

Tuesday 9th November

Alan Peace, an old friend of the club, is a 75 years young self confessed adventure junkie. His latest adventure was backpacking the 630 mile long South West Coast Path from Minehead to Poole. Alan is going to tell us about his eight week trip.

Next Tuesday Zoom meeting.

Cliff Gammon

"Goodbye Berlin" is a lighthearted talk about a visit to Berlin in 1987 during the Cold War with the all pervading wall an ever present obstacle to travel. Cliff tells how he became an unexpected guest of the British Army and attended a Trooping of the Colour in the presence of the Queen!

We welcome new member Simon who was inducted on Tuesday 26th October and here he tells us about himself.

I'd like to take the opportunity to thank you all for the warm welcome and the acceptance of my membership. As I haven't had a chance to individually get around and introduce myself yet, I thought I'd compose an email just to tell you a little more about myself and what I do.

I'm 34 and have been married to Harriet since 2012 and have two beautiful children who are two and five. I have lived in Penn all my life.

I joined the prison service in 2007 and have worked at various prisons ranging from high security to youth offenders. I was selected to take on a 14 week course to become a Physical Education Officer which I passed and now I have multiple qualifications ranging from First Aid Instructor to Volleyball coach.

I've always wanted to start my own business but I was never sure how to start it and whether it would be a success. We finally took the plunge this year and started up not one but two businesses. My main focus is "Sponsored Breaks" as I'm dedicated to giving something back to the community and I want to show my appreciation of people's hard work and dedication. I have attached a powerpoint about Sponsored Breaks on the email for you to look at.

The other business I have is a brand of "healthier" pork scratchings called PT Boar and hopefully this will take off soon.

Thanks for taking your time to read my email and I look forward to many years working and learning alongside you all.

It would be great if you have time to send me an email about yourselves or I look forward to speaking with you soon. Simon Love



Long Service Awards

It has taken a bit longer to get round to than we at first expected due to Covid. Nevertheless it was a pleasure to mark the long service of two of our senior members. P.P. Rod Jones is presented with a 50 year service award.



P.P. Shu Behari accepts his 40 year service award.
(even though he has served for 48!)

