Port Howard for a great weekend and also to Port Howard Farm for donating the darts prizes.

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Inaugural meeting for family history buffs

HAVE you ever considered putting together your family tree?

Then why not pop along to the inaugural meeting of the Falkland Islands Family History Society which takes place in the Community School library next week.

Ann Reid, a founding member of the society, says anyone who is interested in researching their family history is welcome to come along to the meeting. She said the society aims to, "...preserve Falklands heritage and family history."

She says family trees are an ideal way of preserving history: "Sadly, as a lot of the older people die out, their memories die out with them; we need to preserve our family histories."

Anne has always been keen on

genealogy; when she was as young as eight she would visit cemeteries near her North Wales home to copy family names from headstones.

She said the interest has "always stayed" with her and she has researched a number of Falklands families including the Betts, Paices, Biggs and Bonners.

She said anyone who wishes to join the Family History Society will receive a starter pack, upon payment of membership, "...to get them on their way to starting their family tree."

The inaugural meeting will begin at 7.30pm on Wednesday, September 21. Anyone requiring further information can contact Anne on 21568 or Elaine Jaffray on 27147.

News from court this week

Nine months on, 'small domestic argument' leads to £250 fine

A STANLEY woman has been fined for assaulting her ex-husband on New Year's Day.

Cherilyn King had previously pleaded not guilty to charges of assault occasioning bodily harm and of common assault, however she pleaded guilty to the latter, lesser charge on Wednesday morning.

Before proceedings began, Prosecutor Ros Cheek explained the decision not to proceed with the charge of assault occasioning bodily harm, an explanation, she said, which was vital for "transparency of justice."

Ms King works for the courts and therefore a Senior Magistrate was flown from the UK to hear the case. As a result, the case has taken nine months to come to trial.

However, Ms Cheek explained that Ms King had made a late change in plea to the charge of common assault and the prosecution had concluded that bringing the alternative charge to trial "would not serve the best public interest".

She said although the suffering of the complainant caused by the delay in proceedings had to be considered, the cost and impact on both parties of a trial would not be in proportion to what would be achieved by a conviction.

In presenting the prosecution's summary of facts, Ms Cheek explained the case had a "difficult marital background" and relations were "poor" between Ms King and the complainant, her ex-husband, Lee Mitchell.

The incident was reported by Mr Mitchell at 5.12 pm on New Year's Day. Mr Mitchell told police that

he had been assaulted by Ms King, who had grabbed him around the neck and hit him a number of times. He believed that Ms King had been drinking.

There were two separate confrontations between the couple. The first occurred, Ms Cheek said, when Ms King went to the former family home to collect their son.

The house was empty as Mr Mitchell was visiting a neighbour at the time but the door was open and she entered the house; Mr Mitchell arrived soon after and challenged his ex-wife. The prosecution alleged Ms King lost control and "lashed out" at Mr Mitchell, punching him in the face and ears and grabbing him by the neck.

Ms King then left with her son only to return a short while later, to collect some of the boy's belongings. While she was gone, Mr Mitchell reported the assault to police then returned to his neighbour's home.

During the second visit to the former family home, the prosecution alleged, Ms King, upon finding the door open again, decided to enter and collect some CDs. Mr Mitchell came home and found Ms King taking the CDs.

Ms Cheek said the two accounts of what happened next differ. Ms King stated that Mr Mitchell swore at her, and pushed her, causing her to fall over in the hallway. She stated that she then hit him around the side of the face, enabling her to get away.

Mr Mitchell's account was, when he asked Ms King what she was doing, she threw the CDs, causing dam-

age as they struck a cabinet, and then began punching him again in the facial area and around the ears, shouting abuse.

Medical examinations on Mr Mitchell showed bruising above the left ear drum, superficial abrasions to the left side of the chin, the right ear and the right side of the neck, and bruising to both lips and the neck. The abrasions, Ms Cheek reported, were all described as "...superficial, consistent with fingernail marks, and the bruising to the neck was described as consistent with pressure from a finger or thumb."

Further examination of the left ear by an ear, nose and throat specialist (ENT) due to a suspected perforation of the eardrum revealed a blood clot consistent with such perforation.

In court on Wednesday, Ms King was represented by UK counsel Stephen McNally. He said the couple had been through "twelve months of disharmony" leading up to the incident because "both parties cared so much for their son".

He reminded the court that the incident had taken place during the "festive period", a time when "emotions and sensitivities are magnified." He said his client accepts what she did was wrong: "she overreacted and is sorry for it."

Mr McNally disagreed with the prosecution's allegation that Ms King assaulted her ex-husband twice and said instead only one physical confrontation occurred. He said there was no independent evidence to support the allegation that any injury had been caused during the

first exchange between the two parties.

He cited a witness statement from someone who had been at Mr Mitchell's neighbour's house. The person stated that when Mr Mitchell returned to his neighbour's after the first incident, he made no reference to an assault.

With regard to the second confrontation, Mr McNally said his client admits to reacting physically and for this she has "expressed remorse and concern."

He described Mr Mitchell's injuries as "unpleasant" but "minor" and added that when Mr Mitchell was examined by the ENT specialist two weeks later, there was no evidence remaining of the injury to his ear.

Mr McNally described Ms King as a person of "good character" whose "good name has been tarnished by this incident." He said his client considered her actions to be, to a degree, in self-defence.

In sentencing, Senior Magistrate Roger Bird described the incident as, "in essence, a small domestic argument that went wrong." However he added that violence in any domestic argument is not acceptable: "whether man against woman or woman against man."

He described the level of violence involved as "minor" and took account of the strain and worry caused by the time taken for the case to be dealt with.

However, he added that Ms King need not have waited so long if she had pleaded guilty to the lesser charge earlier on. He fined her £250 and awarded prosecution costs of £250.

'High level of provocation' leads Magistrate to call 'victim' to court

THE 'victim' of threatening behaviour has herself been asked to attend court to be bound over.

Trina Berntsen will be asked to agree to be bound over to keep the peace.

Barry O'Dean pleaded guilty on Tuesday to a public order offence after he lost his temper with Ms Berntsen in the Globe Tavern in July.

The court heard Mr O'Dean had been in the Globe with a female friend and Ms Berntsen threw a drink over the pair. Mr O'Dean took his friend outside to a taxi then re-entered the

bar and approached Ms Berntsen. A witness said he looked "pretty angry" and was swearing.

Mr O'Dean's defence counsel, Richard Marlor, read out a witness statement from someone who had been in the Globe that evening and said Ms Berntsen had been pointing and swearing at Mr O'Dean and his friend before throwing the drink on them. Mr Marlor said his client apologised for losing his temper and asked that the matter be considered minor, due to the fact he was sworn at all night.

He said Ms Berntsen had recently taken to calling Mr O'Dean in the early hours of the morning and said, "it was her actions that led to this minor altercation."

The Senior Magistrate said she accepted Mr O'Dean had been provoked by Ms Berntsen however, she said he made a mistake in going back into the Globe. She said she did not condone his behaviour but could see "the high level of provocation."

She gave Mr O'Dean a conditional discharge and bound him over for a year to the sum of £250. He

will also pay £70 prosecution costs. Ms Berntsen is likely to appear in court on September 21.

Disqualification shortened
Also in court on Wednesday was BFBS presenter Hermina Graham, who asked for the early return of her driver's licence. Mrs Graham lost her licence for two years approximately twelve months ago after she pleaded guilty to drink driving. The Senior Magistrate did not agree to return the licence immediately, but said Mrs Graham could have it back in four months' time.

Battle of Britain commemoration at St Cuthbert's

MOUNT Pleasant will commemorate the Battle of Britain at St Cuthbert's Church on Sunday and the Falkland Islands community is welcome to participate.

It is a special day for all members of the Royal Air Force (RAF) both old and new.

In 1940 gaining air superiority by Reichmarshal Goering's Luftwaffe was an essential precursor to the Nazi invasion of Britain, known as Operation Sealion.

With 2651 aircraft at his disposal Hitler saw it as a matter of course. The onslaught, which came in three phases began on July 10, 1940. The first phase saw the channel ports and shipping take the brunt, then the RAF airfields but on September 7, the focus

switched to London.

September 15 was the decisive day, which saw the turning point and survival of Britain. London was assaulted by 500 aircraft in two destructive daylight raids but the Luftwaffe's losses were too great. Hitler's mighty Luftwaffe, commanded by Reichmarshal Goering, began to wane and never truly recovered.

Attacks continued but Operation Sealion was aborted, the RAF had won.

Padre Andrew Wakeham-Dawson invites any members of the Falkland Islands to attend the service to commence at 10.30am in St Cuthbert's Church, Mount Pleasant. The Reverend Ken Newton is also attending and reading the Prayers.

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News from the Falkland Islands Development Board

Report on the East to West Falklands ferry link

A REPORT into coastal shipping in the Falklands, which Julian Morris described as "the best value I have seen in some time," has been prepared by Polarkonsult of Harstad, Norway.

The report has been circulated locally to those involved in Falkland Islands coastal shipping for their comments and will now go out for consultation.

The brief for the report, which cost £4,500, was to look at the basic configurations of a cargo vessel/ferry to provide local shipping services around the Falkland Islands and the types of infrastructure required, together with indicative costs.

It was hoped Polarkonsult's answers would give a guide on the size and type of vessel, an indication of possible capital and operating costs, availability of suitable vessels, whether cargo should be containerised or not and the possibility of converting *Tamar FI* to cope with larger vehicles.

In a presentation to the Board on Tuesday, Tim Cotter outlined some strategy and policy issues. He said the ship must be in the region of 40 - 50 metres long to cope with Falklands weather and maintain a regular service, adding that smaller vessels were discounted because of "operational limitations in bad weather."

Mr Cotter said that to gain any useful advantage over the current operation, a replacement vessel has to offer roll-on/roll-off (ro-ro). The report studied in detail the capability for trucks and heavier plant to be

carried. He said a weekly East - West link is only possible by either dropping the present individual farm delivery service to the West or not servicing the international trade to South America.

Mr Cotter said it is considered any ferry operation should be between New Haven and Port Howard with "optimum use being made of the road network to reduce shipping costs."

Options for converting *Tamar FI* and the availability of other vessels were considered by Polarkonsult and Mr Cotter reported that the reality is that there is no "off-the-shelf ship" that could serve as a ferry and have a seatruck handling capability to serve the Islands.

In conclusion, Mr Cotter said the report is not an "absolute solution," but should help to focus on a practical improved transport option that may cost less than the present coastal shipping arrangement.

He said to get the full benefit the vessel requires "a different configuration" which could potentially be achieved by converting the *Tamar*, buying second hand, modifying or commissioning a new build.

Because of the costs involved in setting up a regular ferry link with West Falkland one board member suggested that all options should be looked at including that of not having a ferry. Mr Morris responded by saying that the option of "sticking with what we have got" would leave the West "disadvantaged."

Bag trial to add value to wool products

A FALKLAND Islands Development Corporation (FIDC) initiative has resulted in bags to be used for packaging wool products being ordered for a trial this tourist season in the hope of adding value to produce.

Chairman of the Falkland Islands Development Board (FIDB), Mike Summers questioned the decision to go ahead and order the 5,000 bags at a cost of £3,000 when at the previous meeting the board had not agreed the proposed funding of £10,000 for the project.

FIDC General Manager, Julian Morris said that given his delegated authority and having sourced the bags in Chile for a much reduced sum he had taken the view that it was time to "press the button" and get the bags here for trial this season.

Mr Summers asked what exactly was being trialed saying that the process of adding value to a product would "surely be for the producer to add an extra 60p (the cost of one bag) to the product."

The 5,000 bags will be available for use with wool products, said Finance and Enterprise Manager Fiona Didlick, adding that the idea has been accepted that users may have to pay some of the production costs. She said the impact on pricing and the view of Falkland wool would be looked at with the possibility of a questionnaire being carried out among tourists.

Board member Stuart Wallace said the funding was a generous help to this sector of the community but added that it has to be "purely commercial from here."

Caution exercised in East / West shipping trial

DURING two recent trips to West Falkland General Manager Julian Morris said he had met "cautious support" for an East/West shipping link to be trialed this season.

Mr Morris met 20 farmers and business owners and their individual situations were discussed. He said, "A key issue of concern was wool shipments for the coming season. The idea of a trial East-West link during the coming summer season was canvassed, for which there was widespread support."

Follow-up meetings have been held with the Rural Business Association (RBA) who, he said, "whilst understandably wary, were broadly

cautiously supportive." Island Shipping Ltd (ISL) who were also reported to be "cautious" and "wary of disrupting their established service," are now appraising a schedule to see how this might work before discussing it with customers on the West and Islands.

Mr Morris said that a regular weekly service trial would mean that other visits would have to be traded and that the infrastructure and logistics would need to be looked into.

Board Member and RBA representative Ron Binnie, suggested that the RBA and FIDB put together the first proposal and work together on it.

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 Burton's Toffeepops £1.35
 Ryvita Mini Cheese & Chives/Tangy Salsa 70p
 Kraft Grapenuts 450g £2.85
 Snack-a-Jack Prawn C./S.cream & Chives 70p
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 B/Drage S/Fry Rice Noodles £1.30
 Hovis Premium White Bread Mix 495g £1.37
 B/Drage S/Fry Vegetables 410g
 Lyons Lemon Pie Filling Mix 142g 95p
 Olde Oak Round Ham £2.55
 Carb/Opt Creamy Mushroom Casserole £2.39
 Snicker Choc.Spread 350g £1.75
 Sharwoods Puppodums Pln 8pk £1.05
 Milkyway Choc.Spread £1.75
 Lyles Sqzy Syrup Choc./Strawb./Toffee 340g
 Tilda Arborio Risotto Rice 500g £1.75
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 Opies Cocktail Cherries 225g £2.05
 Opies Cocktail Gherkins 227g £1.55
 Heinz B/Beans with Cumberland Sausages 400g £1.60
 Heinz Beans & Chicken Nuggets 200g £1.11

Alternative to pub culture?

MY visit to the Craft Fair held in the Community School over the weekend brought to mind the need for a refreshment area as a necessity, rather than a nicety, that the idea has attracted in the past.

It was pleasing to see the Community School being used as the venue for a community event, and therefore living up to the ideals behind the original concept for the building and its name Falkland Islands Community School.

Perhaps it is worth reminding ourselves that the 14 million pounds, or three years capital expenditure, was voted in the early 1990s when society demanded a radical upgrade in facilities available to all people living within the Islands.

The school was to provide secondary education to students in full time education, the leisure centre to provide sports and recreation and the whole, including the public library, to provide a venue for community education through adult learning, evening classes, and out of school hours facilities for all ages, including community events, lectures, training courses and distance learning.

The area in front of the swimming pool windows and now taken up by gardens and a long footpath could be enclosed. A consortium of business partners from the private sector could be asked to tender for the construction and instal-

lation of equipment. The facility could be run by a local entrepreneur with experience in the food trade, to provide a menu for healthy eating to all users of the school and leisure centre. As to cost, if FIG are not willing to fund to total cost, then other avenues would be explored through corporate sponsorship, or even public fund raising. After all the original swimming pool fund was by public donation, and the Liberation Monument was similarly funded.

It is interesting to note that Stanley does not have a centre. The Community School refreshment area would serve this function by providing a place where people can relax with friends after exercise, find information about current events, meet and socialise away from alcohol, provide an informal venue for small gatherings and be another step towards offering alternatives to the pub culture.

This facility, like all parts of the Community School, needs to be managed by the Community School managers. With revenue either through rental or profit sharing arrangements going towards the costs of providing modern equipment, experienced tuition and staffing, we could offer lower fees for participation in sports, leisure and adult learning.

Phil Middleton
Stanley

Islands retain special qualities

I JUST want to concur with the guy that spoke to Jenny when she was over here recently (editorial September 2). He is not alone in voicing the opinion that the British have become very selfish and self-centred in recent years.

People here seem to have become very much more insular and less caring of others. The trend appears to have begun in earnest once we had the National Lottery, although the 80s attitude of getting everything you could in as short a time as possible could also be blamed.

Now, if you don't have the latest mobile phone and don't get wrecked every Friday, you are deemed a social pariah!

Both of us would like nothing more than to emigrate to the Falkland Islands. The people are friendlier, attitudes are more caring, crime is more easily controlled, the countryside less polluted - life is generally better, you lucky things!

My partner Carol and I have

both visited the islands separately three times since 1982 and we have loved them from the outset. The changes you have seen in those years have not always been for the good, but you have always managed to retain the qualities that make the islands special.

On a purely personal note I would like to add something to the "Rose Bar" story. I always used to drink there, mainly because less military personnel went there.

In 1999, Carol and I went up there for a drink (we were only friends then) and a very nice lady said that she remembered us from the last time we were there, which was a bit of a surprise to us as the last time we had visited was in 1991.

More amazing still was the fact that she thought we made a nice couple! She was right, we do make a nice couple, perhaps Mally is also able to see into the future!
Phil Ovenden
UK

Blistered, scabby ears at lambing time?

LAMBING Ears: calling all Falkland Island sheep farmers: Do you suffer from blistered, scabby ears at lambing time?

This is a phenomenon that has been observed in shepherds throughout the UK.

I am an ENT (ears, nose and throat) surgeon researching the condition and would be very in-

terested to hear from any shepherds who are afflicted.

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Beckham and Argentina irritate Neil

JUST when you thought it was safe to go out drinking again, here is the ex local drunk writing to you, to talk about drinking again.

I want to talk about Step Four, which says, "make a fearless and thorough moral inventory of yourself." I found this step to be particularly useful, and approached it with the three column method.

In the first, who am I resentful at, the second, the reason and the third my part in it (the most difficult one).

Within this column I listed the following sins: pride, self pity, selfishness, self centredness, lust, gluttony, fear, dishonesty, intolerance, impatience, envy and jealousy.

I had to go through my whole life starting from zero through to the present day. I don't want to go through my resentments in detail, as I think it is bad practise to do this, but I will go through a few of the more harmless ones that caused me irritation.

David Beckham for getting sent off against Argentina, that's the first two columns. I will explain what it disturbs in me, certainly envy and jealousy, he has lots of money I don't, he is married to

Victoria Beckham I'm not. This is where dishonesty comes in; I masquerade as caring about football when the real issue is about Beckham and Argentina. Lust comes into it as I quite like his wife. Pride in being patriotic and fear of Argentina. Can you see it has stirred up a whole heap of negative emotions, which over time I have internalised.

This is just one example, it's called clearing house. Next I listed my fears, which I felt abject terror.

Lastly in my sexual conduct, or lack of it my case. It took me six months to go through this process with my sponsor, I was fearless and thorough. I also believe that it takes courage to look at yourself, however it is really worth it.

I am coming up to two years without a drink, so it does work. Gone are the days when I wandered from bar to bar annoying everyone and anyone, waking up with stale curry on my shirt, wondering where I had been the night before.

I have recently started a new job and really enjoy it, life is good.
Neil Hewitt

French Quarter survived hurricane Katrina

REFERENCE 'Eerie New Orleans prediction,' (last week's *PN* letters page).

While Hurricane Katrina did produce appalling death, destruction and flooding along the US Gulf Coast, some areas muddled through better than others.

Contrary to the worst fears of Mr and Mrs Clement, the French Quarter is thankfully still mostly

intact and being situated on New Orleans' highest ground spared it from the levee breaks.

As the area cleans up and gets back on its feet, I'm sure they'll be as eager as ever to host the traveller on holiday.

Mark W Palmer
Wisconsin,
USA

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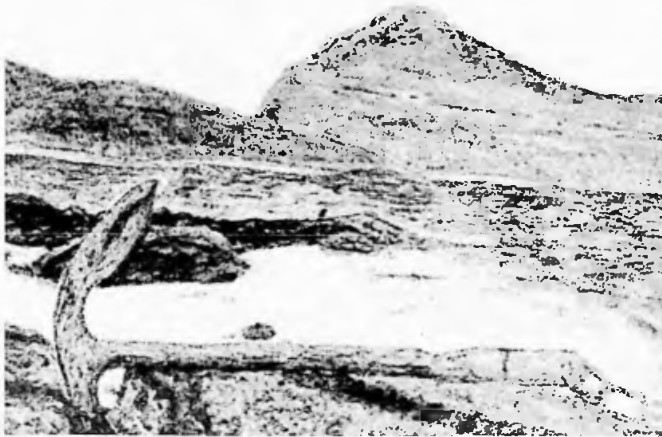


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PEPPERED HAM
YORK HAM
LIVER PASTE (SLICING)
BOLOGNA
BLACK PUDDING



Ten years of FICS Christmas cards



Art work by Helen Davies (above) and Jane Goss (bottom) have been chosen for inclusion on two of this year's Christmas cards; Katrina Lowe's image of the Cathedral and Whalebone Arch was sold in 2001.

By Layla Crowie

THIS year marks ten years of Christmas card design and production by Community School students.

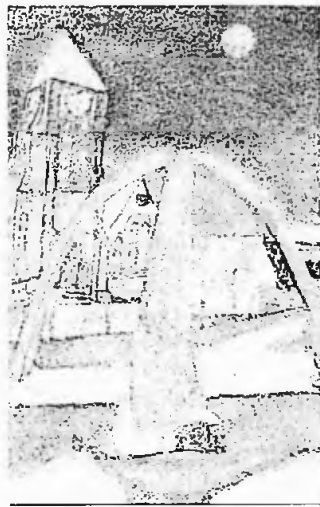
It all began with an idea by Art teacher Tim Simpson. Her Year 7 class was painting Falkland landscapes and Mrs Simpson thought the images could be well used on Christmas cards for sending to friends and family abroad.

Once the idea was given the go-ahead, Mrs Simpson and her students became very enthusiastic and couldn't wait to get started.

That first year was known as 'The Party Hat Year' as most of the entries contained at least one animal wearing a comical Christmas hat.

And so the now-traditional cards began.

Members of staff at the Community School judge the four best images for the year's cards and all of the money raised from their sale goes to the Stephen Jaffray Memorial Fund. This usually amounts to around £250 a year.



This year's cards feature the artistic talent of Johnny D'Avino, Mhairi Eccles, Helen Davies and Jane Goss.

They are available to buy from the FIC Entertainment Centre, the Gift Shop on Villiers Street and the Pod Gift Shop.



Forty candidates for aquaculture role

APPROXIMATELY 40 candidates have applied for the position of aquaculture specialist for the Falklands Islands Development Corporation (FIDC).

In his update to the FIDC board, General Manager Julian Morris said some of the candidates, who are based across the globe, have "defi-

nite promise," and some initial telephone interviews have taken place.

Mr Morris said it is planned to have a short list by the end of September with interviews being carried out in October, adding, "...industry participation in the interview process will be sought."

Aid heads to hurricane-hit US states



Above (l-r) : Mr Keith Biles from the Chamber of Commerce with Prison Officer Kevin Ormond and Leading Constable Gary Webb and one of the aid boxes destined for the USA.

AID has been sent from the Falklands to victims of Hurricane Katrina.

On Monday, September 5, Sgt Dave Roberts of the Royal Falkland Islands Police received a request for aid from the American base of the Drug and Alcohol Resistance Education (DARE) programme on behalf of serving emergency services officers who had lost everything in Hurricane Katrina. Sgt Roberts runs the DARE programme in the Falklands.

The officers needed old uniforms, clothing and items for their families so the police, Fire and Rescue Service and Bargains Galore, the charity shop in Stanley, began a quick collection. Together, they managed to gather 200 kilograms of aid.

Thanks to the Chamber of Commerce and DHL, the nine boxes are being shipped to the US free of charge. On Monday, Sgt Roberts sent out, "A big thanks to all those that have helped."

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Entries down but talent high at the 2005 Craft Fair



ALTHOUGH entries were down on last year, the twentieth Annual Craft Fair, held in the Community School at the weekend, featured its usual high level of talent.

A selection of work ranging from felting and knitting to horn-work and gear making was on show at the Fair, which opened to the public on Saturday and Sunday afternoons.

Before beginning a presentation to prizewinners on Sunday afternoon, Craft Fair Committee Chairperson Barbara Curtis thanked everyone who helped to make this year's show a success.

She said although the number of entries was slightly less than last year the judges had a difficult job as usual and the committee was grateful to them for agreeing to undertake this unenviable task.

She also thanked the businesses and individuals who provide sponsorship money for the section prizes.

This year's event marked the twentieth anniversary of the Craft Fair and a special display of exhibits from previous shows - and earlier pieces of craft work, some more than 80 years old - formed a focal point for visitors.

Mrs Curtis said she was grateful to those who had donated work for this display and added,

"For those donators, please bear in mind that in five years' time it will be the 25th anniversary and there might be a call for the old items again."

"And, it would be great to have an even bigger show at that time."

Acting Governor, Miss Harriet Hall, handed out prizes on Sunday afternoon. In a short speech, she paid tribute to the late Marj McPhee who had, for many years, been a key member of the Craft Fair Committee and a keen craftswoman.

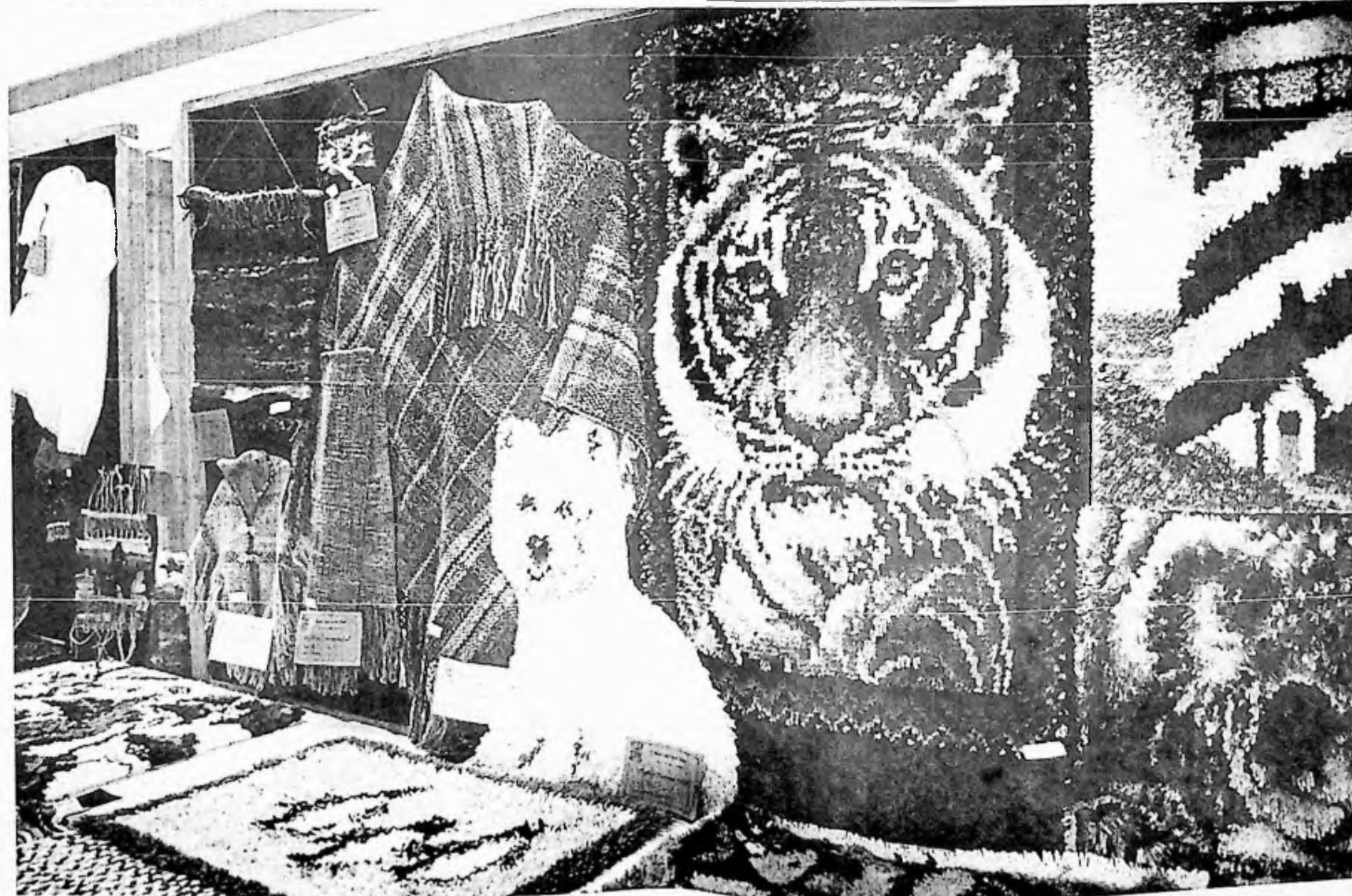
Miss Hall said she felt Marj was looking down upon the Craft Fair and could be confident that the committee, and the future of craft work in the Falklands, is in good hands. "I think she would be very pleased by what we have seen today. The spirit of craft and making things is carrying on in the Falklands and I think it always will..."

On behalf of the committee, Natalie Smith, Secretary, said she was grateful to everyone who entered exhibits, "without which there would not be a show" and "everyone else who showed their support by coming to visit and buying raffle tickets."

She added, "With your continued support we hope the Craft Fair will continue for many more years to come."

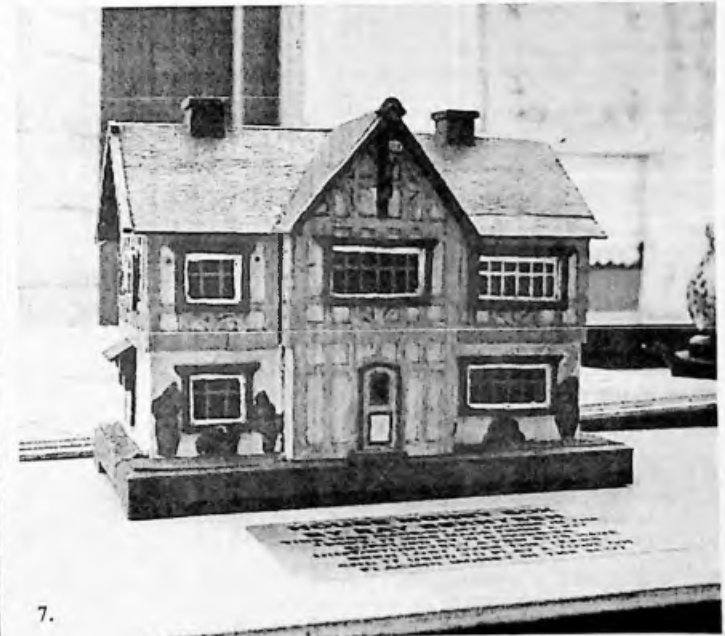


1. Fiona Didlick, winner of the felting section, with her prize winning piece; 2. Gary Clement with his winning artwork, based on a photograph taken by the Commander of British Forces which featured on the front page of *Penguin News* earlier this year. 3. Anne Howells with her stunning cross stitch of Elvis; 4. Designer Christine Mitchell with her felted bodice creation; 5. Some of the eye-catching pieces on display at the weekend; 6. Rebecca Harris with her model of Cinderella and FIC-sponsored cup for children's runner up. Winner of the children's section was Max Rowlands. 7. 'House money box' made by the late Ray Berntsen in the 1960s, one of the pieces featured in the special '20th Anniversary' display.



2005 Falkland Craft Fair Prize Winners

- Section A - Homespun Wool - Margo Smallwood.
 - Section B - Felting - Fiona Didlick
 - Section C - Knitting - Nicola Crowie
 - Section D - Weaving, Rug making and Basketwork - Barbara Curtis
 - Section E - Sewing and Crotchet - Ruth Taylor
 - Section F - Embroidery, Tapestry and Cross Stitch - Alison Roose
 - Section G - Soft toy making - Vi Morrison
 - Section H - Horn work, Gear making, Leatherwork and Skins - Julie Fisher-Smith
 - Section I - Woodwork & Metalwork - Alan Purvis
 - Section J - Pottery, Jewellery & Sculpture - Rebecca Harris
 - Section K - Model making - Steve Clarke
 - Section L - Art - Gary Clement
 - Section M - Photography - Richie Anderson
 - Section N - Any other handcraft item - (joint winners) Leeann Harris & Sandra Picone
- FIDC prize for item with most potential for commercial development (judged by Julian Morris) - Suzan Pole-Evans (Saunders Island) for pebble bracelet
- George Porter Challenge cup for most points in Sections H & I - Peter Wakefield (Darwin)
- Standard Chartered Bank Rose Bowl and miniature for most points in Sections A, B, C & D - Barbra Curtis
- Falkland Islands Company Ltd Challenge cup and medallion for children's runner up - Rebecca Harris
- Falkland Islands Company Ltd Challenge Cup and Medallion for child with most points overall - Max Rowlands
- Falkland Islands Development Corporation Challenge cup and miniature for adult runner up - Nicola Crowie
- Cable & Wireless Challenge cup and miniature for adult with most points overall - Vi Morrison



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Moonset	0658		Sunset	1847		
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Swimming Pool		Sports Hall / Squash Courts	
SATURDAY 17th SEPTEMBER 2005			
Canoeing	10.00-11.00		Public
Public	11.00-14.00		Public
Aquarun	14.00-15.00		Public
Public	15.00-16.00		Public
Adults	16.00-18.00		Public
CLUBS ON TODAY			
TABLE TENNIS CLUB 10.00 AM - 11.00 AM Between 12.00-13.00 Junior Activities			
SUNDAY 18th SEPTEMBER 2005			
Public	11.00-12.00		Junior Activities
Private Hire	12.00-13.00		Public
Public	13.00-16.00		Public
Adults	17.00-19.00		Public
CLUBS ON TODAY			
TABLE TENNIS CLUB (FITTA) 3.00 - 5.00 PM SHORT TENNIS CLUB 3.00 - 5.00 PM FOOTBALL CLUB 6.00 - 7.00 PM			
MONDAY 19th SEPTEMBER 2005			
School	09.00-10.00		School
OAP - Physio, Adults, Parents & Toddlers	10.00-12.00		School
Lanes (Adults) (2 Lanes Swim Club)	12.00-13.00		Public
Closed	13.00-14.00		School
OAP - Physio, Adults, Parents & Toddlers	14.00-16.00		School
S.L.C. Swim School	16.00-17.00		Public
Public - (2 Lanes Adults Swims)	17.15-19.00		Public
Adults	19.00-21.00		Public
CLUBS ON TODAY			
S.L.C. SWIM SCHOOL 4.00 PM - 5.00 PM NETBALL CLUB 7.00 - 8.00 PM BADMINTON CLUB 7.00 - 8.00 PM			
TUESDAY 20th SEPTEMBER 2005			
School	09.00-10.00		School
OAP - Physio, Adults, Parents & Toddlers	10.00-12.00		School
Lanes (Adults)	12.00-13.00		Public
OAP - Physio, Adults, Parents & Toddlers	13.00-15.00		School
OAP - Physio, Adults, Parents & Toddlers	15.00-16.00		Public
Stanley Swimming Club	16.00-17.00		Public
Public - (1 Lane Swimming Club)	17.00-18.00		Public
Public	18.00-19.00		Public
Ladies Hour	19.00-20.00		Public
Private Hire	20.00-21.00		Public
CLUBS ON TODAY			
STANLEY SWIMMING CLUB 4-5 PM NETBALL CLUB 6-7 PM LADIES 5-A-SIDE 7-8 PM FOOTBALL CLUB 8-9 PM			
WEDNESDAY 21st SEPTEMBER 2005			
School	09.00-10.00		Public
OAP - Physio, Adults, Parents & Toddlers	10.00-11.00		Public
OAP - Physio, Adults, Parents & Toddlers	11.00-12.00		Public
Lanes (Adults) (2 Lanes Swim Club)	12.00-13.00		Public
Closed	13.00-14.00		Public
OAP - Physio, Adults, Parents & Toddlers	14.00-16.00		School
S.L.C. Swim School	16.00-17.00		Public
Public	17.00-19.00		Public
Private Hire	19.00-20.00		Public
Adults	20.00-21.00		Public
CLUBS ON TODAY			
S.L.C. SWIM SCHOOL 4.00 PM - 4.45 PM VOLLEYBALL CLUB 7.00 PM - 8.00 PM CRICKET CLUB 8.00 PM - 9.00 PM			
THURSDAY 22nd SEPTEMBER 2005			
Closed for Cleaning	09.00-12.00		School
Closed for Cleaning	12.00-13.00		Public
Closed for Cleaning	13.00-16.00		School
S.L.C. Swim School	16.00-17.00		Public
Public - (2 Lanes Adults Swims)	17.00-19.00		Public
Adults	19.00-21.00		Public
CLUBS ON TODAY			
S.L.C. SWIM SCHOOL 4.00 PM - 4.45 PM HOCKEY CLUB 8.00 - 7.00 PM SQUASH CLUB 8.00 - 8.00 PM BADMINTON CLUB 7.00 - 8.00 PM			
FRIDAY 23rd SEPTEMBER 2005			
School	09.00-10.00		School
OAP - Physio, Adults, Parents & Toddlers	10.00-12.00		School
Lanes (Adults) (2 Lanes Swim Club)	12.00-13.00		Public
OAP - Physio, Adults, Parents & Toddlers	13.00-15.00		School
OAP - Physio, Adults, Parents & Toddlers	15.00-16.00		Public
Stanley Swimming Club	16.00-17.00		Public
Public - (1 Lane Swimming Club)	17.00-18.00		Public
Public	18.00-19.00		Public
Adults	19.00-20.00		Public
CLUBS ON TODAY			
STANLEY SWIMMING CLUB 4.00 PM - 5.00 PM JUNIOR CRICKET CLUB 6.00 PM - 8.00 PM			

CLUBS AND CONTACTS

CHURCH SERVICES

CATHEDRAL SUNDAY:
8am Holy Communion (BCP) 10am Morning Service & Junior Church 7pm Evening Service
Tel. 21100/Fax 21842, The Deanery, 17 Ross Road, Stanley

TABERNACLE - Barrack Street (free church)
Sunday Services 10.00am and 7.00pm. Family Service second Sunday morning of the month.
Communion first Sunday morning and third Sunday evening of the month.
Midweek Bible Study Tuesday 7.30pm at 2 Drury Street

St. MARY'S SUNDAY 10am (MPA 6.30pm), Week days: 9am

St. CUTHBERT'S (MPA) SUN 10.30am All-age Worship Every 2nd Sun Communion 6.30pm Holy Mass Mon. 07.00am Mass

Other activities will be posted as and when they are arranged

BAHA'I FAITH

For information on meetings please ring Margo Smallwood on 21031 or check our website: www.horizon.co.fk/bahai_falklands

HOSPITAL PHARMACY
Monday to Friday mornings 10.00am - 12.15pm; Mon, Tue, Thu and Fri afternoons 14.30 - 17.00; Weds afternoons 13.30 - 15.30

MUSEUM
Monday - Friday 09.30 - 12.00 & 13.30 to 16.00; Saturday & Sunday 14.00 - 16.00. Tel: 27428

TREASURY
Monday - Friday Tel. 27143 8am - 12 noon

LIBRARY
Monday - Friday 08.45 - 12.00 and 13.30 - 17.45; Saturday 10am - 12 noon; 14.00 - 17.00pm Tel: 27147

VETERINARY DEPARTMENT
Consultation hours. Phone 27366
Mon Wed Fri 8.30am - 9.30am; 1.00pm - 2.00pm; 4.00pm - 4.30pm, Tues Thurs 1.00pm - 2.00pm.

Consultations by appointment only.

BADMINTON CLUB Mondays 7-9 Thursdays 7-9pm Trudi Clarke, Tel: 21131
SQUASH CLUB Thursdays 5-9pm Contact Roger Spink Tel. 21128
NETBALL CLUB Tuesdays 6-7pm. All are welcome Contact Daphne Arthur Almond Tel: 22038

THE FIGUN CLUB New members welcome Contact: Graham Didlick on 22282 or Steve Dent on 22021
F.I. RIFLE ASSOCIATION Contact Secretary G Goodwin 21246
CRICKET ASSOCIATION New junior and senior players welcome, contact Roger Diggle 21716

STANLEY GOLF CLUB Competitions on Sunday at 8.45 am. Contact Graeme Hay on 22555 www.horizon.co.fk/golf

ASTHMA SUPPORT GROUP - Meets second Tuesday of every third month in Day Centre at 5pm Contact G. France on 21624
FALKLAND ISLANDS RED CROSS New members welcome Contact Keith Biles, Tel. 21897 (Chairman); Elizabeth Marrow 21921 (Secretary); Jean Diggle 21716 (Treasurer)

GUILD OF SPINNERS, WEAVERS & HANDICRAFTS Meetings on Monday evening at 7.30pm and Thursdays 1.30 - 3.30pm Contact M Smallwood 21031
CANCER SUPPORT & AWARENESS TRUST - Contact Theresa Lang (Chairman) 21235 Alison Ward (Secretary) 21851, Derek Howatt (Trustee) 21385, Shiralee Collins 21579

FIODA Chairman - Geoff Pring, tel. 21786 Secretary - Richard Fogarty, tel. 21343 Treasurer - Alison Inglis, tel. 22817

DIABETES SUPPORT GROUP Holds meetings quarterly - for further details contact Chairman Sharon Middleton on 21393
STANLEY SWIMMING CLUB Coaching Tuesdays 4-5pm, Fridays 4-5pm
STANLEY SUB-AQUA CLUB - Contact David McLeod Phone: 20836 (day), 20843 (home)

THE ROYAL BRITISH LEGION - FALKLAND ISLANDS BRANCH Meets on the first Monday of every month at the Hillside Mess at 7.45pm. Contacts Chairman Michael Stevens (21936) / Secretary Bruce Wilks (22438), Treasurer Richard Morrison (22316)

STANLEY SHORT MAT BOWLS CLUB Friday 6.00 - 8.00pm Contact Greta Skene 21488

JELLY TOTS CLUB meets Tuesday 1.30 - 3.30pm and Thursday 10-11.30am in the Parish Hall all parents and carers with children aged 0 - 5 years are welcome For more information contact: Zoe Crockford - 22694 Chairperson, Michelle King - 21784 Treasurer, Wendy Luxton - 21882, Secretary, Sue Wilks - 22438, Alison Roose - 22955

THE SHACK YOUTH CLUB - Open every Thursday night. School years 3/4 5 15pm to 6.45pm School years 5/6 7.00pm to 8.30pm. Friday night School years 7/8/9 30 to 9.00 Any queries or information contact Stevie or Katie Burston phone/fax 21677

SHORT TENNIS CLUB - Sunday 3 - 5pm Contact Gordon Lennie Tel. 21667 or Steve Pointing on 21616 for further details
RUNNING CLUB - Wednesdays 5pm - Meet at Stanley Leisure Centre. Contact Carol Peck 21724

KARATE CLUB Wed 6-7pm and Sat 11-12am. Contact Martin Fisher on 22048
AA BASED ALCOHOL AWARENESS GROUP Thursdays 7.30pm - 8.30pm KEMH Day Centre. All Welcome

HAND CHIME GROUP - Wednesday evenings at the Parish Hall 7 - 8.30pm
TABLE TENNIS CLUB - Sunday 3 - 5pm. Contact Michael Stevens on 21936 for more details

RUGBY CLUB Tuesday evenings 7 - 8pm FIDF Drill Hall

Emergency Radio Frequencies

The Public are advised that in the event of an emergency where no other form of communication are available, that the Royal Falkland Islands Police maintain a 24 hour listening watch on the following frequencies.

VHF 2 metre Band
147.725 (Duplex - 0.6) Pebble Island repeater (out of action at the moment, currently being relocated and combined with Port Howard repeater)
146.625 Stanley, Alice
147.825 (Duplex - 0.6) Mount Alice repeater

Marine Band
156.800 - Channel 16 (Stanley area)
2.182 MHz HF

In the event that communications fail on all the above frequencies then the RFIIP may be contacted direct on 153.650 (duplex + 1.6). It is unlikely that this frequency will be functional from West Falkland

It must be stressed that calling the Royal Falkland Islands Police on any of these frequencies must only be done in the event of an emergency

Saturday 17th September
 8.30 ROOM 785
 8.40 TAZ-MANIA
 9.00 KERCHING!
 9.30 BLUE PETER
 10.00 DICK AND DOM IN DA BUNGALOW
 12.00 TOTP RELOADED
 12.45 SPORTSROUND
 1.00NEWS
 1.10 FOOTBALL FOCUS
 2.00 GRANDSTAND
 6.15 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 6.25 THE O.C.
 7.10 CASUALTY
 8.10 THE X FACTOR
 9.10 MOVIE PRESENTATION: THE FAST AND THE FURIOUS (2001) Starring Paul Walker, Vin Diesel, Michelle Rodriguez, Jordana Brewster, Rick Yune and Chad Lindberg. 2001
 10.45 ⁴ MUSIC PRESENTS.....Stereophonics: Edith Bowman meets Stereophonics, with exclusive performances from their new album, along with some old favourites.
 11.10 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 11.30 MATCH OF THE DAY Highlights and reaction to all of the latest football action..
 12.40[am] NEWS 24

Seventies Sunday 18th September
 8.30 ROOM 785
 8.40 MAGIC ROUNDABOUT
 8.50 IVOR THE ENGINE
 8.55 BAGPUSS
 9.15 BANANA MAN
 9.20 SPIDER-MAN
 9.40 SPIDERMAN
 10.00 DANGERMUSE
 10.25 HOLLYOAKS OMNIBUS
 12.25 TOP OF THE POPS All the hip and happening sounds from September
 1.00 BARCLAYS PREMIERSHIP Liverpool v Manchester United at Anfield. The Red Devils beat Liverpool home and away last season, but the Merseysiders won the Champions League and should be confident.
 3.00 MOVIE PRESENTATION: HERBIE GOES TO MONTE CARLO (1977, U) Starring Dean Jones, Don Knotts, Julie Sommars, Jacques Marin, Roy Kinnear and Bernard Fox.
 4.45 THE GOOD LIFE
 5.20 FAWLTY TOWERS
 5.50 M*A*S*H
 6.20 LOOK AROUND YOU (New) Comedy series parodying the educational programmes of the late 1970s and early 1980s
 7.00 STARKY AND HUTCH Classic 70's drama
 8.00 THE PROFESSIONALS
 8.45 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 9.10 THE SWEENEY
 10.10 MOVIE PRESENTATION: SATURDAY NIGHT FEVER (1977) Energetic musical drama. Starring John Travolta, Karen Lynn Gorney, Barry Miller, Joseph Cali, Paul Pape and Donna Pescow. Followed by: BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 12.10 I LOVE 1975
 1.10 NEWS 24

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OPENING HOURS
 MONDAY TO FRIDAY
 1.30PM TO 6PM
 SATURDAY BY APPOINTMENT

Monday 19th September
 7.00 BREAKFAST
 10.15 ROOM 785
 10.30 MAKE AND DO
 10.40 THE STORYMAKERS
 11.00 MASTERCHEF GOES LARGE
 11.30 THIS MORNING
 1.30 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 2.10 EMMERDALE
 2.55 THE PAUL O'GRADY SHOW
 3.45 ROOM 785
 4.00 THE REALLY WILD SHOW
 4.30 THE TRIBE
 5.20 THE CROCODILE HUNTER DIARIES
 5.45 THE KING OF QUEENS
 6.05 CORONATION STREET
 6.30 MY HERO
 7.00 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 7.30 EASTENDERS
 8.00 THE BILL
 8.45 WILL AND GRACE
 9.10 FAT FRIENDS
 10.00 EXTRAS Followed by: BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 10.30 MONKEY TROUSERS
 10.55 KATH AND KIM
 11.20 THE CHAMPIONSHIP
 00.10 [am] WORLD RALLY CHAMPIONSHIP Great Britain: Catch all the drama as it unfolds in this high-powered and high-speed sport.
 01.05[am] NEWS 24

Tuesday 20th September
 7.00 BREAKFAST
 10.15 ROOM 785
 10.30 MAKE AND DO
 10.40 THE STORYMAKERS.
 11.00 MIND YOUR OWN BUSINESS
 11.30 THIS MORNING
 1.30 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 2.10 HEARTBEAT
 3.00 THE PAUL O'GRADY SHOW
 3.50 ROOM 785
 3.55 50/50
 4.25 BLUE PETER
 4.55 BARKING
 5.15 TIME TEAM
 6.05 CORONATION STREET
 6.30 BFBS REPORTS
 7.00 NEWS AND BFBS

WEATHER REPORT
 7.30 EASTENDERS
 8.00 THE BILL
 8.45 IS THIS THE WORST WEATHER EVER?
 9.10 BREMNER, BIRD AND FORTUNE (New)
 10.00 NIP/TUCK Followed by: BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 10.55 MY LIFE AS A CHILD
 11.35 FILM 2005 WITH JONATHAN ROSS
 12.05 [am] HARDWARE Comedy series
 12.30[am] NEWS 24

Wednesday 21st September
 7.00 BREAKFAST
 10.15 ROOM 785
 10.30 MAKE AND DO
 10.40 THE STORYMAKERS
 11.00 MASTERCHEF GOES LARGE
 11.30 THIS MORNING
 1.30 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 2.10 EMMERDALE
 2.55 THE PAUL O'GRADY SHOW
 3.45 ROOM 785
 4.05 RULE THE SCHOOL
 4.30 PIGHEARTBOY (New) Children's drama series
 4.55 A DIFFERENT LIFE
 5.20 HOW LONDON WAS BUILT
 5.45 MALCOLM IN THE MIDDLE
 6.05 CORONATION STREET
 6.30 CORONATION STREET
 6.50 CREATURE COMFORTS
 7.00 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 7.30 ALIAS
 8.10 SPIRITUALITY SHOPPER
 9.00 LOST
 9.45 LOST Followed by: BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 10.25 LADETTA TO LADY
 11.15 PSYCHO
 12.05 [am] NEWS 24

Thursday 22nd September
 7.00 BREAKFAST
 10.15 ROOM 785
 10.30 MAKE AND DO
 10.40 THE STORYMAKERS
 11.00 CASH IN THE ATTIC (New)
 11.30 THIS MORNING

1.30 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 2.10 EMMERDALE
 2.35 PRIDE AND PREJUDICE REVISITED
 3.00 THE PAUL O'GRADY SHOW
 3.50 ROOM 785
 4.05 SPLASH CAMP
 4.30 BLUE PETER
 5.00 STUPID
 5.25 ENTERPRISE
 6.05 CORONATION STREET
 6.30 THE WORLD'S MOST PHOTOGRAPHED Marilyn Monroe
 7.00 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 7.30 EASTENDERS
 8.00 HOLBY CITY
 9.00 BAD GIRLS
 9.50 THE NEW AL-QAEDA Followed by: BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 10.50 ARRESTED DEVELOPMENT
 11.10 CELEBRITY FEAR FACTOR UK
 11.55 A BEAR'S TAIL
 12.20 [am] NEWS 24

Friday 23rd September
 7.00 BREAKFAST
 10.15 ROOM 785
 10.30 MAKE AND DO
 10.40 THE STORYMAKERS
 11.00 MASTERCHEF GOES LARGE
 11.30 THIS MORNING
 1.30 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 2.10 EMMERDALE
 2.55 THE PAUL O'GRADY SHOW
 3.45 ROOM 785
 3.55 ATOMIC BETTY
 4.20 FINGER TIPS
 4.35 THE WEEK ON NEWSROUND
 4.55 MY PARENTS ARE ALIENS
 5.15 MAYBE IT'S ME
 5.40 LOCATION, LOCATION, LOCATION
 6.05 CORONATION STREET
 6.30 BFBS REPORTS
 7.00 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 7.30 EASTENDERS
 8.00 HOW CLEAN IS YOUR HOUSE?
 8.25 QUEER EYE FOR THE STRAIGHT GUY
 9.10 IAN FLEMING - BONDMAKER Docudrama which tells the story of how writer Ian Fleming came to create the world's most famous fictional spy, James Bond.
 10.10 MY LIFE IN FILM Followed by: BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 10.40 ER
 11.25 DRAMA CONNECTIONS (New) Series revisiting classic drama programmes looks at Auf Wiedersehen Pet.
 11.55 FRIDAY NIGHT WITH JONATHAN ROSS
 12.55[am] NEWS 24

Billings correct at time of going to press but subject to change until actual transmission. Tune into BFBS Radio/Television for up-dates.

Your programmes - F.I.R.S.

Weekly schedule of programmes - as updated by FIRS

SATURDAY

5:00 IRN News & Childrens Corner
6:00 Weather, Flights, Ranges, Announcements, Job Shop & What's on Guide
6:17 The Archers
6:30 News Review
7:00 In Concert
8:00 Feature Presentation
8:30 Weather, Flights & The Fusion with Stacy
10:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/
530mw & 88.3fm

SUNDAY

5:00 IRN News & Chaplains Choice with Paul Sweeting
5:30 Classical Interlude with Kathy Biles
6:00 Weather, Flights, Ranges, Announcements, Job Shop & What's on Guide
6:15 Short Story
6:30 Feature Presentation
7:00 Sunday Evening Service
8:00 Slow Jams with Jock to include Weather & Flights at 8.30
10:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/
530mw & 88.3fm

MONDAY

7:00 IRN News & Breakfast Show with Ken (530mw & 88.3fm)
9:00 KTV Radio Nova
10:00 IRN News & Lifestyle with Liz to include
12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
12:30 Calling The Falklands (repeat)
1:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/
530mw & 88.3fm

4:00 IRN News & People's Jukebox
5:00 IRN News followed by Jukebox
6:00 IRN News & The Archers
6:15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop followed by Country Crossroads
7:00 Comedy presentation
7:30 Music feature
8:30 Weather, Flights & The Vinyl Frontier with Myriam
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & KTV Radio Nova/
530mw & 88.3fm

TUESDAY

7:00 IRN News & Breakfast Show with Ken (530mw & 88.3fm)
9:00 KTV Radio Nova
10:00 IRN News & Lifestyle with Liz to include
12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
12:30 One To One
1:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/
530mw & 88.3fm

4:00 IRN News & People's Jukebox
5:00 IRN News followed by Jukebox
6:00 IRN News & The Archers
6:15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop followed by Calling The Falklands
6:45 Simply Classical
7:45 Folk Music Show
8:30 Weather, Flights & 80's and 90's with Sheena
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & KTV Radio Nova/
530mw & 88.3fm

WEDNESDAY

7:00 IRN News & Breakfast Show with Ken (530mw & 88.3fm)
9:00 KTV Radio Nova
10:00 IRN News & Lifestyle with Liz to include
12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop

12:30 Calling The Falklands (repeat)
1:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/
530mw & 88.3fm
4:00 IRN News & People's Jukebox
5:00 IRN News followed by Jukebox
6:00 IRN News & The Archers
6:15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop followed by The Best Of with Jock
7:30 Drama Presentation
8:30 Weather, Flights & FIBS Chart Show

10:00 BFBS/96.5 & KTV Radio Nova/
530mw & 88.3fm

THURSDAY

7:00 IRN News & Breakfast Show with Ken (530mw & 88.3fm)
9:00 KTV Radio Nova
10:00 IRN News & Lifestyle with Liz to include
12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop

1:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/
530mw & 88.3fm
4:00 IRN News & People's Jukebox
5:00 IRN News followed by Jukebox
6:00 IRN News & The Archers
6:15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop followed by Soul, Blues & Rock 'n' Roll with Liz
7:30 Feature Presentation
8:00 Pot Luck with Myriam to include Weather & Flights at 8.30
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & KTV Radio Nova/
530mw & 88.3fm

FRIDAY

7:00 IRN News & Breakfast Show with Ken (530mw & 88.3fm)
9:00 KTV Radio Nova
10:00 IRN News & Lifestyle with Liz to include
12:15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop

12:30 Caught In The Net/Camp Matters
1:00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/
530mw & 88.3fm
4:00 IRN News & People's Jukebox
5:00 IRN News followed by Jukebox
6:00 IRN News & The Archers
6:15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop followed by The Information Hour to include
Calling The Falklands
One To One (repeat)
Conservation Conversations (repeat)
Caught In The Net/Camp Matters (repeat)
7:30 Non-Stop Country Hour
8:30 Weather, Flights & Leather and Lace with Tansy
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & KTV Radio Nova/
530mw & 88.3fm

Any changes will be broadcast on FIRS.

BFBS
radio

98.5 FM:

SATURDAY 0000 Groove Collective
PT 2 0100 The Box 0300 Cox & Bumfry
0500 Early Riser 0700 Forces Finest PT
1 0800 Saturday Breakfast 1000 The Score
1300 Forces Finest 1500 Cox & Bumfry
1700 Ministry Of Sound 1900 David
Rodigan 2100 Club Culture 2300 The
Box PT 1

SUNDAY 0000 The Box PT 2 0100
Chill Out Room 0300 Sim Courtie 0500
Groove Collective 0700 UK Sunday Break-
fast 1000 Sim Courtie 1200 Access all
Areas 1400 Airplay UK 1700 The Source
1900 The Rock Show 2100 Up from the
Underground 2300 Chill Out Room PT
MONDAY 0000 Chill Out Room PT 2
0100 Forces Finest 0300 BFBS Greatest
Hits 0400 Early Riser 0700 Hermina
Graham 1000 Adam Small 1300 Richard
Hutchinson 1600 Hatch & Duffus 1800

BFBS Greatest Hits 1900 UK Top 40
2200 Late Show with Lisa Davis
TUESDAY 0000 UK Late Show 0100
David Rodigan 0300 Greatest Hits 0400
Early Riser 0700 Hermina Graham 1000
Adam Small 1300 Richard Hutchinson
1600 Hatch & Duffus 1800 BFBS Greatest
Hits 1900 Evening Show 2200 Late Show
with Lisa Davis

WEDNESDAY 0000 UK Late Show
0100 Club Culture 0300 - 0000 As of
Tuesday
THURSDAY 0000 UK Late Show 0100
The Rock Show 0300 - 1600 As of
Tuesday, 1600 Hatch & Duffus 1800
BFBS Greatest Hits 1900 UK Evening
Show 2200 Late Show with Lisa Davis
FRIDAY 0000 UK Late Show 0100 Up
from the Underground 0300 BFBS Greatest
Hits 0400 Early Riser 0700 Hermina
Graham 1000 Adam Small 1300 Richard
Hutchinson 1600 Hatch & Duffus 1800
BFBS Greatest Hits 1900 Friday Dance
2100 Ministry of Sound 2300 The Groove
Collective

BFBS
radio²

550 MW:

SATURDAY 0100 Classic weekend break-
fast 0300 Today 0500 Home Truths 0600
Dead ringers 0630 The white van man
speaks 0600 News/Allinson's albums 0800
Sport on Five 1500 Rockola 1605 The
Classicrock show 1700 Raven n' the blues
1800 Late night live 2100 Up all night

SUNDAY 0100 Classic weekend break-
fast 0300 Weekend woman's hour 0400
Sunday Worship 0450 A point of view
0500 Broadcasting House 0600 The
Archers Omnibus 0718 Seven days 0800
BFG on Sunday 0900 Sport on Five 1500
The BFBS Radio 2 Comedy Hour 1600
News/The Archers 1615 A point of view
1630 Behind the glass The Phil Ramone
story 1700 Home truths 1800 Late night
live 2100 Up all night

MONDAY 0100 Morning Reports 0130
Wake up to money 0200 Today 0500
News/Simon Marlow's gold 0700 BFBS
Radio 2 news 0710 Glen Mansell 0910
Richard Astbury 1200 BFBS Today 1215
The Archers 1230 Boothy Graffoe in no
particular order 1300 PM from BBC Radio
4 1400 Six o'clock News 1430 Classic
Rock 1530 Sport on five 1800 Late night
live 2000 Up all Night

TUESDAY 0100 Morning Reports 0130
Wake up to money 0200 Today 0500
News/ Dave Windsor's gold 0700 BFBS

Radio 2 news 0710 Glen Mansell 0930
Richard Astbury 1200 BFBS Today 1215
The Archers 1230 Behind the glass: The
Phil Ramone story 1300 PM From BBC
Radio 4 1400 The six o'clock news 1430
Rockola 1530 Sport on Five 1800 Late
night live 2000 Up all night

WEDNESDAY 0100 Morning Reports
0130 Wake up to money 0200 Today from
BBC Radio 4 0500 News/Dave Windsor's
Gold 0700 BFBS Radio 2 news 0710 Glen
Mansell 0930 Richard Astbury 1200 BFBS
Today 1215 The Archers 1230 Multime-
dia 1300 PM From BBC Radio 4 1400
The six o'clock news 1430 Allinson's
Albums 1530 Sport on Five 1800 Late
night live 2000 Up all night

THURSDAY 0100 Morning Reports
0130 Wake up to money 0200 Today 0500
News/Dave Windsor's Gold 0700 BFBS
Radio 2 news 0710 Glen Mansell 0930
Richard Astbury 1200 BFBS Today 1215
The Archers 1230 Sitrep 1300 PM 1400
The six o'clock news 1430 Raven n' the
Blues 1530 Sport on Five 1800 Late night
Live 2000 Up all night

FRIDAY 0100 Morning Reports 0130
Wake up to money 0200 Today 0500
News/Dave Windsor's Gold 0700 BFBS
Radio 2 news 0710 Glen Mansell 0930
Richard Astbury 1200 BFBS Today 1215
The Archers 1230 Quote, unquote 1300
PM from BBC Radio 4 1400 The six
o'clock news 1430 Nigel Rennie Country
1530 Sport on Five 1800 Brian Hayes
2000 Up all night



- FIBS 88.3 FM in Stanley area, 96.5 FM, 102FM
Mount Maria and 530 MW Island wide.
- BFBS1 96.5 FM Island wide and 98.5 MPA.
- BFBS2 550 MW Island wide.
- Radio Nova: BBC World Service on 106.5 FM and
530 MW and Deutsche Welle on 101.1 FM

Falkland Islands Defence Force Routine Orders

Saturday 17 September

0930hrs Pistol shoot

Thursday 22 September

1900hrs Map reading and GPS familiarisation.

(Note - this is rescheduled from the original programme)



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Phoenix Cinema Schedule - 17 - 23 September, 2005

Weekday show starts - 20:00

Saturday shows starts - 1st Performance 09:30 2nd Performance 14:00 3rd Performance 20:00

Sunday shows starts - 1st Performance 13:00 2nd Performance 17:00 3rd Performance 20:00

Saturday 17 September	Sunday 18 September	Monday 19 September	Tuesday 20 September	Wednesday 21 September	Thursday 22 September	Friday 23 September
BATMAN BEGINS	FANTASTIC FOUR					
FANTASTIC FOUR	MADAGASCAR					
WEDDING CRASHERS	DARK WATER	DARK WATER	BATMAN BEGINS	MADAGASCAR	DARK WATER	WEDDING CRASHERS

WEDDING CRASHERS (15) 118 mins. Comedy Sc. Owen Wilson, Vince Vaughn

MADAGASCAR (U) 86 mins. Animation. Voices: Ben Stiller & Chris Rock

BATMAN BEGINS (12A) 141 mins. Act/Fantasy Sc. Christian Bale, Michael Caine

FANTASTIC FOUR (PG) 105 mins. Sci-Fa/Fantasy Ioan Gruffudd, Michael Chiklis

DARK WATER (15) 104 mins. Thriller/Drama. Jennifer Connelly, Ariel Gade



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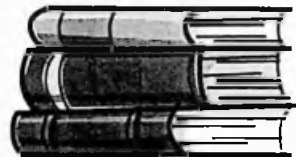
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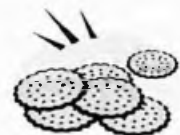
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Le Sourire chooses Stanley for engine refit

THE French yacht *Le Sourire* left Stanley this week after under going an engine refit, opting to carry out the work in the Falklands, instead of bureaucracy-heavy South America.

Hugues Delignieres, owner of the yacht, arranged for the transport of two new engines from the UK to the Falklands so that Ian Bury could undertake the change over.

Mr Delignieres who has been visiting the Falkland Islands nearly every year since 1989 said Ian was very helpful and indeed seems to "like being helpful" to the yachting community.

He said with the uncertainty of shipment to South America and "problems with bureaucracy" it was considered a more reliable option to have the work done in the Falklands.

Mr Delignieres said the engines were working well on Monday and following a few checks on Tuesday, if the weather was favourable, they planned to leave Stanley, calling at Carcass Island and West Point Island to visit on their way past.



Mr Delignieres normally sails with his wife and two children, aged nine and eleven, however for the trip to the Falklands from Tierra Del Fuego, he took on two crew members; he will now make his

way back there to meet his family.

Mr Delignieres and his family will return to the Falklands in late October/ November on their way to South Georgia and Antarctica.

Police warn: watch out for new scam

A NEW email scam has hit Stanley in recent weeks.

Sgt Dave Roberts of the Royal Falkland Islands Police said he has been contacted by businesses in Stanley who have received emails from "people trying to book accommodation or buy items in the Falklands but who say they will overpay for it."

He says the scamsters are "... offering to forward around £4,000 from a Eurocard; the business is then to keep £1,000 to confirm the booking and the other £3,000 is to be sent on to an agent overseas."

Sgt Roberts said he understands the scam is also being used in central Europe.

He advised, "If anybody receives any of these emails or phone calls along these lines, give as little or no information about yourself as possible.

"If it arrives in an email form, please send it to me crib@police.gov.fk, including the header from the email."

The Training Centre is pleased to announce the following training events

COMMUNICATION SKILLS COURSE

Name of Training Event: Communication Skills
Date: 18th October 2005, repeated 21st October
Time: 8.30am - 4.30pm
Duration of event: One day
Venue: Chamber of Commerce
Costs: £25 for private sector
Name of trainer: Eileen Davies

Aims of the Course:

By the end of this course, participants should be able to:

- understand the principles of good communication
- communicate more clearly, concisely and sensitively with others both verbally and in writing
- understand what the main barriers to communication are and how to overcome them
- select the most appropriate form of communication to suit the situation/audience
- understand the importance of body language and know how to ensure that their own body language reflects their verbal message
- improve their listening and questioning techniques
- recognise how different behavioural styles can affect communication and working relationships

Methodology/Format :

Combination of Formal presentation and interactive exercises.

If you would like further details or would like to reserve a place on the course, please contact Anya Harris on 27133 or e-mail: aharris.training@sec.gov.fk.

TEAMWORK COURSE

Name of Training Event: Teamwork
Date: 26th October
Time: 8.30am - 4.30pm
Duration of event: 1 day
Venue: Chamber of Commerce
Costs: £25 (private sector)
Name of trainer: Eileen Davies

Aims of the Course:

By the end of this course, the participants should have learnt:

- Why teamwork is important and who benefits from it
- The various skills that contribute to effective teamwork
- How teams develop
- How to avoid/minimise conflict within the team
- How to appraise team performance
- How to improve team performance

Anyone interested in attending this "Teamwork" course should contact Anya Harris by 17th October on telephone 27133, fax 27137, email address aharris.training@sec.gov.fk to reserve a place.

CUSTOMER SERVICE TRAINING

Staff from the Training Centre will be delivering a one and a half day course on Customer Service at the Chamber of Commerce on 20th and 21st September 2005. This course is suitable for anyone who deals with customers, whether internal or external, and is particular relevant to anyone undertaking a National Vocational Qualification.

The course covers the following areas:

- Identifying who your Customers are.
- Recognising and Responding to Customers' Needs and Expectations.
- The Benefits of Positive Customer Service for You and Your Organisation.
- How to Communicate Effectively with Customers.
- Dealing with Difficult Customers.
- Dealing with Customers with Special Needs.
- Resolving Customer Service Problems and Handling Complaints.
- Gathering Customer Feedback.
- Improving Customer Service and Implementing and
- Evaluating Changes to Customer Service.

The cost for non-Government personnel is £40.

If you would like further details or would like to reserve a place on the course, please contact Anya Harris on 27133 or e-mail aharris.training@sec.gov.fk.

ORGANISING YOUR TIME

A 1 day course delivered by the Training Centre staff

AIM : By the end of the course attendees will have:

- An increased awareness of time priorities
- Learnt techniques to improve their use of time
- An understanding of key principles of delegation

OBJECTIVE : To enable attendees to :

- Be more aware of time and how to use it to achieve the most from their day

COURSE CONTENT

- Planning
- Use of Diaries
- Procrastination
- Prioritising
- Time Robbers
- Handling Interruptions

The course structure will include:

- Instruction
- Practical tasks & exercises
- Discussion

Attendance: Maximum: 16 Minimum: 4
Dates of Course: 25 October 2005 (8.30 am to 4.30 pm)
Venue: Chamber of Commerce

If you would like to reserve a place on the course, please contact Anya Harris on 27133 or e-mail aharris.training@sec.gov.fk.

General Practice

with Jan McGinnes of the social work team

Tips for parents: the four goals of misbehaviour

ATTENTION seeking, the struggle for power, revenge and displays of inadequacy are all the mistaken goals of children's behaviour

To determine the child's goal:

- Check your feelings and reaction.
- Check the child's response to your attempts to correct the behaviour.

Goal one: Attention seeking

Child's belief:

"I only have a piece if people constantly pay attention to me... I will use any means possible to ensure this"

Parents' feelings and reaction:

Feeling -: Annoyed
Reaction -: Push the child away (verbally and physically)

Child's response to parents' attempts to correct behaviour:

Stops temporarily. May start again or child finds another way to gain attention.

Alternatives:

- Ignore the misbehaviour BUT also reward positive behaviour by paying attention to useful behaviour.
- Put time aside for shared interests and be encouraging and supporting.
- Tell the child which behaviour is OK and acceptable

Goal 2: The struggle for power

Child's faulty belief: I only belong when I have control, when

I'm boss or when no-one can boss me."

Parent's feeling and reaction:

Feeling -: Angry, provoked, feeling like your authority is threatened. *Goal 2: The struggle for power*

Child's faulty belief:

"I only belong when I have control. Reaction -: Try to make the child do it - power struggle/battle develops or parents give in.

Child's response:

Child's behaviour intensifies - both stuck; or child gives in with defiant compliance i.e. slams door - does as told but finds something else to provoke parent.

Alternatives:

- Withdraw from fight - fighting or giving in only increases child's desire for power.
- Act, don't talk or shout. don't get into a debate; tell the child what is happening or not happening.

• Try to remain calm and friendly, set limits or boundaries, but give the child acceptable choices - in this way you provide a 'get out' clause for you and the child, it also still allows the child a degree of power.

• Be encouraging and positive about the child's accepted behaviour.

Goal 3: Revenge

Child's belief:

"I may not be able to keep you busy with me or defeat you, but I can get even and show you I exist."

"I only belong by hurting others as I feel hurt, I cannot be loved."

Parents' feelings and reaction:

Feeling -: hurt and angry, turns to punishment because of feeling "how could you do this to me?"

Reaction -: to get even.

Child's response:

Seeks further revenge, behaviour intensifies or chooses another weapon.

Alternatives:

- Avoid retaliation or punishment.
- Spend time building a trusting relationship, offer help to the child.
- Be calming, show and tell the child they are loved and wanted.
- Be clear it is the child's behaviour you don't like, not the child.

Goal 4: Display of inadequacy

Child's belief:

"Why try? I can never be good enough; I belong only by convincing others not to expect anything from me. I am helpless."

Parents' feelings and reaction:

Feeling -: Despair, hurt, helplessness "I give up!"

Reaction -: Agree, nothing can be done, no reprimand and no reaction.

Child's response:

Passive response: fails to respond to whatever is done. No improvement.

Alternatives:

• Be supportive, express faith in the child's ability.

• Encourage any positive response - no matter how small.

• Don't get hooked up into pity.

• Don't give up
When looking at the child's behaviour, try to work out whose problem it is i.e. the child's or the parents?

Use 'I' statements, be clear about the messages you give.

'I' statements avoid blame i.e. 'I feel angry when.... I don't like it when....' These will:

1. Encourage a willingness to change in parent and child.
2. Not blame
3. Not damage your relationship

'You' statements are accusing and disempowering, i.e. 'You are ungrateful'; 'You are.....for getting into trouble'

It becomes a shared responsibility to make changes. The alternatives offered will reduce a child's need to misbehave because their beliefs will change and:

- a) They will feel they belong, are valued, are important to you
- b) Improve self-esteem/confidence for child and, hopefully, parent

c) Shift the focus to the child's strengths and abilities and put the fun back into the relationship.

All these will help to allow your child to develop into a healthy, caring adult.

Quick and Easy Recipes for the Falkland Islands

Chargrilled chicken with spicy couscous

USE pre-cooked chargrilled chicken fillets for this quick and simple dish.

Ingredients

- 4oz couscous
- 1 ripe mango peeled and cut into one inch chunks
- 1 tablespoon lemon or lime juice
- 1x125g tub of tomato salsa
- 3 level tablespoons mango chutney

- 3 tablespoons orange juice
- 2 level tablespoons chopped fresh coriander
- 200 g pack of chargrilled chicken fillets.
- Lime chunks and roughly chopped coriander to garnish

Method

Put the couscous in a large bowl and pour over ½ pint of boiling

water. Season and leave to stand for 15 minutes.

Put the mango on a plate and sprinkle with the lemon or lime juice.

Mix together the tomato salsa, mango chutney, orange juice and coriander.

Drain the couscous if necessary, stir and check the seasoning. Turn on to a large serving dish and arrange

the chicken and mango on top.

Just before serving garnish with the lime chunks and chopped coriander.

Serves 4

Preparation time: 15 minutes (plus 15 minutes soaking).
Approximately 300 calories per serving, (9g fat, 39g carbohydrate).



Fisheries Department

Catch for week 36, ending September 5, 2005

Number of Licences

Licence Type	Eligible W/ending 05/09/05	Fishing W/ending 05/09/05
Total	47	35
L	2	1
R	8	0
X	16	16
Y	10	9
Z	11	9

Catch by species (Tonnes)

Species	Falklands	Spain	Total
Blue Whiting	5	393	398
Hakes	26	69	95
Hoki	81	220	301
Kingclip	4	59	63
Loligo	1644	2	1646
Red Cod	12	223	235
Skate/Ray	14	26	40
Toothfish	12	2	14
Others	208	114	322
Total	2006	1108	3114

Shipping activity from September 1 - 8

THE reefer *Astra* entered Berkely Sound on September 1 for fenders and departed the following day.

The tanker *Centaurus* was in the area for bunkers during the same period. The tankers *Libra* and *Baltic Pride* were both in for bunkers, a custom visit and stores on September 3, departing for the high seas the following day.

The longliner *Argos Helena* called at FIPASS on September 2 for bunkers and an inspection and departed for Tristan Da Cunha on September 4. *Argos Georgia* called for an inspection, to discharge cargo and a medical visit on September 3 and departed for Montevideo the following day.

The *Elqui* remains at FIPASS under arrest.

The reefer *Frio Posiedon* made a brief visit to Port William on Sep-

tember 2 for customs while *Frio Marathon* departed the area on September 9, having arrived on August 31 to tranship.

Trawler *Igueldo* called at Port William on September 2. *Golden Touza* and *Hermanos Touza* on September 3, for transshipping and a medical visit respectively while *Teucro* arrived on September 5 for an inspection and licensing departing the same day. *Golden Chicha* called to tranship on September 5, leaving the following day. The five trawlers are all making their way to fishing grounds.

The *Saint Brandon* called into Stanley Harbour on September 5 to discharge cargo and left for Punta Arenas the following day.

The yacht *Le Sourire* remained in the harbour on a port visit having arrived on August 28.

A trip down memory lane

15 years ago
September 7, 1990

Appalling weather leads to several serious incidents on both land and sea - five men are feared lost from the trawler *Oceana 7*; farmer Ron Rozee, his daughter Tamara, 10, and Jamie Anderson are stranded all night when their Land Rover becomes bogged. The Falkland Islands are refused a place at the first meeting of the Anglo-Argentine working group on fishing in the South Atlantic. Proposals for new planning regulations raises suspicions and Planning Officer Roy Carryer assures, "No one is committed to making the Planning Bill law."

10 years ago
September 13, 1995

Devon and Cornwall Police investigate the mysterious disappearance of Royal Marine Alan Addis in 1980. Private David Crowie of FIDF receives cup for Best Recruit. A boiler suit makes all the difference to farmer Leon Marsh, who is stranded overnight on Flat Island with his father, Frank, after the outboard motor on their inflatable boat fails.

5 years ago
September 15, 2000

Longlining vessel *CFL Valiant* makes her inaugural trip to the Falklands. Outgoing British Ambassador in Argentina, William Marsden, says he does not anticipate changes in the near future concerning sovereignty over the Falkland Islands. Eight youngsters report back on a week long "cultural trip" to Chile.

Wool report - week ending September 7

by Neil Judd, Department of Agriculture

GREASY wool prices fell markedly at sales in Australia and New Zealand last week. As shown in the attached "Micron Price Guide", prices were down by between 5 and 9 pence per kilogram clean at the finer end of the micron spectrum and by between 1 and 3 p/kg clean at the broader end.

□ Currency exchange rates, hurricane Katrina in the USA, Chinese difficulties with the European Union over textile quotas and general global economic conditions were all put forward as factors contributing to the slide in wool prices over recent weeks and indeed, over the last 12 to 24 months.

□ Wool prices are reported to be at their lowest levels since August 2000. They are stated as being at levels were "specialist growers cannot make money" (Wool Record Weekly).

□ Prices for skirtings and oddments slipped in line with fleece wool types, however stylish lots with low vegetable matter held in value a little better than poorer offerings.

□ Almost 20% of the Australian catalogue was not sold while a further 5% was withdrawn from sale prior to its commencement.

□ In Australia 81% of the 52,740 bale offering was sold. Included in the offering were 3,777 bales of crossbred wool of which 89% was sold.

□ Auctions continue next week in New Zealand. South Africa and Australia where almost 90,000 bales of wool will be on offer.

Note:
*Exchange rates used to convert wool prices into pence per kg clean basis. Australian \$2.39 per 1£ sterling compared to \$2.39 per 1£ sterling previous week.

*Information derived from AWEX market report and Wool Record Weekly.

*Values based on average auction floor prices from Australian Eastern markets.

*Prices quoted correspond to average gross auction prices. It should be remembered that no selling or freight costs have been deducted from the stated prices.

*MPG prices designated with an "n" indicate that insufficient wool in the particular micron range was traded to determine a firm MPG quote.

Growers are strongly advised to seek assistance in evaluating offers for wool where only nominal prices are given.

Any woolgrower with a question regarding the wool industry, or requiring assistance to determine the merit of any wool price offer, is urged to contact Neil Judd at the Department of Agriculture on telephone 27355 or on email njudd@doa.gov.fk

Week ending	Pence per kilogram clean for each micron category.											
	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	28	30	32
10/01/2002	553	403	306	294	293	288	283	266	232	208	199	185
13/12/2002	553n	484	456	451	446	437n	431n	407n	369n	265	217	210n
10/01/2003	557n	494	470	463	458	451	445	412n	375n	271	228	210n
04/07/2003	443n	408	409	411	414n	413n	405n	384n	351n	252n	213	210n
12/12/2003	397n	380	366	362	351	336	325	295n	272n	218n	187n	167n
09/01/2004	408n	392	380	369	356	337	326	295n	274n	215	187	181n
02/07/2004	421n	390	352	339	323	310	281n	266n	253n	211n	188n	169n
17/12/2004	395	368	327	306	295	282	269n	233n	218n	186n	168n	154n
14/01/2005	411n	383	341	316	307	297	284	244n	225	194n	176n	160n
04/02/2005	417	389	343	316	303	294	282	246n	226n	194n	177n	163n
04/03/2005	411	378	337	312	295	286	270	242n	223n	187	174	164n
08/04/2005	414	387	337	313	298	290	273n	244n	224n	189	174	164n
06/05/2005	418	381	334	304	293	288	273	246	228	187	174	164
03/06/2005	418	378	338	313	303	300	282n	256n	234n	197	180	167n
01/07/2005	412	373	336	322	317	313	288n	266n	240n	197	185	169n
08/07/2005	419	386	343	330	324	320	298	275	245	206	192	173
15/07/2005	408n	378n	340	324	318	314	294	278n	247n	204n	190n	173n
05/08/2005	434	388	342	323	316	309	301n	274n	245n	205	190	175n
micron	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	28	30	32
12/08/2005	416	376	332	316	306	301	293	274n	240n	201	185	171n
19/08/2005	405n	381	323	306	297	291	284	269n	238n	195	182	165
26/08/2005	409	381	323	307	298	292n	284n	270n	240n	197n	184n	166n
02/09/2005	403	358	315	301	293	288	282	269	241	198	184	165
09/09/2005	397	351	306	293	286	282	279	266	239	195	182	164
weekly change	-6	-5	-9	-8	-7	-6	-3	-3	-2	-3	-2	-1
price year ago	427	392	348	319	298	281	263	255	247	213	188	174



on share prices

At close of business Monday, September 12, 2005

Desire Petroleum plc	39.25p	(-1.75p)
Falkland Oil and Gas plc	120.00p	(+0.50p)
Falkland Islands Holdings plc	395.00p	(-2.50p)
Falkland Gold and Minerals Ltd	21.00p	(-3.50p)
Standard Chartered PLC	1203.00p	(+16.00p)

Stanley Darts Club

Results from Monday, September 12



Mens Total BOC	
Tooty Ford	158
Len Ford	129
Colin Smith	122
Gary Hewitt	118
Johny Ford	111
James Lang	101
Graeme Hay	100
Russel Smith	95
Alan Bonner	94
Peter Goss	86
Steve Watt	83
Joe Joseph	77
Rag Macaskill	77
Teddy Summers	75
Geoff Greenough	73
Jimmy Curtis	71
Kevin Clapp	68
Shane Blackley	66
Tooty Morrison	63
Tony Courtney	63
Willie Robson	60
Willy Harvey	57
Dale McCormick	54
Michael Summers	53
Jim Parke	52
Tony McLaren	52
Melvin Clifton	50
Boy Miranda	49
Neville Hayward	48
Kevin McLaren	47
James Greenland	47
Andrew Pollard	45
Tim Bonner	45
Mark Pollard	41
Michael Goss	40
David Ford	40
Leon Mitchell	40
Adnan Minnell	40
Ian Betts	40
Neil Clifton	39
Martin Plato	39
Wladimir Bruno	38
John Jaffray	37
Richard Bonner	37
Paul Anderson	37
Terry Bonner	37
William Whitney	36
Keith Dickson	36
Albert Sackett	36
Paul Smith	35
Eddie Grimmer	35

League Position	pts	igs
Tomado's	60	269
Rose B	50	231
Otto's Outlaws	49	219
Misfits	48	210
Snowmen	43	199
Kelpers	39	196
Narrower	39	188
Victory Scuds	35	173
Men at Arms	34	183
Rose Missiles	33	176
Deanos	31	171
Pale Maidens	27	155
Stray Dogs	21	152
Last Orders	21	144
Vic Spear Chucker	21	143
Penguins	21	140
Victory Spiders	19	126
Armed and Dangerous	19	125
Rose Mixers	18	141
Busty Babes	14	116
Globe Goonies	12	114
Maid's at Arms	11	101
Highbury Babes	10	109
Spice Burgers	3	91
F1 Dart Flingers	3	83

Ladies Legs	
Maggie Goss	52
Joan Middleton	37
Ann Murphy	34
Nora Smith	33
Hazel Collins	33
Cathy Jacobsen	32
Pat Pratlett	30
Tara Heathman	28
Sheila Harvey	28
Ally Ford	26
Jenny Smith	26
Teresa Clifton	26
Patsy Robson	25
Natalie Smith	24
Sibby Summers	24
Maisey Crowie	23
Gail Miller	22
Avril Bonner	22
Wendy Roberts	21
Jeanet Miller	21
Jenny McKay	20
Conna Bishop	19
Jane Clement	18
Sheila Stewart	18
Ellen Ferguson	18
Heather Smith	18
Rowena Summers	18
Julie Ford	17
Tanzi Jacobsen	16
Michele Evans	16
Monica Limbum	16
Dylis Short	16

Mens legs	
Gary Hewitt	62
Graeme Hay	57
James Lang	57
Johny Ford	56
Tooty Ford	56
Colin Smith	55
Len Ford	53
Peter Goss	52
Rag Macaskill	51
Alan Bonner	51
Geoff Greenough	49
Steve Watt	48
Joe Joseph	47
Teddy Summers	47
Tony Courtney	47
Tooty Morrison	46
Jimmy Curtis	45
Russel Smith	44
Michael Summers	42
Boy Miranda	41
Neville Hayward	41
Kevin Clapp	41
Willie Robson	40
Wladimir Bruno	38
Tony McLaren	38
Shane Blackley	38
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Willy Harvey	36
Leon Mitchell	35
Paul Anderson	35

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Jenny Smith	21
Maisey Crowie	20
Pat Pratlett	20
Hazel Collins	19
Jan Parke	18
Janet Jaffray	17
Jeanet Miller	16
Ally Ford	15
Conna Bishop	15
Sheila Stewart	13
Michele Evans	13
Cherry Robson	13
Ellen Ferguson	13
Avril Bonner	13

Thank you to Alan Bonner, Marc Pollard and Andrew Pollard for compiling the darts statistics

Results from Monday September 13		
F1DF	4	11 Armed & Dang
Deanos	8	7 Last Orders
Rose Mixers	9	6 Spiceburgers
Rose B	5	10 Ottos Outlaws
Globe Goonies	2	13 Men At Arms
Kelpers	7	8 Vic Scuds
Pale Maidens	4	11 Misfits
Spearchuckers	3	12 Tornados
Spiders	9	6 Stray Dogs
Busty Babes	1	14 Narrower
Maid's at Arms	1	14 Snowmen
Penguins	7	8 Rose Missiles

Leann Ford achieved six on the back of the card in a single match during Monday's league games. This equals the highest in the ladies teams, scored by Maggie Goss earlier in the season

Send your reports or results to Penguin News, Ross Road, Stanley; Fax 22238; email pnews@horizon.co.fk

Falklands Islands Gun Club - Shotgun

A BLUSTERY day at the Phillips Point Range on Sunday resulted in a disappointing turnout of club members. Sunday September 18. is a 50 bird sporting comp and it is hoped that more club members will make the effort to come along and compete. For further info on the club and shoot dates and times contact Steve Dent (22021) or Graham Didlick (22282) for further details.

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Sunday 18th September

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Chicken Cazuela
Anticuchos (Beef Kebabs)
Empanadas
Pebre (Hot Chilli Sauce)
Pan Amasado (Homemade Bread Rolls)
Chilean Salads
Desserts

Price per person £9.95
Service from 6pm till 7.30pm

South American News from

MERCOPRESS

Surging oil prices force air industry to raise fares

ANTICIPATING huge losses because of soaring fuel prices. Latinamerican and United States airlines have began raising fares in their regional flights.

Lan Chile, Avianca and Taca have also increased international fares and in the US, on average air tickets are costing an additional 90 US dollars.

The International Air Transport Association, (IATA), estimates air company losses could reach SUS7.4 billion in 2005, while the airlines association in the United States is estimating losses of ten billion US dollars at current fuel prices.

Next week a delegation of US airlines will be visiting Congress to request a temporary suspension of the air fuel tax which could repre-

sent a 600 million US dollar savings in the last quarter of this year.

IATA's CEO Giovanni Bisignani said the 7.4 billion is 1.4 billion above the original estimate and is a direct consequence of the latest escalation of fuel prices because of Hurricane Katrina.

IATA said the estimate was based on an average barrel price of SUS57 for the whole of 2005, while the May estimate was calculated with an average barrel of SUS47.

"Once again the increase in oil prices is impeding the industry's return to profitability," emphasised Mr Bisignani during a presentation in Washington DC.

For each US dollar increase in the price of crude, air transport costs globally surge an estimated

one billion US dollars, thus "cost reductions and increase in productivity have never been so vital for the industry"

Meantime in Brazil, Folha de Sao Paulo published a report based on judicial sources indicating that Brazilian flag carrier Varig will fire 13% of its staff and split the company in two. Varig has accumulated losses of 3.3 billion US dollars and in 2004 lost another 270 million US dollars.

Apparently one of the companies will absorb the whole debt while the other will be streamlined and auctioned, thus opening the possibility of ending 2005 balanced.

On September 24 Varig creditors will meet to decide on the proposal

Rockcod project a success

THE Vigo Cooperative of Vessel owners has approved the presentation of the "Rockcod Project", two years of scientific research on the commercial potential for rockcod, a bycatch in the Falkland Islands and South Atlantic fisheries.

According to *Europa Press* the survey was done in the framework of a Research and Technological Development Program sponsored and financed by the European Union.

Rockcod cooked in different ways underwent several tasting trials by Spanish experts in Vigo and was most successful. "The presentation surpassed all expectations," said Edelmiro Ulloa, technical secretary of the cooperative. The experimental 80 tons which were introduced originally to the market a few months ago have now turned into 800 with the main markets in Asturias, Cantabria and several Baltic countries. Prices are also considered accessible which has made market access more feasible.

However this is not the case in Galicia where fisheries plants do not work with this species and therefore limits its access.

"What's important is that there are by catches which can be recovered," such is the case with rockcod and this, "should help look into other species currently discarded that could also become commercial alternatives," said Mr Ulloa.

Argentine veterans protest in downtown Buenos Aires

DEMANDING compensation for past military services, a group of 30 Argentine veterans of the Falklands war protested at the main offices of the Argentine government agency managing health-care programmes for pensioners, in downtown Buenos Aires.

The veterans claim the Argentine government has refused them "historic compensation" and blamed officials for the recent death of a veteran in the northern province of Chaco.

Protestors are demanding immediate payment of 250,000 pesos

(approx \$85,000 US) each in response to the government's announcement in March that it was considering cutting compensations.

Interior Minister Anibal Fernandez said it is impossible to meet the demands of the group, which he faults for failing to join the talks the government has been conducting for a year with most of the other veterans.

"We are saying it is impossible right now," Fernandez told local television.

Paying 20,000 beneficiaries what the veterans are demanding

would cost the government 1.7 million US dollars, he added.

Fernandez pointed out that President Nestor Kirchner's government has raised the veterans' monthly pension by 430 pesos (147 US dollars) to 1,170 pesos (400 US dollars), plus family allowances and school supplies.

Fernandez also stressed that the recent death of Falklands' veteran Juan Argentino Robledo was not due to lack of medical care, as the deceased's comrades allege, but because of "a pathology problem that could not be solved."

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PUBLIC NOTICE

**FALKLAND ISLANDS GOVERNMENT COMMITTEES
ACCESS TO INFORMATION**

Please note that the following committee meetings will be open for public attendance during the forthcoming week:
Falkland Islands Training & Education Council - Monday 19th September at 1.30pm in the Liberation Room, Secretariat
Historic Buildings Committee - Thursday 22nd September at 1.30pm in the Archives Building
Standing Finance Committee - Friday 23rd September at 8.00am in the Liberation Room, Secretariat
Health and Medical Services Committee - Friday 23rd September at 12.15pm in Gilbert House
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Happy birthday love Mum, Dad and Georga

Birthday greeting to a very special friend, **Glynis King** who will be celebrating her birthday on Saturday 17th September. Have a great day Glynis, with love, Doreen, Susan, Geoffrey, Travoy and Demi-Lou



Happy Anniversary Mum and Dad. With love James and Amy xxx

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- Bookkeeping and/or Customer Service qualification would be an advantage, but not essential
- Preference will be given to applicants who have had previous experience in producing, analysing and presenting figures of a financial and marketing nature
- Computer literate
- Ability to communicate in good English both verbally and in written format
- Good at team work and supervising others
- Holder of a full drivers licence is essential

Further information and a job description can be obtained by contacting Jo Ellick, Manager, Customer Services on free phone 131. Written applications including a CV should be addressed and submitted to Manager Customer Services, Cable & Wireless, P O Box 584 by Monday 19th September 2004 at 4.00 pm

SECURITY OFFICERS

Falkland Security Services Limited are now looking to recruit and train a number of security officers to work with their existing team during the next cruise vessel season.

No previous experience is necessary, however applicants should be:

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- Willing to learn

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The successful candidates must have the ability to learn new skills, work as a team and be self-motivated, ensuring they provide the best possible service to our customers. Salary is at the rate of £7082.40 per annum and hours of work are 60 per week. The initial contract is a two year period. Flights home provided to take leave. Food and accommodation provided as well as a staff purchase scheme.

For further details regarding this post please contact Patricia Clark Business Administration Manager on telephone number 0050032183.

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FALKLAND ISLANDS DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION

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Falkland Craft Fair 2005 - Raffle Prizes

Tool kit - Pink 636 - Ailsa Heathman

Toaster - Orange 476 - Deborah Davies

Shaver FLII has a vacancy for a person to press wool at Goose Green and North Arm for the 05/06 shearing season, this is a contract position and payment is at the rate of 1.8p/Kg of wool pressed, the successful applicant can expect to earn £8000 plus over the entire season end Sept to end Feb, depending on the weight of the seasons clip. Further details may be had by contacting the General Manager FLII, applications should reach him as soon as possible but in any case no later than Friday 23rd September 2005.

- Blue 976 - Joanne Lazo

Air Soccer Game - Orange 500 - Connie May

Art Set - Orange 581 - Joan Butler

Tia Maria - Orange 661 - Graham Didlick

Coffee maker - Pink 825 - Sue Halfacre

Lamp - Green 999 - Patrick Bernsten

Clowns - Pink 526 - Sam Dodd

Craft kits - Pink 489 - Stephanie Thain

Stereo - Orange 6 - Vi Morrison

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Company Number 12840

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Applications for this position close on Friday 23rd September 2005. FGML must be in receipt of completed application forms by 1 pm.

Falkland Gold and Minerals Limited invite applications for the full-time position of GENERAL HAND based at Goose Green. Duties will be varied including core shed work, general maintenance, painting, field work and assisting laboratory technicians. Lifting of equipment is involved requiring a high level of fitness. The successful person must have good work ethics and in particular, be methodical and self motivated, willing to undertake a range of duties. A current valid drivers licence and fluent English language are essential. The Company can provide single accommodation and full board in the male accommodation block if required. Salary will be negotiable dependant on age and experience.

Applications for this position close on Friday 23rd September 2005. FGML must be in receipt of completed application forms by 1 pm.

Application forms for the above positions or additional information can be obtained from Derek Reeves or Val Padgett on telephone 22996

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Immunisation Clinic
Friday 16th September (today)
9.30 - 11 am
Please report to reception at KEMH

Child Health Clinic
Wednesday 21st September 4 - 5.30pm
in the KEMH Day Centre

Councillors will hold their next public meeting - the last of this Council - on Tuesday 20th September.
Venue this month: Infant/Junior School Hall.
Time 5:00 p.m.

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If you took part in the event and did not receive either a T-Shirt or a medal and would like one then please contact the Relay Organiser, Steve Dent, on 22021 or 27285 or on dent@horizon.co.fk to order one. If you did give Steve your size on the day can you also please contact him and remind him of the size required as at some point on the day the actual sizes recorded was mislaid!
We will be placing the order on 23rd September so please get your requests into Steve before that date.

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Felices fiestas patrias a todos los chilenos de corazon... viva chile!!! nos vemos en el malvina manana en la noche

Linda and the family of the late Mally Lyse would like to extend their heartfelt thanks to all those people who assisted, offered assistance, and sent cards and beautiful floral tributes at the time of their sad loss.
Thanks also to the KEMH staff, particularly Dr Davies, Rachel and the district team and Albert for their care and assistance to Mally over the past difficult 18 months.

Local and Scottish Dancing
By popular demand Scottish Ceilidh dancing and traditional local dancing will be held in the Infant/Junior school hall from 7.30 - 9pm each Wednesday evening, commencing on 21st September. Beginners welcome.
50p on the door.

Stephen Jaffray Memorial Fund
Stephen's family and trustees would like to thank everyone involved in the sponsored shave group for their generous donations (Sorry I don't have all your names).
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Stand-off in East Stanley

A STAND-OFF that lasted just over two hours yesterday afternoon ended peacefully.

Police attended an address in East Stanley just before 1pm where they discovered a juvenile had barricaded himself in to a room and was reported to have "bladed articles" with him.

Back-up was called in and a wide area surrounding the house was cordoned off.

As a precaution, the fire brigade, an ambulance and medics attended the scene and a number of off-duty police officers were called in to man the cordons.

Shortly after 1.15pm, police were seen to don protective vests, and shields were taken into the house.

When *Penguin News* spoke to Inspector Len McGill at around 2pm, he confirmed one juvenile was involved and described the situation as, "...a waiting game."

At around 3pm, the wait ended when police and fire personnel were seen carrying a person from the house and into a waiting police vehicle.

Police negotiator, DS Jonathan Butler had been speaking to the



Above (L-R): Chief Fire Officer Fiddes with Inspector McGill and police negotiator DS Butler at the scene; Firefighters Paice, France and Henry wait outside the house.

young man, with the assistance, Inspector McGill said, "of various personnel, as the situation dictated."

He said no one had been hurt in the incident.

Reflecting on the afternoon's events, Inspector McGill said the incident had unfolded well. "The response of the fire and other emergency services was excellent.



"It shows how well we can work together with the other services. Thankfully, in the end, no one else was needed."

The juvenile was taken to hospital and the incident is now under investigation.

He added, "Our principal method is to contain and negotiate. This proved to be successful on this occasion."

Rig unavailability delays Desire's drilling

DESIRE Petroleum, the company that had hopes of commencing exploratory drilling in Falklands waters within the next six months, has been unable to secure a rig.

In a letter to Desire shareholders, Chairman Dr Colin Phipps yesterday said increased oil prices have pushed up the price of rig rentals and current suitable rig availability has reduced to "almost zero" and is likely to have worsened further as a result of Hurricane Katrina.

When Desire conducted a survey of rig availability at the end of 2004, of the ten companies contacted, seven expected to have a suitable drilling unit available.

However, Dr Phipps reported, following discussions with the rig contractors who replied to the tender in March, it emerged that only one suitable rig was available.

"Despite lengthy negotiations with the owners of this rig, the Group was unable to agree an acceptable contract for drilling in

the Falklands." Therefore, he said, the current situation as regards drilling in 2005 or 2006 is unclear but Peak Well Management, the Group's drilling consultants, "continuously monitor world-wide rig availability on the Group's behalf."

Dr Phipps told shareholders the world-wide shortage in rigs has arisen because of the lack of new rig builds in recent years, coupled with the sharp increase in oil prices.

"In particular, many rigs are being used to appraise and develop fields previously considered uncommercial, in addition to the world-wide increase in exploration drilling.

"This has led many companies to enter into long-term rig contracts which tie up rigs for up to three years. However, this situation has occurred before and, in the past, has led to the building of new rigs, a process already underway now."

In addition, he said, many

companies that have entered into long-term contracts, as in the past, may not be successful in their drilling campaigns and will have to seek other companies to fulfil their contract obligations.

"It is not surprising that drilling companies are reluctant to undertake a three-well drilling programme in a remote location, such as the North Falkland Basin, when there is such high demand in their core drilling areas and Desire does not have the resources or programme to take a long-term contract; however the rig market is often subject to quite rapid changes.

"Accordingly, as the market stabilises, rig availability may well improve in 2006."

In the meantime, he said, Desire has pressed ahead with its drilling preparations "in order to be ready to drill as soon as a rig becomes available" and is also considering other ways of securing a rig.

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Another early Falklands baby

THE SECOND premature Falkland Islands baby to be born this month is resting in hospital in Santiago.

Tanya McCallum and Jimmy Curtis welcomed their son, Calvin Christopher, ten weeks early. He weighed 1.262kgs.

Tanya went into early labour at the weekend and, on Sunday evening, was flown by helicopter to Mount Pleasant where she was moved to an air ambulance for the flight to Clinica Alemana hospital in Santiago.

Calvin was born on Monday evening. His grandmother, Elaine Jaffray, yesterday reported, "Tanya is doing very well and Calvin is doing as well as we can hope for at the moment." She said the baby is breathing for himself most of the time and is being fed through an intravenous drip.

Elaine added, "I just want to say thanks to everyone who has helped us and wished us well, the support has been amazing."

Calvin was the second Falkland Islands baby born prematurely this month. Ty Wilkinson was born three months early on Tuesday last week. He remains in the British Hospital in Montevideo with his parents Johan and Alistair Wilkinson.

His aunt, Andrea Clausen, said yesterday Ty is now stable and breathing for himself. "His vital statistics are all normal and he is sleeping lots, trying to catch up after a first, rather trying week."

Andrea said Jo and Ali, along with all the family, would like to thank everyone for their kind thoughts and words: "They are very much appreciated by us all."

She added, "It has been very much a roller-coaster this week - but hopefully things will remain stable from here on in - we just don't know what to expect."

Last LegCo meeting

THE last meeting of the current Legislative Council takes place this morning. The council is expected to be dissolved some time in October, in anticipation of an election in November.

The meeting will begin at 10.30am in the Court and Council Chamber and any member of the public wishing to attend should be seated by 10.20am.

Telecoms on the agenda

TELECOMMUNICATIONS consultant, Dr Chris Doyle arrives in the Falklands tomorrow to hold a week of meetings with the government and Cable and Wireless on various issues, including tariffs and regulatory matters.

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Comment by Deputy Editor, Sharon Jaffray

SPRING has sprung Falklands style. Naturally the appearance of the first crocuses and the heavy heads of the daffodils about to burst into bloom are the more obvious signs that the growing season is upon us, however there is nothing like the smell of grass burning in the air for Islanders to know that a new farming cycle has officially begun.

On Friday evening, following a couple of typically dry, windy, spring days, the air was tinged with smoke; those new to the Falklands may have wondered what was happening - certainly Mount Pleasant was treated to the smell of spring just on dusk.

While those who abhor the age-old tradition of burning off the dead white grass to allow new shoots an early growth spurt are throwing their hands up in despair, mourning the loss of birds nests and promulgating the virtues of rotational grazing and flail mowing as preferred options for pasture improvement, there is no denying that in the right place - and at the right time - a spring burn is beneficial.

Most farmers are conservationists at heart and protect the wildlife on their land but there is often a point reached where white grass grows so thick around deep ditches that sheep cannot make their way safely through and become cast in the bogs - later in the season the ditch can become a perfect trap for lambs to fall into. This is one situation where 'dropping a match' is a quick fix and will produce some tasty new grass when the animals need it most, coming out of the winter.

I spent Saturday clambering around such bogs helping to burn some areas where the white grass had become so thick and heavy it was preventing new growth underneath. I did spare a thought for the loss of some small birds nests but consoled myself with the thought that there are plenty of alternatives for them to build new ones and birds are resilient creatures, it would seem, if the abundance of turkey vultures and johnny rooks are anything to go by.

On the subject of these rogue birds, the level of protection they have enjoyed in recent years has resulted in them multiplying to such an extent that they have once again become a real concern for some farmers. Johnny rooks, rarely seen on East Falkland ten years ago, are now patrolling in bigger groups than you find outside Michele's Cafe on a Friday night, and causing more hassle. So bad in fact, I've heard reports of large numbers of hoggetts with holes picked through their wool and into the flesh on their backs, and concerns that lambs have been born and carried off - dead or alive - are common.

Thirty years ago farm employees supplemented their income with 'bounty' money by disposing of turkeys, caranchos and geese - the latter because of the sheer amount of grass they eat. There were so many of these birds that farmers were prepared to pay what was considered good money to see the numbers reduced. There must have been a considerable threat to flocks because those guys were not renowned for just giving money away.

Nowadays the Camp's human population is more depleted than the feathered and many residents are involved in tourism in one form or another - that in itself is a form of protection for the 'photogenic' birds that are less than friendly towards sheep.

In addition, licenses have to be obtained for both burning the Camp and shooting certain birds and, while admittedly I think the Department of Agriculture has the date right for burning (license required after September 15), it does seem a shame that farmers have to wade through red tape to ensure they are caring for their flocks 'legally'.

And therein lies my point. People in Camp are not blood thirsty pyromaniacs hell bent on wiping out wildlife and barbecuing the Falklands. These people live in the Camp because it is their chosen home and, for many, being in Camp is a vocation. They're not exactly going to be eager, for lack of a better cliché, to foul their own nests are they?

And on that note, having put my matches away, I must get my 'posh frock' out, ready for tonight's Conservation Ball.

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News from the Public meeting

Broadband for Stanley by Christmas

A PRESENTATION by Cable and Wireless, on improvements to telecommunications planned to begin this year, formed the basis of the final public meeting of the current council.

The meeting was chaired by Councillor John Birmingham.

Mr Rick Hall, General Manager of Cable and Wireless, gave a PowerPoint presentation about the new services planned for Stanley and Mount Pleasant and the improvements to be made to the Camp system.

Mr Hall said the Softswitch system will allow broadband internet access and a number of Magic Touch features, including caller ID and 1471. Broadband is hoped to be in place by Christmas. A partial replacement of the Camp telephone system will be used to lengthen its life until 2007, in the hope that a new alternative will be invented to replace it.

Councillor Norma Edwards asked Mr Hall if he could realistically foresee Camp having a replacement by 2007. He responded that as technology is constantly improving, it was likely. He said his concern would be if Cable and Wireless implemented a new system now, it would soon be obsolete and, therefore a waste.

Dr Barry Elsby, who lives just outside Stanley, asked why he had to pay the same price for his phone service as Stanley residents when

it was of an inferior standard. Mr Hall said Cable and Wireless hoped to adapt its billing system to offer a better deal to Camp customers. He said the idea of an unlimited dial up option had been explored, however this would not be feasible as some customers would stay connected constantly and clog the system.

Mr Hall also told the meeting about plans for the GSM cellular phone network. He said the service would cover Stanley and Mount Pleasant and most of the road in between, possibly reaching as far as Goose Green.

He said prices for national calls and SMS text messaging would be similar to the rates charged by Orange in the UK. He added that international calls will be more expensive than the Orange price however they will be cheaper than the fixed price for calling from land lines.

He said Cable and Wireless hopes international roaming should be available in future, however a firm date is not yet known.

Mr Hall addressed the perceived health risks relating to mobile phone masts and said the recommended safety distance from masts is 42 inches. He said the levels of radio signals from the Stanley stations is much less than the UK, with only one network in place, compared to four in the UK.

Falklands/Argentine relations have 'gone backwards'

RELATIONS with Argentina have "deteriorated" during this council's four year term.

That was the judgement given by councillors at the public meeting when asked if any progress had been made.

Councillor Mike Summers said not only has there been a deterioration in the relationship between the Falkland Islands and Argentine governments but between the British and Argentine governments.

He said the Argentine government's actions over the past few years have been "well documented" and have meant the relationship has "gone slightly backwards" however it had caused little more than a "nuisance" to Islanders.

When asked by a member of the public if Argentina had fulfilled any of their agreed obligations required under the July 1999 Joint Statement, Councillor Norma Edwards said, "No, nothing at all."

In response to another query, Councillor Summers said no plans have been taken forward by Argentinians.

ExCo statement expected after FIG/Forbes ruling

A STATEMENT is expected from councillors next week, indicating what, if any, further action the government plans to take in its legal wranglings with Gordon Forbes Construction Ltd.

In court late last week, Judge Christopher Purchase's judgement revealed that the government was refused leave to appeal on their ap-

plication for the official inauguration of the Memorial at Darwin.

A number of other topics were briefly discussed at the meeting.

Councillors were asked if part time government employees are required to pay 5% pension contributions in the same way full time employees do. Councillor Birmingham said he would look into this.

Another member of the public questioned councillors about a lack of discipline and problems with bullying at the Community School. Councillor Cheek said the subject is to be discussed at the next meeting of the Education Board.

The "deplorable" way graves are back filled in Stanley cemetery was also raised at the meeting. A member of the public said people had observed trucks backing up and "un-ceremoniously" dumping of tonnes of dirt into graves.

Councillor Birmingham agreed this showed "a level of disrespect" and the panel agreed something should be done about it.

On Tuesday evening Councillor Birmingham said Executive Council would be discussing the "whole case" at its meeting (held yesterday) and would then make a press statement.

He added, "When it all comes out, the public will understand all the decisions and background."

No piggin' smoking at The Trough

A DECISION to ban smoking in Stanley's popular late night venue The Trough, home of the Fighting Pig Band has had a mixed reception.

The decision was taken, a band spokesperson said, in the interests of "the health and preferences of the majority of band members, customers who do not smoke, and those potential customers who have told the band they would love to go to The Trough but do not attend because they would not be able to tolerate the usual smoky atmosphere."

They said it was not a decision taken lightly adding, "one of our band members still smokes, and we realise that a lot of people enjoy a cigarette."

They said however, that many smokers have commented that it is a much better atmosphere within The Trough when people only smoke outside the building.

The Trough was in a much better condition, the spokesperson said, than it would have been had smoking been permitted within the building after the first non-smoking gig last Saturday. They added that normally at least a dozen or more cigarette ends are stubbed out in the carpets. "...and some people have complained about either being burned or having had their clothes burned by cigarettes whilst dancing or moving about."

While these may seem good reasons, it's not the most important, according to the spokesperson: "The main reason for banning

smoking in The Trough at all future functions is based on health grounds. Of course we welcome both smokers and non-smokers, however we only permit smoking outside the Trough building."

One person who is "not happy" about the ban is lead guitarist and vocalist Gerard (Fred) Robson.

Gerard said the decision was made in his absence and added that there was "no compromise."

One person who attended The Trough on Saturday told *Penguin News* they felt it might be a good idea to have no smoking signs near the entrance so that smokers are aware of the new policy before they pay their £4 entrance fee.

Several smoking Trough-goers have said they are sympathetic to the non smoking members of the band but thought that a no-smoking area would have been better.

Visiting drummer

The Fighting Pig Band has confirmed the visit of multi-percussionist and drummer Pete Lockett from December 7-13 for 'gigs with the Pigs.'

It is also hoped that Pete will host a drummers'/percussionists' workshop whilst in the Islands. Pete has played for an impressive list of musicians including: Björk, Texas, Daniel Bedingfield, Ronan Keating and many more.

The Shackleton Fund is funding the flight to the Falklands for Pete while the Fighting Pig Band will pay his professional fees and other costs that might occur in the Islands.

Yvonne and Ronnie go for gold



Above: Yvonne and Ronnie with grandson Dwight Joshua. Right: The couple on their wedding day.

A FALKLANDS couple who have lived in Camp all their lives will celebrate their Golden Wedding anniversary on Monday.

Ronnie and Yvonne Larsen were married by Harold Bennett 50 years ago, on September 26 at the Registrar's Office in Stanley. The marriage was witnessed by Rose and Doug Goodwin who also hosted a small reception at their home following photographs taken at the tea rooms (Stanley Cottage).

Yvonne and Rose both wore dresses purchased at Ada Jennings' shop. The wedding cake was made by Sheila Hadden.

The couple met at North Arm when Yvonne was living at the Congo with her parents and Ronnie was living in the settlement with his parents, working as a navy and carter. Ronnie began his working life at North Arm in 1949 at the tender age of 14 and remembers his very first task was to chop sticks for the galley.

After they were married, Yvonne and Ronnie went to Lion Creek to live, where Ronnie worked as a shep-



herd; they stayed there until 1967, when they moved into North Arm settlement where Ronnie took up the post of cowman gardener.

They have three daughters Betty (Miller), Josie (Joshua) and Jane (McLeod).

In 1980 the Larsens moved to Speedwell Island, in the southern Falkland Sound, to work. In 1990 Ronnie and his daughter Josie bought the island and continue to run it as a sheep farm.

Court news

Fight over case of beer leads to court

THREE men have appeared in court after an incident at Flat 9, Jersey Road on September 18.

In court on Thursday, Christopher Hawksworth (29) entered no plea to charges of affray, resisting arrest and causing criminal damage, while Adrian Minnell (36) also entered no plea to a charge of resisting arrest. They will both reappear in court on October 5, when the Senior Magistrate, Mrs Clare Faulds, said she hoped to hear a plea.

The third man, Murray Wade Rigs, a marine scientist technician with the seismic survey vessel *GSI Admiral*, entered a plea of guilty to a charge of affray.

The court heard how a fight had broken outside the home of Trina Berntsen at 11.25pm on September 18 after a group went there for a party after drinking at the Globe Tavern.

Mr Rigs (42) had taken excep-

tion to Mr Hawksworth and Minnell taking a case of beer from the party when they left, as he felt he had paid towards it. A fight broke out between the three men and the police were called.

Mrs Faulds said she had taken into consideration Mr Rigs' cooperation with the police and early guilty plea and that he had taken full responsibility for his actions. He was fined £75 and ordered to pay £70 prosecution costs.

Bound over

On Tuesday, Trina Berntsen was bound over to keep the peace for one year following her involvement in an incident in the Globe Tavern.

On July 11 Ms Berntsen had been abusive and used threatening words towards Barry O'Dean.

Senior Magistrate Clare Faulds said Ms Berntsen should take it as a formal warning that her behaviour is unacceptable and is considered a breach of the peace.

Quark and Freiremar pay prosecution costs

FISHING Companies Quark Ltd and Freiremar AS were ordered to pay prosecution costs totalling £19,638 in court last Friday.

Senior Magistrate Clare Faulds said the penalties had been "imposed equally" between the two fishing companies who were fined

for exceeding licence quotas and that costs would be applied on the same basis, with additional costs borne by Quark for the *Jacqueline* offences.

Therefore Freiremar is to pay £6,365 and Quark will pay the balance of £13,273.

Keeping our children safe



CHILDREN from the Infant and Junior School visited Hillside Camp this week for their annual mine awareness lectures from the team at the Explosive Ordnance Disposal Unit.

Pictured above are Year 4 students with Cpl 'H' Harris, LCpl Joe Joseph, Spr Sam Newton and WO2 Mick Owen.

A mountain-top mission for Charlie Company

THE wild reputation of the South Atlantic did nothing to dissuade the new Roulement Infantry Company (RIC) from carrying out a week long patrol of wintery South Georgia.

The seven-man patrol from Charlie Company of the first Battalion the King's Own Scottish Borderers arrived back in the Falklands last week from the mission which aimed to test the capabilities of the company in trying Antarctic conditions.

HMS Dumbarton Castle took the patrol, commanded by 2Lt Giles Barnett, across smooth seas in splendid weather towards the British Dependency, 800 miles South East of the Falklands.

Three days of sailing delivered the patrol to King Edward Point where they disembarked and, clad in arctic whites, snowshoes with ski poles in hand, they tabbed four kilometres across the mountains to Miviken, deemed a suitable place to spend the night.

A military spokesperson said the going across the mountain was tough for the relatively inexperienced patrol, "but they soon mastered the art of using snowshoes and picking the right line across the softer snow and were moving with speed and style."

The next morning was dedicated to testing radio communications back to the Falklands and watching the wildlife in this un-



Above: The Patrol from Charlie Company pose for a photo atop the majestic mountains of South Georgia; Left: With full kit to carry, the expedition is far from a walk in the park.

spoilt Antarctic paradise. With comms established, the patrol then returned via the high mountain pass to Grytviken where the soldiers were able to learn about the history of this small island and the whaling and sealing industries

traditionally associated with it.

The value of the exercise was stressed by the military spokesperson: "It, very importantly, proved that the RIC have the ability and capability of running patrols in the midwinter in a very

testing environment.

"They will have a further opportunity to hone these skills in future planned patrols in October and November of this year, and in the New Year with the incoming Alpha Company."

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Funds requested for exercise machines

A PROPOSAL for improvements to the exercise facilities at Stanley Leisure Centre is to be discussed by councillors today.

A paper prepared by the Leisure Centre Manager, Mr Steve Dent, will ask Standing Finance Committee to provide funding for a number of new exercise machines and space to house them.

The machines facility in the Leisure Centre has had a steady decline in users over the past two years for a number of reasons including the rapid deterioration of the machines and the size of the room used to house them - the original use for this room was a storage cupboard.

The preferred option, according to Mr Dent, is to convert one of the Leisure Centre squash courts

and increase the number of machines on offer.

This would require investment of just under £45,000 which would be repaid in four years. This would allow for the purchase of two exercise bikes, two treadmills, two cross trainers, two rowers and a multigym and includes the funds required to refurbish the squash court.

In his paper, Mr Dent stresses the need for major change to keep the machines room a viable option. He adds, "The Leisure Centre and the hospital are currently undertaking a review of the exercise referral scheme and the re-development of the machines room with room for adaption will ensure that progress is made.

Two councillors at Fiji conference

FALKLANDS councillors have been overseas to represent the Islands at two Commonwealth Parliamentary Association (CPA) conferences in Fiji.

Councillors Ian Hansen and Richard Cockwell took part in the CPA plenary conference and small countries conference held early this month. Councillor Hansen told Falklands Radio this week the small countries conference - which includes any country with less than 400,000 people - was the one which "was more important to us."

He said topics sessions were held on "the impact of information technology on small countries, networking for development, fair trade for developing countries and the impact of natural disasters and global warming."

The two Falklands councillors also attended a regional meeting for the British Isles and the Mediterranean and the remainder of the time in Fiji involved plenary sessions which all the countries attended.

Councillor Hansen commented, "It was very interesting to talk to the other countries and provinces and to hear how they cope with the same problems we have.

"For instance, a lot of the small countries have the same problem we do with exporting because they are so far from anywhere."

He added, "It is always interesting to talk to people when the meetings have finished to hear how their governments are run and how the governments of some of the smaller places operate."

British rebuttal of sovereignty claims

THE British Government has officially rebutted remarks about the sovereignty of the Falkland Islands made by senior Argentine officials.

In response to remarks made by Nestor Kirchner, the Argentine president, and Foreign Minister Rafael Bielsa, the UK Mission to the UN provided statements which reiterated the "great importance" Britain attaches to the principle of self-determination.

"The elected representatives of the Falkland Islands once again ex-

pressed their own views clearly when they visited the United Nations for this year's debate in the UN Committee of 24. They asked the Committee to recognise that they, like any other people, were entitled to exercise the right of self-determination. They reiterated that the people of the Falkland Islands did not wish for any change in the status of the Islands.

"There can be no negotiations on the sovereignty of the Falkland Islands unless and until such time as the Islanders so wish."

Rig unavailability delays Desire's drilling

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In particular, Dr Phipps said, Desire continues to receive approaches from companies interested in participating in the North Falkland Basin, "...and, although another farm-in partner is not required to finance the project, should a potential farminee have access to a rig it might be to the Group's advantage to reach an agreement with them. As a consequence, the Group continues to welcome such approaches."

On the plus side, Dr Phipps said,

the increase in the oil price means that Desire's drilling prospects, should they result in discoveries, are likely to be "twice as valuable as indicated in the Prospectus for the Placing and Open Offer" published in February 2005, in which a maximum oil price of \$30/barrel was assumed, even taking into account increasing costs. "It is particularly pleasing, therefore, that, as already announced, the Group has identified additional prospects in Tranches C and D and has acquired a 100% interest in Tranche F."

Falklands at TravelMart



Jenny Luxton of Stanley Services Ltd on her stand

THE Falklands have once again been well represented at Travel Mart Latin America.

This year's show was held in Lima, Peru from 14th - 16th September, 21 years since the event was last hosted by the Land of the Incas.

International Tours and Travel (ITT) Ltd, represented by Sally Ellis, and Stanley Services, represented by Jenny Luxton, were among 250 supplier organisations representing every country in Latin America.

This was International Tours and Travel Ltd's fifth attendance at the show and, Sally said, "...the continued positive impact and results of our attendance encourage us to pursue exhibiting at this, the most important and productive event of the year for increasing travel to South and Central America."

Travel Mart uses a perfect match system of scheduled appointments over the two days of business which means time is spent productively as suppliers meet only with buyers who have a genuine interest in the Falklands and their product.

Sally commented, "This is hugely important when there are over 300 buyer organisations from all over the world.

"With each supplier having 45 meetings scheduled over the two days and extra meetings on a more casual basis over working lunches and at the social events we manage to renew contact with existing clients but also make new acquaintances in the hope that it will result in the Falklands appearing on a new website or in a brochure that will reach an as yet untapped market."

She added that "general networking" is also valuable as it, "...brings to light interesting and useful information which will assist the Falklands tourism industry to target their marketing and advertising efforts.

"The most repeated comment for me over the week was that in

light of the terrorist threat around the world, South America is now viewed as the safe continent - so I stressed at each meeting that you don't really get much safer than the Falklands!"

Sally added that buyers from southern Europe felt their clients are slightly less adventurous than travellers from northern Europe (a relatively big market for Falklands tourism), "...and tend to require much more in depth information about their destination - something which we as an industry, with the support of the Tourist Board, can work on.

"It was also interesting to hear confirmation that it is the recent release of the film about Emperor penguins that has spurred a flurry of enquiries, and subsequent bookings, from the USA."

In a new move this year, International Tours and Travel Ltd was represented not only as a supplier, but also as a buyer. Agent Bruce Wilks had a full schedule of meetings with suppliers, "...enabling ITT to update ourselves on products available within South and Central America - crucial to be able to keep offering the best service within our outbound department, and ensure that we are using the best supplier in each country."

Despite major traffic congestion problems which meant that every transfer between the hotels and conference centre or any social event took almost double the time allocated, the event was extremely well hosted, Sally reported.

"The opening cocktail party was hosted in El Convento de los Descalzos, a beautiful convent dating back to the 17th century, with plenty of typical Peruvian music and dancing depicting the three natural regions of Peru.

"The closing dinner was held in the Real Felipe fortress dating back to 1747 built to defend the city from pirates who plundered the city in the 16th century."

Next year the show heads to Panama City.

Artist, musician and friend: a tribute to the late Mike Peake

by Patrick Watts,
with valuable contributions
from John Allan, Don Bonner
and members of Mike's
family.

BORN in Pontefract in Yorkshire, Arthur Peake sailed from Britain for the Falklands in 1959 at the age of 20, carrying a suitcase in one hand and a guitar in the other.

By the time he reached the Islands he had become known as Mike (although I'm reliably told that his mother continued to refer to him as 'Our Arthur' until she died.) But how did this change of name come about? Very soon after the ship sailed, a regular group gathered at the bar every night and this included two people named Arthur. Our own incomparable Harold Rowlands was part of this group and in the forthright and efficient manner that he became accustomed to, said simply, 'We can't have two Arthurs,' and turning to Arthur Peake said, "You will have to be Mike." So for the next 46 years he was known locally as Mike Peake.

Much later in life it is interesting to note that his son was not named Arthur – he was called Michael. He was also father to Bernadette and Alison and was a proud grandfather to Isaac, Cody and little Louie, who he was heading off to England to meet, when his untimely passing occurred.

Mike initially arrived in the Falklands to work as an electronics technician at the Radio Space Research Station (known locally as RSRS) on the site of the old Ionospheric Station on Davis Street East, which then was just about as far out of town as you wished to go. The building now houses the offices of Sullivan Shipping.

Mike first lodged with Mary Goodwin and her son Laurie – they also ran a dairy – before moving into five-star accommodation, a Nissan Hut at an area known as the German Camp. One of these Nissans can still be seen at the top of Philomel Hill.

It was not long before his musical talent was being appreciated by radio listeners all over the Falklands. He formed a small folk group called 'The Satellites' with another RSRS lad, Doughy Baker, and they soon recruited a vocalist, school teacher Ann Porteous who had recently arrived in the Islands. The trio recorded a series of 15 programmes and one of their songs was soon being sung on every sheep farm and all around Stanley: 'Freight train, freight train going so fast'....

Mike was what we call an 'educated' full back on the football field. Never a first teamer but always good enough for the second eleven, and typical of the guy, his distribution of the ball was excellent with pin-point passes. He could also throw a good dart.

On the stage at many an Amateur Dramatic Society production, Mike was in demand. He was a man who could take virtually any part he wanted and who can ever forget his performance as the old gardener in 'Arsenic and Old Lace'?

His working career continued in the Falklands when the European Space Research operation centre in Darmstadt was formed. A new satellite tracking station was built at the west end of Stanley harbour, known locally as ESRO and Mike worked there from 1967 until 1973 ending up as Station Manager. The high tower had a mas-

sive array of coloured lights which were a novelty in the Falklands and they could be seen for miles around.

At some stage during those years of ESRO, a No.1 best selling record in England was a recording by Desmond Decker and the Aces called 'The Israelites'. Someone listening to the record for the first time here on the crackly BBC World Service transmission misheard the title of the song, and very soon word swept through Stanley that Mike Peake had written a No 1 hit called the 'ESRO lights!'

On October 1, 1973 Mike joined the Post and Telecommunications Department of Government as a Technician. The P and T's headquarters was the radio station, where I then worked. Also under the auspices of the technicians was the old manual telephone exchange.

His technical knowledge was soon apparent. Our old turntables had no system which enabled us to monitor the record before it was ready to start, so often the last few grooves of the previous record would be heard – quite embarrassing. Mike soon installed a small monitor speaker system for each turntable that delighted all of us operators and budding disc jockeys at FIBS.

He was given the task of installing the new AEL transceivers that replaced the old R/T sets. He was proud to say that he had visited practically every Falklands settlement and island while on this mission.

I remember he started talking about computers long before most of us even knew the word existed. "Government will have to get moving on this and no-one is bothering," he would worriedly say. Appropriately in 1986 when the Computer Section was established it was

Mike who was appointed as the first Computer Coordinator. He continued to supervise the upgrading and enhancement of the system until he retired from the Public Service on September 1, 1999.

Sometimes when you walk into a pub there are people you hope not to meet, but you always wished, if you visited the Globe, that Mike might be there, because you could be sure of an absorbing and interesting debate with him on any subject you wished to raise. He was brilliant in conversation – but don't mention conversation – it was not his favourite topic.

I'm told that days after he first arrived in the Falklands, Mike vowed never to live anywhere else. He was passionate about the Islands and had an exceptional artistic talent to match this passion. With oils and varnish he had no equal – sometimes being able to produce a breath-taking landscape in just 30 minutes. Driving along he would suddenly shout "Stop!" His unbelievable quick eye for a possible picture would click into action. An old fence line and a piece of fading gorse bush would come alive when he got back home and got out his brushes.

Following his retirement he made many visits to Sea Lion Island and Carcass Island, capturing their mood and ruggedness in his paintings.

In ten, twenty, fifty and even one hundred years time, in places such as Port Louis where the Gildings have a remarkable collection, throughout Britain, Australia, New Zealand, Canada and who knows where else in the world, our future generations will point to a landscape on the wall and say, 'Mike Peake painted that' – his legend will live on and on.

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DEVASTATING disasters and troubles seem to be engulfing the world, causing distress and disillusionment to many people.

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However, in spite of all the advantages, lots of people lack real peace of mind and inward happiness, and I think one of the reasons for this is the neglect of reading the Holy Bible and thus the great hope it offers is lost. This hope is described in the Bible as "the peace of God which passeth all understanding."

The real benefits come from reading the Bible oneself and not from listening to what other people

think it says.

To help your readers make Bible reading a habit, and to read the whole Bible in a year by reading selected portions each day I shall be pleased to send a free copy of a 20 page 'Bible Readers Calendar' for 2006 to any who cares to write for one.

I make this gesture now so that they will get it in time to put into action a New Year's resolution to read the Bible daily and gain the joy, peace of mind and true hope the Bible offers.

Marcus Heaster
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Girls 'patrolling' the streets in 1903

THE subject of children wandering the streets has been the cause of much discussion and one might consider it a relatively new phenomena. Interesting - not.

Whilst reading the 1998 copy of *The Kelper* produced by the Falkland Islands Community School, I came across a very interesting excerpt from the *Falkland Islands Magazine* entitled 'Girls.'

I quote: "Can nothing be done to stop the constant patrolling of the streets at night by girls, some of them so young that they are still in short frocks. What do the Fathers and Mothers expect these girls to become when they grow up? The parents are now sowing

the wind and most assuredly shall reap the whirlwind. Why cannot the Police 'run in' girls found wandering about after dark without suitable protectors. A week's bread and water would work off their extra animal spirits and a charge of 1/6 a day for their keep would appeal to the second softest spot on their careless parents...the pocket."

This was printed in 1903.

I have to admit it's a little sexist: what about the young men walking around at night in their short trousers, what became of them?

Gina Smith
Stanley

A sweet gesture from new friends

STANLEY couple Norman and June Besley Clark have received gifts from a couple they hosted when passengers from the *MS Amsterdam* were unable to return to their cruise ship in Port William in February due to high winds.

Bill and Mary Jane Steinhart spent some time putting together a selection of items from their country which included a five pound Hershey's Bar from Bill's hometown of Hershey in Pennsylvania. Bill said in his letter to June and Norman it is his favourite gift for friends and can only be purchased at Hershey's Chocolate World in Hershey Park.

The Steinharts said they were so taken with the "wonderful generosity and hospitality" offered by the Clark family and the people of Stanley that the subject was the first item they told their friends when asked about their cruise. "This mishap turned out to be one of the highlights of the cruise."

Mr and Mrs Steinhart said they have been monitoring Falkland news on the internet and



June Clark with the massive bar of chocolate. Picture N Clark were interested to read of the local reaction following the *Amsterdam* passenger stranding. What impressed them most was that the reaction was not negative, "but one of being better prepared in the future."

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Memory Lane: there's little new

I ENJOYED A Trip Down Memory Lane in last week's *PN* (16 September) and I hope it's going to be a regular feature.

Apart from the interest aspect, I think it helps us keep a sense of perspective - for whether it's planning or partying, sovereignty or storms, bogging or bullying - even the hole in the ozone - they've all been around for a very long time.

On the same theme, I was impressed with Layla Crowie's take in the editorial on the current is-

sues concerning local teenagers.

There's nothing new about that either and there are many old pensioners, myself included, who will remember hanging around Hardy's corner.

While I'm handing out bouquets, I'd like to applaud whoever cleared up the raggedy old plastic fencing around the trees on the south side of H Jones Road; it looks a treat.

Joyce Allan
Stanley

'Mindless vandalism' making mud tracks

BEING someone who enjoys walking and the fresh air, I felt I just had to write to your paper and voice my anger and disgust at the state of some of the grass areas at Surf Bay and the appalling mess at Canopus Hill.

For people just to aimlessly drive around in circles and turn

grassy areas into mud tracks, to me is mindless vandalism and should be stopped. If this sort of behaviour is classed as entertainment or recreation, all I can say is that these people must lead very sad lives indeed.

Ileen Smith
Stanley

Atmosphere

Landscapes of the Falkland Islands
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DESIGN IN NATURE

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This new book by father and daughter team Ian Strange & Georgina Strange presents a series of photographic images in colour of the Falkland Islands not often portrayed. This lavishly illustrated book showcases not only the changing atmospheres, but also the variety of wild and beautiful landscapes these islands embrace.

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Wined, dined and serenaded at high altitude

By Rob Burnett

WHEN Hermina Graham of BFBS radio bounded into the *Penguin News* office a few weeks ago rattling a bucket of money and waving raffle tickets for Wireless for the Blind, I paid my £5, took my ticket and thought how lucky the winner of this particular prize would be.

A flight around the Falklands for two, with a five course meal served on board the RAF VC-10 aircraft during the flight.

Two weeks later I was on my way out of the office when the draw was taking place. Pausing momentarily, I thought the number drawn sounded familiar, and yes, it was indeed my mine. I spent that Friday night in the Victory Bar on the receiving end of varying emotions from congratulations to, more commonly, envy, generally along the lines of people muttering, "lucky bugger" through forced smiles.

A couple of weeks later, I am standing on the tarmac at Mount Pleasant Airfield, sipping champagne and having my picture taken with Pippa Lang, the lucky lady chosen from thousands of applicants to accompany me on the trip - well, all right, chosen from two, but the competition was fierce.

After all the photos and our surely award-winning acting debut

Below: A shot, captured by Pippa, of the two Tornado aircraft which took fuel from the VC-10 during the flight



(seen on BFBS Reports). Pip and I are feeling a bit like Posh and Becks, although Pip is a better singer and I'm a better penalty taker - and I'm not even that good at penalties.

We board the aircraft and I am given the jump seat in the cockpit for take off. Headphones on and sat there as the crew do their final checks it's just like *Memphis Belle* I think, except hopefully we should make it back without any perilous danger to overcome (they assure me the tyres are all fully inflated).

Soon we are cruising over Darwin and Goose Green and then out over Falkland Sound with a perfect view of Swan Island. I am called back to the cabin where I am informed dinner is about to be served. Our very own Maitre'd (actually a Hercules pilot named Spike) complete with bow tie and dinner jacket, serves us wine while guitar music is provided by a wandering minstrel who also has a day job with 1312 Flight.

After a starter of duck and the fish course, we are joined outside by two Tornado fighters which dart around us playfully before connecting to the trailing fuel lines and commence mid-air refuelling. While conducting this operation, the VC-10 often changes direction and it is fascinating to watch the Tornado



Above: Rob and Pippa raise a toast during their VC-10 flight

pilots react, gently altering their own position to compensate. Fully fuelled, the Tornados disconnect and then, with the red glow from their afterburners, shoot off into the distance like bullets.

Our flight course took us from Mount Pleasant over the Sound and across West Falkland to Byron Heights. From there we went south and then turned and flew up the length of the Sound to San Carlos where we headed east for Stanley.

After the sorbet, main course, desert and coffee (and a drop more wine), we got our first glimpse of town. From such a height the capital looks tiny and it seems impossible that anywhere could be governed and run from such a small collection of buildings on the side of a hill.

We come around again and this time do a low fly past of the town at 500 feet. There is a great view from this height with the inevitable cries of, "I can see my house from here."

Then it is back to MPA and Pip is strapped into the jump seat as we

approach the runway, touch down and then take off again, all in one move. I swap places with Pip as we came in for the final landing and the end of what was an amazing flight.

From the friendliness of the crew, to the service of our waiter, the sight of the Tornados, to the excellent food prepared by the chefs from the Officer's Mess and In Flight catering, the whole experience was absolutely fantastic.

As civilians, Pippa and I were extremely lucky to have been given this unique opportunity to enjoy this very special flight and for that thanks must go to Hermina at BFBS, the Chief of Staff, Group Captain Moulds, the VC-10 crew, Sqn Ldr Spike Flynn, our guitarist Cpl Simon Chubb, and of course the chefs Cpl Jason Woollett and Flt Sgt Paul Phillips.

For a mere fiver, this experience was a complete bargain, so if BFBS are ever able to run a similar competition, I urge you to snap up the tickets as you will enjoy a flight you will never forget.

PUBLIC NOTICE THE PLANNING ORDINANCE 1991 NOTICE OF PLANNING APPLICATIONS RECEIVED

Notice is hereby given that the following applications for planning permission have been received

Application No / Address / Description / Developer

- 104/03/R05 23 Fitzroy Road, Stanley. Renewal of temporary Planning Permission for change of use of Portakabin from upholstery workshop to granary - Mr M Jackson
- 12/05/DP South side of Bill Roberts Way, Stanley. Detailed plans for erection of warehouse and security fence - Stanley Services Ltd
- 108/05/PB 11 Callaghan Road, Stanley. Re-siting of Portakabin for use as domestic garage/workshop - Mrs D Davies
- 109/05/PB Plot 18, Lookout Industrial Estate, Stanley. Erection of shed to use as garage and store - Mr M K Heathman
- 110/05/PB 6 Hansen Hill, Stanley. Erection of dwelling - Mr S Floyd
- 111/05/PB 1 Barrack Street, Stanley. Change of use of part of ground floor to offices - Kilmartin Marlor Legal Practitioners
- 113/05/P North wall at 5 Crozier Place, Stanley. Erection of company sign - Morrison Falklands Ltd
- 114/05/PB Rear of 4 Pioneer Row, Stanley. Erection of dwelling - Miss A Alazia
- 115/05/PB 54 Davis Street, Stanley. Replacement of existing extension & resiting and replacement of fuel tank - Miss M Clausen
- 116/05/PB Stanley Electrical, Dean Street, Stanley. Extension of building - Stanley Electrical Ltd.
- 117/05/PB North side of Town Hall, Ross Road, Stanley. Erect 20 metre lattice (GSM Mobile telephone) tower - Cable & Wireless

The next Planning & Building Committee meeting at which these applications will be considered is due to be held on Thursday, 6th October 2005 in the Liberation Room, Secretariat, commencing at 9.00 a.m. Members of the Public may attend to observe the workings of the Committee.

Environmental Planning Department, P.O. Box 611, Stanley
Public Notice No: 10/05

Up-to-date Islands in *Footprint* guide

A "MUCH improved and more accurate" entry on the Falkland Islands in the latest edition of the *South American Handbook* could benefit businesses, the Tourist Board hopes.

When staff of the Tourist Board saw the 2005 edition, (released in October 2004) they were surprised to find that some of the information was inaccurate and in some cases, years out of date.

"Also, there was such a lot of detail missing, and it didn't do justice to what a traveller could expect to find here in the Falklands," Director of Tourism Connie Stevens said.

So, after much communication with the publishers, they were able to get the changes made for this year's edition, "...which will hopefully benefit tourism service providers across the Islands."

The *Handbook* is a highly regarded guide for anyone travelling to South America and is one of few travel guides to include a reasonably comprehensive section on the Islands, although, Mrs Stevens, would like it to be better still.

"Having read the previous edition, I was amazed to find so much information missing and also to find inaccurate information, to the extent that there were businesses still listed that had ceased trading years ago.

"It wasn't just the fact that there were a number of services not listed, but it could have given the wrong impression to the prospective visitor as there is so much more available for the tourist than the *Handbook's* entry suggested."

A lengthy update was



provided to the publisher by the Tourist Board and many of these changes have now been incorporated into this year's guide.

The Tourist Board was also able to bring about an improvement in the initial contents section of the *Handbook*. In previous years editions, they noted, all countries represented by the *Handbook*, with the exception of the Falklands, were introduced by the inclusion of a small map in the front section, however, the Falklands simply received a mention, with no map to show the reader clearly where we are located.

Although space was tight, the publisher agreed to incorporate this for the Falklands, so in the 2006 edition, there is a map to clearly pinpoint where the Falkland Islands are located.

Mrs Stevens commented, "The *South American Handbook* is considered to be the main guide for travellers to this part of the world. The *Observer* calls this the 'Grandfather of all guidebooks'. Matthew Parris of *The Times*, simply calls it 'the Classic'. So it was particularly important that the correct information was published within it and that more aspects were included, to be able to whet the appetite of the prospective visitor with a more comprehensive Falklands entry."

This year many more businesses are benefiting from a mention in the guide, with 21 listed for the first time, many who have been around for some time, but were simply not mentioned in previous issues.

"There was the possibility that the last few editions could have made us look like a 'one horse town' as they did not reflect the range and variety of services available to the visitor.

"Now, anyone who buys this guidebook will get a better and more accurate account of what the Falklands have to offer and we hope it will encourage many more people to visit us."

Mrs Stevens said the Tourist Board was grateful to the publishers for accommodating the changes in this year's guide and added, "If you are involved in tourism and receive an enquiry as a direct result of the Falkland Islands entry in the 2006 edition of the *South American Handbook*, please drop an email to the Tourist Board to let us know, at jettycentre@horizon.co.fk."

Stamps carry work of Falklands artist



Fitzroy and HMS William Scoresby at Deception Island, Operation Tabarin

PAINTINGS used in the Falklands stamp issue to commemorate the 60th anniversary of the Allied Victory were from the brush of a former dentist in the Islands.

Gerald Roberts, 82, of Harbour House, Sherriffs Brae, was born in the Falklands at Hambledon house. His father, Captain David Roberts was the manager of the Falkland Islands Company at the time.

Paintings of ships with which his father was associated and which played a key role in establishing Antarctic bases for Britain are used as illustrations on the two £1 stamps. The same two vessels appear side by side on the third painting, which was used on the first day cover for the stamp issue.

Talking to John Thompson of the *Press and Journal* Mr Roberts said: "One of the boats was the *Fitzroy* and the other was the *William Scoresby*, a research ship studying whale migration which was converted to a minesweeper during the war.

"The *Fitzroy*, under Captain Keith Pitt, was sent on a secret operation to the Antarctic in 1943 to establish bases, and my father went along. The idea was to have bases to combat German surface raiders, one of whom who had captured the Norwegian whaling fleet down there."

Mr Roberts, a retired orthodontic consultant worked as a dentist in the Falklands from 1947 to 1950.

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Public Works Department invites suitably qualified or experienced builders to quote for the repair and associated small works to the Glass Store and Tyre Bay Building at Megabid, Stanley. It should be noted that it is a condition of this contract that the works be undertaken during November and December 2005.

A copy of the specification and scope of works are available from the Maintenance Manager's Office at PWD. Completed quotations are required to be submitted to the General Office of the Public Works Department by 0900hrs on the 17th. October 2005.

The Falkland Islands Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest of any quotation.

Damian returns to take the helm at BFBS Falklands

THERE'S a new man in charge of the British Forces Broadcasting Service in the Falklands.

Damian Watson (36) has taken up a two year posting as the new BFBS Station Manager, joining presenters Adam Small and Hermina Graham, a former DJ with the Falkland Islands Broadcasting Station.

This is Damian's second posting to the Falklands; he was here before, "...as a young, single DJ, in 1994, on a five-month detachment."

His twelve year career with BFBS has taken him around the globe, to places as diverse as Brunei, Germany, Hong Kong and Iraq



and several tours at BFBS UK, most recently as the Programme Director for BFBS Radio 2. Es-

entially he has "job-swapped" with former manager, Richard Hutchinson who is now Programme Director for Radio 2.

Damian says he has "fond memories" of the Falklands from 1994 and adds, "...it's good to be back at a station that has such an important role to play in the community."

This DJ can not only talk music; he is one half of duo Barketta, playing drums and bass guitar, and has just released an album. "It's melodic pop/rock a la Crowded House/Beatles/Coldplay."

Take a look at the band's website www.barketta.co.uk.



PENGUIN NEWS has five copies of Barketta's new album to give away, signed by Damian and his musical partner, singer Mike Fitzgerald.

To enter the draw, simply contact *Penguin News* with the correct answer to the following question:

What optical charity does BFBS support every year?



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Information Pullout

24 - 30 September 2005

TIDES AROUND THE ISLANDS

Date	0255	0.78	Moonrise	0449	The times and heights of high and low tides (in metres) at Stanley. Time given is FMT. Add 1 hour for Stanley Summertime For Camp, make the following changes: Fox Bay + 2 hrs 30m Roy Cove + 3 hrs 30m Port Howard + 3hrs 19m Teal Inlet + 3 hrs 30m Sea Lion Is + 1 hr 15m Port Stephens + 3hrs 15m Hill Cove + 4hrs Berkeley Sound + 1 hr 11m Port San Carlos + 2 hr 55m Darwin Harbour - 56m
SAT	0920	1.55	Moonset	1224	
	1618	0.52	28	0327 1.21	
	2319	1.19	WED	0830 0.94	
Sunrise	0635			1423 1.37	
Sunset	1852			2118 0.49	
Moonrise	0229		Sunrise	0626	
Moonset	0924		Sunset	1858	
25	0334	0.90	Moonrise	0516	
SUN	1017	1.45	Moonset	1335	
	1755	0.59	29	0403 1.26	
Sunrise	0633		THUR	0919 0.81	
Sunset	1853			1518 1.43	
Moonrise	0331			2153 0.45	
Moonset	1013		Sunrise	0624	
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	1137	1.37	Moonset	1448	
	1928	0.59	30	0428 1.31	
Sunrise	0630		FRI	0954 0.68	
Sunset	1855			1600 1.49	
Moonrise	0419			2225 0.42	
Moonset	1114		Sunrise	0621	
27	0220	1.15	Sunset	1901	
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	1307	1.34	Moonset	1559	
	2033	0.54			
Sunrise	0628				
Sunset	1856				

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Opening Schedule Commencing Saturday 24th SEPTEMBER 2005

Swimming Pool		Sports Hall / Squash Courts	
SATURDAY 24th SEPTEMBER 2005			
Canoing	10:00-11:00		Public
Public	11:00-14:00		Public
Private Hire	14:00-15:00		Public
Public	15:00-16:00		Public
Adults	16:00-18:00		Public
CLUBS ON TODAY			
Between 12:00-13:00 Junior Activities			
SUNDAY 25th SEPTEMBER 2005			
Public	11:00-17:00		Public
Adults	17:00-19:00		Public
Between 11:00-12:00 Junior Activities			
CLUBS ON TODAY			
TABLE TENNIS CLUB (FITTA) 3:00 - 5:00 PM SHORT TENNIS CLUB 3:00 - 5:00 PM FOOTBALL CLUB 6:00 - 7:00 PM			
MONDAY 26th SEPTEMBER 2005			
School	09:00-10:00	School	
OAP - Physio, Adults, Parents & Toddlers	10:00-12:00	School	
Lanes (Adults) (2 Lanes Swim Club)	12:00-13:00	Public	
OAP - Physio, Adults, Parents & Toddlers	13:00-15:00	School	
Closed	15:00-16:00	Public	
S.L.C. Swim School	16:00-17:00	Public	
Public - (2 Lanes Adults Swims)	17:15-19:00	Public	
Adults	19:00-21:00	Public	
CLUBS ON TODAY			
S.L.C. SWIM SCHOOL 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM BADMINTON CLUB 7:00 - 8:00 PM			
TUESDAY 27th SEPTEMBER 2005			
School	09:00-10:00	School	
OAP - Physio, Adults, Parents & Toddlers	10:00-12:00	School	
Lanes (Adults)	12:00-13:00	Public	
OAP - Physio, Adults, Parents & Toddlers	13:00-16:00	School	
Stanley Swimming Club	16:00-17:00	Public	
Public - (1 Lane Swimming Club)	17:00-18:00	Public	
Public	18:00-19:00	Public	
Ladies Hour	19:00-20:00	Public	
Private Hire	20:00-21:00	Public	
CLUBS ON TODAY			
STANLEY SWIMMING CLUB 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM NETBALL CLUB 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM LADIES S.A. SIDE 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM FOOTBALL CLUB 8:00 - 9:00 PM			
WEDNESDAY 28th SEPTEMBER 2005			
School	09:00-10:00	Public	
OAP - Physio, Adults, Parents & Toddlers	10:00-12:00	Public	
Lanes (Adults) (2 Lanes Swim Club)	12:00-13:00	Public	
OAP - Physio, Adults, Parents & Toddlers	13:00-14:00	School	
Closed	14:00-16:00	Public	
S.L.C. Swim School	16:00-17:00	Public	
Public	17:00-19:00	Public	
Adults	19:00-21:00	Public	
CLUBS ON TODAY			
S.L.C. SWIM SCHOOL 4:00 PM - 4:45 PM VOLLEYBALL CLUB 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM CRICKET CLUB 8:00 PM - 9:00 PM			
THURSDAY 29th SEPTEMBER 2005			
Closed for Cleaning	09:00-12:00	School	
Closed for Cleaning	12:00-13:00	Public	
Closed for Cleaning	13:00-15:00	School	
Closed for Cleaning	15:00-16:00	Public	
S.L.C. Swim School	16:00-17:00	Public	
Public - (2 Lanes Adults Swims)	17:00-19:00	Public	
Adults	19:00-21:00	Public	
CLUBS ON TODAY			
S.L.C. SWIM SCHOOL 4:00 PM - 4:45 PM HOCKEY CLUB 6:00 - 7:00 PM SQUASH CLUB 8:00 - 8:30 PM BADMINTON CLUB 7:00 - 8:00 PM			
FRIDAY 30th SEPTEMBER 2005			
School	09:00-10:00	School	
OAP - Physio, Adults, Parents & Toddlers	10:00-12:00	School	
Lanes (Adults) (2 Lanes Swim Club)	12:00-13:00	Public	
OAP - Physio, Adults, Parents & Toddlers	13:00-16:00	School	
Stanley Swimming Club	16:00-17:00	Public	
Public - (1 Lane Swimming Club)	17:00-18:00	Public	
Public	18:00-19:00	Public	
Adults	19:00-20:00	Public	
CLUBS ON TODAY			
STANLEY SWIMMING CLUB 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM JUNIOR CRICKET CLUB 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM			

CLUBS AND CONTACTS

CHURCH SERVICES

CATHEDRAL SUNDAY.
8am Holy Communion (BCP) 10am Morning Service & Junior Church 7pm Evening Service
Tel: 21100/Fax 21842, The Deanery, 17 Ross Road, Stanley
Rector - Rev Paul Sweeting.
TABERNACLE - Barrack Street (free church)
Sunday Services 10.00am and 7.00pm
Family Service second Sunday morning of the month.
Communion first Sunday morning and third Sunday evening of the month.
Midweek Bible Study Tuesday 7.30pm at 2 Drury Street
St. MARY'S SUNDAY. 10am (MPA 6.30pm).
Week days: 9am
St. CUTHBERT'S (MPA)
SUN 10.30am All-age Worship
Every 2nd Sun Communion
6.30pm Holy Mass
Mon: 07.00am Mass
Other activities will be posted as and when they are arranged

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Saturday 24th September

- 8.30 ROOM 785
- 8.40 TAZ-MANIA A
- 9.00 KERCHING! Comedy drama series
- 9.30 BLUE PETER
- 10.00 DICK AND DOM IN DA BUNGALOW
- 12.00 TOTP RELOADED
- 12.45 SPORTSROUND
- 1.00 NEWS
- 1.10 FOOTBALL FOCUS
- 2.00 GRANDSTAND
- 6.15 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
- 6.25 THE O.C.
- 7.10 VIDEO EXCLUSIVE Exclusive first play of the brand new video for Robbie Williams' long awaited new single Tripping
- 7.15 CASUALTY
- 8.15 THE X FACTOR Talent show hosted by Kate Thornton
- 9.15 MOVIE PRESENTATION: DEAD CALM (1989) Psychological thriller. Starring: Nicole Kidman, Sam Neill, Billy Zane, Rod Mullinar
- 10.45 GOAL: THE WORLD PREMIERE Behind the scenes look at how the football movie was made
- 11.05 FRANZ FERDINAND: VIDEO EXCLUSIVE Franz Ferdinand are back
- 11.10 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
- 11.30 MATCH OF THE DAY
- 12.50 [am] NEWS 24

Sunday 25th September

- 8.35 MATCH OF THE DAY
- 10.00 SUNDAY A.M.
- 11.00 THE HEAVEN AND EARTH SHOW
- 12.00 CD: UK
- 12.50 HOLLYOAKS OMNIBUS
- 2.50 OLIVER BEENE
- 3.10 THE SIMPSONS
- 3.30 MOVIE PRESENTATION: LOOK WHO'S TALKING (1989) Romantic comedy. Starring: John Travolta, Kirstie Alley, Olympia Dukakis, George Segal, Abe Vigoda, Bruce Willis
- 5.00 BARCLAYS PREMERSHIP Live coverage as Middlesborough v Sunderland
- 6.55 GRAND PRIX Brazil Followed by: BFBS WEATHER REPORT
- 8.40 NEW TRICKS Drama series featuring an eccentric bunch of policemen
- 10.00 THE WEST WING Drama series Followed by: BFBS WEATHER REPORT
- 10.45 THE CATHERINE TATE SHOW (New)
- 11.15 IMAGINE
- 12.05 [am] THE SLAVERY BUSINESS Sugar Dynasty: Robert Pugh, Jack Shepherd, John Standing, Ben Crompton, Rupert Frazer. Three-part series looking at Britain's part in the slave trade
- 01.05 [am] NEWS 24

Monday 26th September

- 7.00 BREAKFAST
- 10.15 ROOM 785
- 10.30 MAKE AND DO
- 10.40 THE STORYMAKERS
- 11.00 MASTERCHEF GOES LARGE
- 11.30 THIS MORNING

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- 2.10 EMMERDALE
- 2.35 A PLACE IN THE SUN (New)
- 2.55 THE PAULO O'GRADY SHOW
- 3.45 ROOM 785
- 4.00 KING ARTHUR'S DISASTERS (New)
- 4.35 THE TRIBE Post-apocalyptic children's drama series
- 5.20 THE CROCODILE HUNTER DIARIES
- 5.40 THE KING OF QUEENS Sitcom
- 6.05 CORONATION STREET
- 6.30 MY HERO Sitcom about an alien superhero
- 7.00 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
- 7.30 EASTENDERS
- 8.00 THE BILL
- 8.45 WILL AND GRACE
- 9.10 FOOTBALLERS' WIVES (New) Starring: Zoe Lucker, Laila Rouass, Ben Price, Ben Richards, Sarah Barrand, Jamie Davis
- 10.15 EXTRAS Sitcom set in the world of film and TV extras Followed by: BFBS WEATHER REPORT
- 10.50 MONKEY TROUSERS Comedy sketch show
- 11.15 KATH AND KIM
- 11.40 THE CHAMPIONSHIP
- 12.30 [am] NEWS 24

Tuesday 27th September

- 7.00 BREAKFAST
- 10.15 ROOM 785
- 10.30 MAKE AND DO
- 10.40 THE STORYMAKERS
- 11.00 MIND YOUR OWN BUSINESS
- 11.30 THIS MORNING
- 1.30 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
- 2.10 EMMERDALE
- 3.00 THE PAULO O'GRADY SHOW
- 3.45 ROOM 785
- 4.20 BLUE PETER
- 4.50 BELFRY WITCHES (New)
- 5.15 TIME TEAM
- 6.05 CORONATION STREET
- 6.30 BFBS REPORTS
- 7.00 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
- 7.30 EASTENDERS
- 8.00 THE BILL
- 8.45 IS THIS THE WORST WEATHER EVER?

- 9.10 BREMNER, BIRD AND FORTUNE
- 10.00 BOSTON LEGAL (New) US legal drama starring William Shatner Followed by: BFBS WEATHER REPORT
- 10.45 MY LIFE AS A CHILD
- 11.25 FILM 2005 WITH JONATHAN ROSS
- 11.55 GOD'S ROTTWEILER? (New) Many Catholics were aghast when Cardinal Joseph Ratzinger was chosen to succeed Pope John Paul II in April
- 12.45 [am] NEWS 2

Wednesday 28th September

- 7.00 BREAKFAST
- 10.15 ROOM 785
- 10.30 MAKE AND DO
- 10.40 THE STORYMAKERS
- 11.00 MASTERCHEF GOES LARGE
- 11.30 THIS MORNING
- 1.30 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
- 2.10 EMMERDALE
- 2.35 A PLACE IN THE SUN
- 3.00 THE PAULO O'GRADY SHOW
- 3.45 ROOM 785
- 4.00 RULE THE SCHOOL
- 4.30 PIG HEART BOY Children's drama series about a boy needing a heart transplant
- 4.55 A DIFFERENT LIFE Documentary series examining the lives of travelling children of all kinds
- 5.20 HOW LONDON WAS BUILT
- 5.45 MALCOLM IN THE MIDDLE
- 6.05 CORONATION STREET
- 6.50 CREATURE COMFORTS
- 7.00 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
- 7.30 ALIAS
- 8.10 ANIMAL CRIME SCENE (New)
- 9.10 LOST
- 9.55 SHAMELESS (New) Offbeat drama series, set in Manchester Starring: David Threlfall, Anne-Marie Duff, James McAvoy, Maxine Peake, Dean Lennox Kelly and Steve Pemberton. Followed by: BFBS WEATHER REPORT
- 10.40 LADETTE TO LADY
- 11.30 PSYCHO Foetus Snatcher
- 12.20 [am] NEWS 24

Thursday 29th September

- 7.00 BREAKFAST

- 10.15 ROOM 785
- 10.30 MAKE AND DO
- 10.40 THE STORYMAKERS
- 11.00 CASH IN THE ATTIC
- 11.30 THIS MORNING
- 1.30 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
- 2.10 WHERE THE HEART IS (New)
- 3.00 THE PAULO O'GRADY SHOW
- 3.50 ROOM 785
- 4.05 SPLASH CAMP
- 4.30 BLUE PETER
- 5.00 STUPID
- 5.25 ENTERPRISE
- 6.05 CORONATION STREET
- 6.30 THE BOX OFFICE BOYS
- 7.00 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
- 7.30 EASTENDERS
- 8.00 HOLBY CITY
- 8.55 ROBBIE WILLIAMS: THE EXCLUSIVE PERFORMANCE
- 9.00 BAD GIRLS
- 9.50 THE NEW AL-QAEDA Frontline Pakistan: Peter Taylor presents a three-part series about how terror organisation al-Qaeda has changed in recent times Followed by: BFBS WEATHER REPORT
- 10.50 ARRESTED DEVELOPMENT Comedy series about a rich dysfunctional family
- 11.15 AVERAGE JOE (New)
- 11.55 DON'T GET ME STARTED (New) Michael Buerk on What Are Men For?
- 12.35 [am] NEWS 24

Friday 30th September

- 7.00 BREAKFAST
- 10.15 ROOM 785
- 10.30 MAKE AND DO
- 10.40 THE STORYMAKERS
- 11.00 MASTERCHEF GOES LARGE
- 11.30 THIS MORNING
- 1.30 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
- 2.10 EMMERDALE
- 2.55 THE PAULO O'GRADY SHOW
- 3.45 ROOM 785
- 4.10 ART ATTACK (New)
- 4.35 THE WEEK ON NEWSROUND
- 4.55 MY PARENTS ARE ALIENS
- 5.15 MAYBE IT'S ME
- 5.40 LOCATION, LOCATION, LOCATION
- 6.05 CORONATION STREET
- 6.30 BFBS REPORTS
- 7.00 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
- 7.30 EASTENDERS
- 8.00 HOW CLEAN IS YOUR HOUSE?
- 8.25 BATTLESTAR GALACTICA (New) First of a two-part adaptation of the popular sci-fi television series
- 9.55 MY LIFE IN FILM Sitcom Starring: Kris Marshall, Andrew Scott, Alice Lowe
- 10.25 ER Drama series Followed by: BFBS WEATHER REPORT
- 11.10 DRAMA CONNECTIONS Series revisiting classic drama programmes
- 11.40 FRIDAY NIGHT WITH JONATHAN ROSS
- 12.40 [am] ABA BOXING HIGHLIGHTS
- 02.10 [am] NEWS 24

Billings correct at time of going to press but subject to change until actual transmission. Time into BFBS Radio/Television for up-dates.

Your programmes - F.I.R.S.

Weekly schedule of programmes - as updated by FIRS

SATURDAY

5.00 IRN News & Childrens Corner
6.00 Weather, Flights, Ranges, Announcements, Job Shop & What's on Guide
6.17 The Archers
6.30 News Review
7.00 In Concert
8.00 Feature Presentation
8.30 Weather, Flights & The Fusion with Stacy
10.00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

SUNDAY

5.00 IRN News & Chaplains Choice with Paul Sweeting
5.30 Classical Interlude with Kathy Biles
6.00 Weather, Flights, Ranges, Announcements, Job Shop & What's on Guide
6.15 Short Story
6.30 Feature Presentation
7.00 Sunday Evening Service
8.00 Slow Jams with Jock to include Weather & Flights at 8.30
10.00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

MONDAY

7.00 IRN News & Breakfast Show with Ken (530mw & 88.3fm)
9.00 KTV Radio Nova
10.00 IRN News & Lifestyle with Liz to include
12.15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
12.30 Calling The Falklands (repeat)
1.00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm
4.00 IRN News & People's Jukebox
5.00 IRN News followed by Jukebox
6.00 IRN News & The Archers
6.15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop followed by Country Crossroads
7.00 Comedy presentation
7.30 Music feature
8.30 Weather, Flights & The Vinyl Frontier with Myriam
10.00 BFBS/96.5 & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

TUESDAY

7.00 IRN News & Breakfast Show with Ken (530mw & 88.3fm)
9.00 KTV Radio Nova
10.00 IRN News & Lifestyle with Liz to include
12.15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
12.30 One To One
1.00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm
4.00 IRN News & People's Jukebox
5.00 IRN News followed by Jukebox
6.00 IRN News & The Archers
6.15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop followed by Calling The Falklands
6.45 Simply Classical
7.45 Folk Music Show
8.30 Weather, Flights & 80's and 90's with Sheena
10.00 BFBS/96.5 & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

WEDNESDAY

7.00 IRN News & Breakfast Show with Ken (530mw & 88.3fm)
9.00 KTV Radio Nova
10.00 IRN News & Lifestyle with Liz to include
12.15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
12.30 Calling The Falklands (repeat)
1.00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm
4.00 IRN News & People's Jukebox
5.00 IRN News followed by Jukebox
6.00 IRN News & The Archers
6.15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop followed by The Best Of... with Jock
7.30 Drama Presentation
8.30 Weather, Flights & FIBS Chart Show
10.00 BFBS/96.5 & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

THURSDAY

7.00 IRN News & Breakfast Show with Ken (530mw & 88.3fm)
9.00 KTV Radio Nova
10.00 IRN News & Lifestyle with Liz to include
12.15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
1.00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm
4.00 IRN News & People's Jukebox
5.00 IRN News followed by Jukebox
6.00 IRN News & The Archers
6.15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop followed by Soul, Blues & Rock 'n' Roll with Liz
7.30 Feature Presentation
8.00 Pot Luck with Myriam to include Weather & Flights at 8.30
10.00 BFBS/96.5 & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

FRIDAY

7.00 IRN News & Breakfast Show with Ken (530mw & 88.3fm)
9.00 KTV Radio Nova
10.00 IRN News & Lifestyle with Liz to include
12.15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
12.30 Caught In The Net/Camp Matters
1.00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm
4.00 IRN News & People's Jukebox
5.00 IRN News followed by Jukebox
6.00 IRN News & The Archers
6.15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop followed by The Information Hour to include
Calling The Falklands
One To One (repeat)
Conservation Conversations (repeat)
Caught In The Net/Camp Matters (repeat)
7.30 Non-Stop Country Hour
8.30 Weather, Flights & Leather and Lace with Tansy
10.00 BFBS/96.5 & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

Any changes will be broadcast on FIRS.



98.5 FM:

SATURDAY 0000 Groove Collective PT 2 0100 The Box 0300 Cox & Bumfrey 0500 Early Riser 0700 Forces Finest PT 1 0800 Saturday Breakfast 1000 The Score 1300 Forces Finest 1500 Cox & Bumfrey 1700 Ministry Of Sound 1900 David Rodigan 2100 Club Culture 2300 The Box PT 1
SUNDAY 0000 The Box PT 2 0100 Chill Out Room 0300 Sim Courtie 0500 Groove Collective 0700 UK Sunday Breakfast 1000 Sim Courtie 1200 Access all Areas 1400 Airplay UK 1700 The Source 1900 The Rock Show 2100 Up from the Underground 2300 Chill Out Room PT 1
MONDAY 0000 Chill Out Room PT 2 0100 Forces Finest 0300 BFBS Greatest Hits 0400 Early Riser 0700 Hermina Graham 1000 Adam Small 1300 Richard Hutchinson 1600 Hatch & Duffus 1800

BFBS Greatest Hits 1900 UK Top 40 2200 Late Show with Lisa Davis
TUESDAY 0000 UK Late Show 0100 David Rodigan 0300 Greatest Hits 0400 Early Riser 0700 Hermina Graham 1000 Adam Small 1300 Richard Hutchinson 1600 Hatch & Duffus 1800 BFBS Greatest Hits 1900 Evening Show 2200 Late Show with Lisa Davis
WEDNESDAY 0000 UK Late Show 0100 Club Culture 0300 - 0000 As of Today
THURSDAY 0000 UK Late Show 0100 The Rock Show 0300 - 1600 As of Tuesday, 1600 Hatch & Duffus 1800 BFBS Greatest Hits 1900 UK Evening Show 2200 Late Show with Lisa Davis
FRIDAY 0000 UK Late Show 0100 Up from the Underground 0300 BFBS Greatest Hits 0400 Early Riser 0700 Hermina Graham 1000 Adam Small 1300 Richard Hutchinson 1600 Hatch & Duffus 1800 BFBS Greatest Hits 1900 Friday Dance 2100 Ministry of Sound 2300 The Groove Collective



550 MW:

SATURDAY 0100 Classic weekend breakfast 0300 Today 0500 Home Truths 0600 Deadringers 0630 Multimedia 0600 News/Allinson's albums 0800 Sport on Five 1500 Rockola 1605 The Classic rock show 1700 Raven n' the blues 1800 Late night live 2100 Up all night
SUNDAY 0100 Classic weekend breakfast 0300 Weekend woman's hour 0400 Sunday Worship 0450 A point of view 0500 Broadcasting House 0600 The Archers Omnibus 0718 Seven days 0800 BFG on Sunday 0900 Sport on Five 1500 The BFBS Radio 2 Comedy Hour 1600 News/The Archers 1615 A point of view 1630 Behind the glass. The Phil Ramone story 1700 Home truths 1800 Late night live 2100 Up all Night
MONDAY 0100 Morning Reports 0130 Wake up to money 0200 Today 0500 News/Dave Windsor's gold 0700 BFBS Radio 2 news 0710 Steve Madden 0910 Richard Astbury 1200 BFBS Today 1215 The Archers 1230 Boothby Graffoe in no particular order 1300 PM from BBC Radio 4 1400 Six o'clock News 1430 Classic Rock 1530 Sport on five 1800 Late night live 2000 Up all Night
TUESDAY 0100 Morning Reports 0130 Wake up to money 0200 Today 0500 News/Dave Windsor's gold 0700 BFBS

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Thursday 29 September



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Sunday shows starts - 1st Performance 13:00 2nd Performance 17:00 3rd Performance 20:00

Saturday 24 September	Sunday 25 September	Monday 26 September	Tuesday 27 September	Wednesday 28 September	Thursday 29 September	Friday 30 September
WAR OF THE WORLDS	MADAGASCAR					
DARK WATER	THE DESCENT					
FANTASTIC FOUR	STEALTH	STEALTH	WEDDING CRASHERS	DARK WATER	STEALTH	FANTASTIC FOUR

WEDDING CRASHERS (15) 118 mins. Comedy Sc. Owen Wilson, Vince Vaughn
MADAGASCAR (U) 86 mins. Animation. Voices: Ben Stiller & Chris Rock
FANTASTIC FOUR (PG) 105 mins. Sci-Fi/Fantasy Ioan Gruffudd, Michael Chiklis

DARK WATER (15) 104 mins. Thriller/Drama. Jennifer Connelly, Ariel Gade
STEALTH (12A) 120 mins. Action. Josh Lucas, Jessica Biel
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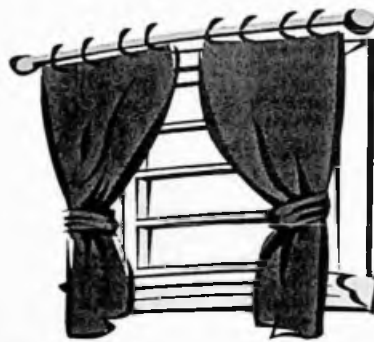
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Year 11s experience employment first-hand

By Layla Crowie

FOR two weeks this month, Year 11 students from the Falkland Islands Community School invaded Stanley businesses and government departments for work experience.

Louise Taylor, the science and careers teacher, asked around town for employers to take on students. Eventually the replies came in and we had to apply for jobs we liked the look of.

After all the students had been through the interviewing process we had to wait again for acceptance letters (or refusals, in some cases).

Kim Buckettt headed to FIDC, where she spent time with many members of staff, looking at areas as varied as accounts and the abattoir. Of her time, Kim said, "I thought my work experience was great! Everyone at FIDC was really nice."

She added, "I went for the job there because I thought it would be interesting - and it was. However I think that for work experience we should go to one place for one week and another place the next; it would be good to see how different places work."

Danielle Greenough, Shaun May, Erica Berntsen and Lucas Berntsen all headed to the Department of Agriculture. Erica described her two weeks with the department as "fabulous", and added, "I don't want to go back to school."

Shaun and Lucas were a little more understated; Shaun commented, "Working here at the Agriculture Department has been good."

He added, "I hope to do a job relating to agriculture when I've left school."

"Work experience is good: it gets you out of school and gives you a taste of work life."

Charlotte Middleton went to accountancy firm Wilkins Kennedy, an experience she said she had "enjoyed".

She said much of her time involved working with archives which she said was useful as she hopes to become an archivist when she leaves school.

Of the work experience programme she said, "I think that in a way it is a good idea and in a way it's not. If you already have a weekend job then you'll already know what work life is like and so won't need any more. But it is also good because it gives you more career choices and a taste of work life if you don't know what it's like already."

Karen Minto spent her first week with the Tourist Board: "I enjoyed it there; I wasn't busy all the time but I could easily find something for myself to do."

"I did not have a real interest in tourism until we had a speaker come in from the Tourist Board to talk to us. Now I am interested!"

She spent her second week at Malvina House Hotel.

At the hospital were Lucinda Judd and Hannah Arthur-Almond. Hannah said, "The hospital was a great place to be. They kept me busy and there hasn't been a moment when I've been bored."

"I would love to do work experience again here, but I also wouldn't mind going somewhere else to get more of an experience."

Karl Chaloner chose the Museum for his work experience. "...because I have always had an interest in history and hope to do a job that relates to history in the future."

"It's been really fun and interesting and I've done a lot of hard work."

Daniel Cant spent his time with Synergy Information Systems Ltd. He commented, "Synergy's been good. I've been working really hard, making networks, installing software and fixing people's computers."

Jane Goss worked at the library. She said it would be good to make work experience a bigger part of school life: "It would be good if we had a longer period of time away from school and in the workplace. Work experience is a good idea because it gives you more of an idea about work life."

Although the Department of Mineral Resources wasn't her first choice, Helen Davies said she enjoyed her placement.

"The staff were pleasant and helped me out when I got stuck with the shredder! I am interested in office work so it was really good going there."

The remainder of the class had a variety of jobs: Lucas Biggs and Tristan Giudicelli-Smith went to the Falklands Brasserie, Lucinda Lowe, John Didlick, Andy Felton, and David Barton all tried out a variety of duties within PWD. Liam Owen and Matthew Nethercott went to work with the PWD Road Gang, and Cameron Reeves worked for Fortuna Ltd.

Luci Butler went to the Seafish Chandlery, Gabi Ross went to Customs, Leif Middleton to Fisheries, Dion Robertson to Falklands Conservation and Ryan Buckettt and



Above: Shaun May and Lucas Berntsen, hard at work for the Department of Agriculture.

Marcus Porter joined the team at the Falkland Islands Radio Station.

Aaron Clarke headed to FIGAS, Chanelle Berntsen, Karen Cambler, Tegen Montgomerie and Nadia Smith went to the Infant and Junior School, Josh Clayton and Terri Clifford to Stanley Leisure Centre and Kieren Morrison worked for Two Sisters Ltd.

Saul Zuvic worked at the Power Station, Carol Goss and April Petterson looked after children at Rugrats Nursery. Sam Davis spent her time with Cable and Wireless and Dana Morrison worked at The Wool Centre.

Ms Taylor said the point of work experience is to give students the opportunity to "...develop the skills that students learn at school that are essential in the workplace e.g. team work, communication skills and applying knowledge."

She added, "It gives the students the experience of writing a CV, writing a job application letter and having a real interview before they receive the job or not. Some of the jobs were well sought after so they also experienced the competitive side to it all."

"I think that all has gone very well; the students settled into their environments really well and, from the feedback that I have received, they have all worked hard. They have proven that teenagers can behave in a mature and sensible fashion."

They are a credit to the school."

Ms Taylor said the employers had been helpful and "...I was very pleased at the response I got, thanks go to all the employers who took on the children. Anyone who did not say yes this year, or was not contacted, but would like to take on work experience kids next time can contact me on the school number."

Ms Taylor said the school is considering changing the time of year work experience is held, "...and we're hoping that more opportunities will arise, eg taking children to work days, or a careers fair."

When asked what they thought would improve the work experience scheme most of the students had the same idea, as put by Karl Chaloner: "We should be paid, then it really would be a real taste of work life!"

As for me, I enjoyed my time here at *Penguin News*. I was kept working hard and did a lot of typing. I would like to thank Jenny, Sharon and especially Fran for putting up with me on a desk next to her!

And my suggestions for improving the work experience programme?

Being paid would be a really nice idea and perhaps getting businesses to be more encouraging about us having part-time jobs.



Above (left): History buff, Karl Chaloner at the Museum; (right) Jane Goss in the library.



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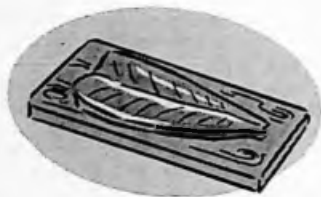
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AVAILABILITY of sufficient fluoride makes teeth more resistance to tooth decay and is especially beneficial in the developing teeth of children.

Where the fluoride content of the drinking water is less than 0.7 parts per million (700 micrograms per litre), daily use of fluoride tablets or drops is a suitable supplement for children. In the case of the Falkland Islands there is no fluoride in the tap water and therefore supplements such as fluoride drops or tablets are advisable for children up to 13 years of age. These products are available through the KEMH dental department. However, infants need not receive fluoride supplements until the age of 6 months.

People who are susceptible to decay or are medically compromised may be given additional protection by use of fluoride rinses or application of fluoride gels. Rinses may be used daily or

weekly, daily use of a less concentrated rinse is more effective than weekly use of a more concentrated one. When a child is using a fluoride rinse, extreme caution is necessary to prevent the child from swallowing any excess to avoid poisoning or dental fluorosis.

Teeth should be brushed twice a day after meals with a fluoride-containing toothpaste and also flossed. Brushing before bedtime is essential, even for babies and small children. Children should never be put to bed with a bottle (unless it contains plain water) or dummies dipped in anything.

Regular six month check-ups to the dentist are important to maintain healthy teeth.

Infant and junior school children are checked twice yearly (May and October) at school. FICS pupils have their dental checkups at the dental department.

Recipes for the Falkland Islands Pork with fruit

Ingredients

- 1 level tablespoon of chilli paste or harissa, or a chopped red chilli- whatever you can get hold of
- 4 tablespoons olive oil
- zest and juice of one large orange
- 4 pork chops
- 2 nectarines or peaches stoned and chopped

This may sound like an odd combination, but don't worry, any stoned fruit goes brilliantly with pork

Method

Put the chilli paste or harissa in a small bowl. Add the oil or-

ange zest and juice, then season well with salt and freshly ground black pepper. Drizzle the mixture over the pork and leave to absorb the flavours.

Heat a non-stick frying pan and cook the marinated pork for about three minutes on each side or until well browned.

Add the remaining marinade to the pan with the chopped nectarines or peaches and bring the liquid to the boil.

Cook for a further 4-5 minutes until the pork is cooked through.

Serve with rice or couscous.

I wish I'd said that...

BILLY Hughes, the Australian politician, wore a glass eye so exactly like his real eye that many people could not tell the difference.

In the course of some tough bargaining which threatened to end in deadlock, Hughes said that he would yield on one condition,

namely, that his opponent should tell him which of his eyes was the glass one.

"The left one," said the other without hesitation.

"Quite right," said Hughes. "How do you know?"

"Because it is so much kinder than the other," was the reply

A trip down memory lane

15 years ago

September 21, 1990

Heavy snow causes the death of at least 1,000 sheep on West Falkland with Chartres being one of the hardest hit farms losing 350 animals from a stud flock of 400. Emma Steen her daughter Vanda and grandchildren Emma and Geoffrey leap from a car that burst into flames near Stanley Airport and firemen worked through the night when part of the roof of Joan Middleton's house blew off in a storm. At Spring Point on West Falkland a 40ft Southern Right whale washes up on a beach south of Yellow Point and Les Morrison wins the dog trials for the third consecutive year with his famous dog *Bounce*. The Falkland Islands Company Ltd grant a lease on their section of the race course to Stanley Sports Association until the year 2006 and the Beautiful Falklands scheme is launched.

10 years ago

September 27, 1995

The UK and Argentine Governments make a joint oil agreement for co-operation on offshore activities in the South West Atlantic and an Argentine Navy corvette expels eight Falklands registered fishing vessels from the FOCZ, in what is thought to have been an attempt by dissident hard-liners within the Argentine Navy to rock the diplomatic boat before the oil agreement is finalised.

The Stanley Swimming Club came out tops at a gala that attracted 60 swimmers from Stanley, Mount Pleasant and *HMS Westminster* - the Mount Pleasant team were second with the Allan family team and the Netball Club battling for third and fourth position

The Falklander sweater final design arrives in the Islands and the team prepare to assemble the garments.

5 years ago

September 22, 2000

The fishing vessel, *Mila* part owned by Councillor Mike Summers is alleged to have been sighted within the Australian fishing zone engaging in illegal fishing activities. Incidents of poaching by Argentine fishing vessels in Falklands waters are condemned in Legislative Council. A consultation paper on licensing laws looks at 24 hour licensing and allowing under 18s into pubs. Councillor John Birmingham holds a meeting to encourage more young people to stand for council.

On West Falklands Tony Hirtle wins both the Championship and the Dog Handlers Sheep Dog trials with *Trish* and *Twig* respectively, takes the trophy in the annual darts tournament and celebrates his 40th birthday all at the Port Howard two nigher.

Dumb questions



If time heals all wounds how come we still have belly buttons?

If swimming is such good exercise, why are

whales so fat?

Before they invented drawing boards what did they go back to?

Why do we wait until a pig is dead before we cure it?

Do infants enjoy infancy as much as adults enjoy adultery?

Why are haemorrhoids called 'haemorrhoids' instead of 'asteroids'?

If olive oil comes from squeezing olives how do they get baby oil?

Why is it so hard to remember how to spell 'mnemonic'?

Is drilling for oil boring?

Why isn't phonetic spelled the way it sounds?

If ignorance is bliss why aren't more people happy?

Can you be a closet claustrophobic?



Fisheries Department

Catch for week 37, ending September 13, 2005

Licence Type	Number of Licences	
	Eligible W/ending 13/09/05	Fishing W/ending 13/09/05
Total	48	42
L	2	1
R	8	3
X	15	15
Y	11	11
Z	12	12

Catch by species (Tonnes)

	Falklands	Korea	Other Nations	Total
Loligo	1307	0	10	1317
Illex	0	0	0	0
Hakes	35	4	202	241
Blue Whiting	279	0	916	1195
Hoki	142	7	320	469
Kingclip	10	0	99	109
Toothfish	15	0	5	20
Red Cod	34	0	134	168
Ray	24	95	46	165
Others	440	2	242	684
Total	2286	108	1964	4368

Shipping activity from September 12 - 19

THE reefer *Frio Marathon* arrived in Berkeley Sound to tranship on September 15 and the tanker *Centaurus* left the area on September 17, having called for bunkers the previous day.

The trawlers *Robin M Lee* and *Pesca Vaqueiro* have been in the area for bunkers, arriving on September 16 and 18 respectively. *Robin M Lee* departed for fishing grounds on September 17.

Tamar FI arrived at the East Jetty to discharge cargo on September 12 moving to load cargo at FIPASS on September 15.

CFL Gambler visited FIPASS on September 14 and departed for fishing grounds the following day. The survey ship *CSI Admiral* re-

mains at FIPASS having arrived at FIPASS for a crew change on September 10.

The *Marianne Danica* called at Fox Bay on West Falkland on September 13 to discharge cargo, having sheltered in Port William the previous day, and set sail for Rio de Janeiro on September 14.

The cargo vessel *Hartland Point* arrived at Mare Harbour to discharge cargo on September 13 and departed for Marchwood on September 15.

The trawlers *Sil* and *Puente Ladiera* made brief visits to Port William on September 16 and 17 respectively before departing for fishing grounds.

Top honours for Steve

AN excellent turnout at this week's 50 bird sporting event saw Steve Dent take top honours over six other competitors.

Bright and breezy conditions tempted shooters from both Mount Pleasant and Stanley to battle it out in the penultimate event of the 2005 winter season.

Sporting was the order of the day and a challenging circuit was laid out using the skeet layout and additional traps. All stands were double bird stands similar in standard to UK and some competitors found it tough going.

Steve Dent and Ed Burrows were neck and neck throughout the shoot and Steve needed at least eight birds to equalize on the last stand. Other shooters struggled but Steve and Graham Didlick both managed nine from 10 with Steve securing top honours for the day.



The next arranged shoot is on September 25, which will be the final DTL (Down the Line) competition of the year. If you are keen to join the club, please contact Steve Dent, Jon Butler or Graham Didlick for details. Alternatively we meet most Sundays at 1330 on Phillips Point Range. Shooters of all standards are most welcome.

The new summer schedule is now in the process of being planned and will be ready for publication in next week's *Penguin News*.

Wool report - week ending September 14

by Neil Judd, Department of Agriculture

GREASY wool prices recovered some of the losses of the last two weeks at sales in South Africa, New Zealand and Australia this week. As shown in the attached "Micron Price Guide", prices were up by between 2 and 6 pence per kilogram clean across the entire micron spectrum.

□ Solid general buying demand, coupled with a slight increase in the value of the Australian dollar relative to the £ sterling were explained as having contributed to the rise in wool prices

□ Several wool analysts were reported in the "Wool Record Weekly", as having "forecast that the wool market will continue on a downward trend, at least until the end of the year".

□ Prices for skirtings and oddments increased for finer types but generally remained steady for other lots.

□ In Australia 92% of the 52,483 bale offering was sold. Included in the offering were 4,024 bales of crossbred wool of which 91% was sold.

□ Auctions continue next week in New Zealand, South Africa and Australia where almost 80,000 bales of wool will be on offer.

Note:

*Exchange rates used to convert wool prices into pence per kg clean basis. Australian \$2.36 per £ sterling compared to \$2.39 per £ sterling previous week.

*Information derived from AWEX market report and Wool Record Weekly.

*Values based on average auction floor prices from Australian Eastern markets.

*Prices quoted correspond to average gross auction prices. It should be remembered that no selling or freight costs have been deducted from the stated prices.

*MPG prices designated with an "n" indicate that insufficient wool in the particular micron range was traded to determine a firm MPG quote.

Growers are strongly advised to seek assistance in evaluating offers for wool where only nominal prices are given.

Any woolgrower with a question regarding the wool industry, or requiring assistance to determine the merit of any wool price offer, is urged to contact Neil Judd at the Department of Agriculture on telephone 27355 or on email njudd@doa.gov.fk

Week ending	Pence per kilogram clean for each micron category.											
	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	28	30	32
10/01/2002	553	403	306	294	293	288	283	266	232	208	199	185
13/12/2002	553n	484	456	451	446	437n	431n	407n	369n	265	217	201n
10/01/2003	557n	494	470	463	458	451	445	412n	375n	271	228	210n
04/07/2003	443n	408	409	411	414n	413n	405n	384n	351n	252n	213	201n
12/12/2003	397n	380	366	362	351	336	325	295n	272n	218n	187n	167n
09/02/2004	409n	392	380	369	356	337	326	295n	274n	215	187	161n
02/07/2004	421n	390	352	339	323	310	281n	266n	253n	211n	188n	169n
17/12/2004	395	368	327	306	295	282	269n	233n	218n	186n	168n	154n
14/02/2005	411n	383	341	316	307	297	284	244n	225	194n	176n	160n
04/02/2005	417	389	343	316	303	294	282	246n	226n	194n	177n	163n
04/03/2005	411	378	337	312	295	286	270	242n	223n	187	174	164n
08/04/2005	414	387	337	313	298	290	273n	244n	224n	189	174	164n
06/05/2005	416	381	334	304	293	288	273	246	228	187	174	164
03/06/2005	418	376	336	313	303	300	282n	256n	234n	197	180	167n
01/07/2005	412	373	336	322	317	313	288n	266n	240n	197	185	169n
08/07/2005	419	386	343	330	324	320	298	275	245	206	192	173
15/07/2005	408n	378n	340	324	318	314	294	278n	247n	204n	190n	173n
05/08/2005	434	388	342	323	316	309	301n	274n	245n	205	190	175n
micron	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	28	30	32
12/08/2005	416	376	332	316	306	301	293	274n	240n	201	185	171n
19/08/2005	405n	361	323	306	297	291	284	269n	238n	195	182	165
26/08/2005	409	361	323	307	298	292n	284n	270n	240n	197n	184n	166n
02/09/2005	403	356	315	301	293	288	282	269	241	198	184	165
09/09/2005	397	351	306	293	286	282	279	266	239	195	182	164
16/09/2005	403n	357	311	298	291	287	282	271n	243n	199	184	166n
weekly change	6	6	5	5	5	5	3	5	4	4	2	2
price year ago	429	392	347	320	299	281	264	254	247	211	185	171



on share prices

At close of business Monday, September 19, 2005

Desire Petroleum plc	39.50p	(+0.25p)
Falkland Oil and Gas plc	120.50p	(+0.50p)
Falkland Islands Holdings plc	385.00p	(-10.00p)
Falkland Gold and Minerals Ltd	19.25p	(-1.75p)
Standard Chartered PLC	1168.00p	(-17.00p)

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South American News from

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Argentina: missing child 81 found

THE 'Grandmothers of Plaza de Mayo' have announced the identification of another child abducted at birth by the military dictatorship of 1976-83 and illegally offered for adoption.

The 28-year-old son of Inés Beatriz Ortega and Rubén Leonardo Fosatti was born in custody in the 5th police precinct of the city of La Plata on March 12, 1977. Inés, a student union activist, was just 16 years old when she gave birth to a son she called Leonardo. Both mother and child disappeared and no trace of either had been found until now.

The 'Grandmothers' have worked tirelessly to track down babies born in captivity who disappeared under the military regime. Leonardo is the 81st missing baby whose true identity has been recovered but the organisation believes another 400 are yet to be found.

"We found another grandson, another grandson found us," said the 'Grandmothers' in a statement.

The military regime waged a so-called "dirty war" against suspected guerrillas and political opponents. Some 12,000 people are still missing, according to an official count. But human rights groups put the number at 30,000.

'Grandmothers' head Estela de Carlotto said a man had contacted the organisation's branch in La Plata in March, 2004, saying that

he had doubts about his identity. He underwent a DNA test in November, 2004 and was told on August 11 of last year that he was the son of Inés and Rubén.

Ortega was a textile worker, a high school student and an activist in the UES students' union. She was seven months pregnant when she was abducted. Rubén was a metal-worker and studied history at the University of La Plata.

The couple were living in a house in the Greater Buenos Aires district of Quilmes when they were kidnapped by a military task group at the corner of Baranda and Islas Malvinas streets on January 21, 1977.

They were both taken to the 5th police precinct, a torture centre that gained notoriety for its brutality. Inés was placed in a cell with another pregnant woman. Witnesses said she gave birth on a filthy kitchen table in the precinct, gagged and handcuffed, and assisted by the Buenos Aires provincial police doctor Jorge Bergés.

She only had Leonardo in her arms for five days. The guards then took the baby away and told her the he would be given to her family. Carlotto said yesterday the child was illegally given in adoption to a non-military family from La Plata. Leonardo, meanwhile, has said he wants to adopt the surnames of his real parents. (BAH)

Chinese presence in Latinamerica worries US Senate

THE growing presence of China in Latinamerica was considered Tuesday by the United States Senate concerned with Beijing's expanding interest in the region's energy resources.

"There's no doubt that China is increasing its presence in Latinamerica and in the rest of the world. Between 1999 and 2004 Chinese imports to the region jumped six fold and the region's exports trebled," said Norm Coleman Republican Senator for Minnesota.

Gal Luft CEO of the Global Security Analysis Institute pointed out that "...of all the regions where China is competing with United States for access to petroleum, the western hemisphere is probably the one that has greater impact in Washington and in the long term."

Mr Luft added that since 1993, China has signed several energy agreements with Brazil, Venezuela, Mexico, Argentina, Bolivia, Peru and Cuba.

Stephen Jonson, head of the conservative think tank Heritage Foundation warned about the growing "Socialist references" in Latinamerica and cautioned that if the Bolivian Indian leader Evo Morales and head of the coca planters' movement becomes president, "...China would become the only acceptable buyer of Bolivian natural gas outside Latinamerica."

Senator Coleman, who is also president of the Western Hemisphere "Peace Corps and Narcotics Affairs" Subcommittee of the Senate, pointed out that Chinese interest in Latinamerica also includes military cooperation.

"China is setting up and strengthening military programs in the region while the United States looks at how military relations are contracting because of differences over the Rome seated International Crime Court."

Morales promises legalization of Bolivian coca crops

BOLIVIAN peasant leader Evo Morales who has a comfortable lead in vote preference for December's presidential race said that if elected he would legalise growing coca which is the raw material for cocaine.

During a press conference Tuesday in La Paz, Mr Morales antici-

pated that the current "zero coca" policy would be changed for one of "zero drug trafficking," if he's finally confirmed as next president of politically unstable Bolivia.

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The family of the late Bob Stewart, wish to extend their heartfelt thanks to all those people who sent cards and for all the many beautiful flowers and to all those who phoned during their recent very sad loss. A special thanks goes out to the Drs., Nurses and all the staff at the Hospital who have looked after Bob with such care and devotion during the many times he has spent in hospital over the years, due to his long suffering illness. He was a much loved husband, father and grandfather and will be sadly missed.

It is with regret that Adrian McLaughlin beloved husband of Colleen has passed away after a short illness at home in Edinburgh on 19th September. He will be dearly missed by his wife Colleen, children Mark and Lisa, step children Natalie and Geoffrey and all the family. His funeral will take place at Saint Margarets in Edinburgh on Monday 26th September. The family do not wish any flowers to be sent but donations to Cancer research would be grateful.

NAAFI on the Falkland Islands has a vacancy for a Business Administration Manager in their District Office at MPA.

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The family of the late Mike Peake would like to thank everyone who sent floral tributes, cards and messages at the time of their sad and sudden loss. Mike is survived by his children Alison, Bernadette and Michael; Clair's children Michael, Trudi and Paul, six grandchildren and two great granddaughters.

When the love of his life, wife Clair died in 1999 after 22 years together, Mike was never happier than when spending precious time with two little mates, his beloved grandsons Isaac (7) and Cody (8). Sadly new grandson Louie (7 weeks) will not know the love they shared with their 'Grandpa Jeep'. Thanks to Len and Patrick for all their help and a special thank you to Don for never failing his best mate.

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Chief Personnel Officer

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Result of Government Tender FIPASS Management Contract

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The Secretariat, Stanley



ROYAL FALKLAND ISLANDS POLICE

PRESS RELEASE

The Royal Falkland Islands Police recently introduced a 'Vehicle off Road Notification' system. The system is designed to provide a method by which vehicle owners can formally notify the Vehicle Licensing Bureau that their vehicle is off the road and therefore not liable for Vehicle Licence fee.

The system is offered on a voluntary basis to assist our customers.

If anyone has any questions or would like to use the system you are invited to call into Stanley Police Station, telephone on 27222 or e-mail ops@police.gov.fk, where my staff will be happy to assist.

Len S McGill, Inspector, Acting Chief Police Officer



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NOTICES

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The Annual General Meeting of the Falkland Islands Rifle Association will be held in the headquarters of the Girl Guides Headquarters on Wednesday the 12th October 2005 starting at 8pm. If anyone requires further information please telephone 22603

STANLEY LEISURE CENTRE - FACILITY SURVEY

The Stanley Leisure is currently reviewing its exercise schedule and also planning a community fitness programme. The Recreation Manager is currently surveying current users and the community in general. If you would like a copy of this survey please either drop into the Leisure Centre Reception or e-mail sdent.leisure@sec.gov.fk

Child Health Clinic
Wednesday 28th September 4 - 5.30pm
in the **KEMH Day Centre**

My daughter **Andrea**, her partner and her two children wish to rent accommodation for two months, arriving on 28th November 2005. If you can help please contact **Diana Turner**, 8 Thatcher Drive Tel 22921

The **Stanley Leisure Centre** regrets to announce that the Centre will be closed due to staff illness until 1.00 pm on Friday 23rd September and all day on Sunday 25th September. Please accept our apologies for any inconvenience caused.

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NOTICES



Happy 8th Birthday for Sunday Phoebe, we all love you very much. Love from Mum, Dad, Kaylee, Max, Alfie and Bert xxxx



To our cheeky little monkey **Laura-Rose** Happy 6th birthday for 29th, have a lovely party tomorrow. Loads of love and hugs. Mummy, Daddy and Matthew

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On the 18th September a large group of Chilean and local people enjoyed a big party at the Goose Green Club. Chilean food was served, Asado, cazuela, anticuchos and delicious empanadas, all this while listening and dancing the cueca, guaracha and the best Latin music (some country music as well). We were sharing this special moment with very friendly Falkland Islanders. Thank you to the community of Goose Green, specially Mr Brian Aldridge who let us use the club, where we enjoyed this amazing time.
Viva Chile, Cesar Diaz

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Taxi driver jailed for 'free ride' sex offences

A TAXI driver has been jailed for a total of four years for committing sexual offences against a minor while giving her a free ride.

St Helenian father of five, Brian John Williams (48) was sentenced to one and three years in prison, to be served concurrently, for the offences he committed against a fourteen year old girl on March 26.

Prosecutor Peter Cook opened the case on Tuesday afternoon. He said the girl had attended an evening disco at The Shack and left when she became bored. Trying to locate a male friend, she headed up Dean Street and saw Mr Williams sitting in his taxi. She stopped to speak with him.

According to Mr Cook, the complainant's belief was that Mr Williams had dropped her friend home not long before, so she asked him to give her a free ride to her friend's house. He obliged, however when they arrived at the friend's home, the place was in darkness. The girl then asked Mr Williams to drive her to K4 store in East Stanley.

While driving on the By-Pass road, the prosecution alleged, Mr Williams committed the first sexual assault - digital penetration without consent. He then continued along the By-Pass road, failing to turn into any of the streets which led to K4, and stopped at the turn-off to the Canache, east of Stanley. It was here, Mr Cook alleged, that the two further offences were committed.

Mr Williams then drove the girl to K4 and made her promise not to tell anyone what had happened. This she duly did and he left her at the store.

Mr Cook said the complainant then made her way directly to the home of "an adult she trusts," and

told her what had happened.

In a statement read to the court, the woman gave a detailed account of the girl's distress as she described what had happened to her. She said the girl told her, "I'm really scared, I don't know what to do," and made her promise not to tell anyone.

However, after dropping the girl home later in the evening, the woman telephoned the complainant's sister and the two took the decision to inform the police.

The complainant was interviewed by a social worker the following morning and a video from the interview was played to the court on Tuesday afternoon. She then gave live evidence via a closed-circuit television link.

When asked by defence counsel Paul Treble why she did not "shout or open the door and get out" after the first assault, the girl responded, "I don't know." Again, he asked her why she did not get out of the vehicle when it stopped at the Canache turn-off; she responded, "It was a long way to walk."

Mr Treble asked the girl if she had been injured in the assaults and she confirmed she had not.

DNA

Mr Williams was arrested the day after the offences were committed; his vehicle was seized and a forensic examination was carried out upon it.

When interviewed by police, Mr Williams said he was sure no DNA evidence of sexual activity would be found in his taxi. However, swabs from the central console of the vehicle were examined by forensic practitioner Danielle Gill and evidence was found with a DNA profile that matched Mr Williams.

In presenting the defence's case,

Mr Treble said no one could be sure how the DNA evidence came to be on the console of the vehicle; he reminded the court that this was where Mr Williams kept his personal effects when in the vehicle and it was possible the evidence was there for "not sinister" reasons.

He questioned the "logistics and practicalities" of what the complainant alleged had happened and the lack of injury: "That just does not add up, I'm afraid the complainant was not being frank."

He suggested the complainant was a "troubled" teenager "seeking sympathy" and said the defendant did not know "why she is making this up."

Due to time constraints, Senior Magistrate Clare Faulds was unable to deliver a full judgement on the reasons behind her verdict, but she acknowledged the assaults were unplanned and that Mr Williams was of previous good character.

However, she added that she was satisfied the defendant knew the complainant was under 16 and had not given any consent, "...nor indeed was she in a position to do so," given her age.

Mrs Faulds said she had given particular consideration to the statement from the complainant's adult friend which described the girl's distress and added that, although the complainant's evidence was "not without flaw" she found her account convincing. She said there was no "satisfactory explanation" for a taxi driver to go to the Canache, "...with a 14 year old for a free ride," and found Mr Williams guilty of all three charges.

For the offence committed during the journey on the By-Pass road she sentenced Mr Williams to three

years' imprisonment and for carrying out sexual activity in the presence of a person under 16 she sentenced him to a further year, to be served concurrently. She issued no separate penalty for the third charge of sexual touching without consent.

Serving sentence here?

An administrative decision will have to be made in relation to where Mr Williams will serve his sentence, Crown Counsel Ros Cheek confirmed yesterday.

She commented, "I am not aware that there is any absolute time limit for serving a sentence here, and a number of factors will be taken into account in that decision making process."

"It would certainly be possible for Mr Williams to serve his sentence here, but a decision may be made that that would not be appropriate."

She said it seems likely that the decision will involve both the Superintendent of Police and the Governor/Foreign and Commonwealth Office, "...because of the implications of Mr Williams serving his sentence out of the Islands."

As for whether Mr Williams - who does not have Falkland Islands status - will be deported upon completion of his sentence, Ms Cheek said this is a matter for the Governor to consider, "...in accordance with his powers under the Immigration Ordinance."

She said a recommendation may be made by the Principal Immigration Officer to the Governor but added, "I would not wish to prejudge any decision to be made by the Governor, other than to say deportation must be a possibility in this case."

Falklands team meets Lord Triesman

FOREIGN and Commonwealth Office Minister Lord Triesman spent time at the Falklands stand during the Labour Party Conference in Brighton this week.

He met councillors Jan Cheek and Roger Edwards and the Falkland Islands Government's UK Representative, Sukey Cameron.

Ms Cameron said, "We were well received and spent the time updating old friends and meeting many new ones."

"It was also a good opportunity to meet a number of the new MPs who came in at the last election."

The Falklands team will move to Blackpool next week where they will man the stand at the Conservative Party Conference.



Above: Cllr Cheek, Lord Triesman, Ms Cameron and Cllr Edwards

News in brief

Pearce baby arrives

GOVERNOR Howard Pearce and his wife Caroline have announced the arrival of their baby daughter.

Suzanna Pearce was born in the Netherlands on Monday, September 26, weighing around 7.5 lbs. A spokesperson for Government House reported, "Mother and baby are doing well."

The Pearce family is expected to return to the Islands towards the end of October.

Peat Cutting this Monday

MARKING the beginning of Spring, Monday is a public holiday.

All Government departments, other than those providing essential services will be closed for Peat Cutting Monday.

Penguin News



Comment by Managing Editor, Jenny Cockwell

HAVING this week become an aunt for the first time, I must admit other, perhaps more nationally important, events have somewhat paled in comparison.

However, I won't succumb to the temptation of using this week's column to wax lyrical about how irresistible my new nephew is (not to mention how clever he will inevitably turn out to be), and will instead focus my energies on our loss of a true Falklands entity.

The news that Storming Norma's service on council is to end has drifted around the Islands gradually over the past year or so but, to be honest, I didn't really believe it would happen - surely someone would talk her into standing again in November?

But alas, our very own Mo Mowlem (and I'm sure she won't be insulted by that comparison) is committed to standing down next month.

While recognising that in retiring from council, Norma is in no way retiring her views, she will still be missed. She has proven to be a champion not only for the sovereignty of the Falkland Islands, but for many individuals with much smaller - but equally important - issues over the years. She never underestimates the value of keeping the feet of the government firmly on the ground and has always recognised the importance of focusing on fundamental issues - education, medical care and the Islands' history.

By no means have I ever unanimously agreed with Norma's views, sentiments or political style - on occasion I've been known to pound my desk and rant "Get to the point Norma!" at my radio during LegCo broadcasts - but her approach was admirable.

To me, Norma was one of the few politicians in this world who genuinely spoke her mind. Others may purport to do it but so many adopt a clever (and I use the term loosely) subtlety which all too easily comes across to the electorate as artificial and pompous.

But perhaps Norma's approach just isn't possible in today's society and she is right to stand down: after all, when speaking one's mind in public these days, the risk is run of committing political wrongs of one form or another.

Norma has acknowledged that this is one of her reasons for stepping down and I believe the loss of this up front and 'in ya face' politician will be felt for years to come.

SPEAKING of political correctness (a term I feel slightly queasy using), this brings me nicely to the latest amendment to the *Penguin News* Code of Practice: "Nothing shall be published that incites racial discrimination, hatred or violence."

Racial hatred can apply to all sorts of areas that may not seem immediately apparent: it can mean hatred against a group of people defined by reference to colour, race, nationality (including citizenship) or ethnic or national origins.

Importantly, it was held in one case in relation to section 3(1) of the Race Relations Act that "ethnic origins" in the context of that provision meant a group which was a segment of the population distinguished from others by a sufficient combination of shared customs, beliefs, traditions and characteristics derived from or presumed common past, even if not drawn from what in biological terms was a common racial stock.

So, in the lead up to the election, those who may be planning letters or manifestos the main thread of which rely on 'ex-pat or contract-officer bashing', please bear this in mind.

Falklands 2006

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A piece of the Falklands for Wales



A ROCK weighing four tonnes is to be shipped from the Falklands to the UK where it will form part of a new war memorial.

Royal Engineers have moved the rock from the base of Mt Harriet and taken it to Mare Harbour, ready to be transported back to the UK later this year.

The massive move is part of a project that the South Atlantic Medal Association's Wales Branch (SAMA Wales) hopes to complete for the forthcoming anniversary celebrations in 2007.

It is planned to become the central piece of a Welsh National Monument commemorating the liberation of the Falkland Islands and its people in 1982.

SAMA Wales has already gained all-party approval from the Welsh assembly and is about to launch its appeal to the people of Wales.

The design of the monument has yet to be agreed but it is envisaged to be 12 feet high and located in Cardiff, Wales's capital city.

WO1 Brian Jones from the garrison at Mount Pleasant was asked to help with the rock's move as his last task before leaving the Falkland Islands to return to the UK.

Having gained the landowner's permission and, having completed the relevant paperwork with the government, Brian gathered a team to move the embedded piece of granite.

The rock is due to arrive in

Marchwood on December 30 where it will be transported by 160 Welsh Brigade (V) to a temporary holding site near Brecon before being made into part of the monument.

SAMA Wales's Secretary Andy 'Curly' Jones, who is in charge of the operation, this week commented, "The efforts of Brian Jones and the Royal Engineers are the start of a dream. We can now see results from the Falklands and it is making my job easier in the UK."

"All the people who we need to complete this project here have been given a big boost and are taking note of a truly remarkable achievement."

SAMA Wales are now in talks with all the relevant agencies to see this monument home. Curly added, "Very soon we can reveal our full plans and design. We do however need help in various forms from fundraising to contractual aid. The cost of the completion of the monument has been estimated by contractors to be £10,000, we have already been promised a substantial amount towards this."

"We can and will finish this and remember our fallen whilst celebrating the achievements of the Task Force in 1982."

Anyone who requires further information or who wishes to help the project in any way can contact Curly on 00441874625125 or e-mail samawales@btinternet.com

Backfilling of graves: methods to be examined

INSTRUCTIONS for backfilling graves in Stanley cemetery are to be "reinforced", the Director of Public Works has said.

At a public meeting held last week a member of the public complained to councillors about the manner in which graves are backfilled and which he felt was lacking in respect.

He said trucks had been seen backing up and "unceremoniously" dumping tonnes of dirt into graves.

The Chief Executive made enquiries to the Director of Public Works, Mr Manfred Keenleyside, who said if filling was done directly into a grave by machine this "was contrary to instruction" as it is ob-

vious that such action would "cause offence and not be acceptable".

Mr Keenleyside said he had discussed the matter further with the Works Manager, "...who will immediately reinforce instructions in relation to existing procedures and also look to see what changes can be made to any part of the operation to reduce the possibility of this occurring."

Looking at matters more broadly, Mr Keenleyside said he was "disappointed" that there had been no direct contact made with the Public Works Department on this issue by the person raising the matter at the public meeting, "...as feedback is welcomed".

FOGL: the ingredients are stacking up the right way

TWO senior managers of Falklands Oil and Gas Ltd (FOGL) visiting the Islands this week are cautiously optimistic about the company's chances of finding oil.

Exploration Manager Patrick Bird and Executive Chairman John Armstrong have given an update on their companies surveying activities and potential drilling programme.

The results from the current seismic survey have been, "pretty good" and they are pleased with the work carried out so far, said Mr Armstrong.

"It is probably fair to say that the results have exceeded the expectations of everybody involved in the company and with the survey to date."

He explained that the aims of the current survey are to use the seismic surveys already conducted to identify areas that would be worthwhile drilling. So far, he said, over a hundred areas have been identified for more detailed work and the survey that is being undertaken now is to, "narrow down the opportunities and bring the good ones to the top." He added, "the aim is to high grade the 100 down to 20, from which a lesser number will be drilled."

The licensed area of approximately 80,000 sq km has been covered in the last 12 months with reconnaissance seismic.

Asked whether he was optimistic about the prospects of oil and gas being discovered in commercial quantities Mr Armstrong said in the industry, "you look for the right signs in the right places."

"From a technical point of view you look for things like evidence of oil and gases being formed and we think we are finding evidence of that."

He said they are finding evidence of reservoirs that could contain oil and gas and features big enough to be economic if oil and gas is found.

"We think the ingredients are stacking up in the right kind of way. That does not mean there is oil and gas in the ground, that will only be revealed by drilling." He added that they have become "quite optimistic."

After surveying is completed, Patrick Bird as Exploration Manager will have the task of managing the interpretation of all the data to create a seriatim of prospects that can be considered by those who want to participate in the project for drilling.

The earliest date that drilling could commence would be late 2007 and would, "string out over several years."

Mr Armstrong said the industry has become "very tough" where rig availability is involved in recent months because the increase in the price of oil has put a high demand on rigs everywhere with rig rates going up accordingly. In particular the availability of frontier exploration rigs has reduced.

He said however that FOGL

has already begun a review of rigs that may be available in a couple of years time so they can be more informed about possibilities.

On the subject of environmental issues, Mr Armstrong stressed that the industry is more "thoughtful" of environmental issues than it was 30 - 40 years ago, adding that his company would be a long way off shore (100 - 200 miles). "These are outside the areas that are subjected to squid fishing but nonetheless we will be in consultation with Phyl Rendell, the Conservation group and the government here, acting sensibly so that we have proper dialogue with the relevant parties when drilling takes place."

Mr Armstrong said that if oil or gas is found it will have a big impact on the economy of the Falklands adding, "I dare say that is why the government has been supporting companies with activities like ours. I think it would be significant to the extent that it would introduce additional tax and revenue to the government for the benefit of the people of the Islands." He hastened to add that it was "a long way off."

"We've got to define the prospects, drill the wells, find the oil or gas and then we have to develop it and sell it before that occurs. It would provide a very stable revenue base for the government that would be independent of the fishing licenses and other income that it sees today."

"Excellent relationships have been established with the Fisheries Department, Oil and Minerals and the Governor, assures Mr Armstrong."

If oil were to be discovered early in the drilling the earliest it could be produced after that would be two to three years and it would be sold into the international market, explained Mr Armstrong. "If the field was of a modest size it would be developed and produced off shore in a floating production system with minimal impact on shore with the government taking royalty and tax from that production."

FOGL will continue their seismic survey using the *GSI Admiral* through the first quarter of 2006 and will run up to 25,000km of 2D work, "an enormous programme by anyone's standards," said Mr Armstrong. The data will be interpreted and the application of 3D surveys will be considered in places where it will be helpful to "understand what is under the sea."

Participation by other companies has been invited and it is one of the goals of FOGL to achieve the entry of one or a number of companies into the project.

If gas is discovered, "we will have to think about developing it," said Mr Armstrong. "Gas is a commodity that is internationally traded, the price is coupled to the price of oil and gas projects are now less of a second prize to oil projects, they stand on their own

merits with a growing demand. He added, "I think if gas is found we would be talking to the government about development plans."

"The demand for oil has outstripped supply," he added "it is a good time to be finding oil and gas."

The representatives from FOGL said there were many similar operations to that planned for the Falklands taking place elsewhere in the world, mentioning Northern Canada as an example.

Mr Armstrong said that 40 years ago there were no deep water off-shore operations, but as technology has progressed so has the depth of water that drilling takes place in. He said there would be no new technology involved in extracting oil from Falkland waters should there be a commercially viable discovery, adding that operations were taking place in many remote areas around world, "it is just that this is one remote area that it hasn't been used in yet."

"People are drilling now in 3,000 metres of water and the deepest of our prospects is 15 - 1600 metres," Mr Armstrong added, "there is no place in the world that large deposits of oil have been found that have not been developed."

The Falklands climate is favourable for off-shore operations said Mr Armstrong. "You haven't got hurricanes and you haven't got icebergs," he said it is easier to operate with out extremes in weather conditions.

"The problem here is to find the stuff in commercial quantities, not the development of it when that occurs."

Listeria free milk

MILK from Stanley Dairy has been given the all clear for listeria.

Senior Medical Officer Roger Diggle this week reported all the tests of the milk have proved negative.

"Therefore the general public can consider the milk from Beckside Dairy as totally safe to drink."

He said all restrictions recommended for at risk groups are now no longer necessary and the hospital laboratory will continue to test the milk on a weekly basis.

Mystery murder tonight

A FEW tickets remain for the Medieval Murder Mystery dinner which takes place in the Town Hall this evening.

The dinner begins at 7.30pm and party-goers can expect not only an evening of mystery but also a medieval banquet, complimentary wine and medieval entertainment.

Tickets can be purchased from the Pod Gift Shop.

Funds for exercise equipment

STANDING Finance Committee have approved funding for new exercise equipment for Stanley Leisure Centre.

The committee looked at two options, both of which involve the conversion of a squash court and a selection of exercise machines. They were happy to support either option, depending on available funds.

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Remembering Bob Stewart, 1940 - 2005

By the family of the late Bob Stewart

BOB was born in the UK on April 13, 1940 to William and Martha Stewart.

He was one of 17 children, though many died at birth or at an early age; he leaves behind four brothers and two sisters.

Bob never knew what it was like to have a father as his died when he was just four years old. His mother brought him and his brothers and sisters up, through some very hard times, from the stories we were told. She did her best with what she had at the time; in those days money was 'tight' and times were very hard indeed for the family.

Bob, like all young boys, was a bit of a rebel in his youth. At the age of 18 he decided he wanted to travel and experience working somewhere else in the world. He had a choice of either the Falklands or Rhodesia and thankfully he picked the Falklands, as Rhodesia was not a very nice place back then.

Prior to coming to the Falklands, Bob worked on the railways as a stoker and it was due to the trains transferring to diesel power that Bob needed to obtain alternative employment and how he came to the Islands.

He arrived in the Islands in June 1958, when he took up em-

ployment as a shepherd at Fitzroy Farm; in those days Fitzroy was all part of Green Patch Farm and we believe he worked as an outside shepherd at Island Harbour.

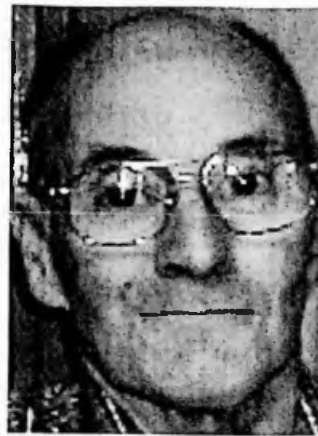
In 1959 he moved to Green Patch, still working as a shepherd. It was while he was working there that he met his first wife, Yvonne and they were later married on September 24, 1960. They moved to the Murrell Farm, again another outside house belonging to Green Patch, and Bob continued his role as outside shepherd.

Whilst at the Murrell their first child, Josie, was born in March 1961. In November 1961 they moved from the Murrell to Stanley and lived at Moody Brook where Bob changed employment from shepherd to Filtration Plant operator.

They had two more children whilst living at Moody Brook: Robert (Ned) was born in July 1962 and later Jackie was born in May 1964.

In 1966 the family moved from Moody Brook to Stanley, where Bob took up employment as chauffeur at Government House for a short period of time.

The family moved back to Camp to Dunnose Head, again for a relatively short period of time before moving on to Douglas Station. It was while at Douglas that their fourth child, Kenneth, was



born in March 1969. From Douglas they then moved back to Stanley in late 1969, where Bob was employed by the Falkland Islands Government as a plumber and, again, as Filtration Plant Operator. During his time at the Filtration Plant, he became Senior Plant Operator.

Bob also worked in the Fire Service in the 1970s and through this became Chief Fire Officer on a part time basis. During the 70s and 80s he undertook a great deal of private work, cutting peat and plumbing, working very long hours indeed, as his family remember well.

In 1984, after the breakdown of his first marriage, and with his youngest son Kenneth working with him, he took up a part time haulage business, using two second hand lorries, which were quite old. Bob expanded on this and in 1986 set up Stanley Bus Service.

It was around this time that Bob met his second wife, Celia and they were happily married on October 24, 1986.

Between 1987 and 1992 Bob continued to work for himself and became well known as 'Bob the Bus' having started off with a 12 seater mini bus and progressing to coaches which he purchased from Mount Pleasant.

It was in 1992, sadly, that Bob was first diagnosed with Non Hodgkins Lymphoma. It soon became apparent that Bob could no longer cope with the bus service due to his health.

Mike and Cherry Ford would run the bus service for Bob whilst he was away in the UK having treatment, and did a great job in keeping the business going in some very adverse weather conditions, still getting to the Tristar on time. In 1993/94 Mike and Cherry bought the bus service from Bob and continued with the good service which was so well known.

During this period of time, Bob had also bought the laundry service from John Teggart; the business was run down and operated out of an old portacabin. From this Bob set up the laundry service to what it is today. During his time at the laundry, his daughter, Josie,

helped him to run it but sadly Bob sold this business too, due to his poor health; Bob sold the laundry to its present owners, Mike and Diane Triggs.

Bob's illness continued for some thirteen years with respites in between, however he didn't work much during this time due to the severity of his illness. During the period 1992 up to his death on September 10, 2005, his wife Celia was always there with him, by his side, on each and every occasion when he went for treatment and in between striving to keep up with her cooking business.

The family appreciate very much the support Bob had from Celia over the years and realise at times, this was very hard for her.

Without Celia's support we would not have had Bob with us as long as we have, as she always encouraged him, telling him not to give up and he would get through it, which he did and we wish to thank her for that.

Bob also brought up Celia's youngest daughter, Priscilla, who looked on Bob as 'Dad'. Priscilla accompanied her mum on several occasions, when Bob was sent overseas for medical treatment. Priscilla has been a great inspiration to her Mum and also encouraged Bob in the past to get better and in doing so gave him the will to 'fight' on.

We recall on many occasions, doctors telling us that they didn't think Bob would 'make it', yet he surprised us all and would bounce back once more - our phrase for him was that he was like a 'rubber ball', bouncing back again and full of plans of what he wanted to do next.

In 1998, Bob and his son Kenneth, set up a 'Plant Hire Contract Business', which worked for approximately two years but due to health problems and personal differences, the business was dissolved.

After this Bob undertook several tourism journeys to Volunteer Point with Patrick Watts and Patrick commented that he was a "pleasure" to work with and that "nothing ever bothered him."

He always took everything in his stride and would drop what he was doing to help someone else. He was always spoken of in good terms and seemed to be very much respected in society.

He will be sadly missed, he was much loved and will never be forgotten.

He leaves behind his wife, Celia, four children, Josie, Ned, Jackie and Kenneth, four step-daughters, Dan, Serena, Veronica and Priscilla, 11 grandchildren, Wayne, Jenny, Melvyn, Roy, Pequita, Leigh, Kerena, Leslie, Zoe, Bono and Lauren and four great-grandchildren, Tilly, Ben, Lane and Madison.

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QTHE new sheltered accommodation on Villiers Street (Yates Place) has been occupied for some time now without any form of fire extinguishers or fire blankets in place.

The occupants say they do have smoke alarms.

Is this normal procedure, for safety reasons first and foremost, or insurance purposes.

Director of Health, Nikki Osborne provided the following answer

AThe key issue with regard to equipment in sheltered housing is the safety of the occupants and providing equipment such as fire blankets and portable extinguishers is only appropriate if the occupants can reasonably judge when they use the equipment safely and are physically able to do so.

The houses are fitted with fire instructions at the entrance and smoke detectors. In addition, the residents have their personal alarms with which they can alert the mobile wardens.

All decisions about fire fighting equipment are made ultimately by the Chief Fire Officer and we abide by his advice. However, his advice is obviously tailored to the circumstances of the residents.

FIG does not insure its housing stock against fire, so provision or not of equipment is not an issue in relation to that.

As a department we are about to review our fire policy and procedure and will include a review of equipment in all our buildings as part of that process. If it is determined that further equipment is

required, this will be addressed through the government's capital programme.

QI UNDERSTAND the 'old Stone House' at Goose Green is being, or has been sold as part of the Falklands Landholdings (FLH) Recovery Plan.

If this is correct (whether part of the Recovery Plan or otherwise) I would be interested to hear the justification behind getting rid of a valuable part of Goose Green's history/heritage for what will be a short term fix to cash flow?

Falklands Landholdings General Manager Owen Summers replied.

AThe Stone House at Goose Green has been identified as an asset which FLH may consider selling as part of its Recovery Plan and is likely to be offered for sale in the very near future.

Executive Council has given approval for FLH to raise funds for an approved investment plan from the sale of selected assets. ExCo did not approve, and neither was approval sought, to raise funds in this fashion to fund operational cash flow deficits which, as previously reported, are being funded by the Falkland Islands Government during the recovery period.

The sale of the Stone House will merely be a change of ownership. The house will remain in Goose Green as part of its history/heritage.

Recent changes to pension scheme

AT THE last public meeting hosted by councillors, a member of the public asked if part time government employees are required to pay 5% pension contributions in the same way full time employees do.

Financial Secretary Derek Howatt has explained that changes have recently been made to the pension arrangements for Falkland Islands Government (FIG) employees in an effort to confirm that the contributions paid into the Falkland Island Pension Scheme (FIPS) over a normal working life ensure that the pensions eventually payable are sufficient to maintain a reasonable standard of living upon retirement.

He said that any person commencing employment with FIG after July 1, 2005 on pensionable terms is "required to contribute 5% of their basic salary to the FIPS irrespective of whether they are employed on a full-time or part-time basis. This employee contribution is tax deductible. In addition to the employee contribution, FIG will make an employer contribution of 10% of basic salary to the employee's individual fund in the FIPS."

Mr Howatt said that furthermore, all FIG pensionable employ-

ees who are members of the FIPS can make Additional Voluntary Contributions (AVCs) in order to enhance their retirement benefits. He said, "AVCs are also tax deductible within limits set out in the Taxes Ordinance. Therefore both the employee contributions and AVCs are a tax efficient means of saving for retirement."

"Staff employed from overseas on contract terms are not liable to pay occupational pension contributions, nor are staff employed on a strictly casual basis, for example bank nurses or supply teachers, as they are not employed on pensionable terms."

Mr Howatt said anyone requiring clarification or enquiring about conditions of employment generally should contact the Human Resources Department of the Secretariat.

The FIPS is an Island-wide money purchase (defined contribution) scheme. FIG as an employer, participates in the FIPS to provide occupational pension arrangements for its pensionable employees. For more information on the FIPS please contact the Pensions Officer at the Treasury.

Stranded beaked whale



Paola Palavecino beside the stranded whale

A CHANCE to further enhance the importance of the Falkland Islands for whale and dolphin species was presented to the Cetacean Watch last week.

On Sunday morning a call from Sue Morrison alerted members of the group to the presence of a stranded whale close to the North Arm settlement.

Oli Yates of Falklands Conservation said this always presents a good opportunity to confirm the sighting and obtain measurements for future reference, but was made especially interesting as the whale was reported by Ian and Eileen Jaffray to be a Gray's beaked whale, *Mesoplodon grayi*.

The beaked group of relatively unknown whale species (family Ziphiidae) are deep diving animals that spend very little time near the surface and almost never move close to shore. For these reasons they are rarely encountered and when they are, very little of the animal is seen, just the head and a small amount of the back. These animals dive to well over 1,000 metres and are adapted to very long periods of breath-hold diving, between 45 minutes and an hour being typical.

Mr Yates said that on arrival at North Arm, Ian and Eileen kindly guided the small team out to the whale, which was half submerged in the tide at Beach Park.

"The whale was attached to the winch of Ian's rover and pulled free of the water for better inspection,

and was found to be in poor condition." Measurements were taken by the group and several photographs to assist identification after the event.

Mr Yates said that basic impressions suggest the 5.75m whale was a Gray's, as originally identified by Ian and Eileen.

Some skin tissue was taken to send away for genetic analysis to confirm the species.

There has been considerable interest from several scientists around the world about the tissue samples and measurements, Mr Yates said, adding that initial comments may indicate this to be "an important and useful find."

"More news will be posted as more information is gathered."

"The speed at which the giant petrels devoured the body made first hand identification difficult and this enhances the need for these events to be reported as soon as possible. Soft tissue samples and an early look at the whales helps identify how the animals died and what they are."

Mr Yates said that he would ask, that if a whale is seen (especially if it's in good condition and therefore could still be alive) could people please contact him at Falklands Conservation, Paul Brickle at the Fisheries Department or Conservation volunteer Paola Palavecino as soon as possible.

He said if anyone has questions relating to whales "we will happily answer as best as we can."

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News from the September meeting of Executive Council

Integrated Transport study to TAC



An Islander aircraft at Stanley Airport

TRANSPORT issues featured highly at this month's Executive Council meeting with councillors considering and approving for submission to the Transport Advisory Committee (TAC) a study on Integrated Transport issues.

Acting Governor Harriet Hall said this is the result of much hard work by the former Economic Adviser and the Chief Executive. "It contains a detailed analysis of current transport arrangements in the Falklands - Falkland Islands Government Air Service (FIGAS), the road network, coastal shipping and port development.

"The study is intended to stimulate debate among the public about the future organisation off and investment in the transport infrastructure in the Falklands. It does not propose solutions but it does identify some priorities."

Ms Hall said there has been a considerable amount of investment in transport infrastructure in the Islands in recent years which has taken place alongside changing needs and requirements. She

added, "in some cases improved infrastructure has promoted changes in needs.

"The growth of the road network in particular is a case in point. But councillors and government are very concerned to ensure that people get value for money and maximise the opportunities of new developments, without compromising essential needs."

The study will be considered by the Transport Advisory Committee in October and following that there will be an extensive period of public consultation. Ms Hall said in particular there will be meetings and Camp roadshows to "focus on these issues."

The plan is then to have a further report to the Transport Advisory Committee in early 2006 which would submit recommendations to ExCo on the way forward. Ms Hall said she would "commend the report to everyone and would urge you all to take part in the debate and submit your views."

Governor may designate 'drink-free zones'

EXECUTIVE Council has received a report from the Young People's Working Group which set out an analysis of issues for further action.

The report says that the immediate problems identified are that groups of children who used to gather separately have come together in the centre of town in recent months and that this is "intimidating adults trying to use the local pubs and restaurants" and businesses are concerned that this is affecting access to their premises and may be deterring customers. Increasing levels of "petty damage to property, trespass and road traffic offences" are being reported to police and children are known to be "drinking, smoking and having sex under the age of consent."

The Young People's Working Group has reviewed existing information and is drawing together any data available that will provide evidence of a problem. To date

the group has reviewed the police information which the report says, "demonstrates that youth crime represents a very small proportion of the overall crime figures in the Islands."

Acting Governor Harriet Hall said this was an issue of "great concern" and councillors had stressed that the Royal Falkland Islands Police had their full backing for "using the powers at their disposal to take action against underage drinking and particularly supply of alcohol to underage children."

Councillors asked the Attorney General to draft legislation which would enable the imposition of bans on drinking in certain public places.

Ms Hall said the intention was not to ban drinking in all public places but, "if a specific area became known as a problem location then the Governor would have the power to designate it as a drink-free zone."

Better than forecast wool income for FLH

FALKLANDS Landholdings (FLH) has achieved a better than forecast income from its last wool clip. Executive Council heard from an update on the Recovery Plan by the Chief Executive Chris Simpkins and General Manager Owen Summers.

ExCo heard that, given the low prices offered on the wool market, FLH has fared "reasonably well" to date with £690,000 achieved for the sale of this year's wool clip. There are still 125 bales unsold, estimated to be worth £40,000 which once sold will bring the total wool income for the year to £730,000. The total income for the year was forecast at £690,800.

The investment required to implement the Recovery Plan introduced earlier this year is £1.2 million. The Falkland Islands Government agreed to fund the operating

loss over three financial years with FLH raising the necessary funds from the sale of certain assets to fund the development portion of the plan.

The paper reports that the disposal of assets is "progressing steadily" with the FLH board having recognised the importance of "not offering too many assets for sale at any one time."

To date the Old Bunkhouse at Goose Green and a number of minor assets have been sold and tenders for 3. Beaver Road and Pleasant Island have been received. Stone Cottage and No 14 Goose Green are soon to be advertised.

The income from these sales is anticipated to be "well in excess" of the £165 required to be raised annually by FLH over the next four years.

Fishing permits and parking for the Murrell

A SUBJECT of "great interest" to the public, the Management Plan for the Murrell River area in advance of the completion of the road later this year has been discussed in Executive Council.

Ms Hall said the road construction was conditional on the production of a management plan for the area.

ExCo considered a paper with three options for management, ranging from doing nothing at this stage to an onerous regime of regulation and patrolling. They decided that the middle course suggested, of a self-policing permit system was the most suitable way forward.

Ms Hall said this will involve the erection of a number of signs and a small parking area. She added, "Permits will be necessary to fish in the Murrell and will be subject to certain regulations as to the size and number of fish caught."

Councillors will consider further the exact terms of such permits - including the cost - and will finalise this at their next meeting. In the meantime they would be happy to hear any comments from the public.

□ *Penguin News will have more information next week on the Plan for the Murrell River which is available for public comment*

Printing office to close and grazing plots retendered

THE Government Printing Office will close in June 2006.

Councillors considered an update on the future of the Printing Office at last week's Executive Council meeting.

Acting Governor Harriet Hall said the government has been in discussions with the private sector about the privatisation of this resource and as a result it has been decided to close the Printing Office with effect from June 30, 2006.

Ms Hall said whilst it is not appropriate to say too much at this stage about the future of printing in the Islands as commercial discussions are still ongoing, councillors felt that the sooner customers of

the existing service knew about the proposed change, "the sooner they could start considering their printing needs."

Another issue to look out for in the near future, said Ms Hall, is the possible re-tendering of some of the grazing plots available in Stanley.

"Many of these plots have been rented out on leases that have long since expired, and which have been rolling over on a six monthly or annual basis.

"Councillors therefore asked the Stanley Lands Committee to look at retendering these. Leases on grazing land which have not yet expired are still of course valid."

PRP holders exceptionally granted housing earlier

AN amendment has been made to the government housing policy to allow holders of a Permanent Residence Permit (PRP) housing before the usual period of four years has elapsed.

Acting Governor Harriet Hall said that, ordinarily a PRP holder will not be considered for government housing until a period of four years after the issue of the permit. She added that applicants for PRP are already told that its grant, "does not entitle them to government housing and this amendment makes this more clear.

"However in clearly demonstrable extenuating circumstances it would be possible for exceptions to be made."

ExCo also approved a paper on government housing which recommended that people who have been away from the Islands for longer than six months for reasons other than medical and education/training, should be automatically removed from the Housing List, to bring the policy in line with that applied to applicants for plots in East Stanley.

Public meeting v LegCo debate

WHAT a refreshing change to leave the councillors' public meeting, feeling that the speaker was well informed, interested in the subject under debate and prepared to answer all questions from the floor with frank honesty.

That was Mr Rick Hall of Cable and Wireless.

Contrast that with Legislative Council meetings (LegCo). The special meeting of LegCo on August 26 was called to debate the Fisheries Bill, described by the Chief Executive as "perhaps the most important single legislative provision that has been brought before this House for many years." After the introduction and thanks for all the hard work to the officials and committee members, councillors stood to speak and explain the reasons behind their votes.

These can be summarised by abstention on grounds of interference from the Foreign Office, two votes for, two votes against, and three, after weighing up the evidence, in favour. Of these last three, statements were made that there are some aspects that are cause for concern, advantages outweigh the disadvantages, and that those far more experienced in the industry influenced their decisions.

Under the present system of government there is no requirement to explain these concerns, difficulties or advantages further, nor to actively consider what is in the best interests of the Islands overall, or need to consult the opinion of the electorate. A more open style of government would allow for public debate, with an independent chair allowing speakers both for and against to speak, questions from the floor to speakers, and if required a resolution from the meeting. As the "rights issue" seems to be contentious, then that would be the motion for debate, with councillors taking part if they so wished as speakers, questioners or just listening to others. This in addition to meetings held for interested parties from the industry that cover the whole

policy document.

Legislative Council procedures allow for written questions submitted by one councillor to another. Often these are prefaced by the statement that the question is only asked and the answer given to make an issue public.

I would suggest that a more profitable use of LegCo time would be active debate, and leave public statements to public meetings. The role of councillors' public meetings should be to open up issues for discussion by the public and give all parties a chance to air their views and as important, listen to the views of others. Different subject areas to take centre stage, with the councillor responsible for policy, and Head of Department or manager responsible for the implementation of policy asked to attend and speak freely on written questions and if required answer questions from the audience.

At the last public meeting, a question asked on the apparent breakdown of discipline in school was answered by the statement that the issue will be discussed at the next Education Board meeting.

A more satisfying solution would be an open forum whereby all aspects of education, including discipline, the "youth problem", suggested abuse of the provision of overseas education, more open door access to college, more directed studies towards local employment, and the "unhealthy state" of the Leisure Centre with broken exercise machines and closure due to staff illness, would be items on the agenda. The audience could include parents, teachers, staff members, members of the public and councillors able to air individual views without prejudice and the whole to be chaired by an independent impartial person, whose role is to allow open debate. Then perhaps we would see the emergence of an effective opposition.

**Phil Middleton
Stanley**

Clean up before horses get to town

OCTOBER is usually the month in the year when horses start to re-appear in various yards around Stanley, having spent the winter months out in Camp.

This is a reminder to all horse owners to take the time now BEFORE your horses come into town, to check the various yards where they might be stationed over the summer. Please check that the fences are adequate and not in need of any major repairs. Generally speaking, wooden fencing is preferable to wire fencing for horses, as they can see it better and are less likely to get caught up in it.

You should also check the rest of the yard looking particularly for bits of wire, rusty sheets of tin, sharp rocks and deep holes and sort out the problems NOW before the horse is exposed to these potential dangers.

It is also a very good idea to worm your horse as soon as it comes into town. If every horse owner did this as a matter of routine it would

lower the number of worm eggs being deposited on the grass at the beginning of the summer. As the weather warms up, development of the worm larvae speed up so that by the end of the summer some yards in town will be very heavily contaminated by worm larvae. During their stay in town horses probably should be wormed approximately every eight weeks. Their final worming should coincide with their return to camp or to the common in autumn next year.

You can also help to reduce the build up of larvae by regularly (daily) removing the horse faeces from the grazing area. Horse poo is great for the vegetable garden or, if it is too late to put it on the veggie plot, you can always mix it in with your compost. For further information on this subject please contact the veterinary section of the Department of Agriculture on telephone number 27366.

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Ways and means of raising funds

READING about the problems of resurfacing the Mount Pleasant road, because of the estimated cost of £15 million and where this money is to come from, it occurred to me that there might be two alternative ways of raising this finance, without having to withdraw from the Central Fund.

One way could be to apply for overseas aid for developing countries from Britain, or the EU, or United States aid program or even large Commonwealth Countries (Australia, Canada etc) as the Falklands can claim to be a developing country. Even if they only gave half the money, this would help.

The second way would be for the Falklands to think of themselves as

a developing country and do what other such countries do. That is to raise a government bond in the London Stock Exchange, to be repaid over a number of years.

While you are raising this money, why not also include money for other Falklands projects needed as well? Such as police station, other road works and say bridges across Falkland Sound, built out on land pushed out from each shore. From Fanning Head to Jersey Point or leapfrogging across the Swan Islands further down or Tyssen Islands? Total altogether about £25/30 million.

Would the above suggestions be feasible at all, does anybody think?
**Leslie Freedman
Essex, UK**

Looking for relations in the Falklands

I BELONG to the Falklands/Malvinas Friends Club. In my e-mail to Ricardo Gómez Kenny I said I agreed with everything he had expressed about the necessity for friendship and mutual respect, taking part in the activities of the club and patience and perseverance to see results and growth. I would like to send this message to all our F/M friends with two ideas.

First, an invitation to those who are in Buenos Aires for a few days; we would love to welcome you to our house. Now that the children are married we have two guest rooms!

Second, my other special interest is to contact possible relations on the Islands with the only intention of getting to know them. My

great grandfather Peter Smith (b 1794) married Wilhelmina (b.1810). They lived at Cantera House, near Darwin, although I don't know when they arrived in the Falklands/Malvinas. Their children were; David Smith (b.1836); Peter Smith (b.1839); Christopher Peter (Dumfries (b.1843-Worthing, 1927); George Smith and Margaret Smith (b.1850). This information was sent to my sister in 2001 by Jane Cameron who was in charge of the Falkland Island Archives.

Best wishes to all the islanders
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Legislative Council coverage:

Luxton: what I want from new council

OUTGOING councillor Stephen Luxton has revealed what he, as a voter, wants to see from the next council.

In his motion for adjournment speech Councillor Luxton said a "strong line" on Argentina would be needed: "The threat from that lot over the water hasn't diminished in the last four years, in fact, quite the opposite..."

"(With) the next council, I think, a strong line on Argentina is pretty much essential to defend our interests."

He said a hard line on budgeting would also be essential. "...and any candidates should be prepared to make tough decisions if they are to be elected."

"We might have oil... but in budgetary terms at this stage, I think the Falkland Islands should treat it very much like a white Christmas. It will be wonderful if it happens but I don't think people should be at the top of the hill with their sleigh waiting."

He continued, "Important stuff like medical services and education have taken priority in this council and, I sincerely hope, they will in the next one too."

"Camp roads have been a particular interest of mine and I hope the next council will see them through to the point of conclusion I am sad, in a way, that I won't be around to see the programme finished but I hope those that follow after November will give them some priority."

Councillor Luxton said he was also keen to see the new council avoiding regulation for the sake of regulation: "On many occasions we have regulations forced upon us from elsewhere. There often isn't much that can be done about that, and areas like observation and our international obligations often become more complicated as a result. But for our own affairs, I think a sensible attitude must prevail."

"We don't need designated

camp roads. We don't need to clamp down on firearms. There isn't a problem with these things."

"My hope is that future councils will continue to allow people to do what they have always done and take a sensible attitude in such matters."

With this being the last LegCo meeting for Councillor Luxton, many of his colleagues used their speeches to thank him for his service.

Councillor Hansen said he was grateful for Councillor Luxton's "realistic and sensible" approach over the last few years, "...in particular his approach to the transport portfolio, which we have worked on together since my election two years ago."

Councillor Cheek said it had been a "pleasure" serving with Councillor Luxton: "He has been a hard working and conscientious councillor and I sincerely hope that we have an opportunity in future years to vote for him in a future election."

Looking back over his four years on Legislative Council, Councillor Luxton said, "There have certainly been some interesting challenges along the way and I guess it has caused most people to revise their ambitions downwards."

"Who in this room thought in November 2001 that we would be dealing with not one squid crisis but three? Not me, that's for sure."

He said some of the decisions that have been taken "were not easy but had to be made," and added, "while not everybody agrees with all the things that have been done, as is so often the case, it's a compromise."

Reflecting on his election broadcast four years ago, when he said he wished to see a tax regime that took the lower paid workers out of the tax bracket completely, Councillor Luxton said, "We now have that and I hope many people are feeling the benefit of that by now."

Commander Moncrieff joins Legislative Council

THE Commander of British Forces South Atlantic Islands (CBFSAL), Commodore Ian Moncrieff, has been sworn onto Legislative Council.

Although he has been in the Islands for around three months, this was Commander Moncrieff's first attendance at LegCo.

Previously he was commander of *HMS Endurance* for two years, and in addressing the motion for adjournment, he said, that during that time, "...I think I gained a very good understanding of these Islands and also a personal affection for them."

He continued, "I hope that my presence here, the presence of my people at Mount Pleasant, and the sense of purpose with which we go about our work here, remains a very clear, unequivocal and tangible expression of Her Majesty's Government's intent to maintain the Falkland Islands' right to self-determination."

"There is no doubt that my military presence in here (in LegCo) is very much a support to the diplomatic lever of power and that, I believe, must always have primacy in dealings between nations of the civilised world."

"But I do have a military mission and I'm clear what that is and I'm clear that delivering it is my main effort; there should be no doubt of the commitment of me and my people to that military mission, as I say, very much in support of the diplomatic levers of power."

Inextricable to that, Commodore Moncrieff told LegCo, is the fact that the forces are also part of the community: "I hope that we bring skills and a wider contribution beyond just our prime mission, one which I think needs to be developed further, one that I'm keen to make certain we develop and bring in our cooperation with the community, of which we feel very much a part..."

The Chief Executive took the opportunity to speak to the motion. He expressed a "personal commitment" to work alongside Commodore Moncrieff, "...to secure even stronger working relationships between FIG and the BFSAL for mutual benefit."

He commented, "We may not always agree but we share a common purpose which is unassailable."

Inaugural Speaker bows out

COUNCILLORS have thanked Tim Blake, the inaugural Speaker of the House, for his four years' service.

On behalf of Legislative Council, Councillor Birmingham presented Mr Blake with a copy of *Atmosphere*, the new book by Ian and Georgina Strange.

At Mr Blake's final meeting, Legislative Council passed a motion laying down the role of Speaker.

In speaking to the motion, Councillor Mike Summers said it is intended that the motion should go at the back of the standing rules and orders of Legislative Council as a permanent record of the role of the Speaker.

He wished to make clear, "...that in bringing this motion to the house, there is no criticism implied whatsoever at the way the current Speaker has performed his functions, indeed he has performed them entirely within this code of practice and we thank him for that."

Councillor Cheek said the symbolism of the appointment by each council of its Speaker is an important marker in the development of internal self-government. "I hope that the new council will take up constitutional development and further develop our constitutional maturity."

She thanked Mr Blake for agreeing to take on the role "in this first attempt" and for his performance of the role.

At the end of the motion for adjournment speeches, the Speaker said he had one message for councillors.

"The proceedings of this house



Above: Councillor Birmingham presents the Speaker of the House, Mr Tim Blake, with a copy of the new book, *Atmosphere*.

require more debate, not because there is dissension among you with regards to the content of the legislation, but on issues that require more explanation than can ever actually be included in the introduction to Bills.

"I know they are published - but most publications are totally unintelligible in that they just mention a change of a clause or a section but a number of Bills that you put through here do have far reaching effects on the people at large and without discussion and debate, they tend to go through and, as a result, nobody has any idea what they were about..."

"So, may I ask future councillors to examine legislation that they intend to pass and see if it wants further explanation to the public. Because they are the people who are affected by it."

'Give council a go' Luxton urges public

ARE you thinking about standing for council at the next election? Well, Councillor Luxton says "give it a go."

While confirming he is "regretably" not standing for election this year, due to work commitments, Councillor Luxton says he would "recommend it to anybody who thinks they might like to try it, to give it a go. At the very worst, it will only cost you £100."

"But I would go as far as to say that everybody who can should try it at least once. Working as a councillor gives you a degree of insight into what goes on and how the country and the government works. It is probably unmatched by any other job."

Councillor Luxton says he has not ruled out the possibility of standing at a future election, "...as it's been a fascinating experience. Sometimes it can be boring, other times very rewarding but I have no regrets at all about doing it."

Councillor Luxton will be holding a workshop for people who are thinking about standing. "Unfortunately, in fine Falklands tradition, it's going to happen a bit later than I thought due to some other commitments I have for the next couple of weeks."

"But some time in the first half of October, myself and, I think, the Honourable John Birmingham and the Chief Executive will be having

a session one evening to try and let folks know what they may be letting themselves in for."

Councillor Birmingham confirmed he will be standing and added, "If anybody out there is thinking about standing but is still undecided, I suggest that you go for it."

"For all the criticisms and the rough bits of being a councillor - and there are some - there is, on occasion, a real sense of achievement."

In thanking councillors for their service over the past four "challenging" years, the Chief Executive said, "I salute your intestinal fortitude."

He added, "I know, from over 34 years of working with elected representatives, the huge commitment which each of you has made to serving the community."

"It is a commitment that frequently involves sacrifices, particularly for your families who almost certainly see rather less of you than would otherwise be the case. Public office also frequently has an adverse impact on business and professional ambitions."

"The high profile which elected representatives have, particularly in this community, is not always an experience to be enjoyed."

He suggested nomination papers should carry a government warning, "Getting elected can damage your health, family, friendships and business."

news from the final meeting

End of an era as Councillor Edwards steps down

AFTER almost twenty years' service, Camp councillor Norma Edwards has attended her last meeting of Legislative Council.

Her colleagues used their motion for adjournment speeches to pay tribute to her.

Councillor Hansen said, although Mrs Edwards was stepping down, her views would continue to be heard: "I find it quite hard to imagine - whether or not I take part in the next council or am just listening to LegCo - that we won't hear Norma's voice."

"I do think the council should be warned that they will undoubtedly hear her voice on more than one occasion, as she has said, she has no intention of retiring her opinions."

Councillor Cheek said, "I know for a fact that there are many constituents, not just in Camp but also in Stanley, who have cause to be very, very grateful for the tenacity with which Norma will pursue their needs, their requirements, their problems."

"Norma you will be very, very much missed."

Councillor Birmingham said Mrs Edwards telephoned to congratulate him when he was elected twelve years ago and said she looked forward to their working together. "Well, as time went by, we haven't always seen eye to eye, but I've always had a lot of respect for Norma."

He echoed Councillor Cheek's words about Mrs Edwards' tenacity: "There are many people in the Camp and in Stanley who have reason to thank Councillor Edwards when she has taken up their cause..."

"In future, there is no doubt we will gain from the benefit of her advice...and I look forward to that."

Councillor Luxton said no one could question the enormous contribution Mrs Edwards has made over the years. "Norma, over the time I have worked with you, you stamped your own unique style on the discussions we have as councillors and, most importantly, you have never compromised at all on the things you believe strongly in and I very much respect you for that."

In rising to speak to the motion for adjournment for the final time, Councillor Edwards described her years on Legislative Council as "a bit of a rollercoaster ride."

She said, during that time, great changes have happened to the Falklands. "We are a richer country - much richer than we were when I first came to council - and, I have to say, in my opinion, we are not

really as content as we were."

"Riches haven't made us more content. We get more gripes and grumbles and all the rest of it but I suppose it's because the more you have the more your expectations rise and people expect more money and more for their money."

"I do think that we have got ourselves so wrapped up in red tape and we live in fear of being accused of human rights infringements or racism or bullying or litigation for all kinds of things that we may or may not have said or done. And that is one of the reasons why I am not standing for council again - one of the reasons."

Argentina

Not surprisingly, Councillor Edwards - a well known "hard-liner" on Argentina - chose to attack the 1999 Joint Statement and the way it was signed, in her speech.

She said she found it difficult to accept the "vitriolic" comments of some of her colleagues at that time. (She excluded Councillors Bill Luxton, Mike Summers and Richard Cockwell, from this group.) She said, "I found it very difficult to cope with that...I did find it was upsetting because those comments were particularly nasty and personal..."

Mrs Edwards asked future councillors to advocate the rights of Islanders: "I've said all along, when Argentina give up their claim to the Falklands, that's when we should be talking to them, not before."

Mrs Edwards said she remembered being "lectured" at a public meeting held while the 1999 negotiations were ongoing: "It was said it was absolutely essential that we approve the 1999 agreement to safeguard the fishery, that it was the only way we would get an international fishery agreement with Argentina."

"Well, that hasn't happened and it's not likely to. The only thing the agreement got for us was a scheduled flight from Chile, which we would probably have got anyway, once the British had released Pinochet..."

She added, "I hope in the future that when Argentina and the Foreign Office are trying to negotiate more agreements, it will be remembered that this 1999 agreement brought nothing for the Falklands but the free passage of Argentines in and out of the Islands, which may or may not be a bad thing, depending on your point of view."

"Any agreement Argentina signs is regarded by their government as

just a step up the ladder to the recovery of the so-called Malvinas."

Other councillors also addressed the "Argentine question" during their speeches.

Councillor Summers, looking back on the last four years, said that although the relationship between the Falklands and Argentina, and the United Kingdom and Argentina has deteriorated, "I'm rather happy with it."

He explained, "I'm happy with it because the Argentine government in the last two to three years has tried quite hard to hurt the Falklands, to hurt the economy of the Falklands, and it has failed to do so. That for us is a good sign."

"It means we're in good health from an economic point of view, we're in good health from a political point of view, with the support from Her Majesty's government, and I remain confident that the Argentine government and its petty antics cannot hurt the Falklands."

"It would be nice to think that they could look at their old mother country Spain and see how the relationship between the new Spanish government and Gibraltar has begun to develop and how the Spanish government has finally realised, after decades of trying to blockade Gibraltar, that in fact the best way forward for all parties concerned is to cooperate."

Councillor Cheek asked a simple question: "When will Argentina, or those that govern that country, learn that a country that has to resort to threats, harassment and attempts at economic warfare, becomes less attractive, not more attractive to the people of the Falkland Islands?"

"We are absolutely clear in our right to self-determination. It's reinforced by every year that passes: by the things we do, by the way we develop in our government, our economy and our people."

Councillor Birmingham said he and Councillor Luxton had seen "first hand" the attitude of the present Argentine administration, "...that continues to harden."

He echoed Councillor Summers words about Spain and Gibraltar and added, "I'm an optimist and I think in the future their attitudes will change, perhaps when their administration changes."

"But up till now, and at the moment, we certainly have to just tread water."

'We're one nation'

THE policy of "one nation" must be a priority for the next council, Mike Summers believes.

In his motion for adjournment speech, Councillor Summers said he was sad, looking back over the past four years that, "...we have not achieved what we might have liked to have achieved in terms of better economic performance in the Camp."

He stated "The economics are not good," with wool prices remaining poor, "...and people are still having a difficult time."

While he said he was happy that investment has continued in Camp, citing the road programme, the abattoir, improvements in animal quality and genetic improvements, he added, "There remains much to do in Camp and the next council will need to be committed to making sure that Camp remains part of our one nation policy."

He explained, "I think, there must be a one nation policy; we are the Falklands overall, we're not Stanley and Camp divided, we are one together."

"Our politics are the same, our economics should be the same and we must strive hard to bring the Camp up to the sort of levels of income and expectation that people enjoy in Stanley."

Councillor Birmingham said he fully supported the notion of one nation: "The Falkland Islands are the Falkland Islands - this council has five Stanley members and three Camp councillors but decisions are made by all eight and they have been made by all eight on all items for years and I'm sure that in the future that will be the same."

"There's a perception outside that there is some kind of Stanley/Camp divide: I don't think there's a divide, neither on the council nor, generally speaking, amongst the population."

Councillor Edwards addressed the transport review and urged Camp residents to "read, digest and communicate with the government as to how they feel about it".

She said she is concerned by the price of shipping in the Islands: "I hope suppliers will look very carefully at their freight rates. I know freight rates will have to go up because of the oil situation, and I know they have been highly subsidised."

She pleaded with future councillors: "Please don't forget the Camp."

"If in the future the Camp is neglected, you will end up with a heap of bureaucracy in Stanley and nothing much else left to show for it."

"The Falklands is not divided between Camp and Stanley - it is one whole land and it should be looked upon in that way and treated in the same way."

Councillor Hansen: investment in tourism makes fundamental sense

COUNCILLOR Hansen has stressed the importance of investment in tourism.

He told his colleagues of "an interesting conversation" he had with people from the Isle of Man and Guernsey, while on a recent trip abroad.

"The Isle of Man are significantly reducing their expenditure on promoting tourism as they feel people know what to expect from the

Isle of Man; they have nothing new to offer to tourism, as far as marketing goes.

"Guernsey, for the same reason, is proposing an even more radical approach in suggesting that some land based tourist infrastructure be converted into sheltered accommodation."

This, he said, is where the Falklands differ. "We do still have something different to offer from other

countries. We do have a niche market in tourism."

"I know tourism is, and always will be, a volatile form of economy, but investment in promotion, investment in infrastructure, investment in assistance for upgrading existing accommodation Island-wide, I believe, is an investment that makes fundamental sense for our future economy. I would hope that the future council takes this view."

Fashion, art and dancing at the 2005 Conservation Ball



STANLEY Town Hall may have undergone an exterior transformation during the winter, but it paled in comparison to the interior at Falkland Conservation's fourth annual charity ball on Friday.

Those attending the function sponsored by Consolidated Fisheries Ltd (CFL) could be forgiven for thinking that the hall had been visited by the Changing Rooms team. Soft drapes and gentle lighting, gentle music and magnificent flower arrangements on the centre of each table welcomed the gathering of more than 250 who were all equally well adorned.

Champagne donated by Falklands Brasserie and tapas were first on the menu for everyone after being escorted to their tables and soon the wine (courtesy of Beauchene) and conversation were flowing freely.

At 8.30pm sharp Mike Summers and Andrew Newman drew everyone's attention to the art works being offered for auction and the bids, once under way just kept getting higher and higher.

Half way through the auction and with impeccable timing to regain everyone's attention a snappy fashion show took place. The first some people were aware of the event was the crack of Ali Liddle's whip against her cowboy boot as she reached the end of the catwalk (some of the menfolk needed assistance to reposition their lower jaws).

The models all wore items of clothing from the Wool Centre displaying both casual and formal dress incorporating Falklands wool. A wrap modelled by Tracy Pearce was auctioned and raised the princely sum of £150.

All six models put on a superb, well orchestrated show despite their pre-show nerves. An item much admired by many was the magnificent

felted bodice created by Christine Mitchell of the Wool Centre and modelled by Sara Clement.

With the completion of the auction £10,000 was raised and it was on to the dancing. The floor was packed for the remainder of the evening particularly when band Platonic were playing.

The 2005 charity ball was organised by SeAled Events of SeAled PR Ltd, working on behalf of Falklands Conservation.

Sara Clement of SeAled said that each year the standard of the evening has been raised, adding, "next year the challenge is really going to be on."

Sara said that much of the success this year has to go to the large amount of people who volunteered their time and expertise to help get the hall ready in time and offered a "massive thank you" to all those who had given their time so readily. She said that the amount of help received in preparation for the ball "is a good indication of the support that Falklands Conservation receives from the community."

"But of course without the sponsorship and tremendous support of Consolidated Fisheries Ltd it would have been impossible to put on such a grand evening. Due to their support all money made goes straight to Falklands Conservation and the projects that are being run."

"Thank you to all for coming along and giving your support to your environment and the wildlife."

Auction items

Weekend at Sea Lion Island for two people for two nights. Joost Pompert - £500.

Richard Cockwell artwork. Rick Hall - £500.

Mandy Shepherd artwork. Commander British Forces South Atlantic Islands. Ian Moncrieff - £500.

Shirley Merrell artwork. Guy Levene - £150.

Gary Clement artwork. Martin Plato - £400.

Ali Liddle feltwork. Mr and Mrs Ian Wilkinson - £550.

Wool Centre wrap. Martin Beaton - £150.

Una Hurst artwork. Gordon Moulds - £525.

VC 10 flight to South Georgia (four persons on a date to be negotiated). Jean Diggle - £1,300.

Antarctic Cruise (two persons, cruise only. Hotel in Ushuaia/return flights own cost). Mr and Mrs Masekell-Bott - £5,000.

A total of £14,500 was raised from the entire evening.

Random star prizes were donated by Ledingham Chalmers, one hours free legal advice, hairdresser Tanya Ford for a haircut within 24 hours and Malvina House Hotel for one night in their executive suite, all expenses paid.

Clockwise from above right: A group from Mount Pleasant sip champagne and survey the transformed Town Hall; Auctioneer Mike Summers tempts a table with artwork by Richard Cockwell; Falklands Brasserie's Sam Heal and Alex Olmedo take a well deserved breather after ensuring that everyone is well fed; Angie Bonner and Karl Harris arrive at the ball; 1-r Commander British Forces South Atlantic Islands, Ian Moncrieff and Marion Moncrieff with Chief of Staff, Gordon Moulds and his wife Belinda.



Well dressed couples arrive at the Falklands Conservation annual charity ball. Above from the top: Ian and Janet Wilkinson; Jean and Roger Diggle; Michelle King and Andrew Newman; Leeann and Ralph Harris



Above from the top: Models Jacki Summers, Angie Morrison, Paola Palavecino and Ali Liddle line up; Sara Clement struts her stuff modelling a felted bodice by Christine Mitchell; Tracy Pearce looks born to the catwalk as she models the Wool Centre wrap offered for auction; Steve and Janette Vincent (left) arrive at the ball.





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TIDES AROUND THE ISLANDS

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 Port Stephens + 3hrs 15m
 Hill Cove + 4hrs
 Berkeley Sound + 1 hr 11m
 Port San Carlos + 2 hr 55m
 Darwin Harbour - 56m

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 Opening Schedule Commencing Saturday 1st OCTOBER 2005

Swimming Pool	Sports Hall / Squash Courts
SATURDAY 1st OCTOBER 2005	
Public 10:00-16:00	Public
Adults 16:00-18:00	Public
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Between 12:00-13:00 Junior Activities	
SUNDAY 2nd OCTOBER 2005	
Public 11:00-17:00	Public
Adults 17:00-19:00	Public
CLUBS ON TODAY	
Between 11:00-12:00 Junior Activities	
MONDAY 3rd OCTOBER 2005	
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Saturday 1st October
 8.30 ROOM 785
 8.40 TAZ-MANIA
 9.05 KERCHING! Children's comedy drama series
 9.30 BLUE PETER
 10.00 DICK AND DOM IN DA BUNGALOW
 12.00 TOTP RELOADED
 12.45 SPORTSROUND
 1.00 NEWS
 1.10 FOOTBALL FOCUS
 1.50 GRANDSTAND Steve Rider is at Gloucester's famous Kingsholm ground for the opening of a brand-new rugby union tournament. The finest teams from England and Wales go head to head in the new-look Powersgen Cup, as they set foot on a road ultimately leading to a glittering Twickenham finale in April. The competition begins with the group stages, with Gloucester opening their campaign against reigning Celtic League champions Neath-Swansea Ospreys. The clubs feature top international stars such as Mike Tindall and Phil Vickery for Gloucester and Shane Williams and Gavin Henson for their visitors. Also in the show is high-speed Moto GP action from Qatar, where Suzi Perry introduces live coverage of the 14th race of a season which has once again been dominated by the sport's superstar - reigning world champion Valentino Rossi
 6.15 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 6.25 THE O.C.
 7.10 CASUALTY
 8.00 THE X FACTOR Talent show hosted by Kate Thornton
 8.55 THE BABY WAR Drama in which a couple about to adopt a young child find the child has been snatched from their home during a family celebration by the child's biological father, who wants custody, and taken to Ireland, where the father is a high-ranking politician. The foster mother then launches a desperate fight to regain her child despite many legal hurdles, risking her freedom and marriage in the process. Starring Gina McKee, Steven Waddington, John Lynch, Eva Birthistle, Jason Barry and Bryan Murray
 10.05 THE X FACTOR: RESULT
 10.50 OUTTAKE TV Anne Robinson reveals and revels in the bits the stars and celebrities would rather viewers didn't see
 11.10 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 11.30 MATCH OF THE DAY Gary Lineker presents highlights of all today's Premiership matches including Fulham v Manchester United; Charlton v Spurs; Blackburn v West Brom; Sunderland v West Ham and Portsmouth v Newcastle
 12.40 [am] NEWS 24

Sunday 2nd October
 8.35 EXTREME FOOTBALL England international Graeme Le Saux kicks off this brand new series.
 8.45 MATCH OF THE DAY Football highlights programme
 10.00 SUNDAY A.M. Andrew Marr, former BBC Political Editor, interviews key newsmakers and shines a light on what's happening in the world this week. Includes a review of the Sunday newspapers, weather forecast and news bulletin
 11.00 THE HEAVEN AND EARTH SHOW
 12.00 CD:UK
 12.50 HOLLYOAKS OMNIBUS

2.50 OLIVER BEENE
 3.10 THE SIMPSONS
 3.35 MOVIE PRESENTATION: THE FLINTSTONES IN VIVA ROCK VEGAS (2000) Live-action

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 SATURDAY BY APPOINTMENT

prehistoric prequel. Starring Mark Addy, Stephen Baldwin, Kristen Johnston, Jane Krakowski, Joan Collins and Thomas Gibson
 5.00 BARCLAYS PREMIERSHIP The Champions of Europe and the Premiership title-holders meet at Anfield as Liverpool take on Chelsea for the second time in five days
 6.55 TOP GEAR Motoring magazine presented by Jeremy Clarkson, Richard Hammond and James May

7.55 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 8.15 FRASIER American sitcom

8.40 NEW TRICKS Drama series
 9.40 THE WEST WING Drama series about the workings of the Oval Office Followed By: BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 10.25 THE CATHERINE TATE SHOW
 10.55 THE FRANK SKINNER SHOW (New)
 11.45 THE SLAVERY BUSINESS Three-part series looking at Britain's part in the slave trade
 12.45 [am] NEWS 24

Monday 3rd October
 7.00 BREAKFAST
 10.15 ROOM 785
 10.30 MAKE AND DO
 10.40 THE STORYMAKERS
 11.00 MASTERCHEF GOES LARGE
 11.30 THIS MORNING
 1.30 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 2.10 EMMERDALE
 2.55 THE PAUL O'GRADY SHOW
 3.45 ROOM 785
 4.05 KING ARTHUR'S DISASTERS
 4.35 THE TRIBE
 5.20 THE CROCODILE HUNTER DIARIES
 5.40 THE KING OF QUEENS Sitcom
 6.05 CORONATION STREET
 6.30 MY HERO Sitcom about an alien superhero
 7.00 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 7.30 EASTENDERS
 8.00 THE BILL
 8.45 WILL AND GRACE
 9.10 FOOTBALLERS' WIVES
 10.00 EXTRAS Sitcom set in the world of film and TV extras Followed by: BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 10.30 SUGAR RUSH (New) New drama series
 10.55 KATH AND KIM Australian sitcom about a mother and daughter living in suburbia
 11.20 THE CHAMPIONSHIP A review yesterday's action in the Coca-

Cola Championship and Leagues One and Two
 12.10 [am] WORLD RALLY CHAMPIONSHIP Action from the Japanese round of the World Rally Championship
 1.00 [am] NEWS 24

Tuesday 4th October
 7.00 BREAKFAST
 10.15 ROOM 785
 10.30 MAKE AND DO
 10.40 THE STORYMAKERS
 11.00 MIND YOUR OWN BUSINESS
 11.30 THIS MORNING
 1.30 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 2.10 WHERE THE HEART IS
 3.00 THE PAUL O'GRADY SHOW
 3.50 ROOM 785
 4.20 BLUE PETER
 4.50 BELFRY WITCHES
 5.15 CELEBRITY WHO WANTS TO BE A MILLIONAIRE
 6.05 CORONATION STREET
 6.30 BFBS REPORTS
 7.00 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 7.30 EASTENDERS
 8.00 THE BILL
 8.45 IS THIS THE WORST WEATHER EVER? Freaky Summers
 9.10 BREMNER, BIRD AND FORTUNE
 10.00 BOSTON LEGAL Followed by: BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 10.45 BLIMEY! (New) 1960's. A look at how 1960s popular culture revolutionised Oxbridge and establishment accents in the media. Contains very strong language
 11.45 FILM 2005 WITH JONATHAN ROSS
 12.15 [am] UNDERGROUND BRITAIN (New) Series of profiles about people who may not be all that they seem
 12.55 [am] NEWS 24

Wednesday 5th October
 7.00 BREAKFAST
 10.15 ROOM 785
 10.30 MAKE AND DO
 10.40 THE STORYMAKERS
 11.00 MASTERCHEF GOES LARGE
 11.30 THIS MORNING
 1.30 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 2.10 EMMERDALE
 2.55 THE PAUL O'GRADY SHOW
 3.45 ROOM 785
 4.00 RULE THE SCHOOL
 4.30 PIG HEART BOY Children's drama series about a boy needing a heart transplant

4.55 A DIFFERENT LIFE Documentary series
 5.20 HOW LONDON WAS BUILT
 5.45 MALCOLM IN THE MIDDLE
 6.05 CORONATION STREET
 6.30 DICKENS IN AMERICA (New)
 7.00 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 7.30 ALIAS
 8.10 ANIMAL CRIME SCENE
 9.10 LOST
 9.55 SHAMELESS Followed by: BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 10.40 LADETTE TO LADY
 11.30 PSYCHO The Man Who Faked His Life
 12.20 [am] NEWS 24

Thursday 6th October
 7.00 BREAKFAST
 10.15 ROOM 785
 10.30 MAKE AND DO
 10.40 THE STORYMAKERS
 11.00 CASH IN THE ATTIC
 11.30 THIS MORNING
 1.30 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 2.10 WHERE THE HEART IS
 3.00 THE PAUL O'GRADY SHOW
 3.50 ROOM 785
 4.05 SPLASH CAMP
 4.30 BLUE PETER
 5.00 BEST FRIENDS (New)
 5.25 ENTERPRISE
 6.30 THE WORLD'S MOST PHOTOGRAPHED John F. Kennedy
 7.00 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 7.30 EASTENDERS
 8.00 HOLBY CITY Popular hospital drama
 9.00 BAD GIRLS
 9.45 CHECNYA THE DIRTY WAR (New) Followed by: BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 10.40 ARRESTED DEVELOPMENT Comedy series
 11.00 AVERAGE JOE Beautiful single girl Melana Scantlin, a former cheerleader and beauty queen, is hoping to meet the perfect guy
 11.45 DON'T GET ME STARTED! (New)
 12.25 [am] NEWS 24

Friday 7th October
 7.00 BREAKFAST
 10.15 ROOM 785
 10.30 MAKE AND DO
 10.40 THE STORYMAKERS
 11.00 MASTERCHEF GOES LARGE
 11.30 THIS MORNING
 1.30 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 2.10 EMMERDALE
 2.55 THE PAUL O'GRADY SHOW
 3.45 ROOM 785
 4.15 ART ATTACK
 4.35 THE WEEK ON NEWSROUND
 4.55 MY PARENTS ARE ALIENS
 5.15 MAYBE IT'S ME
 5.40 LOCATION, LOCATION, LOCATION
 6.05 CORONATION STREET
 6.30 BFBS REPORTS
 7.00 NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 7.30 EASTENDERS
 8.00 HOW CLEAN IS YOUR HOUSE?
 8.25 BATTLESTAR GALACTICA
 9.50 MY LIFE IN FILM Sitcom
 10.20 ER Drama series Followed by: BFBS WEATHER REPORT
 11.05 DRAMA CONNECTIONS Series revisiting classic drama programmes
 11.35 FRIDAY NIGHT WITH JONATHAN ROSS
 12.35 [am] NEWS 24

Billings correct at time of going to press but subject to change until actual transmission. Tune into BFBS Radio/Television for up-dates.

Your programmes - F.I.R.S.

Weekly schedule of programmes - as updated by FIRS

SATURDAY

5 00 IRN News & Childrens Corner
6 00 Weather, Flights, Ranges, Announcements, Job Shop & What's on Guide
6 17 The Archers
6 30 News Review
7 00 In Concert
8 00 Feature Presentation
8 30 Weather, Flights & The Fusion with Stacy
10 00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

SUNDAY

5 00 IRN News & Chaplains Choice with Paul Sweeting
5 30 Classical Interlude with Kathy Biles
6 00 Weather, Flights, Ranges, Announcements, Job Shop & What's on Guide
6 15 Short Story
6 30 Feature Presentation
7 00 Sunday Evening Service
8 00 Slow Jams with Jock to include Weather & Flights at 8 30
10 00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

MONDAY

7 00 IRN News & Breakfast Show with Ken (530mw & 88.3fm)
9 00 KTV Radio Nova
10 00 IRN News & Lifestyle with Liz to include
12 15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
12 30 Calling The Falklands (repeat)
1 00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

4 00 IRN News & People's Jukebox
5 00 IRN News followed by Jukebox
6 00 IRN News & The Archers
6 15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop followed by Country Crossroads
7 00 Comedy presentation
7 30 Music feature
8 30 Weather, Flights & The Vinyl Frontier with Myriam
10 00 BFBS/96.5 & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

TUESDAY

7 00 IRN News & Breakfast Show with Ken (530mw & 88.3fm)
9 00 KTV Radio Nova
10 00 IRN News & Lifestyle with Liz to include
12 15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
12 30 One To One
1 00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

4 00 IRN News & People's Jukebox
5 00 IRN News followed by Jukebox
6 00 IRN News & The Archers
6 15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop followed by Calling The Falklands
6 45 Simply Classical
7 45 Folk Music Show
8 30 Weather, Flights & 80's and 90's with Sheena
10 00 BFBS/96.5 & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

WEDNESDAY

7 00 IRN News & Breakfast Show with Ken (530mw & 88.3fm)
9 00 KTV Radio Nova
10 00 IRN News & Lifestyle with Liz to include
12 15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop

12 30 Calling The Falklands (repeat)
1 00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm
4 00 IRN News & People's Jukebox
5 00 IRN News followed by Jukebox
6 00 IRN News & The Archers
6 15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop followed by The Best Of... with Jock
7 30 Drama Presentation
8 30 Weather, Flights & FIBS Chart Show
10 00 BFBS/96.5 & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

THURSDAY

7 00 IRN News & Breakfast Show with Ken (530mw & 88.3fm)
9 00 KTV Radio Nova
10 00 IRN News & Lifestyle with Liz to include
12 15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop

1 00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm
4 00 IRN News & People's Jukebox
5 00 IRN News followed by Jukebox
6 00 IRN News & The Archers
6 15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop followed by Soul, Blues & Rock 'n' Roll with Liz
7 30 Feature Presentation
8 00 Pot Luck with Myriam to include Weather & Flights at 8 30
10 00 BFBS/96.5 & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

FRIDAY

7 00 IRN News & Breakfast Show with Ken (530mw & 88.3fm)
9 00 KTV Radio Nova
10 00 IRN News & Lifestyle with Liz to include
12 15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop

12 30 Caught In The Net/Camp Matters
1 00 BFBS/96.5fm & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm
4 00 IRN News & People's Jukebox
5 00 IRN News followed by Jukebox
6 00 IRN News & The Archers
6 15 Weather, Flights, Ranges, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop followed by The Information Hour to include
Calling The Falklands
One To One (repeat)
Conservation Conversations (repeat)
Caught In The Net/Camp Matters (repeat)
7 30 Non-Stop Country Hour
8 30 Weather, Flights & Leather and Lace with Tansy
10 00 BFBS/96.5 & KTV Radio Nova/530mw & 88.3fm

Any changes will be broadcast on FIRS.



98.5 FM:

SATURDAY 0000 Groove Collective
PT 2 0100 The Box 0300 Cox & Bumfrey
0500 Early Riser 0700 Forces Finest PT 1
1000 Saturday Breakfast 1000 The Score
1300 Forces Finest 1500 Cox & Bumfrey
1700 Ministry Of Sound 1900 David Rodigan 2100 Club Culture 2300 The Box PT 1
SUNDAY 0000 The Box PT 2 0100
Chill Out Room 0300 Sim Courtie 0500
Groove Collective 0700 UK Sunday Breakfast
1000 Sim Courtie 1200 Access all Areas
1400 Airplay UK 1700 The Source
1900 The Rock Show 2100 Up from the Underground
2300 Chill Out Room PT1
MONDAY 0000 Chill Out Room PT 2
0100 Forces Finest 0300 BFBS Greatest Hits
0400 Early Riser 0700 Hermina Graham
1000 Adam Small 1300 Damian Watson
1600 Hatch & Duffus 1800 BFBS

Greatest Hits 1900 UK Top 40 2200 Late Show with Lisa Davis

TUESDAY 0000 UK Late Show 0100
David Rodigan 0300 Greatest Hits 0400
Early Riser 0700 Adam Small 1000 Luisse
Shaw 1300 Damian Watson 1600 Hatch
& Duffus 1800 BFBS Greatest Hits 1900
Evening Show 2200 Late Show with Lisa
Davis

WEDNESDAY 0000 UK Late Show
0100 Club Culture 0300 - 0000 As of
Tuesday

THURSDAY 0000 UK Late Show 0100
The Rock Show 0300 - 1600 As of
Tuesday. 1600 Hatch & Duffus 1800
BFBS Greatest Hits 1900 UK Evening
Show 2200 Late Show with Lisa Davis

FRIDAY 0000 UK Late Show 0100 Up
from the Underground 0300 BFBS Great-
est Hits 0400 Early Riser 0700 Adam
Small 1000 Luisse Shaw 1300 Damian
Watson 1600 Hatch & Duffus 1800 BFBS
Greatest Hits 1900 Friday Dance 2100
Ministry of Sound 2300 The Groove
Collective



550 MW:

SATURDAY 0100 Classic weekend break-
fast 0300 Today 0500 Home Truths 0600
Dead ringers 0630 G3 0600 News/
Allinson's albums 0800 Sport on Five
1500 Rockola 1605 The Classic rock show
1700 Raven n' the blues 1800 Late night
live 2100 Up all night

SUNDAY 0100 Classic weekend break-
fast 0300 Weekend woman's hour 0400
Sunday Worship 0450 A point of view
0500 Broadcasting House 0600 The
Archers Omnibus 0718 Seven days 0800
BFG on Sunday 0900 Sport on Five 1500
The BFBS Radio 2 Comedy Hour 1600
News/The Archers 1615 A point of view
1630 Tears of a clown - The Smokey
Robinson story 1700 Home truths 1800
Late night live 2100 Up all Night

MONDAY 0100 Morning Reports 0130
Wake up to money 0200 Today 0500
News/Dave Windsor's gold 0700 BFBS
Radio 2 news 0710 Marc Tyley 0910
Richard Astbury 1200 BFBS Today 1215
The Archers 1230 Weak at the top 1300
PM from BBC Radio 4 1400 Six o'clock
News 1430 Classic Rock 1530 Sport on
five 1800 Late night live 2000 Up all Night
TUESDAY 0100 Morning Reports 0130
Wake up to money 0200 Today 0500
News/ Gold with Richard Hutchinson
0700 BFBS Radio 2 news 0710 Marc

Tyler 0930 Richard Astbury 1200 BFBS
Today 1215 The Archers 1230 Tears of a
clown - The Smokey Robinson story 1300
PM From BBC Radio 4 1400 The six
o'clock news 1430 Allinson's Albums
1530 Sport on Five 1800 Late night live
2000 Up all night

WEDNESDAY 0100 Morning Reports
0130 Wake up to money 0200 Today from
BBC Radio 4 0500 News/Gold with
Richard Hutchinson 0700 BFBS Radio 2
news 0710 Marc Tyley 0930 Richard
Astbury 1200 BFBS Today 1215 The
Archers 1230 In the footsteps of Brad Pitt
1300 PM From BBC Radio 4 1400 The
six o'clock news 1430 Allinson's Albums
1530 Live dates 1800 Late night live 2000
Up all night

THURSDAY 0100 Morning Reports
0130 Wake up to money 0200 Today 0500
News/Dave Windsor's Gold 0700 BFBS
Radio 2 news 0710 Marc Tyley 0930
Richard Astbury 1000 BFBS Today 1215
The Archers 1230 Sitrep 1300 PM 1400
The six o'clock news 1430 Raven 'n' the
Blues 1530 Sport on Five 1800 Late night
Live 2000 Up all night

FRIDAY 0100 Morning Reports 0130
Wake up to money 0200 Today 0500
News/Dave Windsor's Gold 0700 BFBS
Radio 2 news 0710 Marc Tyley 0930
Richard Astbury 1200 BFBS Today 1215
The Archers 1230 Quote, unquote 1300
PM from BBC Radio 4 1400 The six
o'clock news 1430 Nigel Rennie Country
1530 Sport on Five 1800 Brian Hayes
2000 Up all night



- FIBS 88.3 FM in Stanley area, 96.5 FM, 102FM
Mount Maria and 530 MW Island wide.
- BFBS1 96.5 FM Island wide and 98.5 MPA.
- BFBS2 550 MW Island wide.
- Radio Nova: BBC World Service on 106.5 FM and
530 MW and Deutsche Welle on 101.1 FM

Falkland Islands Defence Force Routine Orders

Thursday 6 October

1900hrs OP Break contact/man down drills (blank).

Saturday 8 October

0900hrs Field craft day - harbour drills/cam & con.



Adverts - adverts@firs.gov.fk Requests - requests@firs.gov.fk
Tel: 27277 Fax: 27279

Phoenix Cinema Schedule - 1 - 7 October, 2005

Weekday show starts - 20:00

Saturday shows starts - 1st Performance 09:30 2nd Performance 14:00 3rd Performance 20:00

Sunday shows starts - 1st Performance 13:00 2nd Performance 17:00 3rd Performance 20:00

Saturday 1 October	Sunday 2 October	Monday 3 October	Tuesday 4 October	Wednesday 5 October	Thursday 6 October	Friday 7 October
HERBIE - FULLY LOADED	DARK WATER					
STEALTH	MADAGASCAR					
DARK WATER	CHARLIE AND THE CHOC FACTORY	CHARLIE AND THE CHOC FACTORY	STEALTH	FANTASTIC FOUR	CHARLIE AND THE CHOC FACTORY	HERBIE - FULLY LOADED

MADAGASCAR (U) 86 mins. Animation. Voices: Ben Stiller & Chris Rock
FANTASTIC FOUR (PG) 105 mins. Sci-Fi/Fantasy Ioan Gruffudd, Michael
Chiklis
DARK WATER (15) 104 mins. Thriller/Drama. Jennifer Connelly, Ariel
Gade

STEALTH (12A) 120 mins. Action. Josh Lucas, Jessica Biel
HERBIE - FULLY LOADED (U) 101 mins. Comedy. Lindsay Lohan, Matt
Dillon
CHARLIE AND THE CHOCOLATE FACTORY (PG) 115 mins. Fantasy. Johnny
Depp, Freddie Highmore



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Chicken Makhani
Vegetable Curry
Jeera & Pilau Rice
Egg Fried Rice
Onion Bhajis
Vegetable Samosas
Potato Tikki
Naan Bread and
Chicken Tikka Kebab



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Take Away Salads

Deli Counter

Legislative Council: questions for oral answer

Councillor Birmingham: 'Why do patients wait weeks for test results?'

COUNCILLOR Cheek has explained why test results sent away by the hospital take so long to be received back in the Islands.

In answering the question from Councillor Birmingham, Mrs Cheek explained the process that samples sent away go through.

She said cervical smears are taken in clinic then sent to the pathology laboratory.

"Here they have to be entered onto our computer system, packed and paperwork completed. It is not cost effective to send individual slides through the post so they are sent in batches when we have about 10-15 slides; this is approximately once every 10 days. They are sent by registered post.

"Most of the tests we send are performed by military hospital RH Haslar. Smears, however, have to go to a different NHS hospital, which is a designated UK cytology-screening unit.

Most cervical cytology units in the UK have a backlog for a number of reasons, Mrs Cheek explained.

"It is a time/labour intensive test. A scientist has to view each smear individually under the microscope and count the cells. After the tests have been performed they may need to be reviewed by a consultant for comment or validation.

"Results then have to be reported before being sent back to us here.

"There are shortages in the numbers of trained scientists able to undertake smears.

"There have been incidents in several hospitals of significant quality problems with smear reporting. This has led to tightening up of the quality assurance processes and an increase in the numbers of checks."

Additionally, she said, "Many UK hospitals are changing over to a new smear-taking procedure known as Liquid-based Cytology (LBC). This means that the staff are all undergoing training which is creating a bigger backlog."

Once the smear has been examined and the results reported, the results are posted to the Islands where they are received, checked, processed through our computer system and then given to the requesting doctor, who then informs the patient.

Smear results are now taking around three months to reach patients. Mrs Cheek said it should be remembered that the majority of smears are taken as part of a routine screening programme and there is no real urgency in getting back most of the results. "The laboratory does confirm, however, that

positive results are received much more quickly than negative ones."

She added, "The staff at KEMH has spent considerable time thinking about how to reduce the delay in our end of the process, and put some administrative support into the laboratory as a result. The high DNA rate in the routine smear taking clinic makes it more difficult to achieve the batch numbers that we need."

With regard to other laboratory tests, Mrs Cheek said, those that are sent overseas tend to be the more specialised and labour intensive tests. "These are sent via Brize Norton to RH Haslar. We only send them on flights that will arrive in the UK on a weekday as it is very difficult to arrange collection and delivery at weekends. This means in practical terms that they are despatched every other week.

"Although most of the tests we send are performed by RH Haslar, some tests will need to be sent by Haslar to other hospitals around Britain.

"Most laboratories will batch laboratory specimens and perform them once a week or when they have enough to justify use of the machine or reagents which again adds time. This may be as infrequently as once a fortnight. Some

tests may take several days to perform, for example, where specimens have to be cultivated. After the tests have been performed they may need referring to a consultant for comment or validation. If done elsewhere, they are then sent back to Haslar which then has to issue a report."

The results are then posted to the Islands where they are received, checked, processed through the computer system and then given to the requesting doctor, who then informs the patient. Mrs Cheek said, "If they just miss a flight, this takes another five days."

She added, "Some times results do get back to us fairly quickly but there are a lot of factors that can delay these. Please note that if a sample is urgent then it is sent on the next available flight and taken to Haslar who process it ASAP and fax the result. All samples that are urgent or show significant abnormalities are returned to us as quickly as possible for GP action. Antenatal Triple testing results are faxed through within 10 days."

She concluded, "The time taken to get results back is increasing, however we do try to ensure that patients are told that routine referred tests will take roughly six weeks and smears three months."

Ross Road bridge: many reasons for delays

COUNCILLOR Birmingham has asked what difficulties the Public Works Department has experienced in renewing the culvert over Ross Road, at the bottom of Reservoir Road.

Responding to the question, Councillor Mike Summers read out an answer prepared by the Director of Public Works.

He said Ross Road was closed for bridge works on July 11 and reopened on Thursday, September 22; this was a "significantly" longer period than originally projected.

In terms of difficulties experienced, Councillor Summers said, a number of factors contributed to the extended period working on the Ross Road bridge:

"The initial construction plan included the possibility of re-using the existing side walls should these prove adequate once full inspection was possible on removal of the roof slab. In this scenario the works would only have required casting a new bottom to the channel and new roof slab.

"The walls proved inadequate and were removed. This then not only increased the work content from the minimum work scenario but also placed a significant amount of the shuttering and concrete works in the tidal range."

He continued, "It was necessary to delay concrete pours on several occasions due to forecast low overnight temperatures, snow, rain and tidal action."

"As well as the works having to be scheduled around normal tidal movement, the concrete pour for the roof slab was delayed on one occasion by a higher than anticipated tide. A further factor in relation to the overall time needed for the works was the supply of concrete exactly when required. No criticism of the contractor is implied in this, who has co-operated very well with the Department of Public Works."

The final road concrete pour was completed on September 13, 2005. The road and bridge remained closed until the concrete had cured sufficiently to allow traffic loading. The strength gain, Mr Summers said, was determined from the compressive strength testing of concrete cubes sampled from the final pour.

He added, "It is planned to complete concrete casting of the footpath and kerbs on the bridge shortly, but this has not affected the road opening date."

Councillor Summers said the Black Top Gang has completed the works "effectively and to a high standard in exposed and often very difficult conditions."

He added, "Although the period to completion was longer than projected, down-time on this project was used productively on other works."

"The strength tests undertaken on the concrete indicate a well-controlled, good quality product."

Despite hard times, we've balanced the budget

"GOOD LEVELS" of expenditure have been maintained by the government, despite the loss of income from the illex fishery, Councillor Summers says.

Speaking to the motion for adjournment, Mr Summers said, "We have, in each of our four years, been able to maintain pretty much a balanced budget and that has been through some of the worst economic times that we have experienced since the days of the arrival of fishing into the Falklands."

"The loss of three illex catches out of the last four years has put severe pressure on the budget but we have nevertheless been able to maintain good levels of expenditure and maintain the reserves at a sensible level."

He said it was a matter of "great pride" for councillors that this year in particular the Falklands has a "flourishing" private sector. "The tax revenues have increased substantially, in part due to changes in the tax regime, but also largely to do with an approach that this government and its predecessors have taken to promotion of the private sector."

"We now have a very different

sort of economy to the one we had in the early to mid 80s."

Councillor Cheek said it had been "a struggle" over the last few years to keep the government finances on "an even keel" adding, "...many of us have had to give up treasured hopes, treasured projects because of it."

However, she said she was happy that, in the life of this council, "...we've seen the Junior School extension working really well, giving a whole bright and better atmosphere for our youngest students to work in. I've been delighted to see the completion of more sheltered accommodation in the centre of Stanley where people with some mobility can have easy access to shops, Post Office, and where they are in the middle of things, socially. That's very important."

"I'm also delighted that we've completed the special accommodation within the hospital for those who are unfortunate enough to have to spend long periods hospitalised."

"There's been some criticism of some of the expenditure, but for my part, I think it's been absolutely worthwhile."

Young people at risk are minority, not majority

ADDRESSING the "serious concerns" which exist about the well being of some young people, Councillor Cheek has emphasised that "we are talking about a minority."

She said it is a minority whose parents are, "perhaps, not as responsible as they might be, a minority that is disaffected for whatever rea-

son." She wished well the committee that is looking at the problem.

"I know that some individual members are already talking to young people and I know the committee intends in future to talk to more young people to see if there's a way of diverting some of their energies into more useful activities than hanging around outside the pubs."

General Practice

with Karen Chenery, Mental Welfare Officer

Understanding eating disorders

WE ALL have to eat and food plays an important part in our lives. We eat because we need to and because we enjoy it.

Like any other form of human behaviour, there is wide variation between individual's eating habits. Some people go to such extremes that they harm themselves by eating too much or too little.

Anorexia Nervosa and Bulimia Nervosa are psychiatric disorders that are physically and psychologically demanding; both are concerned with a fear of being fat.

Anorexia Nervosa is characterised by starvation and extreme loss of weight, well below what is normal for the person's size.

Bulimia Nervosa is characterised by binge eating, while maintaining a normal weight. Eating Disorders are often a hidden illness, a great deal of shame and guilt surrounds people's eating habits and their negative views of themselves. It is not always obvious to others around that someone is suffering from an eating disorder. Other people may think that the individual looks well, that their weight is healthy, yet the sufferer may be using extreme methods to control their weight, have a very unhappy relationship with food and feel very negative about themselves.

Men, women, boys and girls of all ages can develop an eating disorder. Eating disorders were more common in young women, but as boys and men become more image conscious that trend has now changed and an increasing number of men are now presenting to their GPs for help.

Eating disorders are a cultural defined illness. What this means is that in societies where thinness is not valued, eating disorders do not exist. In Western culture, images of slim, attractive young people in the

media promote the view that thinness leads to success, beauty, happiness and a better quality of life. There is pressure that we should all strive to be thin and conform to this ideal.

People who have developed eating disorders often describe a sense of control in their lives through controlling their diet and weight. Dieting and extreme methods of controlling weight also makes them feel good about themselves in the short term and gives them a sense of achievement, even though overall the cost on themselves physically and psychologically is very high. Eating, dieting or purging also become a source of comfort and an unhelpful method of helping them cope with stress.

Signs and symptoms

Eating disorders range from mild to severe and these signs and symptoms may be present in varying degrees. Only through careful assessment of the problem can the doctor or therapist help to diagnosis the type and severity of the eating disorder accurately.

□ Fear of fatness and excessive worry, anxiety, guilt or shame when faced with food.

□ Think about weight, shape and the amount you eat all the time.

□ Excessive weight loss or maintaining normal weight by extreme methods, i.e. restricted patterns of eating, starvation or binge eating. Using vigorous exercise to burn off the calories, or other extreme measures to control your weight e.g. self induced vomiting, using laxatives or diuretics.

□ Critical of yourself all the time and feel you should do better or more.

□ Feel alone in your struggle with food and your weight. Use food as a way of coping with negative feelings.

□ Irregular menstrual periods or periods stop completely (girls/women)

Assessment and diagnosis
Talk to your GP. Be honest and open about your eating habits and your feelings about yourself and your weight. The GP will ask about your life style and your general health to help rule out other illnesses, i.e. People with eating disorders will suffer from depression or anxiety disorders too. A blood test may be taken to check the effects of the eating disorder on your body in the inside, i.e. Reduced iron, electrolyte imbalance (body salts), vitamin deficiency and kidney function.

□ Medication: people with eating disorders may need treatment with medication as well as psychological therapy. Medication is often required if someone is suffering from another illness such as depression.

□ Psychological Therapy: This includes education and dietary advice. Keeping a diary of dietary intake, establishing what is a normal weight for an individual and prescribing a normal eating pattern. Education on the physical consequences of starvation, binge eating, self induced vomiting and misuse of laxatives or diuretics. Cognitive therapy includes recognising negative thought patterns, addressing body image misperceptions, introducing new ways of thinking and preventing relapse of the condition.

For further information talk to your GP or contact Karen Chenery at KEMH on 28082.

Eating Disorders Association, 103 Prince of Wales Road, Norwich, NR1 1DW, UK

e-mail: info@edauk.com
web site: www.edauk.com
Youthline (under 18s) 0845 634 7650

Memory lane

15 years ago
October 5, 1990

THE Duke of Kent visits the Falklands and is summed up perfectly by 86 year old Grace McPhee who says he is "such a very nice young man." Clive Edward Shorters is remanded in custody for trial at the Old Bailey on eight charges of manslaughter arising from the 1984 hospital fire. Sheep farmers are disappointed when the National Stud Flock is put back a year and Gordon Forbes bulldozers move onto what was Stanley football field to make way for the new school. An Argentine seaman is bought ashore from fishing vessel *Piscator* on humanitarian grounds but is not allowed beyond the confines of the hospital. Lewis Clifton hosts a visit by three Argentine politicians at FIGO in London before taking up his place at the London School of Economics to study the law and conventions of the sea.

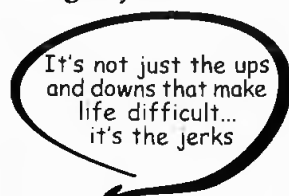
10 years ago
October 4, 1995

AFTER exhausting all available leads on the Addis case the team from the Devon and Cornwall police depart the Falklands. It is announced that the Princess Royal will visit early next year. Shell, Texaco and BHP Petroleum are among the big names represented at the opening session of the Falkland Islands Government Oil Licensing round and Emma Edwards is the first Falkland Islander to be employed full time on oil related business after graduating with a degree in geology from Queen's University, Belfast.

5 years ago
September 29, 2000

THE Falkland Islands Defence Force (FIDF) leave their old headquarters for the last time and march through Stanley to their new base near Lookout Lodge. Falklands flagged vessel *Mila* is ordered to Stanley for illegal fishing allegations to be investigated. Councillor Birmingham talks to a group about the pros and cons of being a councillor in the hope of encouraging more young people to stand for election in 2001 and the Falkland Islands Development Corporation proposes that former General Manager Hugh Normand conducts a transport review for the Islands.

Thought for the week...



Keith Whitney, Home Farm

I wish I'd said that...

It was the opening night of one of Bernard Shaw's plays. After the final curtain there was rapturous applause and in response to repeated cries of 'author' Shaw appeared on stage.

The applause was redoubled, but one loud voiced member of the audience expressed his disapproval of the play by shouting at the top of his voice, "rotten, rubbish, nonsense."

Shaw heard him and shouted back, "I agree with you my friend. But what are we against so many?"

Dumb questions



Where does your lap go when you stand up?

Why aren't there ever any guilty bystanders?

Can sexual harrasment at work be a problem if you are self-employed?



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Fisheries Department

Catch for week 38, ending September 20, 2005

Number of Licences

Licence Type	Eligible W/ending 20/09/05	Fishing W/ending 20/09/05
Total	47	46
L	2	2
R	6	5
X	15	15
Y	11	11
Z	13	13

Catch by species (Tonnes)

	Falklands	Spain	Other Nations	Total
Loligo	979	9	1	989
Illex	0	0	0	0
Hakes	75	183	14	272
Blue Whiting	352	874	0	1226
Hoki	123	441	6	570
Kingclip	13	52	3	68
Toothfish	36	9	0	45
Red Cod	45	65	27	137
Ray	32	49	95	176
Others	489	354	7	850
Total	2144	2036	153	4333

Shipping activity from September 18 - 25

THE reefer *Canarian Reefer* arrived in Berkeley Sound on September 19 as did the tanker *Centaurus*, both ships departed on September 21 and 20 respectively.

The trawler *Pesca Vaquero* called at Berkeley Sound to tranship on September 18 and departed for fishing grounds on September 21. *Forcadela* arrived in the

area for bunkers and a medical on September 19 departing the same day and *Sil* also bunkered on September 19 leaving for fishing grounds the following day.

In Port William the trawler *Igueldo* made a brief visit on September 20 and *New Polar* called for stores and a medical on September 24.



on share prices

At close of business Monday, September 26, 2005

Desire Petroleum plc	33.75p	(-4.75p)
Falkland Oil and Gas plc	118.50p	(-2.00p)
Falkland Islands Holdings plc	365.00p	(-20.00p)
Falkland Gold and Minerals Ltd	21.25p	(+2.00p)
Standard Chartered PLC	1214.00p	(+46.00p)

Public notice

Draft Murrell River Management Plan

Public consultation on the recommendations proposed in the draft plan for sustainable recreation use of the Murrell River will occur between Tuesday September 27th and Tuesday October 11th.

To obtain a copy of the draft plan, please contact Fiona Wallace at the Environment Planning Office on 27390, fwallace.planning@taxation.gov.fk. Paper or pdf versions are available.

Your comments on the proposals in the plan are vital in establishing management of an area of Stanley Common soon to become more accessible to the general public.

Please contact Helen Otley with your comments. Ph 21993 (day & evenings), heleno@southcom.com.au

Stanley Darts Club

Results from Monday, September 26



Mens Total BOC	
Tooty Ford	177
Len Ford	141
Colin Smith	137
Gary Hewitt	129
Johnny Ford	113
Graeme Hay	111
James Lang	108
Russell Smith	102
Alan Bonner	102
Peter Goss	96
Steve Watt	88
Rag Macaskill	87
Joe Joseph	84
Teddy Summers	80
Kevin Clapp	76
Geoff Greenough	75
Jimmy Curtis	71
Shane Blackley	71
Tooty Morrison	70
Tony Courtney	66
Willie Robson	62
Dale McConnick	60
Jim Parke	59
Willy Harvey	58
Michael Summers	57
Boy Miranda	56
Tony McLaren	55
Melvin Clifton	55
Neville Hayward	54
James Greenland	51
Kevin McLaren	50
Andrew Pollard	50
Tiin Bonner	50
Michael Goss	47
David Ford	45
Mark Pollard	44
Ian Betts	44
Adrian Minnell	43
Neil Clifton	43
Wladimir Bruno	43
Leon Mitchell	43
Martin Plato	42
Paul Anderson	42
Lewis Morrison	40
John Jaffray	39
Richard Bonner	39
Terry Bonner	39
William Whitney	37
Eddie Grammer	37
Albert Sackett	37
Paul Smith	37

League Position	pts	lgs
Tomado's	66	298
Rose B	55	256
Otto's Outlaws	54	240
Misfits	52	231
Snowmen	46	220
Narrower	43	206
Victory Scuds	41	199
Men at Arms	39	203
Kelpers	39	201
Rose Missiles	38	196
Deanos	36	195
Pale Maidens	27	165
Stray Dogs	25	169
Vic Spear Chucker	23	158
Last Orders	21	147
Penguins	21	146
Armed & Dang	21	140
Victory Spiders	19	136
Rose Mixers	18	147
Busty Babes	15	124
Globe Goones	12	122
Maid's at Arms	11	108
Highbury Babes	10	114
Spice Burgers	7	108
FIDart Fingers	3	86

Mens legs	
Gary Hewitt	68
Graeme Hay	63
James Lang	63
Tooty Ford	62
Colin Smith	61
Johnny Ford	59
Len Ford	59
Peter Goss	58
Alan Bonner	57
Rag Macaskill	56
Teddy Summers	53
Joe Joseph	52
Geoff Greenough	51
Steve Watt	51
Tony Courtney	50
Russell Smith	50
Tooty Morrison	49
Boy Miranda	47
Neville Hayward	46
Jimmy Curtis	45
Michael Summers	45
Kevin Clapp	44
Shane Blackley	43
Wladimir Bruno	42
Willie Robson	41
Richard Bonner	41
Tony McLaren	40
Willy Harvey	39
Neil Clifton	39
Colin Richards	39
Michael Goss	38
Mark Pollard	38

Ladies Legs	
Maggie Goss	53
Joan Middleton	39
Nora Smith	35
Ann Murphy	34
Hazel Collins	34
Cathy Jacobsen	34
Teresa Clifton	32
Pat Pratlett	31
Sheila Harvey	31
Tara Heathman	30
Ally Ford	30
Jenny Smith	27
Natalie Smith	27
Patsy Robson	26
Sibby Summers	25
Maisey Crowie	23
Avril Bonner	23
Gail Miller	22
Wendy Roberts	22
Heather Smith	22
Jeanet Miller	21
Jenny McKay	21
Rowena Summers	21
Jane Clement	20
Corrina Bishop	19
Sheila Stewart	19
Dylis Short	19
Ellen Ferguson	18
Tanzi Jacobsen	18
Julie Ford	17
Michele Evans	17
Jan Parke	17

Ladies Total BOC	
Maggie Goss	72
Joan Middleton	36
Cathy Jacobsen	35
Teresa Clifton	32
Sibby Summers	31
Heather Smith	31
Nora Smith	30
Dylis Short	28
Jane Clement	28
Tara Heathman	28
Natalie Smith	28
Jenny McKay	26
Sheila Harvey	25
Ann Murphy	25
Candy Blackley	25
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Avril Bonner	14
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Sheila Stewart	13
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Results from Monday September 26		
Vic Scuds	13	2
Armed & Dang	6	9
Deanos	14	1
Stray Dogs	8	7
Kelpers	5	10
Spiceburgers	8	7
Rose Missiles	9	6
Tomados	15	0
Men at Arms	11	4
Narrower	9	6
Otto's Outlaws	12	3
Snowmen	15	0
Globe Goones		
Spearchuckers		
FIDF		
Misfits		
Rose B		
Maid's at Arms		
Penguins		
Spiders		
Pale Maidens		
Last Orders		
Highbury Babes		

Tooty Ford now holds the seasons highest score on the back of the card in one game with 12

Send your reports or results to Penguin News, Ross Road, Stanley; Fax 22238; email pnews@horizon.co.fk



Falkland Islands Gun Club - Shotgun

DOWN the Line (DTL) was the order of the day in the last day of the 2005 winter season.

Jon Butler returned to the fold with a shoulder injury holding him back a little with Steve Dent, the only other regular club member, shooting in the competition.

Jon and Steve were on identical scores after the first round of 25 both on 21 hits. 65 scored. Jon's injury seemed to get the better of him and he dropped more birds than Steve on the second round with Steve once again taking top honours.

Dan Steele, Lee Stafford and Steve Woods also came up from Mount Pleasant and showed off their abilities.

This shoot heralds the end of the 2005 Winter Season and sees Steve Dent regain the Club Champion title that he lost to Jon Clark in 2004.

Club shooters are scored on a

maximum 10 shoots over the period, so if shooters only attend eight shoots they are scored 0 from 50 for two shoots. Shooters are then listed in order of percentage of total hits.

League table 2005

1	Steve Dent
2	Jon Butler
3	Graham Didlick
4	Joe Joseph
5	Gary Clement
6	Henry McLeod
7	Stevie Burrows
8	Roy Jarvis
9	Jon Clark
10	Ian Stewart
11	Ed Burrows
12	Dan Steele
13	Ricardo Leyton
14	Ian France
15	Lee Stafford
16	Tim Jalland
17	Steve Woods

DTL score sheet summary

	Rnd 1 score	Rnd 1 hits	Rnd 2 score	Rnd 2 hits	Total	Total hits	%
Steve Dent	62	21	65	22	127	43	86%
Jon Butler	62	21	52	18	114	39	78%
Dan Steele	38	14	30	12	68	26	52%
Lee Stafford	27	9	21	7	48	16	32%
Steve Woods	5	2	5	5	20	7	14%

Falkland Islands 4 a-side Football League

League table

Team	Plyd	Won	Drwn	Lost	Goals f	Goals a	Goal diff	Pts
Braggers Boys	8	7	0	1	97	69	28	21
The No Namers	9	6	1	2	64	59	5	19
Lotsa Leftovers	8	5	0	3	79	64	15	15
Leftovers	7	4	2	1	100	59	41	14
The Wanderers	9	4	1	4	46	55	-9	13
Tyrells Squirrels/Nuts	7	4	0	3	62	54	8	12
Goose Gunners	9	1	0	8	23	53	-30	3
BoomBoomers	9	0	0	9	8	66	-58	0

Key: Plyd = Played, Drwn = Drawn, Goals f = Goals for, Goals a = Goals against, Goal diff = Goal difference, Pts = Points

Top goal scorers

Jeremy 'Spurs' Henry - 42, Jimmy Curtis - 37, Kyle Biggs - 35, Ian Betts - 30, Claudio 'Cleggs' Ross - 26, Russell Smith - 23, Maxi - 18, Stacy Bragger - 17, Steven Aldridge - 16, Adam Glanville - 15

Final darts league games tomorrow

Spiceburgers v FIDF
Tornados v Goonies
Pale Maidens v Maids at Arms
Deanos v Otto's Outlaws
Scuds v Highbury Babes
Rose B v Snowmen



Listed above are the first games on Saturday starting at 7 pm sharp in the FIDF hall. Those teams not mentioned need to be there by 8 pm at the latest. Prize giving and a dance will follow the final games in this seasons dart league.

South American News from

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First US indictments for illegal sale of toothfish

A UNITED States grand federal jury in Miami indicted Spanish national Antonio Vidal Pego and the Uruguayan corporation Fadilur SA for conspiring to sell illegally possessed toothfish.

This is the first case in the United States bringing criminal charges for activities involving illegal importation and sale of toothfish.

The two defendants were also charged with false labelling and obstructing justice.

According to a release from the United States Attorney for the Southern District of Florida, Alexander Acosta, the September 27 indictment states that in May 2004 Antonio Vidal Pego and Fadilur S. knowingly attempted to import approximately 53,000 tons of toothfish from Singapore to Miami for sale in the United States well aware that the fish was taken and transported in violation of the Antarctic Marine Living Resources Convention and provisions of US law to implement the conservation measures adopted by Treaty parties.

The indictment further charges that the defendants made and submitted a false record and account

for fish intended to be imported to the US from Singapore.

Finally, in July 2004 the defendants knowingly altered, falsified and made a false entry in a Survey report purporting to reflect a toothfish cargo off-loaded in Singapore from the *FN Carran* with the intent to impede, obstruct and influence the investigation and proper administration of a matter within the jurisdiction of the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, NOAA.

The grand jury also approved a criminal forfeiture count, seeking to forfeit the 53,000 plus pounds of toothfish or 314,397.30 US dollars representing the proceeds of the sale of the fish.

Antonio Vidal Pego faces a maximum penalty of twenty years in prison for the charge of obstruction of justice and up to five years in prison on each of the three remaining charges. He is also subject to a fine of 250,000 US dollars on each of the four counts of the indictment or twice the gain derived from the criminal conduct.

Fadilur SA faces a maximum criminal fine on each of the four counts naming the company, of up to 500,000 US dollars per charge

or twice the gain derived from the criminal conduct.

The release describes the two types of toothfish, Patagonian and Antarctic or Chilean seabass, their environment, life cycle, fragility and underlines the "international conservation efforts in the face of the increased pressure from both legal and 'pirate' fishing."

The harvest of Chilean seabass is regulated under CAMLR convention and the US Antarctic Marine Living Resources Act and requires specific documentation to follow legally harvested toothfish from the point of harvest to the point of final import for consumption.

The US Attorney for the Southern District of Florida commended the investigative efforts of the Special Agents of the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration Fisheries, Office of Law Enforcement with assistance from the Department of Homeland Security, Customs and Border Protection Service.

The case is being prosecuted by the US Attorney Office, Southern District of Florida and the Environmental Crimes Section of the US Department of Justice.

Giant squid filmed

TWO Japanese scientists have, for the first time ever, photographed a live giant squid.

The eight metres long squid was detected when preying at a depth of 900 metres offshore the Japanese islands of Bonin by two scientists from the Tokyo National Science Museum and a marine biologist expert in whales.

They believe it's the first time a giant adult squid has been photographed in its natural habitat.

"The most impressive characteristic of the giant squid are its two very long tentacles, which differ from the rest."

In their efforts to photograph the squid a camera and depth recorder attached to a long-line, was lowered into the sea from their research vessel. Below the camera, they suspended a weighted jig, a set of ganged hooks to snag the squid, along with a Japanese common squid as bait and an odor lure consisting of chopped-up shrimps.

On September 30 Kubodera and Mori managed to take more than 550 images of the giant squid as it made repeated attempts to detach itself. The pictures show the squid spreading its arms, enveloping the long-line and swimming away in its efforts to struggle free.

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Tenders received were
Mr & Mrs Neil Rowlands £27,750
Mr & Mrs Donald Simmonds £15,000



Hope you had a great 9th birthday on the 28th. Lots of love Polly, Mum and Dad, Elanie and Ryan and all the family in Australia, Brazil and all your friends xxxxx

Falklands Conservation would like to thank Morrisons for the loan of the scaffolding and cover and the lads who came along and built it all. Charlene Rowland who took time off work to come along and help dress the hall. Paola Palavecino, Ali Liddle, Darren Christie and Hay Miller who also came along throughout the three days in which it took to make the transformation. Oh Yates, Nic Hun and Grant Munro who came along on the final afternoon and carried and fetched alcohol and chairs and anything else that needed doing! The amazing sound and lighting men. Graham Didlick and Martin Cant, who practically lived at the Town Hall in order to get it all ready in time (thank you to Mrs Cant and Mrs Didlick also!)

Thanks also must go to the bar men of the evening. Wayne Clement, Chris Gilbert and James Greenland who did a great job. Sally and Tim Blake for all they did. Sam Miller, John Pole-Evans and Oh for just running around all evening making sure that everyone had a drink and food, not to mention all the Brasserie staff who worked so hard. The doormen, Shane Blackley, Mark Short and Kenneth Jaffray. Mike Summers and Andrew Newman for taking care of the auction. Mandy Shepherd, Una Hurst, Richard Cockwell, Ali Liddle, Shirley Merrel, The Falkland Wool Centre, The military for the VC10 flight, Sea Lion Lodge and FIGAS for the wonderful trip to Sea Lion Island and of course Quark for their huge generosity in donating a cruise as an auction item. Without these people and their amazing support we would not have had such a successful auction. Thanks also to the people who donated star prizes that were given randomly, Ledingham Chalmers for their hour of free legal advice, Tanya Ford for a haircut and of course Malvina House Hotel for the stay in their executive suite, all expenses paid. The models, Jacqi Summers, Paola Palavecino, Angie Morrison, Ali Liddle and Tracy Pearce who will probably never do it again, but thank you for going ahead on the night! A massive thanks to Platonic for donating their time and keeping everyone dancing and to the children and Shirley Adams-Leach for the beautiful music which welcomed everyone into the hall. Ian Stewart Construction for making and donating the brilliant bar to Falklands Conservation, Beauchene for the wine, the Brasserie for the champagne, PWD for the forklift truck, FIRS for the radio coverage, Penguin News for their support and photo taking by Sharon Jaffray and last but not least FIDF for the loan of the tables and the lads who brought them in.

A Poem in memory of Bob/Dad/Grandad

We little knew that day, that God was going to call your name,
In life we loved you dearly, in death we do the same,
It broke our hearts to lose you, you did not go alone,
For parts of us went with you, the day God called you home
You left us peaceful memories, your love is still our guide,
And though we cannot see you, you are always by our side,
Our family chain is broken, and nothing seems the same,
But as God calls us one by one, the chain will link again,
No farewell words were spoken, no time to say goodbye,
You were gone before we knew it, and only God knows why,

PUBLIC NOTICE

FALKLAND ISLANDS GOVERNMENT COMMITTEES
ACCESS TO INFORMATION

Please note that the following committee meetings will be open for public attendance during the forthcoming week:

Housing Committee - Wednesday 5th October at 1.30pm in the Liberation Room, Secretariat

Planning & Building Committee - Thursday 6th October at 9.00am in the Liberation Room, Secretariat

Stanley Lands Committee - Thursday 6th October at 1.30pm in the Liberation Room, Secretariat

Education Board - Friday 7th October at 8.30am in the Education Office, Ross Road

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Applications are invited to fill the post of Senior Superintendent Distribution in the Energy Division of the Public Works & Services Department. Salary for this post is at Grade Level 6, commencing £6816 per annum, but the successful applicant may be required to serve initially in the training Grade Level 5. The Senior Superintendent Distribution will be responsible to the Distribution/Installation Engineer (Energy) for the day-to-day operation of the Distribution Section.

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Application forms, available from the Personnel Department and the Public Works and Services Department, should be completed and submitted, through Heads of Departments where applicable, to the Secretary, Public Service Commission, No 3 Main Street, Jamestown, St. Helena, SAO, STHL 1ZZ by Friday, 7 October 2005.

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Further information can be obtained from Tanya Lee, Deputy Taxation Officer on telephone number 27288. Application forms and job descriptions are available from the Human Resources Dept, Secretariat, and a completed form should be returned to that Department by Thursday 13 October 2005.

Applicants successful in the paper sift will be asked to attend a written aptitude test. If you attain at least the minimum pass mark in that test, you will be invited for an interview.

PUBLIC NOTICE

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This position is in grade G with the salary commencing at £13,062 per annum.

For further information regarding this position please contact the Plant & Vehicle Workshop Manager Mr Ralph Harris on Tel 27183 during normal working hours.

Application forms and a job description are available from the Human Resources Department, Secretariat, and completed forms should be submitted no later than Thursday 13th October 2005.



ROYAL FALKLAND ISLANDS POLICE

PRESS RELEASE

VEHICLE OFF ROAD POLICY

The Royal Falkland Islands Police wish to notify the general public, in particular all vehicle owners, that the information concerning the introduction of "Vehicle Off Road Notification", first broadcast on FIRS on 01 September 2005 and published in Penguin News on 09 September 2005, has been withdrawn in its entirety. The Chief Police Officer apologises for any inconvenience that the release of this information may have caused.

Len S McGill
Inspector, Acting Chief Police Officer, 26 September 2005

The Public Works Department are preparing to replace culverts and increase both the height and width of the Corral creek crossing West of Estancia.

This is a major operation which will entail having to close the crossing to all traffic for a period of between three to five days to allow the replacement culverts to be installed. No easy alternative routes will be available but the closure will be kept to the absolute minimum. Precise dates for the works will be advised later but will be close to week commencing 10th Oct 05. For further information please call the Highways section of PWD on 27387.

Temporary Road Closure Ross Road & Philomel Street Junction

The Public Works Department advises that the junction of Ross Road and Philomel Street will be temporarily closed to all traffic to allow for asphalt resurfacing. The closed area will include the access and carpark behind the Jetty Centre, and the western access to the FIC East Jetty.

The closure will operate from Wednesday 5th of October for a period of at least one week, weather dependant.

Motorists are advised to use an alternative route and alternative parking arrangements if required.

BANK HOLIDAY

As Monday 3rd October is a bank holiday the Chamber of Commerce will be closed.

DHL freight arriving on the Lan flight will be available between 6 and 6.30pm on Saturday 1st October from the Chamber office.

The office will be open as usual for the collection of DHL on Tuesday 4th from 9.30am.



CABLE & WIRELESS

Cable & Wireless wish to inform customers that the coming spring brings sun outages.

This will cause disruption to all international calls, causing the service to become degraded or interrupted. Sun outage times are:

9 th October 2005	10:03 am	Approx. 5 minutes
10 th October 2005	10:01 am	Approx. 8 minutes
11 th October 2005	10:00 am	Approx. 9 minutes
12 th October 2005	10:00 am	Approx. 9 minutes
13 th October 2005	10:01 am	Approx. 6 minutes

Falkland Islands Overseas Games Association

Notification is hereby given that the Annual General meeting of the Overseas Games Association will take place on Tuesday 25th October in the Geography Room of the FICS at 5.00pm.

Nominations for the positions of Chairman, Vice-Chairman, Secretary and Treasurer should be made to the FIOGA Secretary, Gareth Goodwin, from whom nominations forms can be obtained.

SUPREME COURT OF THE FALKLAND ISLANDS

Notice under the Administration of Estates Ordinance (Cap. 1)

TAKE NOTICE THAT Arthur Peake of Stanley, Falkland Islands died on the 1st day of September 2005 intestate.

WHEREAS Bernadette Christina Peake has applied for Letters of Administration to administer the estate of the said deceased in the Falkland Islands

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to Section 4 of the Administration of Estates Ordinance to all persons resident in the Falkland Islands who may have prior claim to such grant that the prayer of the Petitioner will be granted provided no caveat be entered in the Supreme Court within 21 days of the publication hereof.

Cherilyn King, Registrar, Supreme Court, Stanley, Falkland Islands

22nd day of September 2005 Ref: PRO/12/05

APPLICATIONS FOR PERMANENT RESIDENCE

Notice is hereby given that **Sandra Dawn HENRY** has applied through the Principal Immigration Officer to be granted a Permanent Residence Permit by the Governor.

Any person who knows of any reason why this permit should not be granted should send a written and signed statement of the facts, giving grounds for their objection, to the Immigration Officer, Customs & Immigration Department, Stanley by 21st October 2005.

APPLICATION FOR PERMANENT RESIDENCE

Notice is hereby given that **Bianca Jane CASWELL** has applied through the Principal Immigration Officer to be granted a Permanent Residence Permit by the Governor.

Any person who knows of any reason why this permit should not be granted should send a written and signed statement of the facts, giving grounds for their objection, to the Immigration Officer, Customs & Immigration Department, Stanley by 21st October 2005.

APPLICATIONS FOR NATURALISATION

Notice is hereby given that **Graham TAYLOR** is applying to his Excellency the Governor for naturalisation. Any person who knows of any reason why naturalisation should not be granted is invited to send a written and signed statement of the facts to the Immigration Officer, Customs & Immigration Department, Stanley no later than 21st October 2005.

Notice is hereby given that **Ruth Eleanor TAYLOR** is applying to his Excellency the Governor for naturalisation. Any person who knows of any reason why naturalisation should not be granted is invited to send a written and signed statement of the facts to the Immigration Officer, Customs & Immigration Department, Stanley no later than 21st October 2005.

FALKLAND ISLANDS STATUS APPLICATIONS

Notice is hereby given that the following persons have applied through the Principal Immigration Officer for Falkland Islands Status to be granted by the Governor:

Lee Perry Adrian John WILLIAMS

Alan CRUICKSHANK

Maira CRUICKSHANK

Amy Mary CRUICKSHANK

Any person who knows of any reason why such status should not be granted, should send a written and signed statement of the facts, giving grounds for their objection to the Immigration Officer, Customs and Immigration Department, Stanley by 21st October 2005.

FOR SALE

HP Athlon XP2400- Computer
GeFORCE2 Int AGP Graphics
512MB DDR-RAM 60GB Hard Drive
CD-RW, DVD & Floppy Drives Speakers,
Keyboard & Mouse Modem & 10/100
Network Windows XP Ability Office
Suite Saddle Price £489
Ring 42205 or email hp@saddlefk.com

Patriot 1.1GHz Celeron Computer,
256MB SDRAM, 20GB
Hard Drive, CD-RW, DVD & Floppy
Drives, Keyboard, Mouse & Speakers, 56K
Modem, Serial, Parallel & 2 USB Ports,
XP Home & Ability Office Suite
Only £299.00, Ring 42205 or email
patriot@saddlefk.com

1 Land Rover Roof Rack £250
2 Typhoon Racer Dry Suits, good as new-
£300 each. Ideal for boat work and water
sports Contact Trudi 21131

3 Ltr Automatic Toyota Hilux Surf Lic-
ensed and Insured until November 2005
£5,000.00 O.N.O. Contact Patricia Clark
on Telephone Number 32507

Hotpoint Washing Machine as new
£250.00 O.N.O.
Beko Fridge (Cooler) £80.00
Good Home Place
Needed very soon for a 5 year old, ador-
able but very timid *blue cat*. answers to
Fluffy. A good home based in a quiet rural
area would be more suitable.
Please contact Patricia Clark
C/o NAAFI MPA
Telephone Number 32507 day or night.

1 x double bed and mattress, almost new,
£300 ono. Contact Sheila 22374 or 25119

Electric Guitar & Amplifier package
Yamaha electric guitar with hard case,
strap, leads, spare strings, picks and elec-
tronic tuner

Roland 15 watt amplifier; 2 channel con-
figuration; built in BOSS overdrives and
distortion;
auxiliary input & output.
Complete package. As new £350

Daewoo 14 inch TV excellent condition
£50
Hitachi VCR excellent condition £50
Phone Jenny 22370 lunchtime or after 5pm

Epson Stylus 800- Printer £40
15 sheets Armstrong Soundsoak Wall
panels 600 x 2700mm £5 per sheet or offers
to Gail or Vernon on Tel 21439 or 32236

Tyres Bargain
Five as new road tyres Bridgestone size
235/75 R17 . £75 for the five. Contact G
Cheek on tel. 21402

1 27ft long and 7ft beam motor sail boat
with small amount of new spares. Any rea-
sonable offer considered. Please phone
21252

Toyota Surf 3.0 Ltr SSR x Limited edition.
Excellent condition. Blue over silver, 10
disc CD, aircon, sunroof, electric windows
etc. Recent service. 98000 km £5800 ono
Call Phil on MPA 5424 or home 32529/
Photos can be emailed

5 door Land Rover Discovery 300Tdi,
1996, 56,000 miles. F.S.H. Available
immediately. Phone 21100.

1998 Defender 90 TDI 300 County Station
Wagon. Good condition 43,000
miles. Full service history from new. £8,500
ono. Contact Derek Clarke 21158

Garden sale on Saturday 1st October
(weather permitting) At 10A James Street
(entry on Fitzroy Road East) between
11am and 3pm.
Items for sale include: Rotovator with at-
tachments, washing machine, tumble drier,
moped, toilets, wash basins, window
frames, pressure washer, ropes and much
more. For further details ring Patrick
Bermsten on 22655 daytime or 21656 eve-
nings.

FOR SALE



Graco MetroSport Pushchair
Comes with Baby Carrier
(Attaches to top of chair) & Cosy Toes
Instructions supplied Excellent Con-
dition £80 Tel 22104

All items BRAND NEW
Sharp 900w silver microwave £80
Stainless steel bathroom cabinet with oval
mirror £40

Beech/chrome shoe rack £10
"Next" rug W100cm L150cm Natural/Blue
£20

"Next" runner rug W66cm L300cm Natu-
ral/Terracotta £25

"Next" large quilted throw Natural/
terracotta/brown £50

"Next" glass dome pendant light (bulbs
inc.) £15

3 x "Next" natural striped Roman Blinds
W90cm L160cm £30 each

2 x Chrome 3 way ceiling light with frosted
shades (bulbs inc.) £10 each

Sheer Voile Roller blinds
8 x cream W90cm L140cm £5 each

1 x terracotta W60cm L140 cm £3

1 x white W60cm x L140cm £3

4 x M & S blue/white striped towels £5
each

4 x "Lakeland" Blue hand Towels £3 each

Large cream/natural dotty bathmat £10

2 x smoke alarms (9v battery inc) £5 each

1 x mains smoke alarm £5

Phone C&J May on 22184

1 x small Whirl Pool chest freezer £150

1 Small Dae Woo Fridge £75

1 x leather tiger flying jacket (as new) £100

1 x small electric sewing machine £30

Anybody interested in the above items
contact Montana Short on tel 21076 or
email mshort@horizon.co.fk

Public Notice
The Falkland Islands Government has for
sale by tender 4 Landrover Defenders, 1
Daihatsu Van and 2 Suzuki Vehicles.

Reserve prices have been set for these ve-
hicles and offers below the indicated re-
serve will not be considered.

Tender documents are available from the
PWD office Ross Road, Stanley. Completed
tender documents should be returned on
or before 3pm on Friday 14th October
2005. The Falkland Islands Government
reserves the right to reject any tender re-
ceived.

The vehicles can be viewed by contacting
the Plant & Vehicle Manager, Megabid on
27183 during normal working hours

Stag Minstrel Chest of drawers plus 2
bedside cabinets

Pine chest of (7) drawers

Curtain material - Sanderson/Laura
Ashley

John Lewis King-size bedcovers

Wrought iron and glass console table. Tel
73020

Now in at Sew What: New stock of
Simplicity patterns from the latest cata-
logue including craft, children's and
teens in multi sizes, and adults from
size 6 to 32W. Styles include evening,
day, casual and costumes. New stock
of suede fabric in plain, stitched and
punched. Sew What, at 5 Jersey Road,
is open Saturdays from 12 to 4pm,
telephone 22078. Camp orders wel-
come.

NOTICES

DAD'S ARMY

Do you remember the Home Guard pla-
toon of Walmington-on-Sea, led by the
hapless Captain Mannering with the help
of long-suffering Sergeant Wilson and
Corporal "Don't Panic!" Jones? Did
you enjoy the antics of Private Frazer
("We're Doomed!"), the resourceful spiv
Private Walker, elderly Private Godfrey,
and Mummy's Boy Private Pike?

FIODA will be staging Dad's Army in
March 2006. Auditions for the 7 male
leads are to be held at the Chamber of
Commerce on Wednesday 5th October
starting at 6pm prompt. Any actors in-
terested in the supporting male or fe-
male roles, or anyone who would like a
non-speaking part as a member of the
platoon, should also attend the auditions
to register their interest.
FIODA are keen to hear from anyone
interested in set-designing and/or cos-
tume-making.

For more information on any of the above
please contact Roger Diggie (tel 21716)
or Alison Inglis (tel 22817)

Shorty's Diner will be OPEN on Mon-
day 3rd October - Public Holiday and
closed Tuesday 4th instead. Don't forget
to check out our popular chinese menu,
call 22855 to place orders for the Wednes-
day evening takeaway

**The Annual General Meeting of the
Stanley Badminton Club** will be held
on Monday 10 October 2005 at 7pm in
the Sports Hall. Can all members and
anyone interested please make every ef-
fort to attend

**The Annual General Meeting of the
Netball Club** will take place on Tues-
day 1st November at 6.45 pm

Come and play first or join us in the
gym at 6.45pm All past, present and
future players are very welcome. After
the meeting a social outing for light
refreshments or stronger ones as required.
See you there

The Jellytots Club AGM will be held
on Tuesday 18th October at 8pm 11
Discovery Close

The Stanley Running Club AGM will
be held at 16 Endurance Avenue at 6pm
19th Oct. We meet each Wednesday at
SLC at 5pm All ages and abilities very
welcome

Missing coat My black and green Moun-
tain hardware coat went missing from
the Town Hall cloak room, FC ball,
last Friday. There was a black base-ball
cap in the pocket with an Expo '02
logo which includes a Swiss flag.
Please phone Alan 21301 (H) 27340
(W) to return. Alternatively hand it in
at the Police Station or Falkland Con-
servation

Also - 1 black suit jacket, missing from
FC ball last Friday. Please call Falk-
land Conservation or 22709

Public Holiday Monday 3rd October
The Stanley Leisure Centre will close
on Monday 3rd of October due to the
Public Holiday. Please accept our
apologies for any inconvenience caused

I would like to have a penfriend from
the islands. Ms Maria Ford, Language
Teacher, 40 Dogsthorpe Road, Peter-
borough PE1 3AF, England
mrsmariaford@yahoo.co.uk

International Tours & Travel Ltd
LAN Flight Schedule for
Saturday 1 October
LA991 arrives 1515hrs
LA990 departs 1625hrs
Passenger check-in 1325hrs

LAN

Tel: 22041 Fax: 22042
e-mail: jf.itt@horizon.co.fk

NOTICES

Wanted to rent: 1 house with 2/3 bed-
rooms Please call Carmen on tel 22082

Wanted Dining room chairs to match
dark gate leg table with barley twist
legs. Contact 22038 5pm onwards

Owing to a recent incident FLH finds it
necessary to restrict shooting on FLH
properties. The General Public are there-
fore respectfully reminded that they must
seek permission from the relevant farm
managers before they shoot on any FLH
property

The Falkland Islands Company Ltd
wishes to advise customers that the
Foodhall and Entertainment Centre will
be open from 9.00am to 5.00pm and
The Capstan Gift Shop will be open
from 10.00am to 5.00pm on Monday,
3rd October 2005. All other departments
will be closed.

Due to a number of reports received and
with the holiday weekend coming up I
would just like to take this opportunity
to remind everyone that permission
should be obtained from Landowners or
Farm Manager before any BBQ's or Fires
are lit. Care should be taken while in use
and should never be left unattended. All
Fire's and BBQ's must be fully extin-
guished after use.
Thank you for your co-operation
Gardner Fiddes, Chief Fire Officer

FIGHTING PIG BAND
THE TROUGH WILL BE OPEN
SATURDAY 1st OCTOBER
11pm TO 2am FOR
SQUIRRELS IN B FLAT!
£4 old 18s- BYO Refreshments
The Trough is a no smoking venue
www.fightingpigband.com

Richard, Miranda and Hamish would
like to thank Mandy Heathman for Flora's
safe arrival, we could not imagine being
better looked after. Many thanks also to
Dr Diggie, the staff at KEM11 and every-
one who has sent kind wishes, cards and
gifts

Mick and Toonie would like to say a very
big thank you to all relations and friends
who kindly sent letters, cards, emails,
phone calls and photographs which Mick
really appreciated while in hospital in
New Zealand. Also thank you Lay and Sam
for keeping the garden free of weeds and
everything you did. To Colin, for house
sitting and to Caroline, Steve and Colin
for taking care of the cat. To Rudy for meet-
ing us in Chile. Dan, Pat and Zoe for com-
ing to see us in New Zealand. Mike for sor-
ting the car out, and to Jenny and George
for mowing the lawn. To Nick for photo-
graphs. Thank you all very much.

I would like to say thank you to all my
work colleagues at SSL and friends. Also
Cythina, Nigel and Sasha, for making my
two years stay in the Falklands an experi-
ence of a lifetime. I will miss you all and
take back many happy memories. Bye
Chays, love Sonya

KELPER STORES

Friday 23rd to Thursday 29th
September
Oranges or Apples
£1.00 per kilo £1.50 per kilo
This Week
£0.80 per kilo £1.25 per kilo

Drop in and see what other offers
we have
In K1, K3 and K4
Service ✓ Value ✓ Quality ✓

All classified advertisements **must** be submitted to Penguin News by Wednesday midday