



## Keeping Busy, Keeping Active

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### Spinning plates for HDC



Recognising the skill of our Shedders, HDC asked if we would be willing to produce the Volunteer of the Year Award Plates. Colin set to the task and has turned eight fabulous plates which have had brass name plaques added. HDC are delighted... and so will be the winners, no doubt!

### Summer BBQ season is here!

Save the dates!

- ✓ **Friday, June 23rd**
- ✓ **Friday, July 28th**
- ✓ **Friday, September 1st**

Come and join us for a social Evening. Have a go at pétanque and croquet, and enjoy a freshly prepared barbeque and salad buffet. The bar will be open for drinks.

£10 per head including one drink. Family welcome! Sign up on the sheet at Tuesday activities, or email [helenkgibbs@yahoo.com](mailto:helenkgibbs@yahoo.com).



### Cycling our spectacular countryside

Derek has taken the cyclists on some absolutely fabulous routes so far this year. Last week was just over 20 miles from Alfold taking us into south west Surrey, through woods and fields of barley - secret beauty spots we would never have discovered!  
**Next ride dates: June 28, July 19, Aug 9 & 30, Sept 20, Oct 11, Nov 1.**



### Walking football players' champ

Congratulations to our walking footballers' Players Player of the Year 2022-23, Rob Pursey! Rob was a hugely popular choice and the award is very much deserved. He is a fantastic footballer and has shown great determination to get himself back into football following a serious health scare. Well done Rob!

### Kitchen has a face lift

We have news! If you have been to the Shipley site over the last couple of weeks you will have noticed that the renovation of the kitchen is underway. This is being jointly funded by TD Shipley football club, and HSCP following an extremely generous donation, from a member, for which we are truly grateful. We will be making the most of the kitchen at the forthcoming BBQ!

### Willow dome play time

Thanks to the Green Team Shipley School's willow dome is now back to full health and apparently the children are loving playing in that shady, waterproof space! Having worked on it over the last 2 years to bring it back to health, the dome is now black fly and sticky-branch-free!



### Walking into Summer

This year our walking routes (which started in chilly March), have been led by various members of the Walkers. We have been delighted with wonderful displays of spring flowers, sea and valley views, forests and windmills! The distances vary from 5 to 13 miles. If you are interested, join the group and choose which walks you do!

**Next walk dates: July 5 & 26, Aug 16, Sept 6 & 27, Oct 18**

### Membership renewals

We are just into the new Membership year, so please make sure that you have read the Membership Agreement, filled in and signed the Personal Details Form, and paid the annual membership fee – by bank transfer, cheque, or cash if you prefer. The paperwork was emailed to all members on 4<sup>th</sup> May. Don't forget that General Membership entitles you to take part in any/all of the activities, so please do get involved!

### Equipment donation in memory

We wanted to remember Roy Hart, one of our previous Men's Shed members who passed away recently. Roy was a lovely, gentle man. We are very grateful to his family who have generously donated a number of Roy's tools, machinery and some lovely wood etc to the Shipley Men's Shed. It will all be very well used.

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