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Splish, splash, he was taking a bath... Councillor Dick Sawle hoping no-one pulls the plug on his New Year's Day raft race entry

SAAS stoppage: director claims partners pressured

THE planned increased use of containers for the shipment of fish, meat and wool received a blow this week with the news that the Islands' only shipping service to South America is to end.

Hamish Wylie, one of the directors of the South American Atlantic Service Ltd (SAAS) container shipping company currently running between the Falklands and Rio Grande in Brazil made the shock announcement in a letter sent to clients this week.

Mr Wylie, who also is a director of SAAS parent company, Consolidated Fisheries Ltd, is convinced pressure has been put on the company's shipping partners to ensure the Falkland Islands fishing industry cannot develop any further.

Unacceptably high shipping costs caused, Mr Wylie believes, by pressure being exerted on companies who also operate in Argentina, have resulted in a failure to secure the volumes of cargo necessary to maintain the service, which the company has announced will be withdrawn at the end of June.

Stuart Wallace of Fortuna Ltd, who have already in the past containerised the whole of one ship's

catch and had planned to increase this volume, described the ending of the SAAS service as "a really very serious development for the whole of the Falklands economy."

The recently published Economic Strategy lists connectivity with South America as essential for the Islands' future economic development.

Argentina's systematic policy of interference with shipping between the Falkland Islands and Latin America culminated most recently in the Presidential Decree 256/10 which requires all shipping bound for the Falklands to seek permission from the Argentine Government.

Although "operational reasons" were cited, it seems clear that fear that the SAAS charter vessel Anja might face detention under the terms of the decree caused it to take a route around Cape Horn in its last voyage from Punta Arenas to Stanley.

After a period of uncertainty when the SAAS contract with the Anja came to an end, a new vessel, Scout, was chartered and a new route established between Stanley and Rio Grande in Brazil.

The original SAAS service be-

tween Stanley, Montevideo in Uruguay and Punta Arenas in Southern Chile was then abandoned.

Decree 256/10 was declared "not compliant with international law including the UN Convention on the Law of the Sea" by the British Government in a note verbale delivered to the Argentine Chargé d'Affaires in London.

The decree also appears to be in direct contravention of a 1984 "Treaty of Peace and Friendship" between Chile and Argentina with respect to the Straits of Magellan.

The implementation of Decree 256/10 is left to the Argentine Coast Guard, but their response has not yet been put to the test.

Mr Wylie said that while he could understand the unwillingness of the Falkland Islands Government to continue to subsidise the SAAS route – they recently and controversially made SAAS an unsecured loan of £1m – he felt that despite the fact that our foreign relations were the province of the British Government, the time had come for FIG to take a more proactive stance in revealing to the world the extent of the victimisation that the Islands were

suffering at the hands of the Argentines.

The Legislative Assembly member with the Fisheries portfolio, Councillor Gavin Short, described the ending of the SAAS service as "a very worrying development." He told the Penguin News he was sure it would be the subject of discussions with his colleagues, adding that it was "sad to see it stop."

Asked whether the Assembly had given any thought to challenging Decree 256/10, Cllr Short said the problem was that the government did not now own a ship of its own, and the owners of other ships were understandably very nervous by the mere mention of a threat.

With the SAAS service gone, the fate of a container lay-down park still under construction close to FIPASS must hang in the balance.

Estimated to be going to cost a further £175,000 over its original £945,000 budget, the work is being done by PWD, with assistance in the concrete work provided by Morrisons and equipment to be provided by CFL.

John Fowler

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IN language unbecoming perhaps for Her Majesty's representative in these Islands, the previous Governor Alan Huckle once told me at a cocktail party in Government House that "I p*ss*d him off".

Reminded of this on a subsequent occasion, he first denied the use of any such vulgar expression and then said that what he had meant was that he found my ramblings in this column depressing.

In this, the first edition of 2011, I would dearly love to come up with something cheery and positive, but instead I find myself drawn to agree with Cllr Gavin Short who recently said to me "I expect that this will be a very difficult year".

Cllr Short was referring to the efforts of the Argentine Government to intensify the diplomatic war over our sovereignty which, although it pains me to admit, they seem to be winning hands down.

In recent months the Argentines have taken their message to Mercosur, Unasur, the Rio Conference on Climate Change, the Latin American and Caribbean Summit and the Spanish Latin American Summit, and seem in most cases to have come away with some degree of support, at least for discussions on sovereignty to take place.

Sadly, to have talks on sovereignty seems a reasonable idea to everyone except us.

We know that for Argentina talks can only have one acceptable outcome, which would not be at all acceptable to us.

Sadly, it is also a fact that if you say something loud enough for long enough, it tends to be believed, even if the historical and moral basis for what you are saying is rubbish.

Our principal problem is that we do not seem to have a voice in what continues to be a bilateral debate.

To the Argentine Government our democratically elected government is no more important than Dibley Parish Council.

Constitutionally our foreign relations are in the hands of the same department of the British Government which seemed keen to sell us up the River Plate prior to 1982.

If, for whatever reason, they are not inclined to do more than bleat ineffectually about infractions of international law in the face of Argentine attempts to close down our economy, we have an urgent need to redefine our status internationally before it is done for us.

John Fowler

Falklands Brasserie

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Rev Ruth Hake MBE



Vice Adm Richard Ibbotson KBE

NY Honours for military service

RUTH Hake, Station Chaplain at Mount Pleasant, and a former Commander of British Forces in the South Atlantic have been recognized in the Queen's New Year's Honours.

Reverend (Squadron Leader) Hake, who deployed to the Falkland Islands earlier this year, received an MBE for her selfless commitment and outstanding support to service personnel and their families.

Since joining the Royal Air Force in 2005, she has provided outstanding pastoral support and devoted countless hours to assist families who have lost loved ones on operations in both Iraq and Afghanistan.

While deployed to Afghanistan, Rev Hake, who is married with a small child, accompanied one Royal Marine's coffin back to the UK, presenting his beret and the flag that dressed his coffin to his mother.

A military spokesperson said Rev Hake also had been pivotal in providing pastoral and spiritual care to families and personnel of

Royal Air Force Benson, where she was posted in 2007, two years after joining the RAF.

She was "constantly putting the needs of others before her own and proving critical to the success of the station's welfare team."

Also appearing in the honours list is Vice Admiral Richard Ibbotson, who was Commander of British Forces in the Islands during 2002.

Vice Adm Ibbotson (56), who has two daughters and was born in Rawdon in Yorkshire, joined the navy in 1975 and has had five sea commands.

He has been honoured with a KBE - Knight Commander of the Order of the British Empire - for his work at the navy command headquarters in Portsmouth.

He said of his posting to the Falklands: "I was lucky enough to be able to meet people then who were returning for the first time since the task force went there, which showed the depth of commitment British personnel have made during my career."

Big week for cruise visits

CRUISE ships are scheduled to visit Stanley every day for the next week, with a potential 4,000 tourists due on Wednesday.

The Bremen (184 capacity) is due tomorrow, the Polar Pioneer (56) on Sunday, the Plancius (110) and MV Hanseatic (194) on Monday, and the Veendam (1350) on Tuesday. The AIDA cara (1339)

and the Star Princess (3102) are likely to more than double Stanley's population on Wednesday, before making way for the Expedition (120) on Thursday and Silver Whisper (382) on Friday.

The next scheduled visit is by MV C. Columbus (423) on Friday January 21.

Ships in Stanley harbour for the week ending January 6



Vessel	Type	Vessel agent	Departed
John Cheek	Trawler	FIC Ltd	
Maersk Pacer	AHTS	Byron Holdings	3 Jan
Maersk Traveller	AHTS	Byron Holdings	
Ross Star	Longliner	Sullivan Shipping	5 Jan
Protegit	Patrol	RB Consultants	3 Jan
Toisa Invincible	Supply	Byron Holdings	4 Jan
Faxaborg	Standby	Stanley Services	30 Dec
Bravo Supporter	Supply	Stanley Services	3 Jan

Shares tumble down for Desire

HOPES of a major oil find off the Falklands were this week dealt a severe blow when Desire Petroleum announced it was abandoning its Dawn/Jacinta well, its fourth drilling attempt since last year.

Shares in the company crashed 23 per cent to 46p on December 29 when it failed to encounter hydrocarbons at a depth of 1,313 metres. They plummeted a further 23 per cent to 36.75p on Tuesday when it found "no significant hydrocarbons" at 1,670 metres.

Desire shares were a paltry 33.25p at close of market yesterday, their lowest since June 2009,

and a far cry from the giddy heights of 168.5p reached on October 11.

Not only are remaining local investors feeling the pinch, but such is the impact of the latest disappointment, analysts are now questioning whether the company can afford to drill beyond its five-well programme.

"We now believe Desire Petroleum has some major problems in that the company is now starting to run out of cash," Panmure Gordon analyst Peter Hitchens said this week.

Only Rockhopper Exploration has so far struck oil, at its Sea Lion

prospect, while Falkland Oil and Gas hit a dry hole at its only attempt so far, at Toroa.

Two other companies, Borders and Southern and Argo Resources, are yet to begin drilling campaigns.

Meanwhile, the rig used by Desire has been subcontracted to Rockhopper and BHP Billiton to drill one or two wells, before returning to Desire to drill a new well at a location still to be finalised.

The latest blow to oil hopes in the Falklands is compounded by news that crude oil prices this week topped US\$90 a barrel, the highest in more than two years

Oil info sought

A COMMITTEE of MPS looking into North Sea oil safety procedures said yesterday there was "a lack of clarity" over responsibility for drilling and oil response in the Falklands, and recommended the government clarified what regulatory regimes applied in the Falkland. Director of Mineral Resources Phyl Rendell said she would be happy to provide necessary information.

Tele-tories link

ASSEMBLY members representing the Falklands will join other members of the South Atlantic Territories Working Group in a teleconference later this month to discuss joint initiatives in tourism, conservation and other possibilities, which may increase the likelihood of the territories being awarded funding from the EU or UK Government.

SAR evacuation

RAF Search and Rescue responded to a medical emergency call on New Year's Day to evacuate a resident of Little Chates suffering from chest pains. Within two hours the patient was picked up and taken to KEMH, covering 160 miles. Sqn Ldr Holmes said: "We're always really pleased to help, whatever the emergency."

Case adjourned

TWO charges of assault against Claudio Briones Sepulveda (48) were adjourned on Wednesday to be dealt with in the Magistrates Court on February 16. He is already scheduled to be sentenced on this date for previous charges of assault and breach of a conditional discharge.

Spark needed

THE Leisure Centre's popular Twilight evening sessions for youths resumes January 21 but they are appealing for volunteers to help run activities. Recreational Manager Steve Dent highlighted training will be provided so no previous experience is needed.

Inconvenient loo

GYPSY Cove public toilets have been closed for the second time since Christmas. Tourist Board General Manager Paul Trowell said he hoped they might reopen this weekend, although that may depend on parts being sourced from the UK. He apologised for the inconvenience.

Chile winner

THE winner of a holiday for two to Chile's Lake District, the star prize in the Standard Chartered Bank Seeing Is Believing charity raffle, is Rudy Clarke of Stanley.

Tension set to rise as '99 agreement is questioned

ARGENTINA has raised the diplomatic temperature with Britain by suggesting existing agreements between the two countries have been broken and are therefore no longer relevant.

In its annual communiqué to mark the anniversary of what it calls "the British occupation of the Malvinas Islands in 1833," the Argentina Foreign Ministry says "understandings" signed by London and Buenos Aires were provisional, and aimed at "generating propitious conditions for the renewal of sovereignty negotiations."

The Foreign Ministry claims that the "unilateral actions" of the UK with regard to oil exploration and military exercises on the Islands constitute an "insoluble obstacle" to the continuation and development of "bilateral cooperation," and that they contradict both the "spirit and letter" of those provisional understandings.

This reference to the bilateral agreements signed by Argentina and the UK in July 1999 marks a new advance in the diplomatic war of words waged since the late President Nestor Kirchner came to power in 2003.

The communiqué does not mention any dates for the bilateral agreements, which were signed after the resumption of diplomatic



Islanders protest talks in 1999

relations between the UK and Argentina following the Falklands War in 1982.

Fishing agreements were signed under the governments of Tony Blair and Carlos Menem, which are still in existence, but obsolete because Argentina no longer participates in the meetings of the South Atlantic Fisheries Commission.

A petroleum agreement was also signed, but was revoked by the Kirchner administration, which also imposed controls on shipping.

A ban on charter flights to the Islands was imposed by the Kirchner administration and is still in place. In August 2008 a candidate for the vacant post of Argentinian

time Ambassador in London was withdrawn as a protest.

The signing of a letter of understanding between the British and Argentine governments in July 1999 was the subject of much protest in the Falkland Islands, including demonstrations against the Legislative Council of the time and flag burning.

There were those who were angry at the idea of any agreement being made with Argentina and those who, while perhaps not against the agreement, were equally angry it had been made in secret with the complicity of members of Legislative Council, all of whom had been elected on the basis of pledges that there would be no further contact with the Argentine Government until it abandoned its sovereignty claim over the Islands.

Councillor Dick Sawle told the Penguin News that in his opinion the Argentine communiqué contained nothing new, adding that the claimed expulsion of an Argentine civilian population from the Islands in 1883 was "utter garbage."

He said it was interesting that the communiqué should mention the agreements of 1999, which had been maintained by the British but had been "continually broken by the Argentines."

John Fowler

One in four motorists had alcohol

ONE in four motorists breathalysed during the recent police crackdown on drink driving had consumed alcohol, figures released this week reveal.

A total of 20 drivers were stopped during the campaign, which ran from December 13 to January 4, mostly after committing moving road traffic offences. Two of the drivers were involved in road traffic collisions.

One was found to be more than twice over the drink driving limit,

and dealt with in court two days after the offence, a swift response described by Director of Community Safety and Chief Police Officer Gary Finchett as "an excellent example of simple, speedy, summary justice."

While he said the campaign had been a success, he nevertheless was unhappy at the proportion of drivers stopped who had been drinking.

Mr Finchett said: "I'm slightly disappointed that one in four of

the people we breathalysed had consumed alcohol, as even a small amount of alcohol can impair a driver's reactions.

"However, I'm very pleased that only one driver was found to be over the prescribed limit, albeit by a considerable amount."

He said the end of the campaign would not signify any reduction in police efforts to catch drink drivers, adding: "RFIP remains committed to targeting drink drivers in order to keep people safe."

December's mixed bag of weather

LAST month saw lower temperatures, higher rainfall and less sunshine than average. It also had the second highest gale days for December since MPA records began in 1986.

The mean maximum temperature was 13.4 Celsius, one degree less than average.

The highest temperature recorded was 22.5C on the 30th and the lowest maximum was 7.8C on the 13th.

The mean minimum temperature was 4.9C, compared with the 5.4C average. The lowest minimum was 0.5C on the 18th and the highest minimum 10.2C on the 27th.

The total rainfall for the month was 75.3mm, well up on the average of 57.8mm.

The wettest day was the 16th with a total of 12.4mm. More than 0.1mm fell on 16 days and 1mm or more fell on 15 days.

There were 223.9 hours of sunshine, compared with the monthly average of 234.8 hours.

The highest daily total was 15.3 hours on the 27th.

There were six days when snow or sleet fell and 12 days with hail, both double their respective averages.

There was one day with thunder and no days with fog.

The monthly mean wind speed was 17.0 knots, which compares to a December average of 15.9 knots. The highest hourly mean speed of 43 knots occurred on the 13th, and the highest recorded gust of 66 knots was recorded on the 13th and 14th.

Gales occurred on nine days, including three consecutive days from the 12th to the 14th. There were 27 days with gusts in excess of 33 knots.

Villain of the year Kirchner

ARGENTINE President Cristina Kirchner – "a living metaphor for the fading beauty of Buenos Aires" according to the Daily Telegraph, is named one of the paper's "Villains of 2010."

The Telegraph writes: "Known locally as the Botox Evita, the vivacious, designer label-crazed 58-year-old described the Falkland Islands as 'an illegal colonial enclave' and all but threatened to start another war if an oil rig we had sent to the South Atlantic happened to strike lucky."

"Why so upset? The question was partly answered by a leaked US State Department communiqué suggesting that Cristina may be a few steps short of a tango."



Paul Davis, David Davis, Ben Hoyles, Jamie Curtis and Kyle Joshua ride the white water wake



HMS Clyde's DIY landing team



The relaxing RAF-T



The Doug Clark's at sea-weed

Rockets and a bathtub raft in Stanley's briney

NEW Year celebrations in Stanley continued with a healthy turn out perched on top oil drums.

Glorious sunshine greeted the competitors and crowd as the annual New Year's Day Raft Race from the East Jetty to the Narrows Bar got underway.

First to the shore was Sprocket Rocket, a four-man military team who had recycled containers as two-man canoes and strapped them together.

Their slick contraption and muscle power completed the course in an astonishing 13 minutes. Considered in a league of their own, their professional design was awarded the title winners of the Super Raft Class.

With the variety of entries this year, organiser Ken Newton said this year they decided to do things differently with Super Raft and a Classic Classes, as well as the Juniors, to ensure the traditional hilarity wasn't lost at sea.

Finishing with time to get their breath back the Rocketeers waded into the waters of Stanley Harbour to help the next boat ashore. The Classics class came next, also known as the "how is that contraption still afloat?" group, which appears to have mandatory entry requirement of drinking at the helm.

The Doug Clark's rowed in first after a tentative start, with five men and a crate of beer sharing the floating capabilities of two surfboards and some planks of wood. Second in the Classics were The Squirrels, seasoned competitors whose raft has served them well. Third to float by in classic style were the HMS Clyde crew, who didn't get such a warm reception from the Army waiting with eggs.

Many rafts didn't make it as successfully. The FITT boys took a few too many waves and their menacing pink machine with luxury cushioning was tugged ashore in pieces.

Fortunately Dick Sawle didn't get his toe stuck in his buoyant bath tub, but he lost his sail early in and, after hours of drifting, caught a tow back to shore defeated, but preparing the mark two for next year.

After plenty of laughs and a grand day out in the sunshine, the event closed with a presentation at the Narrows Bar.

Plaques for first, second and third were given to winners of the Super and Classic Raft Classes. The Junior Class winners were the Sea Cadets whose valiant efforts saw them soldier on despite spending a long time in the water trying to board their vessel.

All three winners will have their team name added to a resident trophy at the Narrows Bar.

Mr Newton thanked the bar for putting on a delicious barbecue and supplying the crucial hydration to keep sea legs wobbling and the crowd smiling.



Army walked over Classics



Christian Williams



Michael Poole, Steven Manders and Zoran Zuvic

Environmental forum go-ahead

A NEW environmental forum, similar to the Falkland Islands Exploration and Production Environmental Forum (FIEPEF) which came into existence during the last oil drilling campaign in 1998, has been given the go-ahead.

Pippa Christie of the Mineral Resources Department, the prime movers behind the proposal, told last month's meeting of the Environmental Committee it had been her department's intention to wait until the oil industry entered into the developmental phase, but the increased volume of exploration activity currently envisaged made

the need to develop effective methods of dialogue on environmental matters between all parties more urgent.

Two possible models had been discussed for such a forum: the Shetland Oil Terminal Environmental Advisory Group (SOTEAG) and FIEPEF, but on the whole the committee agreed with the conclusion of the Mineral Resources Department that the FIEPEF model continued to suit the Falkland Islands situation and that its terms of reference provided a good starting point for the development of a new forum.

It was also agreed that any forum should be presided over by an independent chair, although Craig Dockrill of Falkland Conservation asked what mechanism would be employed for choosing such a person. It was further suggested that as telecommunications to and from the Islands had improved significantly since FIEPEF met previously, it should now be possible to hold video conferences, thus negating the need for overseas members of the forum to travel to the Islands for meetings, which would be both financially and environmentally beneficial.

Storms devastate bird colonies on Sea Lion

EIGHTY foot cliffs were not enough to protect the colonies of rockhopper penguins and king cormorants on Sea Lion Island from the effects of the storm force winds that swept the Islands in December.

Waves breaking with cataclysmic force destroyed the turret-like nests of the cormorants and swept through the nests of the rockhoppers leaving a trail of destruction behind them.

So strong was nature's onslaught on this cliff top position that even the boulders surrounding the monument to HMS Sheffield were moved.

Lodge manager on Sea Lion Island, Jenny Luxton, said none of the year's rockhopper chicks survived and now the adults were standing around forlornly, while the king cormorants, which have also lost all their chicks, appear to

be making efforts to rebuild their nests. In November, when the rockhopper colony was surveyed, the numbers appeared to have increased from previous years. Fortunately, Jenny said, the colonies of gentoo and magellanic penguins on the island do not appear to have been affected by the storms.

On Pebble Island, where the Meteorological Office reported winds of up to 74 knots on December 13, the wildlife appears to have been more fortunate.

Lodge owner Jacqui Jennings said she and partner Allan White had inspected the island from one end to another without discovering any casualties of the storm's violence.

Sadly this was not the case everywhere. Craig Dockrill of Falkland Conservation (FC) reported to the Environmental Committee that according to FC's observers

on the Jason Islands the gale force winds of mid December had been sufficiently strong to blow albatross off their nests.

Mr Dockrill also reported that a small sub-set to the north-west of the colony of black-browed albatross on Steeple Jason, estimated to be the largest in the world, had been attacked by what appeared to be a mystery virus, causing between 1,000 and 1,200 deaths among adult birds.

What was causing these deaths, which came suddenly to birds which showed no visible signs of distress or illness, would not be known, the committee was informed, until tissue samples had been analysed in Britain.

In the meantime the epidemic seemed to be dying out and FC was taking care that their operatives should not spread it among the rest of the colony.

Give us two minutes...



Bethan Halliday

1. What is your most prized possession? My facebook account for helping me keep in touch with friends and family overseas

2. If you had a motto, what would it be? If it isn't broken, don't break it

3. What is your most embarrassing moment? When a bird dropped one on me when I was on my way to the Brasserie for my 13th birthday with my parents. They say it's good luck. Pffft!

4. If you could set up a business in the Falklands what would it be? Toss up between a decent music store like HMV or a Burger King

5. What in your everyday life drives you crazy? People walking away while I'm talking to them, or equally drivers not indicating when I try to cross the road

6. Who would you make Governor of the Falklands? Simon Fagan! Anyone who can pull a face like he can is bound to scare the Argies away

7. What is your nickname and why? Chopsticks. Don't ask, it's a long story

8. What is your favourite TV programme? Has to be Casualty at the mo

9. What song makes you feel sad when you hear it? Richard Marx - Right Here Waiting, reminded me of home when I was away

10. What would people be surprised to learn about you? I've only left the Islands once for a full year. I don't think I could do it again

Islander Bethan (18) spent her early years at Fox Bay and moved into town when she was seven. She has a sister Madeleine (14) and brother Brennan (five months) who she loves to pieces. Bethan recently started working at KEMH and loves her new job as an auxiliary nurse, although her ideal world would see her driving something pink with big wheels!

UK penpal ties knot at Lighthouse

STEPHANIE Thain was a teenager when in 1982 she forged a new friendship with UK penpal Jennie Parker, through Blue Jeans magazine.

Years later the friends met in the UK, and Jennie became godmother to Stephanie's son Craig.

On Christmas Eve, it was Stephanie's turn to return another favour to Jennie - as chief bridesmaid for her friend's surprise wedding in the Falklands.

Jennie and her partner of 13 years Andrew Smith visited the Islands last month for the first time, initially to join in the celebrations for Craig's 18th birthday.

But on what the couple called "a whim and a text" from Andrew, they decided to get married while



Jennie and Andrew Smith with bridesmaid Steph

they were here - at Cape Pembroke Lighthouse. Jennie's daughter Steph, named after her friend, made sure he proposed properly. "He was mortified, but

he did it at Whalebone Arch," said Jennie. "Andrew's not one for a lot of fuss, so getting married in a small family service was ideal."

The couple were a little apprehensive at first about their choice of wedding location: "We can't get bogged - the men are all wearing suits," Jennie told the Penguin News before the couple tied the knot, very impressed at the idea of ribbons on 4x4s.

In the end, though, they were overwhelmed with how kind everyone had been in helping organise everything.

They even came across another personal link when they discovered Registrar John Rowland also hailed from Jennie's own hometown of Frome in Somerset.



Missing Links

This young man may well be with us now, but do you recognise him in this photo, discovered by Anne Reid? Please call 22709 or email editor@penguinnews.co.fk if you can identify him.

Extend a hand to the Harrier

FAR smarter people than me are still scratching their heads about the results of the Strategic Defence and Security Review of last autumn. There was relief at the news that we are still to get our two huge new aircraft carriers, but the Ark Royal has been decommissioned already, and HMS Illustrious is holding the fort alone.

And, as everyone knows, the new carriers will not have their own aircraft - Joint Strike Fighters - for some years.

All of this has been interpreted by some as bad news for the Falklands, but of course that is not necessarily so. The Islands are now very well defended by resident troops, aircraft and ships, and there are C17 strategic transport aircraft that could reinforce the Islands, if necessary, in short order.

The highest profile victim of the review was the Harrier force. It was profoundly sad to see TV footage of RAF and Naval Air Arm Harriers taking off for their final flypast.

There is no hiding the fact that this is premature retirement, and it is especially poignant to Falkland Islanders and those who fought with the Task Force. Thanks to 1982, the ferocious little fighter became an aviation icon.

I have heard of no official plans, but perhaps the RAF and the

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Navy share this feeling and will keep at least one Harrier flying for their "heritage" flights.

It would also be good to see a Harrier saved and retired to the Falklands. If anyone is interested in approaching the MoD about this possibility, let me know.

No promises, but if enough of us vector our jets in the right direction, we might just get one to live on, albeit statically, at Stanley Airport, which had the dubious honour of being bombed by these planes in 1982.

Graham Bound
London

FI can lead way on metrication

EVERYONE knows that the UK has dragged its feet on metricating its road signs.

This gives the Falkland Islands the chance to get a step ahead of the UK and generate a lot of good publicity. An early move would generate enormous favourable publicity for the Falklands.

It would demonstrate that you are modern, forward thinking and prepared to think for yourself. Waiting until the UK changes, by

contrast, would throw away a good opportunity for publicity.

Of course, many might worry that a changeover would be dangerous or inconvenient. Not so. Australia, New Zealand, Canada, South Africa and the Irish Republic have all changed their road signs swiftly and without fuss.

The Falklands could do the same. Visitors would cope as well with metric signs as they do in most of the world.

Others argue that the changeover is terribly expensive. This is not a problem with a well-planned changeover. Australia planned its changeover so smoothly that all the signs were changed over in one weekend.

If Australia can do it, then it would be dead easy for the Falklands to do it too.

Please consider this change. The benefit of moving first would be enormous.

Michael Glass
Ashbury NSW
Australia

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Argentine ambassador comments condemned

ARGENTINA'S Ambassador at the United Nations has reacted to Prime Minister David Cameron's Christmas address to the Falklands by suggesting Britain should leave the UN Security Council.

Mr Cameron's assurance to Islanders that the sovereignty of the Islands would not come up for discussion is, according to Ambassador Jorge Arguello, an abuse of Britain's position on the Security Council, as it signifies that Britain has no intention of complying with the resolutions of the General Assembly on the subject.

"The time is coming when the international community may ask itself whether having won a war sixty years ago is sufficient to ensure a place on the Security Council in the 21st century," Ambassador Arguello argues.

Mr Cameron's suggestion that the only circumstance in which Falklands sovereignty might be discussed would be with the consent of the Islanders themselves, also attracts a critical and negative response from the Ambassador.

"So, very well, who are the Islanders?" he says. "Are they a people needing to be liberated from colonial oppression? No, we are talking about a population that was implanted after the Argentine population that lived there was removed by military force."

"It is made up of British citizens whose primary purpose is to use its parliament to block any attempt by the international community to reopen negotiations between its country and Argentina."

"Cameron knows that the 'Islanders' include a substantial proportion of soldiers who are there, not so much for the colony's defence as to sustain the illegal exploration of resources in the South Atlantic and to safeguard the military strategic interests of the British Crown."

The Ambassador's comments were condemned as "provocative and unacceptable" by Tory MP Andrew Rossindell, a member of the Commons Foreign Affairs Select Committee.

He said: "Britain's contribution to world freedom by protecting countries which have been invaded, both in the Second World War and in 1982, is exemplary. I am not sure Argentina can claim to have such a record – in fact quite the opposite."

Simon Weston, patron of the Falklands Veterans Foundation, said: "Mr Cameron is bang on the money to say sovereignty is a discussion for the Islanders. They have the right to self-determination."



An appreciative crowd gathers outside the Rose Bar as Tooty Ford introduces another contender

Clip, click quick go the shearers

SHEARING and cheering took place outside the Rose Bar on December 23, attracting a large crowd in blazing sunshine.

Twelve shearers took part in the competition, with supporters raising £253 from bucket donations towards sending a team to the World Shearing Championships in Masterton, New Zealand in 2012.



Stefan Clarke with the judges

A further £670 was raised at a shearer's dance organised by Dae Peck on Christmas Eve.

The lambs were provided by Jan Clarke of Lorenzo Farm, and Hew Grierson was on hand with a red card to make sure the quality of each shear was up to standard in the rush. The clock ran from pulling the cord to switching the clippers on and off, with each shearer picking a soundtrack tune turned up to keep focus. The top four times competed again in a final showdown.

Evan Jones stuttered on his record breaking 370 clean shears and was red-carded out of contention. Joe Clarke was third and Jan Clarke second, each leaving with a good armful of beer, minus a few in donation to the cause.

Favourite from the heats, fastest shearer and winner of the award and a crate of Bud was Lee Molkenbuhr in an eye-watering 26 seconds. "Not only the fastest but probably one of the best shorn sheep I've seen this year," said Tooty Ford on Lee's result.



Jan Clarke



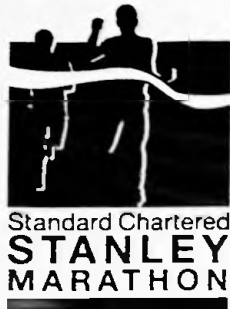
Evan Jones takes his turn



Steve Jennings proves he hasn't lost his deft touch on the shears



Winner Lee Molkenbuhr



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Governor's Cup winner Maurice Davis leads Dashing Dancer to her fourth win, ahead of Timmy and Hayley Bonner

Dashing Dancer adds gloss to injury-ravaged programme

NOT since 1944 – when three flat races, including the San Carlos Plate and Andreas Pitaluga Champion Race, were called off in a programme of 21 events – have there been so many events abandoned owing to the lack of entries.

No fewer than eight races were cancelled at the 2010 meeting, including such popular runs as the Berkeley Sound Plate and the Ladies (West Store) Gallop – the first time this has happened to the latter event since it was first run at the 1907 meeting at Whalebone Bay.

Additionally, there were too many races when just two horses went to post and the largest entry was seven.

The lack of entries was reflected on the Tote which took just £13,400, which was £5,000 less than last year. Similarly the biggest pay-out was a lowly £4.50 on a £1 ticket in the Armed Forces Challenge Cup.

Mention should be made of the Poole family, with Raymond and Nancy having been involved in running the Tote for around 20 years, and in recent years they have been ably assisted by their family members. Natalie Smith too has given sterling support for a similar time span, and they all provide an excellent service for those who like a flutter.

In all fairness the meeting, held in excellent weather throughout, did suffer from an unprecedented number of injuries which were suffered not only by the horses but also to regular jockey Arthur Turner, who sustained a serious shoulder injury just days before Christmas.

During the action which did take place Maurice Davis's thoroughbred Dashing Dancer (Pollerita/Thyer) chalked up her fourth win in the Governor's Cup, so equalling the performance of fellow four-time winners Tipperary (1923, 1924, 1925 and 1927), Mi Hausita (Feb and Dec 1963, 1965 and 1966), Mischina (1967, 1968, Feb and Dec 1970), Sheba (1988, 1989, 1991 and 1992) and Croacia (1994, 1995, 1996 and 1997).

Secret (1917, 1918, 1920, 1921 and 1922) and the famous Bambina (1933, Feb and Dec 1934, 1935 and 1936) both won the cup on five occasions.

With his regular jockey Arthur Turner injured, Maurice Davis took the ride himself and no-one would begrudge his success, given the



Stanley Sports Association 98th Meeting December 2010

Report by Patrick Watts

commitment he has made to horse racing in the Falklands since he first imported horses from Chile back in the early 1990s.

Tim Bonner's Zafonic, twice a Governor's Cup winner in 2005 and 2008, had to settle for the runner-up position for the third time when running against Dashing Dancer, who came home a couple of lengths ahead of the gelding.

Dashing Dancer went on to win a further five races (Seemedoit Cup, Speedwell Store Prize, Standard Chartered Trophy, Falkland Chase and the Simon Summers Memorial Champion Race) to rack up 18 points and win the Champion Horse Award for the fourth time (2006, 2007, 2009 and 2010).

Tim Bonner regained the Champion Jockey title which he lost last year to Maurice Davis, as he amassed 43 points with nine first places. This gives him ten titles and puts him ahead of Neil Watson (8) and Keith Whitney (7).

The official Champion Jockey award was introduced as late as 1963, but prior to that year the legendary William (Bill) Aldridge totalled 12 outright victories between 1915 and 1934. Tim's success started with the first event

of the day when his smart newcomer Rock of Gibraltar (Dory/Zafonic), voted Best Turned Out Maiden Plater, beat Seattle Star, owned by Raymond Evans of Pebble Island and ridden by Owen Summers, to win the Cable & Wireless Maiden Plate.

The 2009 Maiden Plate was cancelled for the first time since 1907 because there was just one runner, and this year's race brought just two horses forward, although five prospective candidates, including the offspring of Whirling Fireball, Seemedoit, Calimera and Capizana sustained unfortunate injuries and were withdrawn.

Tim scored further points when the excellent Ballanchine (Dory/Dancing Brave), winner of the Maiden Plate in 2006, romped home in the Diana Turner Dash, Argos Gallop and Capizana Cup, while Zafonic (Croacia/Dancing Brave) took the CFL Challenge Cup and Salvador Prize Champion Race.

Eric Goss's Thylanda (Lucinda/Thyer) provided Tim with further success in the Heather Pettersson Memorial Cup and Spirit (Iron Maiden/Dancing Brave), which is owned by Tim's son Declan, won the AG Barton Prize and the Billy Duncan Memorial.

Mrs Hayley Bonner brought her Ballanchine home to win the Chief Executive's Plate ahead of Spirit and Cheetah.

Ron Binnie has been riding winners on the Stanley race course for nearly 50 years and it was pleasing to see him wearing red rosettes once again as his sprinter Southern Dancer (Sheba/Thyer) took the Morrison (Falklands) Ltd dash over 440yds, and the Malcolm Binnie Memorial over the longer 700yds distance.

Thankfully, rumours which circulated prior to the meeting that Ron, the quiet man of racing, was contemplating retirement, proved unfounded and it is hoped that he will stay in the saddle until the 100th meeting in 2012, given that he participated in the 50th anniversary meeting back in February 1963.

In addition to his six victories on Dashing Dancer, Maurice Davis also enjoyed success on his improving Costabomb which took the Bike Anderson prize and, with 26 points, he finished as runner-up to Tim Bonner in the Championship Jockey Table.

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Hayley Bonner and Ballanchine



Military winner Kim Lawton on Beagle



Ascot ladies and fundraisers Cathy, Julie, Angela, Pollyanna and Henry with HE the Governor



Maurice Davis and Dashing Dancer galloping to victory for the Governor's Cup



Craig John gets into the spirit

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Costabomb also took the Southern Cross Trophy for young jockeys with 15-year-old Macauley Davis in the saddle.

The ever-popular Port San Carlos prize, which stipulates that jockeys have to be under the age of 21 or over the age of 50, saw youngster Duane Evans on his Destiny beat the elder Owen Summers on Beagle (Tia Nina/Thyer). Another keen youngster, Dominic Watson, was third on Anastasia. Once again the Long Island troop contributed greatly to the races, thanks to the enthusiasm of Neil and Glenda Watson the farm owners.

The Dionne Jones Memorial Trophy saw Stefan Clarke chalk up a win on the Rincon Grande bred Serendipity, winning the Challenge Trophy, miniature and £100.

Two ladies gallantly came forward at the last minute and took mounts in the Ladies Chase. Angeline Clarke winning Barry Neilson's prize on Miami Lance, ahead of Michelle Amor on Dude With An Attitude.

Fourteen-year-old Chilean lad Jean Rebolledo marked his first appearance on a Falklands race course with a win in the Pinza Gallop riding Miami Dude, which is owned by his stepfather Maurice Davis.

On the third day of the meeting Jean scored again on Miami Dude in the Junior Rincon Grande and Home Farm Plate and, with 13 points overall, he won the Best Young Jockey Trophy, presented by Mike and Donna Evans. Jean said he was taught to ride horses at a young age on his family's farm back in Chile.

Ryan Watson, who was just pipped by one point for the Young Jockey title, was a popular winner of the Kool Kidz Cup over 600yds, bringing Gypsy Rose home by a neck to beat Miami Dude. Ryan made it a double when scoring on Serendipity in the Interserve Cup.

Thirteen-year-old Declan Bonner looks like following in his father Tim's footsteps as he followed last year's success on Southern Dancer by winning the Bobby Short Gallop on Thylinda, having just been edged out earlier in the Pinza Gallop on the same horse.

The Commander British Forces SAI Commodore Phillip Thicknesse enjoyed his second Christmas sports meeting and presented his prize to SAC Kim Lawton who rode Beagle home to victory in the Armed Forces Challenge Cup. Horse owners must be complimented for ensuring the military personnel had six horses made available to them for this race, despite the overall shortage of horses on the course.

Away back in 1910, just two years after the formation of the Stanley Sports Association, Andreas Pitaluga of Salvador donated a Silver Cup for the winner of the Champion Race, which featured only horses that had taken a prize at the meeting. Duncan Watson's imported Travedo won the race, ridden by John Perry.



Young jockeys Jean Rebolledo, Macauley Davis and Ryan Watson compete for race honours



Perfect summer weather greets the gathering crowds waiting for the events to start

One hundred years on and the Salvador Prize remains an ever-popular event on the programme. Historically it should be mentioned that in 1947 Alex Pitaluga took over the mantle of prize donator and in 1958 his son, Robin Pitaluga OBE, assumed sponsorship of the race and he has continued to provide the prize for the past 52 years.

It was therefore appropriate that Mr Pitaluga, accompanied by his son Saul and his two grandchildren, journeyed from Salvador to Stanley on December 27 and arrived at the course in the nick of time to present the trophy to Tim Bonner following Zafonic's victory.

The trotting events provided a clean sweep for the Shallow Bay (Hill Cove) bred Impulse, owned by Paul Peck. Impulse, which took the Maiden Plate Gallop on West Falklands a few years previously, and was second in the Governor's Cup a year later, won the Twigworth Trot with Paul riding, while his wife Davina trotted up to win the Ladies Race.

Bob Short substituted another trotting event to replace his cancelled Mile Gallop and Impulse held off a determined challenge by Bob on old favourite Charisma to complete the treble.

On foot, Thomas Burston won his first William McGill One Mile event in a credible time of 6:20 min, beating two times previous winner Zoran Zuvic by 50 yards.

Thomas was edged into second place in the 100yds by fast finishing Nathan Lowe. Nathan

also won the Backwards Race and the Children's Handicap Race. Jean Rebolledo took the 220yds and just lost out to Nick Rendell in an exciting finish in the 440yds.

George Butler, 78, showed that last year's victory over 83-year-old Billy Poole in the Veteran's Handicap Race was no fluke as he again beat the five-times winner by a few strides. Ron Binnie was third.

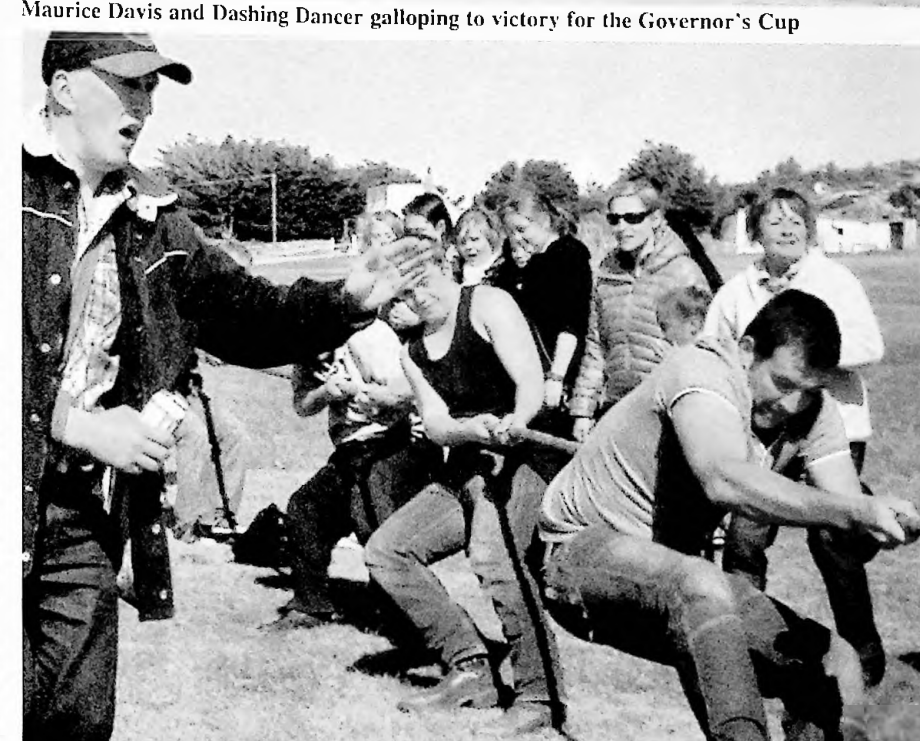
There are two "serious" foot events for ladies on the programme and Samantha Brownlee sprinted home to comfortably win the 80yds, ahead of young mother Pippa Christie and India Clarke.

Penguin News reporter Teslyn Barkman, normally associated with marathon running, showed a good turn of foot to take the 440yds ahead of the young Russian girl Anastasia Markina and Shannon Alazia.

The various fun foot events attracted large fields, with the sunny and warm weather no doubt contributing considerably to the keenness of the entrants.

Two young New Zealand sisters Shannon and Ashika Luxton, visiting the Falklands with their grandparents John and Genevieve Luxton, took part in just about everything and won the Potato race together, while Shannon Alazia and India Clarke teamed up for victory in the Three-Legged race.

Patrick Watts MBE



Arthur Turner cheers his Tuggers to victory against the motley military crew



Angela Moffatt collecting from Bono McKay



Emily Hancox is a fan of hat themed hi-jinks



Champion Jockey Tim Bonner



Jockey Duane Evans takes a break



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Information Pullout

7-13 January, 2011

TIDES AROUND THE ISLANDS

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	1437	0.35			
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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

STANLEY LEISURE CENTRE - OPENING SCHEDULE

Telephone: 27291/27285 Fax: 27284 e-mail: kroze@leisure@sec.gov.fk for bookings and enquires

Swimming Pool		Sports Hall / Squash Court	Exercise Suite
Friday 07th January 2011			
Adult Swimming	07:00-09:00	Public	
O.A.P., Adults, Parents & Toddlers	09:00-12:00		Public
Lane Swimming	12:00-13:00	Public	
Public	13:00-19:00		
Adults Only	19:00-20:00		
Saturday 08th January 2011			
Public	10:00-13:00		Members Only
Lane Swimming	13:00-14:00		
Public	14:00-16:00	Public	Public
Adults Only	16:00-18:00		
Sunday 09th January 2011			
Public	11:00-12:00		
Closed for Private Hire	12:00-13:00	Public	Public
Public	14:00-17:00		
Adults Only	17:00-19:00		
Cricket Club 2-4pm & Hockey Club 4-6pm			
Monday 10th January 2011			
Adult Swimming	07:00-09:00	Public	Public
O.A.P., Adults, Parents & Toddlers	09:00-12:00	Public	Public
Closed for Holiday Programme	13:00-14:00		
Public	14:00-19:00	Public	Public
Adults Only	19:00-21:00		
Badminton Club 7pm-9pm			
Tuesday 11th January 2011			
Adults Only	07:00-09:00		
O.A.P.s, Adults, Parents & Toddlers	09:00-12:00		
Lane Swimming	12:00-13:00	Public	Public
Closed for Private Hire	13:00-14:00		
Public	14:00-19:00		
Ladies Only	19:00-20:00		
Adults Only	20:00-21:00		
Wednesday 12th January 2011			
Adults Only	07:00-09:00		
O.A.P.s, Adults, Parents & Toddlers	09:00-12:00		
Lane Swimming	12:00-13:00	Public	Public
Public	13:00-15:00		
Closed For Holiday Programme	15:00-17:00		
Public	17:00-19:00		
Adults Only	19:00-21:00		
Thursday 13th January 2011			
Closed For Cleaning	09:00-17:00		Closed For Cleaning
Public	17:00-19:00	Public	Public
Adults Only	19:00-21:00		
Badminton 7-9pm			
Friday 14th January 2011			
Adults Only	07:00-09:00		
O.A.P.s, Adults, Parents & Toddlers	09:00-12:00		
Lane Swimming	12:00-13:00	Public	Public
Public	13:00-19:00		
Adults Only	19:00-20:00		

CLUBS AND CONTACTS

CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL, ROSS ROAD
Sunday Services
8am - Holy Communion
10am - Morning Service and Sunday Club
7pm - Evening Service
Further details for each week, please Notice Board inside Cathedral, or contact the Deanery, 17 Ross Road, Stanley
Tel/Fax: 21100 christchurch@horizon.co.fk
TABERNACLE - Barrack Street (free church)
Sunday Services 10.00am and 7.00pm.
Family Service is now held on the 3rd Sunday of every month at 10am.
On the 4th Sunday of every month there is a Service in the Day Centre at 1pm. Everyone is welcome to all services
Communion first Sunday morning and third Sunday evening of the month.
Midweek Bible Study Tuesday 7.30pm at 11 Drury Street
ST. MARY'S SUNDAY 10am (Transport from MPA provided for Service and related personnel)
Week days: 9am
ST. CUTHBERT'S (MPA)
10.30 Station Sunday Service - open to all denominations and faiths

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HOSPITAL PHARMACY
Monday to Friday mornings 11.00am - 12.15pm
Mon, Tue, Thu and Fri afternoons 14.30 - 17.00; Weds afternoons - Closed
MUSEUM
Monday - Friday 09.30 - 12.00 & 13.30 - 16.00; Saturday & Sunday 14.00 - 16.00.
During the Summer/Cruise Ship Season we are open 09.30 - 16.00. Tel: 27428
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Monday to Friday Tel: 27143
Cash desk opening times: 9am - 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
Phone 27366. Consultation hours: Mon, Wed, Fri 8.30am-9.30am; 1pm-2pm, 4pm-4.30pm; Tues, Thurs 1pm-2pm
Consultations by appointment only.

BADMINTON CLUB Mondays and Thursdays 7-9pm. Rosemarie King Tel: 21451
SQUASH CLUB Thursdays 5-9pm. Contact Roger Spink Tel: 21128
NETBALL CLUB Tuesdays 6-7pm. All are welcome. Contact Zoe Luxton 21441
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ASTHMA SUPPORT GROUP - Meets second Tuesday of every third month in the Day Centre at 5pm. Contact G. France on 21624
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STANLEY SUB-AQUA CLUB - Contact David McLeod Phone: 20836 (d), 20843 (h)
THE ROYAL BRITISH LEGION - FALKLAND ISLANDS BRANCH Meets on the first Monday of every month at the Hillside Mess at 7.45pm. Contacts: Chairman Marvin Clarke, Secretary Keith Biles (51897) Treasurer David Lewis (51527) website www.britishlegionfalklands.co.fk
STANLEY SHORT MAT BOWLS CLUB Friday 6.00-8.00pm. Contact G Skene 21488
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VHF 2 metre Band

147.725 (Duplex - 0.6).....Mount Caroline repeater, covering the north of the West Falkland including the cross sound ferry main operational area
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147.825 (Duplex - 0.6).....Mount Alice repeater, covering the south of West Falkland.

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2.182 MHz HF

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Thursday 13 January 2011

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Friday 07th January
7:00 BREAKFAST
0:15 THE WEAKEST LINK
11:00 NIGEL SLATER'S NEW YEAR SUPPERS
11:30 THIS MORNING
1:25 EMMERDALE
2:10 CHEETAH KINGDOM
2:35 ITV NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER
3:00 LOOSE WOMEN
3:45 INSTANT RESTAURANT
4:30 WILD BRITAIN WITH RAY MEARS
4:55 COME DINE WITH ME DOWN UNDER
5:20 LEMUR ISLAND
6:05 CORONATION STREET
6:30 BRITISH FORCES NEWS
7:00 BBC NEWS
7:30 EASTENDERS
8:00 BFBS WEATHER
8:05 THE CURIOUS CASE OF BENJAMIN BUTTON Remarkable fantasy drama
10:45 PIERS MORGAN'S LIFE STORIES
11:35 THE GRAHAM NORTON SHOW
12:20 BBC NEWS

Saturday 08th January
8:30 AN ISLAND PARISH
9:00 JIMMY'S FOOD FACTORY Science series
09:30 CLIMBING GREAT BUILDINGS The next step of Jonathan's journey takes him to the Liver Building in Liverpool
10:00 DOCTOR WHO Science fiction drama
10:45 MASTERCHEF
12:15 ZOO DAYS Documentary series based at Colchester Zoo
12:35 TEENSVILLE My Mum's Gay Wedding
1:00 KINGS OF LEON: Live T4 Special
1:25 FA CUP 3RD ROUND Arsenal v Leeds United
3:50 HAPPY GILMORE Zany comedy
5:15 CHERYL COLE T4 SPECIAL
5:30 FINAL SCORE In the FA Cup third round, Leeds travel to Arsenal and Leicester host Manchester City
6:10 TAKE ME OUT Brand new series of the dating show in which a crop of hopeful chaps descends in the love lift and tries to impress thirty dateless divas
7:00 BFBS WEATHER
7:05 THE MAGICIANS Mind-bending magic
8:05 THE DAY THE EARTH STOOD STILL Sci-fi remake
9:30 RENDITION Ensemble political drama focusing on the controversial tibul issue
11:25 BFBS WEATHER
11:30 FA CUP HIGHLIGHTS
1:00 BBC News

Sunday 09th January
8:40 FA CUP HIGHLIGHTS Highlights of all yesterday's FA Cup third round ties. Repeat.
10:00 THE ANDREW MARR SHOW
11:00 GREAT MOVIE MISTAKES
11:15 THE FAMILY RECIPE Cookery series
11:20 MASTERCHEF
12:20 EXTREME UNIVERSE Documentary series uncovering the secrets of the universe
1:05 DINOSAUR SECRETS Documentary series
1:50 JAMES MAY'S 20TH CENTURY Documentary series about 20th century innovations
2:20 EVOLUTIONS Documentary exploring the twists of evolutionary fate
3:10 ICE ROAD TRUCKERS Documentary series
3:55 BURLESQUE:T4 Movie Special

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5:00 FA CUP 3RD ROUND Leicester City v Manchester City: FA Cup third round action from the Walkers Stadium
6:55 BFBS WEATHER
7:00 WALLACE AND GROMIT'S WORLD OF INVENTION
7:30 DANCING ON ICE Olympic skate legends Jayne Torvill and Christopher Dean return to putcelebrities through their paces to see who can cut it on the ice
9:25 SILENT WITNESS Part one
10:30 DANCING ON ICE: The Results
11:15 THAT SUNDAY NIGHT SHOW
11:45 Q1
12:15 ZOMBIES: The Truth Professor Wade Davis enters the creepy world of Voodoo magic to discover whether a witchdoctor's cocktail could produce a race of the living dead
1:00 BBC NEWS

Monday 10th January
7:00 BREAKFAST
10:15 THE WEAKEST LINK
11:30 THIS MORNING
1:25 EMMERDALE
2:10 COOK YOURSELF THIN
2:35 ITV NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER
3:00 LOOSE WOMEN
3:45 INSTANT RESTAURANT
4:30 WILD BRITAIN WITH RAY MEARS BRECKLAND
4:55 COME DINE WITH ME Down Under
5:20 LEMUR ISLAND Wildlife series
6:05 CORONATION STREET
6:30 BRITISH FORCES NEWS
7:00 BBC NEWS
7:30 EASTENDERS
8:00 POLAR BEAR: Spy on the Ice Documentary
9:00 BFBS WEATHER
9:05 SILENT WITNESS Drama series
10:05 THE MIRACLE BABY OF HAITI Documentary revealing the remarkable story of infant Landina Seignon, who has cheated death many times over
10:55 BONES Scientific crime drama series
11:35 THE HOSPITAL Documentary series examining the relationship between British teenagers and the NHS, as consultants, doctors, nurses, surgeons and midwives speak

with candour about the problems faced with this age group
12:25 BBC News

Tuesday 11th January
7:00 BREAKFAST
10:15 THE WEAKEST LINK
11:00 JOHNNY KINGDOM'S YEAR WITH THE BIRDS
11:30 THIS MORNING
1:25 BEENY'S RESTORATION Nightmare
2:10 EMERGENCY ANIMAL RESCUE Documentary series
2:35 ITV NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER
3:00 LOOSE WOMEN
3:45 INSTANT RESTAURANT
4:30 WILD BRITAIN WITH RAY MEARS
4:55 COME DINE WITH ME DOWN UNDER
5:20 LEMUR ISLAND Wildlife series
6:05 CORONATION STREET
6:30 BRITISH FORCES NEWS
7:00 BBC NEWS
7:30 EASTENDERS
8:00 GRAND DESIGNS Property series
8:45 BFBS WEATHER
8:50 THE EVENT Fast-paced US conspiracy thriller
10:15 A MIGHTY HEART True-life drama based on a wife's search for her journalist husband who was kidnapped and subsequently murdered
12:00 GLAMOUR MODELS, MUM AND ME Documentary about the relationship between plastic surgery-obsessed glamour model Alicia Douvill and her 14-year-old daughter, Georgia
1:00 BBC NEWS

Wednesday 12th January
7:00 BREAKFAST
10:15 THE WEAKEST LINK
11:00 JULIA BRADBURY'S GERMAN WANDERLUST The Bavarian Alps
11:30 THIS MORNING
1:25 EMMERDALE
2:10 STREET MARKET CHEFS
2:35 ITV NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER
3:00 LOOSE WOMEN
3:45 INSTANT RESTAURANT
4:30 CELEBRITY COACH TRIP Reality series
4:55 COME DINE WITH ME DOWN UNDER
5:20 LEMUR ISLAND Wildlife series
6:05 CORONATION STREET

6:30 BRITISH FORCES NEWS
7:00 BBC NEWS
7:30 CASUALTY Medical drama series
8:20 OIL RIGGERS New series following life on the oil rigs of west Texas
9:05 BFBS WEATHER
9:10 MY BOYFRIEND THE WAR HERO Documentary
10:10 THE LIVES OF OTHERS In 1984 East Berlin, an agent of the secret police, conducting surveillance on a writer and his lover
12:20 BBC NEWS

Thursday 13th January
7:00 BREAKFAST
10:15 THE WEAKEST LINK
11:00 SEASIDE RESCUE Documentary series
11:30 THIS MORNING
1:25 NATURAL WORLD Wildlife film
2:10 SUPER NURSES Series providing an intimate look at the daily lives of cancer sufferers and the nurses that care for them at the Macmillan, Marie Curie and Christie hospitals
2:35 ITV NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER
3:00 LOOSE WOMEN
3:45 INSTANT RESTAURANT
4:30 CELEBRITY COACH TRIP Reality series
4:55 COME DINE WITH ME Down Under
5:20 LEMUR ISLAND Wildlife series
6:05 CORONATION STREET
6:30 BRITISH FORCES NEWS
7:00 BBC NEWS
7:30 EASTENDERS
8:00 HOLBY CITY Medical drama series
8:55 BFBS WEATHER
9:00 ZEN Drama series
10:30 V A re-imagining of the classic 1983 sci-fi series about a race of seemingly friendly alien visitors, or Vs, who come to planet Earth
11:10 THE IMPRESSIONS SHOW with Culshaw and Stephenson Sketch show featuring impressionists Jon Culshaw and Debra Stephenson
11:40 QUESTION TIME Topical debate
12:40 BBC News

Friday 14th January
7:00 BREAKFAST
10:15 THE WEAKEST LINK
11:00 NIGEL SLATER'S NEW YEAR SUPPERS
11:30 THIS MORNING
1:25 EMMERDALE
2:10 CHEETAH KINGDOM Documentary series
2:35 ITV News and BFBS Weather
3:00 LOOSE WOMEN
3:45 INSTANT RESTAURANT
4:30 CELEBRITY COACH TRIP Reality series
4:55 COME DINE WITH ME DOWN UNDER
5:20 LEMUR ISLAND Wildlife series
6:05 CORONATION STREET
6:30 BRITISH FORCES NEWS
7:00 BBC NEWS
7:30 EASTENDERS
8:00 WILD HOGS
9:30 BFBS WEATHER
9:35 THE GOOD WIFE Legal drama series
10:15 PIERS MORGAN'S LIFE STORIES Multi-talented reality TV star Kelly Osbourne talks exclusively to Piers Morgan about her incredible life so far
11:05 ASK RHOD GILBERT Comedy entertainment panel show
11:40 THE GRAHAM NORTON SHOW
12:25 BBC NEWS

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Falklands Radio Programmes Schedule

Friday 7th January
07:00 Breakfast Show with Trina Bernitsen
09:00 The Morning Experience with Ailie Biggs
10:00 News & Lifestyle with Liz Elliot to include:
12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
12:30 One to One
1:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM
4:00 News & Jukebox with Scott Betts
6:00 News & Repeat of One to One
6:15 Weather, Flights, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
6:30 The Fabulous 50's with Paul Peters and Geoff Kemp
7:30 The Non Stop Country Hour with Liz Elliot
8:30 Weather & Flights and Leather & Lace with Layla Crowie
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM
Saturday 8th January
9:00 - 12:00 The Saturday Morning Show with Lise Gill
5:00 Children's Corner with Monica
6:15 Weather, Flights, Anno's, Job Shop & What's on Guide
6:30 News Review
7:00 In Concert
8:00 The Fusion with Stacy Bragger
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM
Sunday 9th January
5:00 Music, Music & All That Jazz with Norman Besley-Clark
5:30 Desert Island Discs - Actor Michael Caine
6:15 Weather, Flights, Announcements, Job Shop & What's on Guide
6:30 Feature Presentation - The Age of Genome
7:00 Sunday Evening Service - The Tabernacle
8:00 Slow Jams with Jock Elliot including weather & flights at 8:30
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM
Monday 10th January
07:00 Breakfast Show with Trina Bernitsen
09:00 The Morning Experience with Ailie Biggs
10:00 News and Lifestyle with Liz Elliot to include:
12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
1:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM
4:00 News & Jukebox with Scott Betts
6:00 News & Feature Presentation
6:15 Weather, Flights, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
6:30 Soul, Blues & Rock 'n' Roll with Liz Elliot
7:30 Feature Presentation - Elvis: Movie King or Celluloid Sell-out?
8:00 Pot Luck with Mynam Booth including Weather & Flights at 8:30
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM
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12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
12:30 One to One
1:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM
4:00 News & Jukebox with Scott Betts
6:00 News & Repeat of One to One
6:15 Weather, Flights, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
6:30 Tuesday's Theme with Monica Limburn
6:45 Simply Classical
7:45 Folk Music Show with Jock Elliot
8:30 Weather, Flights & Hits of the 80's & 90's with Liz Roberts
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM
Wednesday 12th January
07:00 Breakfast Show with Trina Bernitsen
09:00 The Morning Experience with Ailie Biggs
10:00 News and Lifestyle with Liz Elliot to include:
12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
12:30 Spotlight
1:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM
4:00 News & Jukebox with Scott Betts
6:00 News & Repeat of Spotlight
6:15 Weather, Flights, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
6:30 The Best of... with Lise Gill
7:30 Drama Presentation
8:30 Weather & Flights followed by The Chart Show with Liz Roberts
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM
Thursday 13th January
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10:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM

BFBS radio

96.5FM
Friday 12.00am Ops Breakfast from Afghanistan 3.00am Simon Guettier 4.00am UK Breakfast 7.00am Paul Wisdom 10.00am Mark Humphries 2.00pm Glen Mansell 5.00pm Mike Howarth 7.00pm Jessie Aru 10.00pm BFBS Indie
Tuesday 12.00am Ops Breakfast from Afghanistan 3.00am Simon Guettier 4.00am UK Breakfast 7.00am Paul Wisdom 10.00am Mark Humphries 2.00pm Glen Mansell 5.00pm Mike Howarth 7.00pm Jessie Aru 10.00pm BFBS Indie
Saturday 12.00am Chill Out Room - Mark Humphries 2.00am Forces Shuffle 3.00am UK Breakfast Show 7.00am Falkland's Breakfast Show 9.00am The Vault 11.00am Vicky & Adam's Saturday Show 3.00pm Andy Pearman 6.00pm Club Culture Live 9.00pm Groove Collective - Mario 11.00pm BFBS Hosts
Sunday 12.00am BFBS Hosts 1.00am The Vault 3.00am UK Breakfast Show 7.00am Access all Areas 11am UK Sunday Afternoon Show 3.00pm Lee Dunn 6.00pm Music First 8.00pm Elevation 10.00pm Chill out room

BFBS radio

550MW:
FRIDAY 0200 Morning reports 0230 Wake up to money 0300 Ashes Breakfast BBC Five live 0600 Simon Marlow 0900 BFBS gold with Dave Windsor 1000 World at One 1030 Patrick Eade 1400 PM from BBC Radio 4 1500 6 O'Clock News 1530 Five Live Sport 1930 Late Night Live 2200 BFBS Up all night from BBC Radio Five Live
SATURDAY 0200 Morning reports 0300 Ashes breakfast BBC Five live 0600 BFBS News 0603 The BFBS Radio 2 Saturday Show 0800 BFBS News 0803 Nigel Rennie Country 0900 Five Live Sport 1700 Saturday Edition 1900 Late night live from BBC Radio Five Live 2200 Up all night
SUNDAY 0200 Morning reports 0300 Ashes Breakfast BBC Five live 0530 Sunday Show 0600 BFBS News 0603 Sunday Show 0700 BFBS News 0703 A Taste of Cyprus 0900 Five live sport 1600 Sports personality of the year BBC 5 live sport 1900 Late night live 2200 BFBS Radio News 2203 BFBS Gold with Dave Windsor 2300 Up All Night
MONDAY 0200 Morning Reports 0230 Wake Up to Money 0300 Ashes Breakfast BBC Five live 0600 Simon Marlow 0900 BFBS Gold with Dave Windsor 1000

☐ FRS 88.3 FM Stanley (Town only), 530 MW Island Wide
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☐ BFBS/FRS 96.5MHz BFBS Radio 2 94.5MHz New Sapper Hill Transmitter Site (Stanley Area)
☐ BFBS/FRS 102.0 MHz Mount Maria (West Falkland)
☐ BFBS Radio 98.5MHz BFBS Radio 2 93.8MHz BFBS Gurkha Radio 96.0MHz MPA
☐ BFBS/FRS 90.0MHz March Ridge (East Falkland)
☐ BFBS/FRS 88.0MHz Sussex Mountains/San Carlos
☐ BFBS/FRS 90.0MHz Byron Heights (NW of West Falkland)
☐ BFBS Radio 102.4MHz BFBS Radio 2 104.2MHz BFBS Gurkha Radio 106.0MHz New Mt Alice Transmitter (SW of West Falklands)

MPA Phoenix Cinema Schedule

Weekday show starts - 1st Performance 19:30

Saturday & Sunday shows start - 1st Performance 14:00 2nd Performance 19:30

Seat Prices: Adult (18 and over) £4 / 3D £5 Child (3-17) £3 / 3D £4 Students £3 / 3D £4 Seniors (60 and over) £3 / 3D £4
Family Ticket £11.00 / 3D £15.00 Visit website: www.ssvc.com/cinemas

Fri 7 January	Sat 8 January	Sun 9 January	Mon 10 January	Tues 11 January	Weds 12 January	Thurs 13 January
	GULLIVER'S TRAVELS 3D	NARNIA: VOYAGE OF THE DAWN TREADER				
Show starts 19:30	Show starts 19:30	Show starts 19:30	Show starts 19:30	Show starts 19:30	Show starts 19:30	Show starts 19:30
THE AMERICAN	UNSTOPPABLE	TRON LEGACY 3D	GULLIVER'S TRAVELS 3D	127 HOURS	LOVE & OTHER DRUGS	THE NEXT THREE DAYS

THE AMERICAN (15) 105 mins. Thriller. As an assassin, Jack is constantly on the move and always alone. George Clooney, Irina Björklund
NARNIA: VOYAGE OF THE DAWN TREADER 3D (PG) 115 mins. Adventure. On a mission to save Narnia, the voyagers set out on their quests. Ben Barnes, Skandar Keynes
GULLIVER'S TRAVELS 3D (PG) 87 mins. Comedy. Gulliver is mistakenly assigned a travel piece on the Bermuda Triangle. Jack Black, Emily Blunt
UNSTOPPABLE (12A) 99 mins. Thriller. An adrenaline-fuelled adventure inspired by real events. Denzel Washington, Chris Pine
TRON LEGACY 3D (PG) 125 mins. Science Fiction. Kevin Flynn - the world's leading

video game developer - receives a mysterious signal that leads him into the world where his father has been trapped for twenty years. Olivia Wilde, Jeff Bridges
127 HOURS (15) 93 mins. Drama. True story of mountain climber Aron Ralston's remarkable adventure to save himself after a fallen boulder crashes on his arm and traps him. James Franco, Amber Tamblyn
LOVE & OTHER DRUGS (15) 112 mins. Comedy. Maggie - a free spirit who won't let anyone or anything tie her down. Jake Gyllenhaal, Anne Hathaway
THE NEXT THREE DAYS (12A) 133 mins. Thriller. John Brennan has his perfect life shattered when his Laura is arrested for a murder she did not commit. Russell Crowe, Elizabeth Banks

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CONCORDIA BAY Ferry Schedule

Friday 7th	0800 East—West 1000 West—East
Saturday 8th	
Sunday 9th	1200 East—West 1400 West—East
Monday 10th	SE Islands & FNB
Tuesday 11th	SE Islands & FNB
Wednesday 12th	SE Islands & FNB
Thursday 13th	SE Islands & FNB
Friday 14th	SE Islands & FNB
Saturday 15th	SE Islands & FNB
Sunday 16th	1200 East—West 1400 West—East
Monday 17th	
Tuesday 18th	
Wednesday 19th	
Thursday 20th	0800 East—West 1000 West—East
Friday 21st	0800 East—West 1000 West—East

Receiving cargo for SE Islands and Fox Bay, cargo closes 1200 on 7th

Please ensure that you check your departure time with the office the day before you are due to travel. On busy days timings may differ to those shown on the schedule. While every attempt will be made to run a replacement ferry as soon as possible in the event of weather cancellation, on occasion operational and safety requirements may mean further delays.

Please check www.workboat.co.fk for more information. Email admin@workboat.co.fk, Phone 22300, Fax 22301, out of hours mobile 55299

Falkland Shearing would like to thank everyone who donated money during the speed shear and for the donations for raffle prizes and also thanks to Blue Beach, Head of the Bay, Port Edgar, Murrel Farm and FIMCO for their donations of meat for the BBQ. Thanks to to all those who helped out on the night of the 24th: Karl, Sian, Farrah, Sue N, Sue Smith, Brian Aldridge, Jay and Sean, Peter and Shelley, Saul, Andy Marcus and Sam (Greenhouse Deadline) Nathan, Sammy Marsh and everyone who came to support us. Thank you all very much and happy New Year.

Prize	Donated by	Ticket No	Winner
Felted scarf	Diane Towersey	Pink 399	R Hansen
Place mats and oven glove set	- Lifestyles -	White 164	Leon Mitchell
FIGAS voucher	- FIGAS -	Blue 188	Mandy Ford
Falk. Farmers gift voucher	- John Barton	Blue 109	M Goodwin
Bottle of whiskey	Patrick Watts	White 27	Camilla Clarke
2 bottles of wine	Diana Aldridge	White 37	Margaret Neilson
10 gosling legs	Brian Aldridge	blue 188	Toni Stevens
Soft toy holding wine	Bella Innes	Orange 80	Steve Massam
Box of fresh produce	Mandy/Tex	Alazia Blue 151	Rebecca Upson
Shallow Bay Mutton	Paul Peck	White 511	Leon Mitchell
Set of table mats	Julie Halliday	Blue 414	Marcus Pole-Evans
Print	Julie Halliday	Pink 123	Unclaimed
Food hamper	Hill Cove Store	Blue 292	Unclaimed
Fresh eggs	Ann Robertson	Blue 457	Mark Pollard
Shoot for 6 Falkland Gun Club	Blue 41	Rowena Summers	
Aqua run	Stanley Leisure Centre	Blue 411	Cathy Jacobsen
Sheepskin rug	Sue Smith	pink 36	Di Betts
Woolmore Sheepskin	H Boughton	Blue 135	Diana Aldridge
Bleaker Island lamb	M Rendell	Blue 110	Sonia Felton
2 nights self catering	Shallow Bay	Blue 66	Michelle Watson
2 nights self catering	Race Point	blue 693	Christine Scipio-O'Dean
1/2 beef from EBF	Blue 107	Sonia Felton	
Basket of fresh veg	Gov House	Blue 677	Kieron George
Tee shirt and body warmer	Falkland Conservation	Pink 354	Val Harvey

Coffee break Sudoku and quiz

Sudoku by Colin Lang

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1. Name the Italian-born American film producer (of Death Wish, Barbarella, and Hannibal) who died in November 2010 age 91?
2. What island nation suffered a serious cholera outbreak in late 2010, partly as a consequence of a major earthquake in January the same year?
3. The UK Conservative Party HQ in London, trashed during student protests in November 2010, is known by its address of 30 'what'?
4. Greenland is a self-governing territory of which country?
5. What high-tech manufacturing corporation agreed to buy the security software company McAfee for \$7.7bn in summer 2010?
6. In government figures released in 2010, how many terrorism arrests resulted from the 101,248 stop-and-searches under UK counter-terrorism powers in 2009: None; 3; 27; or 150?
7. What African country, south of Libya, west of Sudan, and east of Niger, has the capital N'Djamena?
8. What ancient World Heritage site in Italy collapsed in November 2010?
9. Forbes Magazine reported in 2010 the most expensive (real estate) US zip code to be 91008 Duarte, in which US state?
10. What music and dance style takes its name from an elegant bird and the healthy colour and provocative appearance of the early gypsy artists who popularised it.

Answers to last week's quiz:

1. Athens
2. George III
3. Renoir
4. Table Tennis
5. Brazil
6. Tartrazine
7. Mossad
8. Judge Jeffreys
9. Kidnapped
10. Magic



**At close of business
January 4, 2011**

		Change over previous week
Falkland Oil and Gas Ltd	103.50	-4.50
Falkland Islands Holdings	331.00	-12.50
Desire Petroleum	47.75	-18.75
Rockhopper Petroleum	374.25	+39.50
Borders & Southern Petroleum	62.00	+0.75
Cable & Wireless	49.95	-1.75
Standard Chartered PLC	£17.63	-0.05

Farms flock to Fox Bay for 24th Ram and Fleece Show

THE morning of the 24th West Falkland Ram and Fleece Show dawned under overcast and dull skies, but it soon became clear and bright, and the "bay" was beautifully still and calm.

This was an added bonus for the residents and visitors to Fox Bay Village for the December 29 show, who were once again anticipating a good day out and were not to be disappointed.

Keith and Ruben had already been working hard transforming the Woolshed prior to the event, and on the day they were there to take entries, some of which had already arrived by FIGAS. As usual the entries started as a trickle but it soon became quite hectic as the deadline for entries approached.

Once the entries were all in, Tony Mills and Lisa Pole-Evans set about the daunting and onerous task of selecting the fleece having the highest commercial value. They did this by working out the clean weight by estimating the yield and then multiplying this by the actual greasy weight. They then estimated the average fibre diameter before multiplying the clean weight by today's prices for that micron wool.

Once this had been accomplished, next was to select from all the rams that were entered in the five ram classes the one they considered to be the Champion Ram and Reserve Champion.

Finally they selected the Best Dual Purpose Ram (Wool/Meat) along with the runner-up as well as third and fourth place. They were assisted in this task by having all the rams bodyweights and fleece weights recorded on entry to the show.

A total of 55 fleeces from 17 farms and 54 rams from 12 farms were exhibited at this year's event. All entries had been carefully selected from tens of thousands of fleeces and hundreds of rams, every one a credit to its owner. By now the barbecue, set up by Tex and Mandy Alazia using their gas-fired pits, and this year cooked in the capable hands of Justin, Nuala and Tex, was in full swing.

This fortified all those that intended judging the three classes of rams and the three classes of fleeces, which now awaited them back at the Woolshed. Once this task had been accomplished, the time consuming job of counting up the judging slips took place, before the final results were known. These were all then competently collated by Susie.

The sheep used in the fleece weight competition was then skilfully shorn of its fleece by Ali and both the fleece and the sheep were



It's showtime for competitors and judges alike in the Woolshed at Fox Bay

then weighed. This enabled the winners in the other competitions to be worked out.

The fleece weight, sheep weight and micron guess competition produced some very accurate results. It was also very satisfying to see ten entries in the Under 21s Sheep Judging Competition. Brian Aldridge expertly produced the master judging sheets to enable results from this competition to be worked out.

At 5.30pm a good crowd once again assembled in the Woolshed for the prizegiving, with this year's prizes presented by HE The Governor, Nigel Haywood, Captain Clarke and FIGAS staff kindly worked late to enable the Governor to return to Stanley afterwards.

The prizegiving brought this year's show to a close, after which the focus of attention moved back again to the Social Club until late that night. As usual the Southern Cross Social Club Committee did an excellent job of looking after the bar, bringing to an end another successful Ram and Fleece Show.

Nigel Knight
Organiser

Show results in brief

THE Champion Ram was owned by Manybranch Farm, winning the Patricia Luxton Perpetual Challenge Cup and replica from the Luxton family, Chartres. Reserve Champion, owned by Coast Ridge, won £50 from SAAS.

Class Winners

1. Full Wool Ram Hoggett: Harps (Engraved Challenge Shield presented by Mr and Mrs Austin Davies and £100 donated by Falkland Landholdings Ltd)

2. Full Wool Shearling Ram: Shallow Harbour (Lyn Blake Perpetual Challenge Cup and £100 presented by Newton Investment management Ltd)

3. Full Wool Mature Ram: Coast Ridge (Falkland Islands Wool Marketing Challenge Cup and replica and £50 presented by FISOA Ltd)

4. Hoggett Fleece: Mount Kent (Silver Challenge Cup and replica presented by Meredith Fishing Company and Falkland Hydrocarbon Development Ltd and £50 donated by RB Consultants)

5. Any Fine Wool Fleece Other Than Hoggett: Spring Point (Governor's Challenge Cup presented by HE The Governor and replica and £100 donated by Newton Investment)

6. Any B Type Wether Fleece: Mount Kent (Challenge Cup presented by Coast Ridge Farm and replica presented by FISOA and £40 voucher donated by Falkland Farmers)

Additional winners

A Silver Challenge Cup plus £75 from FIDC for the fleece with the highest commercial value was won by Mount Kent. A £100 prize from FIMCO for the Best Dual Purpose Ram was won by Shallow Harbour. A Challenge Cup and replica for the farm with most points in all classes, donated by Mr and Mrs Owen Summers, was won by Mount Kent.

In other competitions, Donna Evans won Guess the Sheep's Weight, Matthew Hansen won the Guess the Fleece Weight, Norma Edwards and Trish Jamieson won the Micron Estimate competition, and Kia Alazia won the Sheep Judging Competition for the under 21s.

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Patrick Watts
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Marge Adams
Would be nice but with the defence budget cuts it would be too expensive for them to justify



David Hewitt
It would be a pretty cool idea. However, after seeing it once it would start to bore me



Ryan Shillitoe
I think we should have one but display it looking down on Stanley at Lookout Lodge



Pollyanna Lennie
Of course it would be great at Stanley's entrance next to the Whitty sign



Jock Elliott
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Cable & Wireless Maiden Plate - 600 Yds

1st The Rock of Gibraltar - Tim Bonner

Foot - 220 Yds

1st Jean Rebolledo
2nd Ashike Luxton
3rd Jack Alazia

Diana Turner Dash - 440 Yds

1st Balanchine - Tim Bonner
2nd Southern Dancer - Ron Binnie
3rd Serendipity - Stefen Clarke

Heather Pettersson Memorial Cup - 800 Yds

1st Thylanda - Tim Bonner
2nd Tuscany - Hayley Bonner

William McGill Memorial Challenge Plate

1st Thomas Burston
2nd Zoran Zuvic
3rd Karl Manners
4th Sam Miller

The Bike Anderson Prize - 500 Yds

1st Costabomb - Maurice Davis
2nd Destiny - Duane Evans
3rd Southern Dancer - Tim Bonner

Chief Executives Plate - 600 Yds

1st Balanchine - Hayley Bonner
2nd Spirit - Tim Bonner
3rd Cheetah - Maurice Davis

Morrison (Falkland) Ltd Dash - 440 Yds

1st Southern Dancer - Ron Binnie
2nd Serendipity - Maurice Davis
3rd Southern Dancer - Tim Bonner

Governor's Cup - 700 Yds

1st Dashing Dancer - Maurice Davis
2nd Zafonic - Tim Bonner
3rd Costabomb - Stefen Clarke

AG Barton Prize - 500 Yds

1st Spirit - Tim Bonner
2nd Serendipity - Stefen Clarke
3rd Destiny - Duane Evans

Pinza Gallop - 300 Yds

1st Miami Dude - Jean Rebolledo
2nd Thylanda - Declan Bonner
3rd Gypsy Rose - Ryan Watson

Sack Race

1st India, Kayleigh and Shannon
2nd Jack, Lesley, Adam and Sean

Armed Forces Challenge - 500 Yds

1st Beagle - Kim Lawton
2nd Anastacia - C Coleman
3rd Tuscany - V Richardson

4th Southern Dancer - Rebecca Parker

Backwards Race - 80 Yds

1st Nathan Lowe
2nd Scott Thain
3rd Jean Rebolledo

Ladies Chase - 300 Yds

1st Miami Lance - Angeline Clarke
2nd Dude With An Attitude - Michelle Amor

Mens Foot Event - 440 Yds

1st Nick Rendell
2nd Jean Rebolledo
3rd Sam Cockwell

The Argos Gallop - 600 Yds

1st Balanchine - Tim Bonner
2nd Destiny - Duane Evans
3rd Beagle - Owen Summers

Seemedoit Cup - 500 Yds

1st Dashing Dancer - Maurice Davis
2nd Spirit - Tim Bonner
3rd Serendipity - Stefen Clarke

Mens Foot Event - 100 Yds

1st Nathan Lowe
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Speedwell Store Prize - 400 Yds

1st Dashing Dancer - Maurice Davis
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3rd Serendipity - Stefen Clarke

The Capizana Cup - 600 Yds

1st Balanchine - Tim Bonner
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Veterans Handicap Race

1st George Butler
2nd Billy Poole
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Relay Race Foot Event

1st Macaulay Davis and Jonny Henry
2nd Evan Jones and Steven Dickson
3rd Julian Pole-Evans and Kyle Hobman

Bobby Short Gallop - 400 Yds

1st Thylanda - Declan Bonner
2nd Gypsy Rose - Ryan Watson
3rd Miami Lance - Jean Rebolledo

Port San Carlos Prize - 440 Yds

1st Destiny - Duane Evans
2nd Beagle - Owen Summers
3rd Anastasia - Dominic Watson

Dionne Jones Memorial Trophy - 700 Yds Open

1st Serendipity - Stefen Clarke
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Ladies Sack Race

1st Kayleigh Anderson
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3rd Anastasia Markhina

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1st Nathan Lowe

2nd Scott Thain
3rd Jack Alazia

Billy Duncan Memorial - 300 Yds

1st Spirit - Tim Bonner
2nd Dude With An Attitude - Stefen Clarke
3rd Miami Dude - Macaulay Davis
4th Cheetah - Maurice Davis

Standard Chartered Trophy - 600 Yds Open

1st Dashing Dancer - Maurice Davis
2nd Balanchine - Hayley Bonner
3rd Thylanda - Tim Bonner

Falkland Chase - 500 Yds

1st Dashing Dancer - Maurice Davis
2nd Southern Dancer - Ron Binnie
3rd Spirit - Tim Bonner

Southern Cross Trophy - 500 Yds

1st Costabomb - Macaulay Davis
2nd Cheetah - Jean Rebolledo
3rd Gypsy Rose - Ryan Watson

CFL Challenge Cup - 700 Yds

1st Zafonic - Tim Bonner
2nd Thylanda - Hayley Bonner

Ladies Race - 80 Yds

1st Sam Brownlee
2nd Pippa Christie
3rd India Clarke
4th Shannon Luxton

Malcolm Binnie Memorial - 700 Yds

1st Southern Dancer - Ron Binnie
2nd Spirit - Tim Bonner

Relay Race

1st Nathan Lowe and Anastasia Markhina
2nd Paul Peck and Shannon Luxton
3rd Jason Whitney and Stacey Valentine

Ladies Foot Event - 440 Yds

1st Teslyn Barkman
2nd Anastasia Markhina
3rd Shannon Alazia

Simon Summers Memorial

Champion Race - 500 Yds
1st Dashing Dancer - Maurice Davis
2nd Balanchine - Tim Bonner
3rd Destiny - Duane Evans

Salvador Prize Champion Race - 800 Yds

1st Zafonic - Tim Bonner
2nd Beagle - Owen Summers
3rd Cheetah - Macaulay Davis

Gymkhana

Bending Race

1st Macaulay Davis
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3rd Matthew McMullen

Potato Race

1st Macaulay Davis
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3rd Stefen Clarke

Junior Rincon Grande and Home Farm Plate - 440 Yds

1st Miami Dude - Jean Rebolledo
2nd Gypsy Rose - Ryan Watson

Twigworth Trot - 1 Mile

1st Impulse - Paul Peck
2nd Minihomer - Bob Short
3rd Dude With An Attitude - Evan Jones

Jelly Trots

1st Lauren Manners
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3rd Selena McLaren

Dummy Race

1st Tarragon - Macaulay Davis
2nd Gypsy Rose - Dominic Watson
3rd Dude With An Attitude - Stefen Clarke

Gretna Green

1st Matthew McMullen and Dominic Watson
2nd Duane Evans and Macaulay Davis
3rd Stefen Clarke and Dae Peck

Kool Kids Cup - 600 Yds

1st Gypsy Rose - Ryan Watson
2nd Miami Dude - Jean Rebolledo
3rd Miami Lance - Macaulay Davis

Ladies Trotting Race 1 Mile

1st Impulse - Dae Peck
2nd Minihomer - Louise Pole-Evans
3rd Charisma - Sharon Jaffray

Relay Race

1st Aturo Tellez and Stefen Clarke
2nd Jason Whitney and Macaulay Davis
3rd Dominic Watson and Karl Manners

Variety Race

1st Dominic Watson
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3rd Aturo Tellez

Back To Front Race

1st Dominic Watson
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3rd Macaulay Davis

Interserve Cup

1st Serendipity - Ryan Watson
2nd Miami Dude - Jean Rebolledo
3rd Miami Lance - Macaulay Davis

Walking Race

1st Karl Manners
2nd Macaulay Davis
3rd Matthew McMullen

Short Mile Trot

1st Impulse - Paul Peck
2nd Charisma - Bobby Short
3rd Vital Spark - Mandy Ford

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Completed applications for all the above courses should be submitted to the Training Centre by Friday 14th January.

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NOTICE OF PLANNING APPLICATIONS RECEIVED

Notice is hereby given that the following applications for planning permission have been received. Any person may make representations in writing to the Environmental Planning Officer, PO Box 611, Stanley, on any of the applications within 14 days of the date of this notice.

Ref No.	Address	Description	Developer
132/10	4 Felton Court, Stanley	Retrospective application for car parking areas for use by taxi fleet	Mr & Mrs K Bonner
133/10	4 Felton Court, Stanley	Retrospective application for change of use from domestic garage to commercial garage	Mr & Mrs K Bonner
134/10	92 & 94 Davis Street, Stanley	Outline application for erection of dwelling and provision of off-street parking, creation of access and relocation of four parking spaces	Mr G Castro
135/10	Museum, Holdfast Road, Stanley	Installation of phone box	Cable & Wireless
136/10	North side of mooring area at Canache, Stanley	Siting of Portakabin for use as clubrooms	Falkland Islands Yacht Club
137/10	Tax Office Car Park, St Mary's Walk, Stanley	Demolish storage building, creation of new access to serve enlarged new parking area	Stanley Services Ltd
138/10	Land rear of 3 Villiers Street, Stanley	Erection of single-storey dwelling, garage and provision of off-street parking	Mr J Newell

The next Planning and Building Committee meeting at which the above applications will be considered is due to be held on 3 February 2011 in the Liberation Room. Secretariat, starting at 8.30 a.m. Members of the public may attend to observe the workings of the Committee.

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VACANCIES/NOTICES

The Falkland Islands Company - Vacancies

The Falkland Islands Company Accounts Department is seeking to employ a full time Retail Accountant.

The successful applicant will have extensive accounts experience and some knowledge of EPOS Stock control systems will be an advantage, although training can be given. The position requires a person with good communication skills, initiative and high level of computer literacy. For further information about this position please contact Ana Crowie on 27609.

The Falkland Islands Company Limited has an immediate vacancy for a part-time Office Assistant within the Insurance and Travel Dept.

Hours of work are approximately 20 hours per week, Monday to Friday. Interested persons should possess a full clean driving licence and a high standard of English, they should be of clean sober habits with a pleasant nature and a smart appearance.

The successful candidate will be fully computer literate with experience in the use of Microsoft Office. Previous office experience using databases with archiving records management is essential. For further info please contact Eva Jaffray on 27620.

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Costing
Telesales

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- Confident and possess good communication skills
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Interested persons should send a letter of application to the Warehouse Manager

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Applicants must be aged 18 years and over and be willing to work flexible hours, including weekends, evenings and public holidays. You should be pleasant, confident and will need to be versatile and happy to undertake any aspect of work within the West Store Complex. Cafe and new Peacocks clothing section. The position will include the operation of computerised tills and organising of new stock. For further information, please contact Leanne Henry on 27661. Application forms are available from the West Store Foodhall.

The FIC Warehouse has vacancies for a part-time Warehouseman

to work within the Warehouse on a weekly basis, Monday to Friday with the potential for weekend work. Applicants should be physically fit, be able to operate a forklift, have a clean driving licence and should have some Warehouse experience. For further information please contact Justina Peters the Warehouse Manager on 27641.

The Falkland Islands Company has a vacancy for a Supervisor at the Capstan Gift Shop.

The successful candidate will be responsible for the smooth running of the Capstan on a day-to-day basis, making sure that the outlet is visually merchandised to an excellent standard. You will also be expected to play an active role in the ordering of stock, therefore experience in this area and a flare for the tourist gift market is a must. Applicants should ideally have had experience in a similar role, possess good supervisory skills and must have excellent customer service skills. You will need to be enthusiastic, self-motivated and be able to lead a small team. The successful candidate must also be prepared to work weekends and public holidays and be particularly flexible with hours during the busy tourist season. For further information, please contact Rosemond Joshua on 27661.

The Falkland Islands Company has a vacancy for a Manager at the Capstan Gift Shop.

The successful candidate will be responsible for the smooth running of the Capstan Gift shop on a day-to-day basis, delivering excellent customer service. Responsibilities also include the sourcing and ordering of new stock and ranges and includes developing exciting new sales ideas. You will be responsible for the Capstan Supervisor and a full timer during off season and a much higher number of staff during the busy tourist season so previous experience of people management is a must.

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Further Information: Contact Mr Ralph Harris, Plant & Vehicle Manager on telephone number 27183 during normal working hours
Closing date: Monday 17th January 2011

Education Department Infant and Junior School Learning Support Assistant

Hours: Normal school hours
Salary: Grade G, commencing at £14,346 per annum
Further Information: Contact Mrs Karen Steen, Acting Head Teacher, on telephone 27294 during normal working hours
Closing Date: Friday 14th January 2011

Health & Social Services Department Nurse Practitioner

Hours: on a sessional basis, pro rata
Salary: Grade C
Further Information: Contact Mandy Heathman, Chief Nursing Officer, on telephone 28000 during normal working hours
Closing Date: Monday 17th January 2011

Cook

Hours: 37.5 hours per week
Salary: Grade G, commencing at £14,346 per annum
Further Information: Contact Michael Poole, Interim Hospital Manager, on telephone 28000 during normal working hours
Closing Date: Friday 21st January 2011

Treasury Department Accounting Assistant

Hours: 37.5 hours per week
Salary: Grade E, commencing at £19,824 per annum
Further Information: Contact Nicola Granger, Chief Accountant, on telephone 28400 during normal working hours
Closing Date: Thursday 20th January 2011

Jane Cameron National Archives Part Time -Archives Assistant

Hours: to be advised
Salary: Grade G, commencing at £14,346 per annum
Further Information: Contact Tansy Bishop, National Archivist, on telephone 27249 during normal working hours
Closing Date: Friday 14th January 2011

Job Descriptions and application forms for the above positions can be obtained from the Human Resources Department - telephone 28420, fax 27212 or e-mail HRclerk@sec.gov.fk

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Contact Michele on 55123 for further details

Seasons greetings to all especially those who have enjoyed borrowing clothes from Fioda's wardrobe during last year! Could one of your new year resolutions be to return them please?! Thank you very much indeed. Theresa Lang, tel. 21235.

Carol, Alex and the kids would like to wish all our friends & family a very Happy New Year. And a special hello to our family in Ireland, hope to see you all soon.

Standard Chartered

Standard Chartered Bank would like to thank everyone who purchased Raffle Tickets and for supporting their charity "Seeing is Believing". The winner was Mr Rudy Clarke with ticket no. 429. Special thanks also, to Patrick Watts, Deirdre Marsh, Geoff & Wanda Greenough & Stanley Sports Association

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Any person who knows of any reason why a 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 28th January 2011.

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The British Antarctic Survey has for sale by tender: 5 x ISO Containers, ex Halley Base. These will be available for viewing from 14 Jan 2011, and will be at situated at the FIPASS Container Park. These containers are to be sold as seen. Sealed tenders, in writing, should reach the BAS Office, Ross Road, Stanley no later than 1200hrs 25 Jan 2011.

To view please contact Neil: 52300, or Pauline: 54339.

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FORSALE/NOTICES

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NOTICE

The Darwin Harbour Sports Association will be holding their pre-sports meeting on Sunday 9th January 2011 at the Goose Green Social Club @ 2 p.m. Everybody is welcome to attend.

DRY ICE by Fred Clark
(A novel set in 1982 Falklands). Copies of my book Dry Ice are available from
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falklandbirds@hotmail.com

Narrows Bar

Every Friday and Saturday night from around 9:30pm we will be turning down the lights and playing a random selection of music. So come along and burn off a few calories (while consuming huge amounts of alcohol...)

Sew What re-opens after the Xmas break this Saturday 8 January 2011 with new Simplicity sewing patterns. Sew What at 5 Jersey Road is open Saturdays from 12 noon to 4 pm. Telephone 22078, fax 22088.

New Island Albatross Presentation

Jose Pedro Granadeiro of the Natural History Museum of Portugal is giving a talk on recent research conducted on black-browed albatrosses on New Island. The talk will be in the Government House conference room on Friday 7th January at 5.00pm. Anyone interested is invited to attend.

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Counter Service will be available from 8-9 am ONLY.

The answer phone will be switched on, so please leave a message and we will try to get back to people as soon as possible.

Val Padgett

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Date	Day 1	Day 2	Day 3	Day 4
Week 3 (10 Jan - 17 Jan)	4 Miles easy	4 Miles, with a few 100m bursts	3 Miles, timed, plus 1 mile jog	7-8 Miles slow (or 1 hour)

All classified advertisements must be submitted to Penguin News by Wednesday midday

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Sentencing remarks

YOU have been convicted of three charges of raping two little girls aged ten and 11 and attempting to rape a little girl of 12, and indecently assaulting two of them... Until then they were innocent children whose care and well being had been entrusted to you when they came to stay with you in Camp for their summer holidays.

It should have been an extremely happy time for them helping around the farm, but instead you used the remoteness of the location to obtain sexual gratification by the use of force...

Often in cases of sexual abuse of young children the Court can only guess at the long term effects. Here, as your victims are now adults, the Court does not have to speculate. It is obvious to me that they remain traumatised by what you did to them and... trying to as one put it, to bottle it up and get over it.

They are women of considerable courage. One of them, who had reported the matter as a child but no action was taken, when contacted by the police to say that you were applying to foster two children, felt that she had no alternative, for their protection, but to make a formal complaint against you, and then the other two felt that they also had to reveal what had happened to them.

They did this knowing that, if you pleaded not guilty they would have to... give evidence about and so relive their traumas.

By pleading not guilty you can be given no credit for sparing them that.

One says... she will never be able to forgive or forget what you did which has had a devastating impact on her life...

Chief Justice Gardner

Justice at last for elderly sex fiend

SEX offender Colin George MacDonald yesterday showed no remorse as he was sentenced to serve 13 years in Stanley jail for abusing three schoolgirls while they spent summer holidays with him in Camp.

The 70-year-old appeared unmoved as Chief Justice Christopher Gardner QC, in his sentencing remarks, told him: "Those little girls experienced fear, confusion, humiliation, shame and embarrassment. You ignored their cries and pleas to stop. You destroyed their innocence and trust."

Mr MacDonald had denied three charges of rape, two of indecent assault and one of attempted rape, occurring between 1967 and 1977. The jury found him guilty on all charges. The three girls were aged ten, 11 and 12 at the time.

The trial took place over four days, culminating in his sentencing yesterday morning. As he was led away from court to the police cells, he attempted to shield himself from the camera, but otherwise showed little emotion.

Chief Justice Gardner said Mr MacDonald had taken away from the girls what should have been an extremely happy time, while on holiday with him in Camp, and instead used the remoteness of the location "to obtain sexual gratification by the use of force."

He continued: "It is difficult to think of a more serious case as the harm that you have caused is immense. Not only did you cause them physical pain, but also emotional and psychological turmoil."

Mr MacDonald elected on Monday to be tried by a judge and a jury, comprising seven members of the electorate.

The three women complainants gave evidence first, plus a further two witnesses. Mr MacDonald gave evidence on



Det Sgt Dave Street leads Colin MacDonald from court

Tuesday, during which he denied the offences had happened and accused the complainants of lying.

The judge summed up the evidence on Wednesday morning, and the jury retired to consider its verdict.

Two and a half hours later Mr MacDonald was found to be the lying party, as the jury returned unanimous guilty verdicts on the charges of rape and indecent assault, and guilty by a majority of six to one on the charge of attempted rape.

He was remanded in custody overnight and sentenced yesterday morning to 13 years for each of the three rapes, ten years for attempted rape and two years for each of the indecent assaults.

The sentences are to run concurrently, with a likely release after eight years.

Chief Justice Gardner said sentencing reflected his age and health concerns, but he was satisfied "no sentence other than that of immediate imprisonment" was appropriate.

"However," he added, "I also consider that I should take into account that the reason children here are permitted to enjoy far more freedom than is usually available in the UK, is because the residents here can be trusted to behave appropriately."

"Those who break that trust, as you have done, undermine the way of life here and must know that they can expect to be dealt with severely."

Mr MacDonald, whose not guilty pleas had forced victims to recount their disturbing memories to a courtroom after decades of trying to bury them, also is to be added to the Sex Offenders Register.

Despite the pain he inflicted, and the severity of the evidence against him, Mr MacDonald seemed to remain cold and unaffected.

The only visible emotions evident in the court during sentencing were from his wife and their daughter, who seemed genuinely upset.

Defence counsel Michael Haywood added: "On his release people shall be crossing the street at the sight of him."

Afterwards, Chief Police Officer and Director of Community Safety Gary Finchett said Mr MacDonald had "blatantly and arrogantly denied any wrongdoing whatsoever."

"Despite this, his victims bravely came to court to relive the experiences that they suffered as children."

"It must have been a very painful and distressing for them. All the victims showed great courage and they deserve our full support and admiration."

He said it was "not a day to celebrate" but instead a day to encourage anyone who could be affected by similar traumatic experiences to come forward.

CLYDE BAN FALLOUT * REVIEW OF THE YEAR PART ONE * BLUFF COVE BASH

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FALKLAND ISLANDS

RECENT days and weeks have been somewhat disconcerting for those who value the quality of life and our future prospects in these Islands.

The increasingly irritable belligerence of our neighbours has been widely condemned, although the relatively muted response of councillors and the FCO seems to rarely to have strayed beyond the hardy underscoring of Islanders' rights to sovereignty and self-determination.

Newly installed Brazilian President Dilma Rousseff last week refused permission for HMS Clyde to stop in Rio. As fortune would have it, Miss Rousseff is due to visit Argentina at the end of this month. Meanwhile, the entire Falklands community is coming to grips with the shock news of the withdrawal of the SAAS shipping service which, since 2005, has provided a much-needed container link between the Falklands and South America.

Should not our patience by now be wearing thin by these pronouncements, following on in the wake of other shipping restrictions arising from Argentine Presidential Decree 256/10?

Islanders do not need reminding that life here is tough, especially when reasonable expectations are dashed. But is it right that we follow our leaders and mutter phrases such as how "sad" we are when the undercurrent of opinion may be expressed in far more colourful terms?

Yes, Islanders will always resolutely proclaim their determination to overcome such obstacles – but is this almost silent stoicism the most appropriate accompaniment to what, for some, must be akin to seething rage?

If the sabres rattling in our direction are steadily becoming sharper, do we really want to maintain the image by which the rest of the world paints us – as being stuck in a 1950s time warp? Because that is what is trotted out by the media in the country which oversees our defence and foreign policy interests.

Our government representatives may be beavering about behind the scenes but, to many who occupy the rest of the world stage, they are working on behalf of a quaintly resolute and stubbornly polite populace. If there is deep and angry indignation, it appears not to be being broadcast beyond these shores.

I cannot be sure I have my finger precisely poised on the pulse, but I am a little surprised at the apparent silence, even on our letters page, which appears to be greeting so much injustice thrown in this direction.

Tony Curran

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BBC panned for 'crass' reference

THE use of the name "Las Malvinas" instead of "Falkland Islands" in an episode of a popular BBC children's TV series screened on Christmas morning has caused controversy in Britain, according to a recent report in the Daily Mail.

In one episode of the Dr Who spin-off programme, The Sarah Jane Adventures, entitled "Death of the Doctor," a character who had travelled back from South America to Britain said he went "via Las Malvinas."

The Mail says the BBC should be reminded that 257 British servicemen lost their lives to ensure the Islands were liberated, and features quotes from personalities with Falklands connections.

Former Welsh Guardsman Simon Weston, who was severely burned in the conflict, says: "I can't understand why the BBC allows something so crassly inaccurate to just fly past on a children's programme."

Major-General Julian Thompson, who led the commando land force for the first phase of the war, says: "It is perverse. The Falkland Islanders would feel highly upset if they saw that programme. Only the Argentinians call the Islands by that name, so it would only make any sense if it were an Argentinian programme, not British."

There also is a forthright quote on the matter from Lord Tebbit, who was in Margaret Thatcher's cabinet during the war: "There is no such place as Las Malvinas, whether the BBC likes it or not. The Falkland Islanders chose their future and the Thatcher Government backed them. That's the end of the matter."

The article quotes a BBC spokesman as saying that the character in the series used the Spanish name for the Islands in context as he had been living in Argentina prior to travelling to the UK.

FOGL prospects show promise, says broker

FALKLAND Oil and Gas Limited has the potential to offer investors returns of 130 per cent in the medium term, according to the Jefferies brokerage.

Jefferies this week initiated coverage on the AIM-listed oil and gas exploration company operating in the undrilled South and East Falkland Basins. A target share price of 225p a share has been set, while shares were yesterday trading at close to 99p.

But for these potential gains to be met Falkland Oil and Gas needs to come up with some oil, and the last drill results from the company were not promising. In July FOGL confirmed that its Toroa F61/5-1 exploration well had

been drilled to a total depth of 2,476 metres, but it was then plugged and abandoned after failing to find any reservoir hydrocarbons.

The company said: "Further detailed evaluation of all data and information gained from this well will now be carried out. An update will be provided once this work has been completed."

Small Cap News reports: "No sign of a rig for further drilling yet, and its joint venture partner BHP Billiton has since decided not to continue to the second exploration phase on the southern licences."

But it said FOGL was "keeping the faith" and assumed 100 per cent of its southern licences."

Ships in Stanley harbour for the week ending January 13



Vessel	Type	Vessel agent	Departed
Concordia Bay	Cargo	Workboat Services	12 Jan
John Cheek	Trawler	FIC	
Maersk Traveller	AHTS	Byron Holdings	5 Jan
Scout	Cargo	Sullivan	
Linda C	Chase	Stanley Services	11 Jan
Fenny	Chase	Stanley Services	11 Jan
Faxaborg	Chase	Stanley Services	9 Jan
Ross Star	Longliner	Sullivan	7 Jan
Toisa Invincible	Supply	Byron Holdings	11 Jan
Ernest Shackleton	Research	BAS	
Polarcus Asima	Seismic	Stanley Services	11 Jan
Bravo Supporter	Supply	Stanley Services	
Paradanto Primero	Trawler	Sullivan	11 Jan
Argos Marine	Trawler	Sullivan	9 Jan
Argos Galicia	Trawler	Sullivan	8 Jan
Maersk Pacer	AHTS	Byron Holdings	8 Jan



Oil rig workers from the Ocean Guardian drilling platform present the cheque on Saturday

Rig workers raise funds for Islands causes

FATHER Peter Norris accepts a cheque for £2,000 from the crew of the oil rig Ocean Guardian at a presentation in the Malvinas House Hotel on behalf of St Mary's, the

Sea Cadet Corps and the Girl Guides. Father Peter said: "St Mary's would like to publicly state our gratitude for this generous donation of money that was raised

through various means by the rig crew, and I am sure the other two benefactors will add their gratitude in the near future. May God keep them safe."

BA says Clyde port ban is an act of brotherhood

THE recent decision of the Brazilian Government to deny entry to Rio de Janeiro to the Falklands patrol vessel HMS Clyde has been hailed by the Argentine Foreign Ministry as a "gesture of brotherhood."

According to Argentine News Agency Telam, Foreign Minister Hector Timerman declared recently: "This measure shows the closeness of our relationship and is part of a structure of strategic alliance and brotherhood that we have created. This is not just confined to the commercial sphere, but also extends to the recognition of Argentine sovereignty over the Falkland Islands."

Newly-elected Brazilian President Dilma Rousseff is due to visit Buenos Aires on January 31 when she will have her first meeting with her Argentinean counterpart, Cristina Kirchner.

This week a spokesman for the British Foreign Office in London confirmed that HMS Clyde had planned to make a routine port stop in Rio de Janeiro in early January, but was not granted diplomatic clearance to do so.



HMS Clyde on sea trials

The statement issued emphasised that the British Government respected Brazil's right to make such a decision and referred to the close relationship that the UK enjoys with Brazil. The UK-Brazil defence cooperation treaty signed last September was cited in the statement as "a good example of our current strong links."

A defence source has been quoted in the British press as saying: "This has no impact on our ability to defend the Falkland Islands."

Despite continuing tensions with Argentina over the Falkland Islands, the navy has until now enjoyed cordial relations with its Brazilian equivalent.

It is the first time that Brazil has refused permission for a British ship to dock in such circumstances, and the decision appears to be a clear indication that Miss Rousseff wanted to send a message to Britain and Argentina over the Falklands.

Some political commentators have suggested that Brazil's relations with Britain could suffer as Miss Rousseff "plays the anti-colonial card" to satisfy left-wing factions of her Workers' Party.

Miss Rousseff is viewed as a leader who will have to offer greater concessions to the grass routes of her party than her predecessor Mr Lula, who enjoyed popularity ratings of more than 80 per cent.

In the past, Uruguay has twice stopped British ships mooring in Montevideo to show solidarity with Buenos Aires.

On the last occasion, HMS Gloucester was banned from entering Montevideo for supplies and fuel in September 2010, despite having been authorised to do so days before.

John Fowler

Flag incident avoided by police

AN Argentine lawyer staying in the Falklands has been formally warned by police after reports that he was planning to raise an Argentine flag.

Acting on information received on Monday from airport firemen on their way to work, police stopped the man on the Bypass Road near one of the Rookery Bay firing range warning flag poles.

The flag he showed police was that of the Province of Buenos Aires, although Gaby Ceballos,

who interpreted for the police, claims he also had a national flag in his bag which he did not reveal.

Chief of Police Gary Finchett said the man was advised not to unfurl the flag in the Falklands and the "sensitivities and upset that that would cause" were explained to him.

The Attorney General has confirmed that the hoisting or waving of any national flag is not in itself against the law, unless it was likely to cause a breach of the peace.

On Monday police also received a report of graffiti on disused guns at Mount Longdon. Investigation by members of FIDF showed it to consist of some four to five words written in black marker pen and dated back in December 2010.

Mr Finchett said that as there were no witnesses, no action could be taken, and prosecution for criminal damage would also be difficult on what were essentially abandoned objects without an owner.

Trade threat

US Secretary of State Hillary Clinton last year expressed her concern about possible Venezuelan military involvement in the Falklands dispute, according to US State Department papers published by WikiLeaks. The papers suggested the US believed the British had grown concerned about the extent to which Buenos Aires might escalate its campaign, and it appeared to be London's view that trade with Argentina could be threatened.

Dry spell advice

IT has been four years since the last "dry spell" but residents are being advised to be sensible with their water usage. "Damn this glorious weather. We've not seen any rain since December 18," said Water Supervisor Craig Paice, just before Wednesday's down-pour. He said the situation wasn't critical, but he asked people to act more responsibly, for example not to use a hose in the middle of the day.

Shipping links

A STATEMENT released yesterday by SAAS, which recently announced the closure of its service to Rio Grande at the end of June, said that recognising the importance of the service to the Islands economic development, the company was "concentrating efforts and resources on exploring all possible commercial options" on future shipping links, with the support of CFL and FIG.

Innocent minor

THE Attorney General this week approved the naming of a minor found not guilty of raping a child under 13. Brandon Keith Ballard Greenough (16) was on Wednesday released from court with no charge after prosecution counsel Ciaran Rankin entered no evidence to the charge and supported the not guilty verdict.

Fish kills vet

A FALKLANDS veteran has been killed by poison from a puffer fish in Sierra Leone. An inquest into the death of former paratrooper David Hughes, 48, who received an MBE while serving in Northern Ireland, returned an open verdict, but the coroner could not rule out "suspicious circumstances."

Record signing

PUPILS at Stanley Infant and Junior School and Camp Education will be joining a world record attempt next month for the most people signing and singing a song simultaneously. Organised by the charity SignHealth, the children are hoping to be among 50,000 taking part on February 9.



Personal Assistant/Administration Assistant Falklands Islands Development Corporation

FIDC seeks a highly-motivated individual with strong administrative skills to act as Personal Assistant to the General Manager. This position also includes the role of Administration Assistant.

Key elements of the role include:

- Assisting the General Manager with diary-keeping, production of reports and papers, travel arrangements, and all other functional administration.
- Personnel Officer and Company Secretary including responsibility for recruitment, work permits, staff leave entitlements and compliance with appropriate company laws and ordinances.
- Providing secretarial duties to the Falkland Islands Development Board and other Board and Committees.

There is also scope to take responsibility for some project work within this role.

The successful candidate will have:

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FI mine clearing is to be continued

THE removal of the Argentine land mines from the Falkland Islands is likely to continue late this year.

A spokesman for Government House announced this week that the Foreign Office had funding to undertake a small clearance project on the Falkland Islands.

The project is in the planning stage though it is hoped that work will begin in November following a visit to discuss options to be made by FCO and MOD officials next month.

Although no site has been chosen, Stanley Common is seen as a likely possibility.

The UK was criticised at the recent tenth meeting of States Party to the Mine Ban Treaty for a lack

of further movement on land mine clearance in the Falkland Islands, following last year's trial clearances of Surf Bay, Sapper Hill, Goose Green and Fox Bay.

The UK Government has repeated the expressed wish of successive Falkland Island Governments that funding needed for demining should be diverted to other countries with greater need.

Stuart Casey-Maslen, Mine Action Editor of the annual report Landmine Monitor 2010 said that clearing mines and providing funding to support mine action were two distinct obligations under the Mine Ban Treaty. It was not left to states to decide which of these obligations to honour.

Defence cut condemned

THE UK Government's "Falklands reinforcement plan" will be compromised by the scrapping of the Nimrod spy plane, according to a leaked letter from Defence Secretary Liam Fox.

The Nimrod was one of the high-profile victims of the October defence review and, in a letter to Prime Minister David Cameron, Mr Fox said its withdrawal would deprive the UK of one of its most powerful weapons.

He wrote: "The reduction in overall surface ship numbers means we will be unable to

undertake all the standing commitments (providing a permanent Royal Navy presence in priority regions) we do today."

"Assuming a presence in UK waters, the Falklands and in support of the deterrent is essential we would have to withdraw our presence in, for example, the Indian Ocean, Caribbean or Gulf."

Crucially, he also said the loss of the Nimrod would "limit our ability to deploy maritime forces rapidly into high-threat areas... and delete one element of our Falklands reinforcement plan."

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How will the loss of the SAAS shipping link affect you?



Wayne Leo

Everything from loo roll to our glasses and beer come from Chile. We can't get Corona anymore and the price of beer will be forced up from having to import it from UK



Fred Simpson

It affects all of us. The whole thing is economic blackmail, trying to put people out of business



Ali Marsh

It's disgraceful. Our company's biggest imports come from New Zealand and Australia. Products will become more expensive to cover import costs

Leann Ford

It's awful. Households will suffer when people can't bring shopping back with them from abroad

Pam Budd

We are sending the wrong message by letting it happen and lack of action. My business is the only supplier of helium balloons in town. I'm down to my last few canisters. I'll be left with "dead stock" and a loss. Other businesses, like refrigeration, that require different types of gas, will be in a serious problem too

Matthew Eccles

The only positive I can see is I won't have to work on weekends anymore and can spend more time with my missus

Stricken ice patrol ship to be replaced at last

THE ice patrol ship HMS Endurance, which was withdrawn from Antarctic patrol duties two years ago, is finally to be replaced by a new icebreaker, to be named HMS Protector.

The flood-damaged Endurance almost sank off the coast of Chile in December 2008.

A 15-month investigation revealed the flood was caused by a valve opening as crew made a filter change.

The ship was carried back home to Portsmouth on a transport ship from the Falklands in April 2009 at a cost of £4m.

Originally, the navy said it intended to repair the ship, but that now seems unlikely because of the costs involved, thought to be about £40 million.

In Endurance's absence, the navy deployed the ocean survey vessel HMS Scott as cover.

HMS Scott does not have an icebreaker function, nor does she have the Lynx helicopters Endurance had. With the need growing



HMS Endurance patrolling in her prime

for greater exploration and mapping of unknown Antarctic waters, the navy decided to seek a proper replacement, and has put out a commercial tender for an icebreaker.

An advert has been placed with the European Journal of Contracts asking for expressions of interest.

One contender is understood to be a Norwegian ship based in North America.

The navy has refused to confirm this, saying the tender process has not been completed. The new ship will be based in Port-

smouth and will be able to fulfil the same tasks as Endurance. The official plan is to lease the ship as talks drag on over whether or not to repair the stricken icebreaker.

However, naval sources told The News in Portsmouth that the loan deal would be made permanent when officials decided to publicly announce the axing of the Endurance. The new icebreaker will be the sixth navy ship to be named HMS Protector - a name which dates back to 1749. She is named after the fourth Protector, which was an Antarctic patrol ship that served from 1936 until 1970.

Keith Towle, chairman of HMS Protector Association, who served as an Able Seaman on the previous vessel from 1965 to 1967, said: "We are absolutely over the moon that the name lives on because the Protector we were on was sent to the big hole in the sky in 1970 and we all spent many happy years on her."

Give us two minutes...



David Phillips

1. What is your most prized possession?

Hmmm... that would have to be all my certificates I have been earning since I've been working at sea. I'd be lost without them

2. What is the best (or worst) piece of advice you have ever been given?

Don't buy a lottery ticket, you might as well flick it down the drain

3. Who would you most like to have a cup of tea/tot with?

Without a doubt... Cheryl Cole

4. If you had a motto, what would it be?

Drinking is not a solution, unless you're talking about alcohol

5. What is your most embarrassing or happiest - you choose - moment?

When my mates stuck me in the tumble dryer and turned it on. You know who you are!

6. Who would you make Governor of the Falklands?

Jamie "Plex" Simpson. I can imagine what costume/dress he'd be wearing on parade

7. What is your nickname and why?

People call me Phil because of my last name

8. If you could travel anywhere in the world, where would it be?

Definitely Australia. I've always wondered what it would be like to sit inside a kangaroo's pouch!

9. What is your favourite TV programme (and why)?

Mock the Week. Russell Howard always makes me laugh!

10. What would people be surprised to learn about you?

That I have a phobia of balloons popping

David Phillips (18) has been a qualified deckhand onboard the FPV Pharos SG for more than two years, and still enjoys it. He also enjoys being in the FIFL and playing Call of Duty for most hours of the day. His main aim in life is to become a deck officer onboard a cruise ship travelling around the world

Heritage grounds a factor in the refusal of planning permission

TWO applications for planning permission in Dury Street and Pioneer Row were turned down by the Planning and Building Committee at last week's meeting.

Chaired by Councillor Sharon Halford, and supported by Cllr Jan Cheek, two members of the Historic Buildings Committee also attended to assist in discussion on the two proposals affecting listed buildings.

The first of these was for the replacement of existing windows at 20 Drury Street with uPVC models. Juanita Brock made the submission and it was learned that these had already arrived.

After much discussion, which included reference to another dwelling in Drury Street where such windows had been installed prior to listing, it was resolved to accept the recommendation of Antony Payne, the Environmental Planning Officer, that planning permission be refused.

The second proposal was a submission by Mike and Jacki Summers for the demolition of three sheds and the erection of a two-storey dwelling at 12 Pioneer Row having frontage to Brandon Road.

This, too, was recommended for refusal on the grounds that the building failed to respect the established building form and would lead to a significant loss of amen-

ity, failing to safeguard the built heritage of this historic part of Stanley by virtue of its size, design, colours and materials. This also led to a lot of discussion and the recommendation was eventually accepted by a majority of members.

Attention then turned to the remaining 14 applications, and in each case the committee granted planning permission with conditions imposed in the majority:

- Erection of boathouse comprising dive centre and garage with creation of storage yard at Coastel 3 Access Road on Coastel Road for Phillip Miller

- Erection of fence on roadside boundary over one metre high for Roy Smith at 11 Brandon Road

- Erection of fence on roadside boundary over one metre high for Timothy Francis at 24 Callaghan Road

- Permission in principle for the erection of a dwelling with off-street parking at 2 Callaghan Road for John and Stephanie Thain

- Extension to dwelling, the erection of a garage and siting of container for storage for Edward Neilson at 6 Barrack Street

- Extension to dwelling at Hawkbit on the Fitzroy Track for Jon and Maggie Battersby

- Erection of a pair of semi-detached dwellings at 76-78 Davis Street for Stanley Services Ltd

- Conversion of loft into living area with inclusion of dormer window for Martyn Smith at 6a Ross Road West

- Erection of single-storey dwelling with integral garage and conservatory at 22 Mink Park for Ben Hoyles and Bonnie Curtis

- Erection of polytunnel measuring 10.9m by 5.4m at 13 Davis Street for Marvin and Trudi Clarke

- Erection of pair of semi-detached dwellings at 19 Mink Park for Tanya Curtis also Richard Bonner and Elizabeth Newton

- Demolition of the existing dwelling and outline application for subdivision of land to provide four housing plots at 16 and 18 James Street for the Estate of JF and EA Biggs

- Change to approved plans for the erection of a bungalow to the erection of a one-and-a-half storey dwelling at 14-16 Goss Road for Richard Short

- Retrospective application for erection of a steel garden shed at 6 Davis Street East for Richard Short

Nick Stephens, the Building Adviser, then reported upon the listed 18 applications made for building permits, noting that three of those where further information was awaited had now been approved and the permit issued.

The next meeting is scheduled for February 3.

Graham France

FIG has cost us £2 million-plus

IN my letter to the Penguin News of November 19 I asked if the loan of £1 million to SAAS was secured.

Councillors remained tight lipped and we now know why. Hamish Wylie stated clearly in the front page of last week's Penguin News that the loan was not secured.

What a mess and what a waste of taxpayers' money.

It brings to question how they decided to give this money away and on whose advice.

This is one achievement by this council that they will want to forget.

Of course it does not end there, as the container lay down area presently being built is another £1 million that need not have been spent.

Why? Because two companies have recently built two container parks and warehouse units near the Canache area which I am sure could cope with future containerisation of cargo.

FIG keep saying that money is very tight, so why waste £2+ million?

Let's hope that the recent MSL charges will not be siphoned away. However you like to dress it up, MSL is a tax, and for the employer will mean an increase in costs and a subsequent rise in the inflation rate.

In the future I hope FIG will keep to their primary role - which is to govern the Falklands - and at the same time allow the private sector to invest their funds.

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But to enable this to happen FIG must loosen some of the control shackles that have, and will continue to stifle development in the Islands.

David Eynon
Stanley

Dismayed at our lack of effort

THE editorial in the Penguin News of January 7 by the Deputy Editor John Fowler left me feeling a little bemused and confused.

I refer in particular to his comment that "sadly, to have talks on sovereignty seems a reasonable idea to everyone except us."

I presume that as he is writing on behalf of Penguin News, then are we to presume that the newspaper actually supports talks on the sovereignty of the Falkland Islands between Britain and Argentina?

I would disagree that talks on sovereignty seems a reasonable idea to everyone except us.

I know of many people in Britain who strongly oppose any such idea that sovereignty talks should take place, and thankfully the Prime Minister himself recently said: "There can and will be no negotiations on the sovereignty of the Is-

lands unless you, the Falkland Islanders, want them."

Therefore I would dispute Mr Fowler's assertion that talks on sovereignty seem a reasonable idea to everyone. With regard to the idea of "redefining our status internationally," as suggested in the final paragraph of the editorial, I presume he means that we should be thinking of becoming independent?

On this particular topic I recall visiting Buenos Aires in 1980 when I was Head of Broadcasting in the Falklands. I interviewed Snr Blanco who was then Head of the "Malvinas Department" and asked him what response the Argentine Government would have to the Falklands becoming independent.

There was a stunned silence before he forcefully informed me that "first of all Britain has to return the Islands to Argentina and then you have to ask us if you wish to become independent. There is absolutely no way that we could recognise any independence granted to the Islands by Britain."

The increasing pressure being applied on the Falklands by Argentina mainly through the shipping links to South America is a disturbing issue and the "blockade" is becoming more intense.

I am a little dismayed that our Legislative Assembly Members have not made a concerted effort to inform the British public, through the media, of what is happening.

It would be most advantageous, I believe, to have the bullying and cowardly actions of the Argentine Government made known through

as many media outlets as possible and, as we unfortunately do not have a public relations department within Government, then the Legislative Assembly Members must take on this responsibility themselves, and as quickly as possible.

Patrick J Watts
Head of Falklands Radio
1977-1999

John Fowler replies: Neither Penguin News nor I are in favour of talks about sovereignty. The point I was trying to make is that the realities of our situation will not be understood by the rest of the world until we are constitutionally in a position to explain them directly ourselves.



Missing Links

Rene Rowlands is playing the witch in this scene from a local drama production, but do you recognise her fellow thespian? If you can also help identify when and where, call 22709 or email editor@penguinnews.co.fk.

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and many more.....



The Bluff Cove penguins are too far away to copy or be perturbed by the unusual spectacle of human beings dancing in the open air

Food and music feast at Bluff Cove Lagoon

MANY treats awaited the intrepid crowd of 80 who braved the mud of one of the Falklands' most travelled Camp tracks to reach Bluff Cove Lagoon for a fund-raising day just before Christmas.

Despite heavy rain the day before, the weather stayed fine and guests enthusiastically danced Scottish reels on the green outside the Sea Cabbage Café, to the stirring sounds of Maggie Goss on piano-accordion and visiting singer-composer Andi Neate on fiddle and guitar.

Such a musical feast was only fitting for a special event in aid of the Robin Lee Memorial Trust, which exists to support, document

and encourage traditional Falklands music.

The Governor kindly helped with generous donations which were auctioned by Peter Goss.

Were a musical feast not enough, after the thrills and spills of off-roading, all arrivals were greeted with a glass of Hattie Kilmartin's special Penguin Punch.

There then followed a sumptuous lunch using largely local ingredients, such as is usually only experienced by cruise ship visitors to this prize-winning destination, and at the Café Carancho opening soon at Bluff Cove settlement.

On offer among some 16 main courses were barbecued Bluff

Cove lamb, stuffed roast Upland Goose with homemade rhubarb chutney, sea-trout Gravad-lax with dill sauce, smoked Upland Goose breast, red pepper and tomato tart, and spicy squid.

Puddings, all served with fresh local cream, included summer pudding, plum and berry tart and tiramisu.

Should anyone have required an energy boost after penguin watching or dancing in the fresh air, there was an afternoon tea with lemon drizzle cake and cookies. Further fortification before finally facing the track home came in the form of steaming mugs of smoked kingling and chorizo chowder.



Peter Goss's face says it all!



Always good with animals, taxidermist and chef Steve Massam



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The Tabernacle before undergoing renovations

Tabernacle undergoes £100,000 renovation

THE Tabernacle renovation is "practically complete," despite the terrible amount of problems the Stanley church has faced.

"We knew the building was sinking," Carol Eynon of the Tabernacle Committee told the Penguin News. "There was no wall plate and the flooring on the south side and entrance was rotten."

The project has so far cost more than £100,000, a majority from the Tabernacle itself, with £10,250 donated by local businesses and a grant of £9,415 from the Historic Buildings Committee.

The building was the first kit building in the Falklands, used as a church from 1891 and later expanded to include a school.

The shortcomings of materials back then meant it was built on piles instead of laying foundations, which have caused the most



Nigel Henry hard at work

structural issues. The outside has been made more child-friendly with a protective fence around the fuel tanker, which has been particularly helpful for the Rugsats toddlers group, which is now using the building once again.

A second bathroom has been added to the property as well as

strengthening the building with new windows, doors, fencing, corrugated tin cladding, paint and flooring in the north and south entrance.

They are in need of more renovation after it was discovered that most of the floor in the main service room was being held together by the baptism pool.

The Historic Building Committee and the Tabernacle are in discussion over the north and south doors which used to flank the main entrance.

The doors were boarded over in the 1970s, and it was hoped they could be recovered, rubbed down and stained.

Unfortunately they were found to be rotten, and the work remains undone because the budget is already spent. Normal church services have now resumed.

Plaque commemorates first sighting

AN unassuming plaque in Dartmouth commemorates one of the most significant dates in the history of the Falklands – the sighting of the Islands by Elizabethan explorer and navigator John Davis.

The picture was submitted to the Penguin News by Falklands UK Government Representative Sukey Cameron, after discovering it attached to a house on the sea-front. Davis sailed to the Falklands in August 1592, aboard the vessel Desire. His crew was forced to kill

around 125,000 penguins for food while on the Islands.

They stored the penguin meat as well as they could and sailed for home, but the meat spoiled once they reached the tropics.

This made the passage home disastrous, and he brought back only 14 of his 76 men. In the next couple of years he published some



manuscripts and invented the backstaff and the quadrant, both useful tools at sea.

He later sailed to Cadiz and the Azores with his old friend, Sir Walter Raleigh, in 1596, and made further voyages to the East Indies.

His final voyage from England was one from which he was never to return. He left in December 1604 and a year later, on December 29 1605, he was mortally wounded while fighting Japanese pirates off Bintang near Sumatra.

Invincible may become disco

HMS Invincible, the launch pad for Sea Harrier operations during the Falklands War, may be converted into a Chinese nightclub. A Birmingham based tycoon has submitted a £5 million bid to the MoD for the carrier, which was decommissioned in 2005. Kin Bong Lam, chairman of the Wing Wah Chinese restaurant empire, said he wanted to buy the Invincible through his South China company Sunway Yachts, and move her to China for renovation. He was also considering turning the warship into a college or school. Tender bids for the ship have now been submitted and the winning bid should be announced within a few weeks.



Top award for HMS Gloucester

HMS Gloucester has been awarded the prestigious title of "Best Destroyer in the Fleet." The Type 42 warship, currently on patrol in Falklands waters, will receive the Fleet Efficiency Trophy on its return to the UK later this year. Meanwhile, the ship has been given a special pennant (above) in recognition of the award. Commander David George said the ship's company was "absolutely ecstatic."

Student cheer

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Start of the annual Standard Chartered Bank marathon, the world's most southerly

January

THE semi-submersible drilling rig Ocean Guardian, contracted by Desire Petroleum from Diamond Drilling, continues to make its way south.

An integrated pipeyard and laydown facility is being constructed at Coastel Road by Byron McKay Port Services.

Patrick Watts resigns as Chairman of the Falkland Islands Overseas Games Association to be succeeded by Mike Summers.

Ann Reid, mother of Welsh Guardsman Paul Green, who died on board the Sir Galahad in 1982, is presented with the Elizabeth Cross and Memorial Scroll at Government House.

Zimbabweans working in the Falklands with the Bactec demining company continue to swell the congregation of the Tabernacle.

Once again the FIPASS crew wins the annual New Year's Day Raft Race, leaving the East Jetty Crew and Billy's Buccaneers in their wake.

Type 42 destroyer HMS York arrives to take over patrolling duties around the Falklands and the South Atlantic from departing HMS Gloucester.

Steve Dent, appointed Head of Executive Management for the Falkland Islands Government in December, discovers that his new post, created under Chief Executive Tim Thorogood's government restructure, is to remain vacant.

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Drilling preparations step up a gear onshore



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"breach of sovereignty" as the Ocean Guardian rig draws nearer to the Falklands.

The Falklands National Plan of Action for Reducing Incidental Catch of Seabirds in Trawl Fisheries is approved following a successful reduction of wildlife fatalities from longlining.

FIG's Roads Engineer Bob Hancox tells the Transport Advisory Committee that there are too many roads to maintain to the standard required for current traffic levels.

Demining activities at Surf bay are suspended following an "unplanned explosion."

Restrictions to be imposed on shipping to the Falklands in response to the oil exploration campaign are announced by Argentine President Cristina Kirchner as the Ocean Guardian oil rig arrives on site.

The Queen's Commonwealth Games baton tours the Falklands on its tour of all competing countries.

Dr Eleonora Horvath from the Clinica Alemana in Santiago arrives in Stanley with her team to set up the first mammography service to be provided in the Islands.

The Penguin News website is broken into and defaced by Argentine hackers. The website is restored within hours, but the story makes headlines among the world's media.

Oil exploration company Borders and Southern unveils its plans to investigate drilling targets in the Southern licensing zone.

The sun shines when the Girl Guides throw a fund-raising garden party at Government House.

Stanley football team fights off tough resistance to beat HMS York 2-0.

March

THE devastating 8.8 Richter Scale earthquake which hit Chile on February 27 occupies the front page as friends and relatives in the Falklands Chilean community desperately wait for information.

Stanley Services announces a possible name change for the Malvina House Hotel and invites suggestions from the public.

American Secretary of State Hillary Clinton visits Buenos Aires, but reports that she has offered to mediate in sovereignty talks get a cool reception in London.

Seaview Logistics is the first local fishing company to put its whole season's loligo catch



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into containers onshore rather than transshipping at sea.

Strong crosswinds are judged to have been the reason for a fatal accident on the Goose Green to North Arm road.

Strong winds, cold and driving rain cause Kenyan runners Joseph Kibunia and Henry Wanyoike to drop out of this year's marathon, which is won in record time by the RAF's Steven Frear.

Former Argentine Foreign Minister Rafael Bielsa calls upon his successor in the Kirchner administration to get tough with companies connected with Falklands oil exploration.

April

LOCAL investors in Desire Petroleum - reputedly one in ten of the population - saw their shares lose value as the company confirmed media reports that the first oil find by the Ocean Guardian rig is of poor quality.

Hector Cisneros, President of the Argentine Commission of the Families of the Fallen, is denounced as a former member of military intelligence during the dictatorship.

British Foreign Office minister Chris Bryant meets with his Argentine counterpart Jorge Taiana and claims relations between both governments are strong. Both sides agree there is "no return to the eighties" in respect of the Falklands, which the minister underlines are British as long as we wish it.

The Camp TV blackout finally comes to an end as many viewers switch on their sets for the first time in nine months, thanks to work by Power Station employees and SSVC engineers.

The final visit to the Falklands of the cruise ship Norwegian Sun on April 2 brings to an end a tourist season much affected by global recession and terrible weather. About 1,700 passengers have been prevented from landing, according to FITB General Manager Jake Downing.

An opinion poll of 1,000 adult home-owners throughout Argentina suggests that some 45 per cent have "little or no interest in the Falklands."

After joining Cable and Wireless as a junior technician in 1998, Justin McPhee is appointed Chief Executive of the company's Falklands operation.

Jamie "Plex" Simpson gains his Chief Engineer's ticket before rejoining Pharos SG. As the first of the year's two loligo fishing seasons ends on April 14, local fishing companies called it the best for ten years, with catches



Madcap swimmers brave the midwinter chills at Surf Bay for the annual charity dip



Queen's Birthday goes off with a bang

over seven weeks exceeding 28,000 tonnes.

The shutting of many European airports due to volcanic eruptions in Iceland affects many Islanders' travel plans.

The majority of the Zimbabwean and Lebanese deminers leave the Falklands and head for home.

The Transport Advisory Committee supports a £700,000 spending programme for improvements to Camp roads.

Stanley Harbour and Port Harriet, together with Navy Point and Ordnance Point, both in Port William, are considered as potential sites for a new port for the Falklands by visiting consultants Royal Haskoning.

May

ROCKHOPPER Exploration strikes oil in the northern basin. Share prices soar 150 per cent.

Ferry operator Workboat Services is granted the right to operate a freight consolidation service by Exco, despite some objections by competitors.

Dr Elenora Horvath and her team complete a successful mammography programme at the King Edward Memorial Hospital in Stanley.

Carl Thomas and Tracey Worth, along with daughters Caitland and Morgause, are rescued from their sinking yacht by HMS Clyde, 300 miles north-east of South Georgia.

Stanley man Henry Browning gets to make a big bang blowing up land mines from Surf Bay after having bid £2,000 in an auction sponsored by mine clearance company Bactec.

A strategic review of immigration policy is announced to be carried out by a group headed by Councillors Gavin Short and Dick Sawle.



Not a ram raider, just poor parking

Almost 250 men, women children and dogs don pink to walk for Cancer Research UK, raising £3,123.36 in the process.

Mount Pleasant Airport celebrates 25 years of existence.

The FCO challenges the legality of the Argentine President's Decree 256/10, requiring all shipping to and from the Falklands, South Georgia or the South Sandwich Islands to seek the permission of the Argentine Government.

June

GOVERNMENT House First Secretary Paul Martinez leaves at the end of his contract and is replaced by Ric Nye.

Jellytots under fives toddlers group celebrates its 21st birthday with a fancy dress party in the Town Hall.

The anniversary of the liberation of the Falklands from Argentine occupation is celebrated with parades, dinners, dances and parties in the Islands, and the annual gathering at Lincoln's Inn in London.

Chairman of SAMA 82, Gary Clement learns he has been awarded an MBE.

The Falkland Islands cricket team blows away Costa Rica in a game played at the Reforma Athletic ground in Mexico.

The government announces a £42,414,800 budget which will result in a £1 million deficit.

Celia Short, organiser of the Chilean earthquake appeal, announces it has raised £26,600.

Councillors Emma Edwards and Gavin Short attend the UN C24 Committee in New York.

Chief Executive Tim Thorogood has his contract extended, despite opposition from some councillors prior to their election in 2009.



Falklands Conservation watchgroup fun



Zimbabwean deminers and others including the Governor show confidence in their work at Sapper Hill in March



Penguin News

Information Pullout

14 - 20 January, 2011

TIDES AROUND THE ISLANDS

14 FRI	0054 0804 1431 1922	1.33 0.74 1.17 0.93	18 TUES	0449 1140 1823 2327	1.62 0.30 1.36 0.77
15 SAT	0200 0920 1558 2041	1.37 0.65 1.19 0.96	19 WED	0535 1219 1858	1.72 0.22 1.41
16 SUN	0305 1017 1702 2151	1.43 0.53 1.24 0.93	20 THUR	0008 0620 1258 1932	0.66 1.81 0.16 1.45
17 MON	0400 1100	1.52 0.41			

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

STANLEY LEISURE CENTRE - OPENING SCHEDULE

Telephone: 27291/27285 Fax: 27284 e-mail: krooze.leisure@sec.gov.fk for bookings and enquires

Swimming Pool	Sports Hall / Squash Court	Exercise Suite
Friday 14 th January 2011		
Lane Swimming	07:00-09:00	Public
O A P, Adults, Parents & Toddlers	09:00-12:00	Public
Lane Swimming	12:00-13:00	Public
Public	13:00-19:00	Public
Lane Swimming	19:00-20:00	Public
Saturday 15 th January 2011		
Public	10:00-13:00	Members Only
Lane Swimming	13:00-14:00	Public
Public	14:00-16:00	Public
Lane Swimming	16:00-18:00	Public
Sunday 16 th January 2011		
Public	11:00-13:00	Public
Lane Swimming	13:00-14:00	Public
Public	14:00-17:00	Public
Lane Swimming	17:00-19:00	Public
Cricket Club 2-4pm & Hockey Club 4-6 pm		
Monday 17 th January 2011		
Lane Swimming	07:00-09:00	Public
O A P, Adults, Parents & Toddlers	09:00-12:00	Public
Lane Swimming	12:00-13:00	Public
Public	13:00-15:00	Public
Closed for Holiday Programme	15:00-17:00	Public
Public	17:00-19:00	Public
Lane Swimming	19:00-21:00	Public
Badminton Club 7pm-9pm		
Tuesday 18 th January 2011		
Lane Swimming	07:00-09:00	Public
OAPs, Adults, Parents & Toddlers	09:00-12:00	Public
Lane Swimming	12:00-13:00	Public
Closed for Private Hire	13:00-14:00	Public
Public	14:00-19:00	Public
Ladies Only Lane Swimming	19:00-20:00	Public
Lane Swimming	20:00-21:00	Public
Netball Club 6pm-7pm		
Wednesday 19 th January 2011		
Lane Swimming	07:00-09:00	Public
OAPs, Adults, Parents & Toddlers	09:00-12:00	Public
Lane Swimming	12:00-13:00	Public
Public	13:00-15:00	Public
Closed For Holiday Programme	15:00-17:00	Public
Public	17:00-18:00	Public
Aquarobics	18:00-19:00	Public
Lane Swimming	19:00-21:00	Public
Thursday 20 th January 2011		
Closed For Cleaning	09:00-17:00	Closed For Cleaning
Public	17:00-19:00	Public
Lane Swimming	19:00-21:00	Public
Badminton Club 7-9pm		
Friday 21 st January 2011		
Lane Swimming	07:00-09:00	Public
OAPs, Adults, Parents & Toddlers	09:00-12:00	Public
Lane Swimming	12:00-13:00	Public
Closed for Holiday Programme	13:00-14:00	Public
Public	14:00-19:00	Public
Lane Swimming	19:00-20:00	Public

Falkland Islands Defence Force Routine Orders

Thursday 20 January 2011

1800 hours: Cam. and concealment and stalking

Confidential, secure and safe. Got a question, need info or help?

Email: safe@police.gov.fk Answer machine +500 28111

The CID Confidential line is not operating at the moment.

If someone wishes to contact the station then use the safe line 28111 or email safe@police.gov.fk

CLUBS AND CONTACTS

CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL
ROSS ROAD
Sunday Services
8am - Holy Communion
10am - Morning Service and Sunday Club
7pm - Evening Service
Further details for each week, please Notice Board inside Cathedral, or contact the Deanery, 17 Ross Road, Stanley
Tel/Fax: 21100 christchurch@horizon.co.fk
TABERNACLE - Barrack Street (free church)
Sunday Services 10.00am and 7.00pm.
Family Service is now held on the 3rd Sunday of every month at 10am.
On the 4th Sunday of every month there is a Service in the Day Centre at 1pm. Everyone is welcome to all services
Communion first Sunday morning and third Sunday evening of the month.
Midweek Bible Study Tuesday 7.30pm at 11 Drury Street
St. MARY'S
SUNDAY 10am (Transport from MPA provided for Service and related personnel)
Week days: 9am
St. CUTHBERT'S (MPA)
10.30 Station Sunday Service - open to all

denominations and faiths

BAHAI FAITH

For information on meetings please ring Margo Smallwood, Secretary, on 21031 or check our website: www.bahai.fk

HOSPITAL PHARMACY

Monday to Friday mornings 11.00am - 12.15pm;

Mon, Tue, Thu and Fri afternoons 14.30 - 17.00; Weds afternoons - Closed

MUSEUM

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

During the Summer/Cruise Ship Season we are open 09.30 - 16.00. Tel: 27428

TREASURY

Monday to Friday Tel: 27143
Cash desk opening times: 9am - 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

Phone 27366. Consultation hours: Mon, Wed, Fri 8.30am-9.30am; 1pm-2pm; 4pm-4.30pm. Tues, Thurs 1pm-2pm
Consultations by appointment only.

BADMINTON CLUB Mondays and Thursdays 7 - 9pm. Rosemarie King Tel: 21451

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

NETBALL CLUB Thursdays 6-7pm. All are welcome. Contact Zoe Luxton 21441

TIE FL GUN CLUB New members welcome Contact: Steve Dent on 55632

F.I. RIFLE ASSOCIATION Contact Secretary Derek Goodwin 22357

CRICKET ASSOCIATION New junior and senior players welcome, contact Roger Diggle 27116

STANLEY GOLF CLUB Contact Glenn Ross (Captain) on 27149 (work) or Tony Rooke (Secretary) on 28000 (work) for information regarding membership and forthcoming competitions. Normally competitions are held every Sunday morning from October through to April and the first Sunday of each month during winter. Draw at 9am and tee off time 9.15am New members welcome.

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

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

GUILD OF SPINNERS, WEAVERS & HANDICRAFTS. Meetings Mon. evening from 7.30pm, Thurs. afternoon from 1.30pm. 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 - Lidda Luxton Tel: 21717 Secretary - Geoff Pring tel. 21785 Treasurer - Chris Bell. tel. 21078

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

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

STANLEY SUB-AQUA CLUB - Contact David McLeod Phone: 20836 (d). 20843 (h)

THE ROYAL BRITISH LEGION - FALKLAND ISLANDS BRANCH Meets on the first Monday of every month at the Hillside Mess at 7.45pm. Contacts: Chairman Marvin Clarke, Secretary Keith Biles (51897) Treasurer David Lewis (51527) website www.britishlegionfalklands.co.fk

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

JELLY TOTS CLUB Jellytots will now be held on Tuesdays from 1.45 - 3.30 and Thursday from 10.00 - 11.30 in the Parish Hall. All under fives welcome, along with an adult. We have lots of toys and space to play in. Contact Wendy on 21179 or Rosie 22759

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 - 4pm Contact Gordon Lennie Tel. 21667

KARATE CLUB - New Training Schedule Tuesday's 5.15pm - 6.10pm (juniors) 6.15pm till 7.30pm (seniors) Friday's 5.55pm (junior grades) 6pm till 7.00pm/ 7.30pm (seniors). All sessions held at IJS Hall. Cost: £1.00

ALCOHOL SUPPORT Contact Health on 28082 or Social Services 27296

ACORN'S COMMUNITY GROUP, Day Centre, KEMH. Tuesday 9.30am - 11.30am, Thursday 9.30am - 11.30am and Thursday Evening, Drop-In 7pm - 9pm

HAND CHIME GROUP - Tuesday evenings from 8.00 to 9.30pm at 11 Nutt Cartmell Close. Anyone interested in joining should contact Eileen Davies on 22428 after working hours

BABY CLINIC - 3 - 5pm every Wednesday

LIGHTHOUSE SEAMEN'S MISSION CAFE NEW HOURS

The Lighthouse Seamen's Mission Cafe now opens an hour earlier on Sunday. Our new hours are: Wednesday through Friday 10am to 4pm, Saturday and Sunday 11am to 4pm. Last order for hot food at 3pm. The Mission remains open as usual for Seafarers, at times displayed in the Mission window or by arrangement with individual - Vessels/Agents/Ship Owners

SAMA 82 FALKLAND ISLANDS TRUST Chairman - G Clement 52910 Treasurer K Omond 52814 Secretary J Elliot 51765

FALKLAND ISLANDS STANLEY HASH (FISH) HOUSE HARRIERS welcomes new runners/walkers. Meets last Sunday of month at 1500 and also mid month

CHARITY SHOP Opening hours: Mon. Wed. Fri. & Sat 2-4pm. (Summer hours 2-5pm) Saturday morning, 10am - 12 noon.

FALKLAND ISLANDS FOOTBALL LEAGUE (FIFL) - Contact the Committee for more information. Chairman - Ian Betts, Treasurer - Sharon Gilbert, Secretary - Andrew Newman

TEAM TRANQUIL (MENTAL HEALTH STRATEGY GROUP) c/o 16 John Street. Treasurer Ruth Taylor tel: 22169

LIBERTY LODGE email lodge.manager@cwimail.fk phone 22327 or 55327

FALKLAND OFF-ROADERS. email falklands4x4@yahoo.com

FALKLAND ISLANDS YACHT CLUB - Chairman - Tony Blake 51684, Secretary - Janet McLeod 53566, website www.falklandsailing.com

FALKLANDS SEA CADETS: Contact the CO 52779 or XO 51111

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).... Mount Caroline repeater, covering the north of the West Falkland including the cross sound ferry main operational area

146.625... Stanley to Mount Alice

147.825 (Duplex - 0.6).... Mount Alice repeater, covering the south of West Falkland.

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

BFBS 1

BFBS Television programmes

Friday 14th January
 7:00 BREAKFAST
 10:15 THE WEAKEST LINK
 11:00 NIGEL SLATER'S NEW YEAR SUPPERS
 11:30 THIS MORNING
 1:25 EMMERDALE
 2:10 CHEETAH KINGDOM Documentary series
 2:35 ITV NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER
 3:00 LOOSE WOMEN
 3:45 INSTANT RESTAURANT
 4:30 CELEBRITY COACH TRIP Reality series
 4:55 COME DINE WITH ME DOWN UNDER
 5:20 LEMUR ISLAND Wildlife series
 6:05 CORONATION STREET
 6:30 BRITISH FORCES NEWS
 7:00 BBC NEWS
 7:30 EASTENDERS
 8:00 WILD HOGS
 9:30 BFBS WEATHER
 9:35 THE GOOD WIFE Legal drama series
 10:15 PIERS MORGAN'S LIFE STORIES Multi-talented reality TV star Kelly Osbourne talks exclusively to Piers Morgan about her incredible life so far
 11:05 ASK RHOD GILBERT Comedy entertainment panel show
 11:40 THE GRAHAM NORTON SHOW
 12:25 BBC NEWS

Saturday 15th January
 8:30 AN ISLAND PARISH Series charting a year in the life of the remote Isles of Scilly off the western coast of Cornwall
 9:00 JIMMY'S FOOD FACTORY Science series
 9:30 CLIMBING GREAT BUILDINGS
 10:00 DOCTOR WHO
 10:50 MASTERCHEF
 11:50 ZOO DAYS Documentary series based at Colchester Zoo
 12:10 TEENSVILLE Bat School for the Blind
 12:35 WONDERS OF THE SOLAR SYSTEM
 1:35 JOANNA LUMLEY IN THE LAND OF THE NORTHERN LIGHTS Documentary
 2:35 SEARCH FOR THE LOST FIGHTER PLANE The final U.S. plane lost in combat during WW II is discovered and salvaged
 3:25 WORLD'S BIGGEST CRUISE SHIP The Oasis of the Sea is the largest and most revolutionary cruise ship in the world
 4:10 WEIRDEST DINOSAURS Documentary
 5:00 THE GREEN HORNET: T4 Movie Special
 5:30 FINAL SCORE Including the reigning Premier League champions Chelsea against Blackburn Rovers
 6:10 TAKE ME OUT
 7:00 BFBS WEATHER
 7:05 THE MAGICIANS
 8:05 X-MEN ORIGINS: Wolverine
 9:45 DERREN BROWN: Enigma Filmed at New Wimbledon Theatre
 11:00 BFBS WEATHER
 11:05 127 HOURS: T4 Movie Special
 11:30 MATCH OF THE DAY Including the London derby at Upton Park between West Ham and Arsenal. Reigning champions Chelsea are facing Blackburn
 12:50 THE FOOTBALL LEAGUE SHOW
 2:05 BBC NEWS

Sunday 16th January
 8:35 MATCH OF THE DAY
 10:00 THE ANDREW MARR SHOW
 11:00 BRITISH FORCES NEWS: The Week in Afghanistan
 11:20 MASTERCHEF

K1
 John Biscoe Road
22258

Breakfast Shopping List



Golden County Chocolate Rice Snaps - 500g - £2.12
 Silver Spoon Sugar 1kg - £1.45
 Arla Full Cream or Semi Skimmed Milk - 500ml - 80p or 1ltr - £1.10
 Danish Table Bacon (smoked/unsmoked) 400g - £4.38
 Fresh Link Pork Sausages 600g - £3.45
 Heing Tomato Ketchup 700g - £3.99
 Fletcher's Bread (White/Brown) - £1.80
 Heritage Marmalade 454g - £1.38
 Euro Shopper Coffee - 100g - £1.99

K3
 Lookout Estate
22234

K4
 Ross Road East
22273

12:20 EXTREME UNIVERSE Documentary series
 1:05 DINOSAUR SECRETS Documentary series
 1:50 JAMES MAY'S 20TH CENTURY Documentary series about 20th century innovations
 2:20 EVOLUTIONS Documentary
 3:10 CITIES OF THE UNDERWORLD Series exploring the countless subterranean secrets
 3:55 NATURAL WORLD Wildlife documentary
 4:45 SMALLVILLE Drama series
 5:25 WALLACE AND GROMIT'S WORLD OF INVENTION
 5:55 SKI SUNDAY - Wengen's infamous Lauberhorn
 6:40 BFBS WEATHER
 6:45 WILD AT HEART Brand new series of the drama set on an African nature reserve
 7:35 DANCING ON ICE
 9:30 SILENT WITNESS Drama
 10:30 DANCING ON ICE: The Results
 11:15 THAT SUNDAY NIGHT SHOW
 11:40 BFBS WEATHER
 11:45 QI
 12:15 MATCH OF THE DAY 2
 1:35 BBC NEWS

Monday 17th January
 7:00 BREAKFAST
 10:15 THE WEAKEST LINK
 11:30 THIS MORNING
 1:25 EMMERDALE
 2:10 COOK YOURSELF THIN
 2:35 ITV NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER
 3:00 LOOSE WOMEN
 3:45 INSTANT RESTAURANT
 4:30 CELEBRITY COACH TRIP
 4:55 COME DINE WITH ME DOWN UNDER
 5:20 LEMUR ISLAND Wildlife series
 6:00 THE FAMILY RECIPE
 6:05 CORONATION STREET
 6:30 BRITISH FORCES NEWS
 7:00 BBC NEWS
 7:30 EASTENDERS
 8:00 MEALS IN MOMENTS Cookery series with chef Simon Rimmer
 8:05 HAITI'S KILLER QUAKE: Why it Happened Documentary
 8:55 BFBS WEATHER
 9:00 SILENT WITNESS Drama series about a team of forensic pathologists
 10:00 NOT GOING OUT Sitcom
 10:30 BONES Scientific crime drama series
 11:10 THE HOSPITAL Documentary series

12:00 GLADIATORS: Back from the Dead Documentary
 12:50 BBC NEWS

Tuesday 18th January
 7:00 BREAKFAST
 10:15 THE WEAKEST LINK
 11:00 JOHNNY KINGDOM'S YEAR WITH THE BIRDS
 11:30 THIS MORNING
 1:25 BEENY'S RESTORATION NIGHTMARE Series in which Sarah Beeny tries to save her stately home from ruin and open it up as a wedding venue
 2:10 EMERGENCY ANIMAL RESCUE Documentary series
 2:35 ITV NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER
 3:00 LOOSE WOMEN
 3:45 DEAL OR NO DEAL
 4:35 CELEBRITY COACH TRIP
 5:00 COME DINE WITH ME Down Under
 5:25 GREAT OCEAN ADVENTURES
 6:05 CORONATION STREET
 6:30 BRITISH FORCES NEWS
 7:00 BBC NEWS
 7:30 EASTENDERS
 8:00 GRAND DESIGNS Property series
 8:45 BFBS WEATHER
 8:50 MARTIN CLUNES Actor Martin Clunes has been a keen surface diver for over ten years and he has a deep fascination for manta rays
 9:35 THE EVENT Fast-paced US conspiracy thriller
 10:20 UNDERCOVER BOSS High-flying businessmen go undercover
 11:10 THE BRAIN: A Secret History Mind Control: Series in which Dr Michael Mosley explores the brutal history of experimental psychology
 12:10 BBC NEWS

Wednesday 19th January
 7:00 BREAKFAST
 10:15 THE WEAKEST LINK
 11:00 JULIA BRADBURY'S GERMAN WANDERLUST
 11:30 THIS MORNING
 1:25 EMMERDALE
 2:10 STREET MARKET CHEFS
 2:35 ITV NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER
 3:00 LOOSE WOMEN
 15:45 Deal or No Deal
 4:35 CELEBRITY COACH TRIP Reality series
 5:00 COME DINE WITH ME Down Under
 5:25 GREAT OCEAN ADVENTURES Daredevil explorer Monty Halls travels the world to investigate rare beasts of the deep
 6:05 CORONATION STREET

6:30 BRITISH FORCES NEWS
 7:00 BBC NEWS
 7:30 CASUALTY Medical drama series
 8:20 OIL RIGGERS Documentary series following life on the oil rigs of west Texas
 9:05 BFBS WEATHER
 9:10 ARCTIC WITH BRUCE PARRY Siberia: Documentary series
 10:10 ELIZABETH: the Golden Age Historical drama
 11:55 SECRETS OF THE TAJ MAHAL
 12:40 BBC NEWS

Thursday 20th January
 8:30 BREAKFAST
 10:15 THE WEAKEST LINK
 11:00 SEASIDE RESCUE Documentary series following Britain's maritime rescue services
 11:30 THIS MORNING
 1:25 NATURAL WORLD Wildlife film
 2:10 SUPER NURSES Series providing an intimate look at the daily lives of cancer sufferers and the nurses that care for them at the Macmillan, Marie Curie and Christie hospitals
 2:35 ITV NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER
 3:00 LOOSE WOMEN
 3:45 DEAL OR NO DEAL
 4:35 CELEBRITY COACH TRIP Reality series
 5:00 COME DINE WITH ME Down Under
 5:25 GREAT OCEAN ADVENTURES Documentary series
 6:05 CORONATION STREET
 6:30 BRITISH FORCES NEWS
 7:00 BBC NEWS
 7:30 EASTENDERS
 8:00 HOLBY CITY Medical drama continues
 8:55 BFBS WEATHER
 9:00 ZEN The death of a famous aristocrat, Umberto Ruspanti, leads Detective Zen into the shadowy world of The Cabal
 10:30 V.A. re-imagining of the classic 1983 sci-fi series
 11:10 THE IMPRESSIONS SHOW with Culshaw and Stephenson
 11:40 QUESTION TIME Topical debate chaired by David Dimbleby
 12:40 BBC NEWS

Friday 21st January
 7:00 BREAKFAST
 10:15 THE WEAKEST LINK
 11:00 NIGEL SLATER'S SIMPLE SUPPERS
 11:30 THIS MORNING
 1:25 EMMERDALE
 2:10 CHEETAH KINGDOM Documentary series
 2:35 ITV NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER
 3:00 LOOSE WOMEN
 3:45 DEAL OR NO DEAL
 4:35 CELEBRITY COACH TRIP Reality series
 5:00 COME DINE WITH ME Down Under
 5:25 GREAT OCEAN ADVENTURES
 6:05 CORONATION STREET
 6:30 BRITISH FORCES NEWS
 7:00 BBC NEWS
 7:30 EASTENDERS
 8:00 THE SECRET MEDITERRANEAN with Trevor McDonald
 8:45 BFBS WEATHER
 8:50 CHILDREN'S EMERGENCY
 9:20 THE GOOD WIFE Legal drama series
 10:05 BECKII: Schoolgirl Superstar at 14
 11:05 ASK RHOD GILBERT Comedy entertainment panel show
 11:40 THE GRAHAM NORTON SHOW
 12:25 BBC NEWS

Billings correct at time of going to press but subject to change until actual transmission. Tune into BFBS Radio/Television for up-dates.



Falklands Radio Programmes Schedule

Friday 14th January
 07:00 Breakfast Show with Trina Bernsten
 09:00 The Morning Experience with Ailie Biggs
 10:00 News & Lifestyle with Liz Elliot to include: 12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
 12:30 One to One
 1:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM
 4:00 News & Jukebox with Scott Betts
 6:00 News & Repeat of One to One
 6:15 Weather, Flights, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
 6:30 Tuesday's Theme with Monica Limburn
 6:45 Simply Classical with Jan Cheek
 7:45 Folk Music Show with Jock Elliot
 8:30 Weather, Flights & Hits of the 80's & 90's with Liz Roberts
 10:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM
 Wednesday 19th January
 07:00 Breakfast Show with Trina Bernsten
 09:00 The Morning Experience with Ailie Biggs
 10:00 News and Lifestyle with Liz Elliot to include: 12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
 12:30 Spotlight
 1:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM
 4:00 News & Jukebox with Scott Betts
 6:00 News & Repeat of Spotlight
 6:15 Weather, Flights, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
 6:30 The Best of... with Lise Gill
 7:30 Drama Presentation
 8:30 Weather & Flights followed by The Chart Show with Jason Lewis
 10:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM
 Thursday 20th January
 07:00 Breakfast Show with Trina Bernsten
 09:00 The Morning Experience with Ailie Biggs
 10:00 News and Lifestyle with Liz Elliot to include: 12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
 12:30 Spotlight
 1:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM
 4:00 News & Jukebox with Scott Betts
 6:00 News & A Brief History of Mathematics
 6:15 Weather, Flights, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
 6:30 Soul, Blues & Rock 'n' Roll with Liz Elliot
 7:30 Feature Presentation
 8:00 Pot Luck with Myriam Booth including Weather & Flights at 8:30
 10:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM
 Monday 17th January
 07:00 Breakfast Show with Trina Bernsten
 09:00 The Morning Experience with Ailie Biggs
 10:00 News and Lifestyle with Liz Elliot to include: 12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
 12:30 Spotlight
 1:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM
 4:00 News & Jukebox with Scott Betts
 6:00 News & Repeat of Spotlight
 6:15 Weather, Flights, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
 6:30 Music presentation
 7:30 Comedy Presentation - Claire in the Community
 8:00 Vinyl Frontier with Myriam Booth including Weather & Flights at 8:30
 10:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM
 Tuesday 18th January
 07:00 Breakfast Show with Trina Bernsten

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 Requests requests@firs.co.uk
These scheds are subject to change and any changes will be announced on Falklands Radio.

BFBS radio

96.5FM
Friday 12.00am Ops Breakfast from Afghanistan 3.00am Simon Guettier 4.00am UK Breakfast 7.00am Paul Wisdom 10.00am Mark Humphries 2.00pm Glen Mansell 5.00pm Mike Howarth 7.00pm Jessie Aru 10.00pm BFBS Indie
Tuesday 12.00am Ops Breakfast from Afghanistan 3.00am Simon Guettier 4.00am UK Breakfast 7.00am Paul Wisdom 10.00am Mark Humphries 2.00pm Glen Mansell 5.00pm Mike Howarth 7.00pm Jessie Aru 10.00pm The Vibe
Saturday 12.00am Chill Out Room - Mark Humphries 2.00am Forces Shuffle 3.00am UK Breakfast Show 7.00am Falkland's Breakfast Show 9.00am The Vault 11.00am Vicky & Adam's Saturday Show 3.00pm Andy Pearman 6.00pm Club Culture Live 9.00pm Groove Collective - Mario 11.00pm BFBS Hosts
Sunday 12.00am BFBS Hosts 1.00am The Vault 3.00am UK Breakfast Show 7.00am Access all Areas 11am UK Sunday Afternoon Show 3.00pm Lee Dunn 6.00pm Music First 8.00pm Elevation 10.00pm Chill out room

BFBS radio 2

550 MW:
FRIDAY 0200 Morning reports 0230 Wake up to money 0300 Ashes Breakfast BBC Five live 0600 Simon Marlow 0900 BFBS gold with Dave Windsor 1000 World at One 1030 Patneck Eade 1400 PM from BBC Radio 4 1500 6 O'Clock News 1530 Five Live Sport 1930 Late Night Live 2200 BFBS Up all night from BBC Radio Five Live
SATURDAY 0200 Morning reports 0300 Weekend breakfast 0400 Today from BBC Radio 4 0600 BFBS News 0600 BFBS Radio 2 Saturday Show with Dusty Miller 0800 BFBS News 0803 Nigel Rennie Country 0900 Five Live Sport 1700 Saturday Edition 1900 Late night live from BBC Radio Five Live 2200 Up all night
SUNDAY 0200 Morning reports 0300 Weekend Breakfast Five live 0500 BFBS News 0503 The BFBS Radio 2 Sunday Show 0600 Broadcasting House from BBC Radio 4 0700 BFBS News 0703 A Taste of Cyprus 0900 Five live sport 1600 Spinaaar's politics BBC Five Live 1700 On the money 1800 Five Investigates 1900 Late night live 2200 BFBS Radio News 2203 BFBS Gold with Dave Windsor 2300 Up All Night
MONDAY 0200 Morning Reports 0230 Wake Up to Money 0300 Today from BBC Radio 4 0600 Simon Marlow 0900 BFBS

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Friday 14th	SE Islands & FXB
Saturday 15th	SE Islands & FXB
Sunday 16th	1200 East—West 1400 West—East
Monday 17th	
Tuesday 18th	
Wednesday 19th	
Thursday 20th	0800 East—West 1000 West—East
Friday 21st	0800 East—West 1000 West—East
Saturday 22nd	0800 East—West 1000 West—East
Sunday 23rd	1200 East—West 1400 West—East
Monday 24th	0800 East—West 1000 West—East
Tuesday 25th	
Wednesday 26th	
Thursday 27th	
Friday 28th	0800 East—West 1000 West—East

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Fisheries Department Catch for period 22 to 31 December 2010 Number of Licences

Licence Type	Eligible for Period	Fishing During Period
Total	30	16
A	7	4
F	2	0
L	1	1
S	3	1
W/Z	17	10

A= All Finfish
F= Skate/Ray
L= Longliner
S= Surimi

W/Z Restricted Finfish (no Hake)

Catch by Species (tonnes)

Species	Total Catch
Loligo	0
Hake	0
Hakes	3
Blue Whiting	258
Hoki	455
Kingslip	151
Toothfish	87
Red Cod	140
Ray	170
Rock Cod	1761
Others	20
Total	3015

Fisheries Department Catch for period 1 to 7 January 2011 Number of Licences

Licence Type	Eligible for Period	Fishing During Period
Total	11	8
A	2	1
F	1	1
S	1	1
W/Z	7	5

A= All Finfish
F= Skate/Ray
S= Surimi

W/Z Restricted Finfish (no Hake)

Catch by Species (tonnes)

Species	Total catch
Loligo	0
Hake	0
Hakes	0
Blue Whiting	175
Hoki	69
Kingslip	49
Toothfish	39
Red Cod	37
Ray	65
Rock Cod	919
Others	16
Total	1369

WOOL REPORT from Falkland Wool Growers Ltd: for the week ending Friday 7th January 2011

Auctions

Auctions in Australia resume next week, with the EMI at 1.031 A cents, which compares favourably with the season's high point of 1.033 A cents in November. In New Zealand the Mid-Micron Indicator resumes at 791 NZ cents, the Fine Crossbred Indicator picks up at 511 NZ cents, whilst the Coarse Crossbred Indicator will start at 487 NZ cents. The Lamb indicator will also begin at 511 NZ cents. The South African Overall Merino Indicator starts 2011 at 6,307 SA cents/kg. The British Fleeced Indicator starts the New Year at 153 p/kg greasy. WRWIR

Currencies

By the end of the week, the Australian dollar was trading at about A\$1.55/£, whilst the New Zealand dollar was trading at about NZ\$2.05/£.

Background

"The new year started with familiar debt woes for the euro-zone. The single currency tumbled below the \$1.30 level and the bond yields of Europe's peripheral economies spiked higher in the wake of this week's Portuguese debt auction when the country's borrowing costs moved sharply higher." FT

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Coffee break Sudoku and quiz

Sudoku by Colin Lang

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		1		3	
		7	3	4	8
6	2		4		
	1		8	3	6
8			2		4
5	3		1	2	
	6			8	
	8			3	

1. Name the German manufacturer of 2nd World War fighter planes which pioneered the micro car?
2. Sony announced in 2010 what iconic device would cease to be made after April 2011?
3. What musical instrument is financier and mogul Warren Buffett associated with, notably because of his performances to shareholders?
4. What is the fruit of the blackthorn tree?
5. An updated version of what popular game now requires batteries, plays music, uses plastic debit cards instead of paper money, and is round not square?
6. The Cathedral of Saint Mary, at one time the largest church in the world, and burial place of Christopher Columbus, is in which city, by whose name it is better known?
7. Conventional pseudo-scientific wisdom suggests that a slice of buttered toast when accidentally falling from a table or hand to the floor almost always lands butter-side down because... why?
8. A 13-year neurological study by the US National Institute on Ageing reported in 2010 that what significantly prevented the onset of dementia: red wine; red meat; nine hours sleep per day; or nine miles walking per week?
9. Name the champion bantamweight English boxer from Merseyside who died in 2010 age 68?
10. What US state has the longest coastline?

Answers to last week's quiz:

1. Dino De Laurentis
2. Haiti T
3. Millbank
4. Denmark
5. Intel
6. None W
7. Chad
8. Pompeii's House of The Gladiators
9. California
10. Flanienno

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"Building a house has never been so easy!" according to Roy Homes managing director, Chris Barnett. He's not wrong.

The Inverness-based developer makes building the perfect family home as stress-free as possible by managing all the planning requirements, site surveys, utilities services, design and construction.

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It is this approach that has made Roy Homes the successful and trusted developer it has become even in these most challenging of times for the construction industry.

"We've got everything right," Chris told Executive. "We're unique. Our competitors either build two or three bespoke houses or they are volume developers with no bespoke design or personal touch – we fill that niche in between." It has been a busy period for the company which marked its 30th anniversary last year.

Chris and fellow directors Ali Roy (a member of the original Roy family) and Marc Swanson, took over the business two years ago with the aim of building on its established reputation for quality and taking the company forward to meet the demands of today's housing market.

They look well on the way to achieving it. In the past year Roy Homes has rebranded, redesigned its website and doubled its staff.

"Given the current climate, especially in the construction industry, Roy Homes has gone from strength to strength," said Chris, the best plot and individual spec for their dream house.

"We now have 80 contracted and sub-contracted staff compared to 40 years ago.

"We anticipate this year will be a record year for us with 50 fully built houses completed by October which is exceptional given the climate."

The company will soon be launching an 81-house development in an enviable location in Dingwall overlooking the Cromarty Firth.

The key to success has been flexibility and choice.

From its base in Inverness, Roy Homes operates and dispatches its award-winning kit homes throughout the UK, Europe and the Falkland Islands.

This market is expected to increase this year when kits become available to purchase direct from the relaunched website.

Chris added: "For 30 years Roy Homes has had a reputation for building high quality houses and its customer relationship is the best I've ever seen. That's what made it attractive to me.

"Customers have high expectations today and they don't want to compromise."

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Tournament full of promise

STANLEY Badminton Club held its last tournament on December 20 starting at 6pm and finishing at an exhausting 11pm. Thirty club members turned out to compete with a good crowd who gave a good atmosphere to the tournament.

The Ladies Singles winner was Laura Minto, who beat fellow Commonwealth Games competitor Sonia Arkhipkina 21-14 21-10 in a competitive match where Laura's accuracy and variety of shots got the better of Sonia.

The Men's singles was won by Doug Clark who also beat Commonwealth Games team mate Mike Brownlee 21-8 & 21-18. The second set was a closer encounter with good rallies and exciting play.



Sonia Arkhipkina, Suraye March and Laura Minto

Ladies Doubles winners were Laura Minto and Roxanne King beating Sonia and Elena Jurgens 21-16 & 21-18. Men's Doubles winners were Doug Clark and Ross

Stewart who beat Aaron Franks and Jordan Phillips in the finals 21-6 21-12.

The Mixed Doubles title went to Roxanne King and Doug Clark beating Sonia Arkhipkina and Duane March 21-8 & 21-10. Game pace favoured the winning pair.

A special mention should also go out to young Annie (12) who took Sonia to a three-setter in the singles. Ross is another young player who caught everyone's attention. It's very fulfilling to watch young players of today come of age and show great promise to becoming the players for tomorrow. For full results go to www.fioga.co.uk.

Rosemarie King



Kevin Clapp accepts his prize

Clapp wins the Chellev

THE last golf competition of 2010 was the Chellev Trophy sponsored by Cable and Wireless South Atlantic Ltd. This competition was the third of eight Island Games qualifying rounds.

Conditions were fair and resulted in some good scores. The winner was Kevin Clapp who retained the trophy having also won in 2009. Kevin shot a score of 72 for a net 64. Kevin has also increased his lead in the Island Games qualifying table. Second place went to Tony McMullen, with Ian Stewart in third place.

Best front nine was won by Rodney Lee and best back nine went to Troyd Bowles. Steve Vincent was nearest the pin on the 17th and the prize for longest drive was won by Jimmy Forster.

Stanley Golf Club wish to thank Cable and Wireless South Atlantic Ltd for their continued sponsorship of the Chellev Trophy, one of the longest running competitions on the golfing calendar.

Muddy marvellous at Rincon



Above: Expert winner Stefen Clarke

Moto X Results			
Rincon Grande 3rd January 2011			
Class	1st	2nd	3rd
FreeWee	Leo Benjamin		
Junior	Travis McGill	James Tyrrell	Kyle Hobman
Clubman	Daniel Ford	Dylan Stephenson	Nathan Gemmill
Experts	Stefen Clarke	Jan Clarke	Jay Moffatt
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Dylan Stephenson sprays the way

Photos: Garry Tyrrell Results: Jimmy Moffatt

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Fri 28 Jan 11:00	Sat 29 Jan 02:55	Sat 29 Jan 06:00	Sun 30 Jan 03:00
Fri 4 Feb 05:00	Fri 4 Feb 20:55	Fri 4 Feb 23:59	Sat 5 Feb 21:00
Fri 4 Feb 11:00	Sat 5 Feb 02:55	Sat 5 Feb 06:00	Sun 6 Feb 03:00
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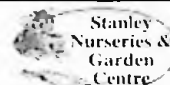
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The Training Centre will be running the following courses in February 2011

Minute Taking 3rd, 10th and 17th February 2011 from 6.00-8.00pm Training Centre - relevant to Committee Secretaries or anyone who has to prepare agendas and take minutes
Managing Your Time 9th February 8.30am-12noon FIDF Classroom- relevant to everyone

Closing date for applications 28/01/2011.

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Borders & Southern Petroleum	63.25	+1.25
Cable & Wireless	49.59	-0.36
Standard Chartered PLC	£17.46	-0.17

NOTICES/VACANCIES**IT HELP DESK OPERATOR**

The Ministry of Defence invites applications for a Locally Employed Civilian as an IT Help Desk Operator.

12 hrs per week.

Hourly rate: £7.38

The successful candidate will be expected to undergo UK Security clearance checks prior to appointment.

For further information, application form and terms of reference please contact Comd Sec. HQ BFSAL Tel Ext: 6797 or 6494

Completed application forms should be returned to HR Section, Comd Sec. HQ BFSAL by 1600 hrs on 31 JAN 2011

The Malvina House Hotel has a vacancy for an Assistant Chef to start with immediate effect. Previous experience of working in a busy kitchen with NVQ level 1 or 2 or an equivalent certificate would be an advantage. Applicant must be of clean and tidy nature and have keen interest to learn new skills and work as part of a small team.

Hours of work are 50 hours a week over 6 days.

For further information contact Matt the Head Chef on telephone 21355 or 21360

TJ's are seeking to employ stevedores for the season

Applicants must be physically fit and willing to work shift patterns day and night, inclusive of weekends at FIPASS and also on vessels in Port William/Berkeley Sound.

For more information please telephone 31119 or 41012

Update from Bug Busters

Results from the recent survey conducted by the Bug Busters Group shows that the top methods for killing earwigs are:

Chemical Treatments

Mike McLeod's Earwig Control

Robocan - (may have a side effect on people that suffer with breathing difficulties)

Ant Stop Powder

Non-Chemical Treatment

Boiling soapy water / Container with beer or oil

The group would also like to publish a map of Stanley showing the percentage of houses that have earwigs. If anyone has any objection to this please can they contact Katrina Stephenson at the Department of Agriculture on 27355 or email kstephenson@doa.gov.fk

Volunteers are also being sought to take part in a monitoring programme of earwigs. It would entail reporting to the Department of Agriculture once a week with the number of earwigs found in the same spot in a certain area of their garden and providing as much information as possible. If you are interested in taking part please also get in touch with Katrina.

EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST

The Falkland Islands Government is seeking Expressions of Interest from suitably qualified persons or contractors to install approximately 400m of chain linking fencing and a number of gates to enclose the new FIPASS Container Park.

The proposed works will include the installation of roughly 400m of chain link fencing, posts, barbed wire top, and a number of access gates. All fencing materials will be supplied. The contractor will be required to supply the concrete for the fence posts.

Details and drawings are available from the PWD Design Office on Ross Road, Stanley, during normal working hours.

Works are scheduled to begin late February 2011.

For further information, please contact the Design Engineer - PWD on 27187 or email at cmclean@pwd.gov.fk.

A written expression of interest is required by January 31st 2011.

EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST

The Falkland Islands Government is seeking Expressions of Interest from suitably qualified and experienced persons or contractors to install electrical feeder pillars and lights at the new FIPASS Container Park.

The proposed works will include the installation of six 15m high flood-light masts and lights, the installation of electrical pillars onto the new concrete slab, installation of electrical cables and all necessary connections. All materials will be supplied.

Details and drawings are available from the PWD Design Office on Ross Road, Stanley, during normal working hours.

Works are scheduled to begin in early February 2011.

For further information, please contact the Design Engineer - PWD on 27187 or email at cmclean@pwd.gov.fk.

A written expression of interest is required by January 31st 2011.

SHACKLETON SCHOLARSHIP FUND

The Shackleton Scholarship Fund takes this opportunity to remind applicants for Quality of Life scholarships that the closing date for receipt of applications to be considered this year is 31 March 2011. Application forms can be downloaded from www.shackletonfund.com. Completed applications and any queries should be addressed to Sally Ellis, Secretary, Shackleton Scholarship Fund on paul.sally@horizon.co.fk or P O Box 307, Stanley.

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Further Information: Contact Ms Karin Sanchez, Administrative Officer, on 27197 during normal working hours
Closing Date: Thursday 27th January 2011

Property & Municipal Section General Handyperson

Hours: 37.5 hours per week
Salary: Grade H, commencing at £12,648 per annum
Further Information: Contact Mr Glen Williams, Works Manager, on 27177 during normal working hours
Closing Date: Monday 24th January 2011

Attorney Generals Chambers Legal Secretary for approximately 13 months

Hours: Part Time (Negotiable)
Salary: Grade F, commencing at £17,016 per annum, pro rata
Further Information: Contact Barbara Steen, PA, on telephone 28464 during normal working hours
Closing Date: Friday 4th February 2011

Leisure Centre Part Time Receptionist

Hours: 37.5 hours per fortnight
Salary: Grade H, commencing at £6,492.64 per annum
Further Information: Contact Steve Dent, Recreation Manager, on telephone 27285 during normal working hours
Closing Date: 24th January 2011

Secretariat Head of Policy & Economic Advisor

Hours: 37.5 hours per week
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Further Information: Human Resources Department
Closing Date: Friday 28th January 2011

Job Descriptions and application forms for the above positions can be obtained from the Human Resources Department – telephone 28420, fax 27212 or e-mail HRclerk@sec.gov.fk

Full and Part Time Customer Care Assistants are required to work at Kelper Stores. Duties will include: dealing with customers, stock control and presentation, handling and recording money. Hours include evenings, weekends and public holidays. Applicants need to be over eighteen years of age and be capable of moving heavy boxes. They should have a good employment record, be trustworthy, be capable of working without supervision and with initiative. Please Contact Mhari on 22270 or ask at any K Shop for an application form.

From time to time British International have full and part-time vacancies for: Pilots, Loadmasters, Engineers and Operations Officer in the Falkland Islands. All applicants should be licensed and have experience on the S61. In addition, Operations Officers should hold an ATC FISO licence. Interested and qualified parties send CV with covering letter to: The Base Manager, British International, Mount Pleasant Complex on email fkl.manager@brit-int@horizons.co.fk

Falklands Brasserie has vacancies for part time waiter/waitresses and kitchen assistants. To find out more please contact the Manager Alex Olmedo on 21159 or 52510.

Sea Lion Lodge require staff for the season mid August 2011 to first week April 2012.

Chef:
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Cleaners/Waitresses:

Must be able to communicate with guests in English and work on their own.

Staff will live together in the staff house accommodation. Applicants must have a CV with relevant work experience in the fields required.

Please apply to:

Jenny Luxton

Manager, Sea Lion Lodge

Tel: + 500 32004

sealion_lodge@horizon.co.fk

Full-time and Part-time Customer Service Assistants are required for the West Store Retail Complex.

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For further information, please contact Leanne Henry on 27661. Application forms are available from the West Store Foodhall

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Happy Birthday
Hope you have a super
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Peck
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Stanley - Falkland Islands

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Tuesday 25th January 2011

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Cock A Leekie Soup

Scotch Broth

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1 X Box 360 arcade with two controls and two microphones, includes Lips £150
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Contact Rachael on 51932.

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Please contact Rob or Jo 51086 or 22256

SLC Pool Covers

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NOTICES

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Available for rent until December. The 4 bedroom house known as Hambledon situated on the front road beside the Cathedral.
Contact: Telephone 22490, or j.yellowleesbound@btinternet.com, or Mcgrigors LLP 22690.

Twilight Sports

Twilight Sports re-commences on the 21st January for the New Year. The group is desperately in need of new volunteers, full training is provided and you do not have to be especially sport orientated. For more information contact the Recreation Manager, Steve Dent on 27285 or 55632 or by e-mail on sdent.leisure@sec.gov.fk

As part of the current ammunition shipment, Shooting Solutions are also shipping a number of firearms on special order. The shipment of firearms is becoming increasingly difficult and expensive. As a special offer, Shooting Solutions will ship firearms for £80.00 per unit, not including imports and UK exports. If you are also seeking specific parts and accessories, please give us a call. For more information, contact Steve on 55632 or Jon on 54037.

Narrows Bar

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NOTICES

See page 17 for 'Narrows News'

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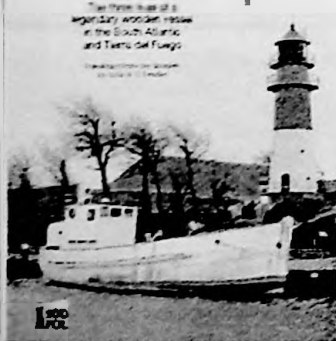
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Smoking ban carries on the spot fines up to £500

FOR generations the smoke-filled pubs and clubs of the Falklands have been an intrinsic feature of the fabric of life on the Islands.

But all that is about to be stubbed out for good when the much-debated smoking ban finally comes into force.

Ten years since "Health of the Nation" working groups were set up to clear the air on community health issues, Legislative Assembly members in November passed the Smoking (Prohibition) Ordinance.

On Wednesday this week, at an extraordinary meeting of Executive Council, the date for its implementation was agreed.

The national smoking ban takes effect from 6am on Tuesday February 1.

From that time, any smokers who light up in enclosed public places, enclosed workplaces or public vehicles risk prosecution – as do publicans and business owners who fail to abide by the new law, which includes the requirement to display "no smoking" signs.

Enclosed public places include pubs, restaurants, social clubs, hotels and shops, and public vehicles include taxis and buses.

The ban also affects businesses run from home, and the law will apply throughout the Falklands – including Mount Pleasant – with "very few" exceptions.

Police will be able to issue on the spot fines of £50 for smoking in breach of the ban, through to £100 for unauthorised interference with a sign or notice and £500 for failure by a licensee to comply with a duty in relation to licensed premises.

These fixed penalty notices may be issued immediately by a police officer, or subsequently by the Chief Police Officer or Attorney General. Fines must be paid within three or four weeks, de-



Who wants to be a penguin keeper? Matthew Gallacher

We're the £64k answer!

IF players of the Who Wants To Be A Millionaire board game think the name of the national newspaper for the Falklands is Island Life, The South Atlantic or The Stanley Chronicle, they will be sorely disappointed.

But not 11-year-old Glasgow schoolboy Matthew Gallacher, who was thrilled to discover the Penguin News was the answer to the £64,000 question, when he played the game with his mum Joanne. "I was so excited to see

that there was a newspaper called the Penguin News," he said. "I've always loved penguins."

After we sent a copy of the paper to Matthew he wrote back: "I saw pictures of where the penguins live. One day I would love to come and see the penguins because when I'm older I want to be a penguin keeper. If my name is in your newspaper, will this make me famous?"

Well, Matthew, that's the £64,000 question!

pending on how the notice is served. The law also provides for an offence of provision of false or misleading information to an officer, which carries a fine of up to £1,500.

However, a broad public awareness campaign is already under way, with detailed advice distributed via Gilbert House to employers, licensees and "other target audiences." Licensees, in particular, are being



told they also will have a duty to "take reasonable steps" to stop people smoking on premises where the ban applies, and bar and waiting staff are to be issued with guidelines which include a six-point action list of how to deal with a smoker who is breaking the law.

Businesses, too, are being advised to issue warnings if employees, customers or visitors refuse

to adhere to the ban. Few places will be exempt from the legislation and, unless a business is run there, the smoking ban will not apply in people's homes.

Hotels may designate bedrooms where smoking is allowed, and non-profit making private clubs may "opt out" if they meet certain conditions.

The smoking ban does not apply in large warehouses, garages and shearing sheds, with a minimum size of 450 cubic metres.

A statement from the Legislative Assembly said the ban was being introduced because "second-hand smoke kills."

The statement continued: "It also causes lung cancer, heart disease and respiratory illnesses in adults and a variety of conditions in children."

To tie in with the introduction of the smoking ban, the KEMH will be running a health promotion campaign to encourage people to give up smoking.

Police also have a huge role to play in ensuring the population is fully informed.

Inspector Len McGill told the Penguin News: We will, together with the Health Service, be engaging in a programme of notification and education to ensure that the general public and all businesses and individuals who have obligations under the new Ordinance are familiar with its requirements.

"Our officers will use their discretion when upholding this Ordinance and will give advice and guidance as appropriate to gain compliance."

Smokers wanting help to give up smoking should contact their GP or the Pharmacy at the KEMH on 28000.

Anyone with any queries about the ban is invited to contact Falkland Islands Royal Police on 28100.

Tony Curran

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WHAT a crime-ridden society the Falklands must seem to anyone who has never been here, but has been reading the Penguin News in the past two weeks.

There's really no way around it, but this is one of the results of having a peripatetic Supreme Court judge who only visits when there are serious cases to try. Periodically the boast we proudly make to tourists that there is little or no crime in the Falklands seems just a little hollow, when a number of cases which may have been waiting months for the judge's appearance finally come to court.

Comparisons with other societies are difficult. Due to the small size of our population, each and every one of us represents a far greater proportion of our total numbers than do the citizens of almost any other country. This means that any statistics regarding the population of the Falklands have to be treated with suspicion, and so I have really no idea whether we are more or less inclined towards criminal activity than any other community.

What I do know is that if a crime is committed in the Falklands, pretty soon everyone claims to know about it. The real question, however, is whether this knowledge is acted upon or treated as anything other than a subject for conversation in the pub.

The incidence of two cases regarding sexual abuse in the courts recently, and the heart-rending letter from a former victim of abuse in this week's Penguin News, does inevitably point the finger of blame, not only on those found guilty in court, but also on all those who knew what was going on and, by keeping quiet, did not prevent it and thus themselves became implicitly guilty.

While, like the complainant against one aspect of the Christmas anti-drinking and driving campaign, I would not normally encourage people to "snitch" upon their neighbour, the very nature of some offences makes them difficult for the victims to own up to, and convenient for the rest of us to ignore. Child abuse is in this category; so also, I would suggest, are domestic violence and bullying.

In the same week that Penguin News heard from a victim of sexual abuse, we also received a much longer and this time anonymous plea from someone asking us to investigate bullying, not in the school playground, but in the hospital.

We don't really have the resources to do this, but there are those that do. That such an activity might go on in a place dedicated to caring and curing is shameful enough, if true. Knowing about it and staying silent to avoid embarrassment to our supposedly caring community would be even more shameful.

John Fowler



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Three years for serious under age sex offences

A STERN warning to young men tempted to engage in sexual activity with under age girls was issued this week in the Supreme Court by Chief Justice Christopher Gardner.

Sentencing Matthew John Newton to a total of three years imprisonment for having admitted having sexual intercourse with three girls, aged at the time of the offences 15, 14 and 13, Chief Justice Gardner said: "These are serious offences and I am satisfied that no sentence other than of immediate imprisonment is appropriate, and I hope that other young men who are tempted to have under age sex will heed that."

In open court on the morning of Friday January 14 Mr Newton had pleaded guilty to three of the seven charges of sexual activity with children laid against him.

In the light of this change of plea, the court decided not to proceed with the remaining four charges, and the Crown's prosecutor, Ciaran Rankin agreed that it was in the best intentions of the witnesses that a trial should not be pursued.

Conditional bail was granted to Mr Newton until the court reconvened for sentencing on Tuesday.

Before the Chief Justice delivered his sentence, Mr Newton's defence counsel, Mr Michael Hayward had asked for mitigation on his client's behalf.

Mr Newton's case, his defence counsel claimed, was not that of a mature adult grooming under age girls for his own sexual gratification, but rather that of a "young and immature man" in his late teens and early twenties at the time of

the offences, who had formed "inappropriate relationships."

Mr Newton was not "a professional paedophile" and this was not "that sort of a case," Mr Hayward maintained.

In his closing remarks before sentencing, Chief Justice Gardner told Mr Newton that the law relating to sexual activity with children was intended to protect them when they were emotionally and physically immature. It made the male responsible for under age sex and imposed heavy punishments.

Chief Justice Gardner said that Mr Newton's assertion in his first interview that he would not have had sex with girls under the age of sixteen "because they were not mentally, emotionally or physically able to deal with it, and it would result in, as you put it, not a slap on the wrist but jail time" clearly indicated that he had been aware of the seriousness of the offences he later admitted to.

In addition to sentences of 18 months, two years and three years imprisonment, to run concurrently, the Chief Justice also made a Sexual Offences Order against him.

Mr Newton is prohibited from seeking to approach the females named in the order in any way, either directly or through an agent, and is banned from "any unsupervised contact with any child, except in the presence of and with the consent of the child's parent or guardian or other appropriate adult."

An exception to this order was granted for Mr Newton's own children, as his wife is expecting a baby.

Ships in Stanley harbour

for the week ending January 20



Vessel	Type	Vessel agent	Departed
Scout	Cargo	SAAS	13 Jan
Expedition	Cruise	Sullivan Shipping	13 Jan
John Cheek	Trawler	FIC	Laid up
Maersk Traveller	AHTS	Byron Holdings	15 Jan
Faxaborg	Chase	Stanley Services	
CFL Gambler	Longliner	Sullivan Shipping	16 Jan
Protegit	Patrol	RBC Ltd	16 Jan
Toisa Invincible	Supply	Byron Holdings	
Ernest Shackleton	Research	BAS	16 Jan
James Clark Ross	Research	BAS	
Maersk Pacer	AHTS	Byron Holdings	18 Jan

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General strike strands holiday makers in Chile

FALKLAND Islands residents returning home or travelling abroad on last week-end's LAN flight found themselves caught up in the consequences of the general strike over gas prices which brought the Magallanes Region of Chile to a standstill until agreement was reached two days ago.

Road blocks on all the roads out of Punta Arenas and at ferry terminals appeared from about midnight last Tuesday and caused chaos in the region, leaving tourists stranded in popular destinations such as the Torres del Paine National Park.

Lorry drivers from other parts of Chile and also from Argentina also were unable either to make deliveries or get back home.

With essential staff at Punta Arenas, including the customs and immigration officers unable to get to work, the LAN flight to the Falklands, which should have left Santiago early on Saturday morning, did not leave until about 9pm.

Fortunately for some 40 Falklands-bound travellers, including Tom and Larissa Blake travelling back from Gibraltar with daughter Laura, who checked in at Santiago airport at about 5am, LAN reacted promptly to news of the problems in Punta Arenas.

A coach was summoned and by about 8am they found themselves back in Santiago in a comfortable hotel to await further developments. Some eight hours later they were once again bussed to the airport and by 9pm they were in the air, bound for Punta Arenas in a



Barricades of vehicles stretch across all roads in region

plane significantly less full than normal.

Stanley couple Jason Lewis and Alison Inglis, travelling from Scotland with son Craig (9) and daughter Kirsty (7), were not so lucky.

Having planned to end their holiday with a relaxing couple of days in Chile, they arrived at Punta Arenas airport on Wednesday, oblivious of any problems in the region, but somewhat annoyed to find that their baggage had not accompanied them.

Not having their baggage turned out to be a good thing for the family, when it began to look as if walking was going to be the only way that Jason and his family would reach their hotel in Punta Arenas, some 24 kms away.

LAN staff were able to arrange a lift with a private motorist for Jason, Alison and children, but only as far as the second of several road blocks between the airport and the town. After this point, the family had no option but to walk what Jason estimated to be a further 10kms into Punta Arenas.

This long walk – some three hours or more – with children and

hand baggage took them past at least another two barricades.

Jason describes the barricades as being made up of lorries, buses and taxis and bristling with black flags and the blue and yellow flag of Magallanes.

Fortunately the protesters they met were friendly and helpful in guiding them to their hotel, where in time they met up with Christian and Rachel Berntsen and their two children.

Also in Punta Arenas, but at a different hotel from the Berntsens and the Lewis family, were Rowena Summers and granddaughter Laura.

Having been in Punta Arenas at the beginning of the week to witness the original protests about the rise in fuel prices, the strike on Wednesday found the Luxton family – Robin, Wendy and eight-year-old Nathan – just back from the Torres del Paine National Park, but stranded in a guest house in the small town of Puerto Natales with a group of Germans, French, Americans and two elderly Argentine ladies.

After registering with the Red Cross and a long and frustrating wait, finally with the help of the Chilean Army on Saturday the family found themselves on a military flight to Punta Arenas, arriving just in time to connect with the much-delayed LAN flight home.

Not so lucky were Simon and Catherine Catton and their two children, who were stranded for a further week in Punta Arenas.

Six of the best

SIX cruise ships are scheduled to visit Stanley and the outer islands this week. The MV C. Columbus (423 capacity) is due in Stanley this afternoon, and the Insignia (824) visits on Sunday. On Wednesday Silver Whisper (382) is in Stanley, and Bremen (184) visits New Island and Carcass before arriving in Stanley on Thursday. Prince Albert II (132) visits West Point and Saunders on Thursday, while Ocean Nova (84) heads for New Island and Carcass. Ocean Nova, Prince Albert II and MV Hanseatic (194) are all due in Stanley on Friday.

Up and running

The Gypsy Cove toilets are now fully operational after FITB was successful in sourcing a replacement for a faulty part in the Islands. Concerns over the state of a viewing platform at Gypsy Cove, which is not the responsibility of FITB, have been passed on to Environmental Planning.

Taking hold

THE anniversary of Captain James Cook's landing on South Georgia in 1775 to take formal possession of the island for Britain was marked on Wednesday night – two days late to allow the presence of Antarctic scientists – by a reception at Government House in Stanley.

'Nude' scanner

A CONTROVERSIAL body scanner is to be introduced by security police at Santiago Airport from next month. The machine, which will be used mainly in the fight against drug trafficking, makes a person appear almost nude on the security screen images.

Flood sympathy

THE Falkland Islands Government has sent letters of sympathy to Australian Prime Minister Julia Gillard and Brazilian President Dilma Rousseff expressing "deepest sympathy" with their people following recent flood disasters.

Visitor shortfall

IN last week's Review of the Year we stated about 1,700 cruise passengers had been prevented from landing last summer owing to the global recession and poor weather. This figure should have read 17,000.

On legal advice

ADRIAN Minnell has taken legal advice and been granted leave to abandon his appeal against recovering costs he incurred from a drink driving conviction.

FOGL not discouraged

FALKLANDS Oil and Gas Ltd (FOGL) has announced that a site survey for their southern licenced areas will commence in 2011 and that analysis of recent results from their Toroa well shows no adverse implications for the company's deepwater prospects.

Tim Bushell, Chief Executive of FOGL, said this week: "The Toroa exploration well was the first well in a previously undrilled frontier basin and, although the outcome was disappointing, the full analysis of the data has provided encouragement."

The company will undertake further site surveys in the southern licence area, and in the meantime was continuing to work to secure a suitable deepwater rig.

Suspended sentence for trusted employee

DESCRIBED by the Chief Justice as a "valued employee" before it was discovered that in six months she had stolen £25,587.88 from the Kelper Stores, Marie Clifton (37) was given two concurrent sentences of 12 months, suspended for two years, in the Supreme Court on Wednesday.

Previously Ms Clifton had pleaded guilty to offences of theft and false accounting.

Mr Justice Gardner said that there were no aggravating factors to the case, but in mitigation, besides Ms Clifton's age and previous good character, was the fact that she had three dependent children and had suffered two bereavements and a relationship break-

down during the period of her offending. There was no evidence that the money stolen was spent on an extravagant lifestyle.

In addition to the suspended sentences, the Chief Justice also made a Confiscation Order against Ms Clifton in the sum of £25,587.88, the amount she had admitted stealing from her employers, and she was ordered to pay £1,800 prosecution costs.

A period of six months was granted in which payment of both amounts had to be made. Should payment not be made in time, the Chief Justice said a sentence of 15 months would be imposed, consecutive to the earlier 12 month sentences.

Legislative Assembly Diary

Jan Cheek shares a glimpse into the work of a member of the Legislative Assembly

I HAVE clearly been too subtle in previous columns so I must spell out the fact that we will not be announcing every move we make in connection with shipping links, but rest assured that a vast amount of work is being undertaken. Alternatives are being explored. If you have particular concerns or views phone any MLA to discuss them.

THE smoking ban should be in place from February 1. This has required much work by FIG departments and, with the lengthy Christmas holiday, there has been a tremendous effort made by those involved to complete preparations on time. Assuming no further delays, I congratulate them and believe the vast majority of the public welcome the ban. Someone reminded me recently that it is about ten years since various "Health of the Nation" working groups were set up to make recommendations that may, in the long term, keep down medical costs while improving quality of life. Despite the pessimistic prognostications of those of my colleagues who opposed the ban I do not believe we have other targets. Tobacco is unique in being a legal substance that is harmful in almost any quantity both to the user and those who share the same space.

I AM encouraged by the progress we are making on things like a minimum wage for the Islands and on succession planning within FIG. It is frustrating sometimes not to get instant action but I recognise that we have limited resources. More importantly each decision made may have consequences not envisaged in the original planning. None of us is gifted with foresight so it is important to work through any new proposals to ensure that no-one is unexpectedly or unfairly disadvantaged by them. Something that appears an ideal solution in the short term may carry too high a long term cost.

PARKING problems were raised with me by a number of people recently, both the lack of parking in the narrow streets in the centre of town and the general nuisance created by inconsiderate parking throughout the town. Some radical thinking is required – any suggestions are welcome.

Argentina's flagrant acts of absurdity and shame

Argentina has recently stepped up pressure on Britain over the Falklands by criticising British actions as "unilateral" and hence a breach of UN Resolution 31/49. This article, written especially for the Penguin News by Graham Pascoe and Peter Pepper, places this current phase of the Falklands dispute in perspective and considers which side's unilateral acts have been more significant. The background is as follows...

ON December 1 1976 the UN General Assembly passed Resolution 31/49, section 4 of which ran: "[The General Assembly] calls upon the two parties to refrain from taking decisions that would imply introducing unilateral modifications in the situation while the Islands are going through the process recommended in the above-mentioned resolutions."

At that time negotiations over the Falklands were going on between Britain and Argentina, and the Resolution, undoubtedly introduced at Argentina's request, was intended to promote them.

The section calling on both sides to refrain from unilateral acts was presumably introduced to ensure that Britain did not alter the status quo in the Falklands during the negotiations.

However, it clearly prohibited unilateral action by both sides to the dispute, not only Britain. The "process recommended" referred to here (as in earlier UN resolutions) was of course the peaceful solution of the sovereignty dispute over the Islands.

But all that changed on April 2 1982 when Argentina launched its armed invasion of the Falklands.

There could have been no more serious "unilateral act," and no more serious breach of Resolution 31/49. The invasion was also a breach of international law and of UN Resolution 2065 which had started the negotiation process in 1965.

That Resolution had called for peaceful negotiations between Britain and Argentina, but had not specified any particular outcome. It was only Argentina that assumed the result should be a handover of sovereignty, and the invasion was designed to secure that.

Every shot a unilateral act

In the aftermath of the 1982 war it became absurd to continue talking about Resolution 31/49 at all.

Every shot fired had been a "unilateral act," and both sides had acted as they saw fit, committing

innumerable "unilateral acts." Moreover, the Islands were clearly no longer "going through the process recommended in the above-mentioned resolutions," much as Argentina might have hoped that they still were.

Amongst Britain's unilateral acts after the war was the declaration of economic exclusion zones, and Britain also modified the internal governance of the Falklands with two new constitutions.

But subsequent Argentine unilateral acts were very much more serious. In 1994 Argentina put a claim to the Falklands, South Georgia and the South Sandwich Islands into its new constitution. That unilateral act meant that the sovereignty negotiations it continued to demand could only end in a complete Argentine takeover.

There was no longer any room for compromise, and hence no room for meaningful negotiations – Argentina demanded everything.

More recently, in December 2009, Argentina also included the Falklands within the province of Tierra del Fuego.

That unilateral act meant that the Falklands under Argentine rule would be part of a small, chaotic, corrupt, and bitterly anti-British province, with the small Falklands population a tiny part of an overall Argentine provincial population that is contemptuous of Falkland Islanders.

Repudiation – a unilateral act

Another recent Argentine unilateral act is particularly relevant now: the repudiation in March 2007 of the 1995 Oil Agreement between Britain and Argentina under President Carlos Menem.

That agreement had signified Argentina's acceptance of oil exploration around the Falklands, and Britain had not broken the terms of that agreement in any way, as Argentina asserted in order to justify its repudiation. The Kirchner government in 2007 simply did not like the terms the Menem government had agreed to.

Argentina's unilateral act of repudiation was not only a breach of a treaty; it also allowed Argentina to turn logic on its head and accuse Britain of acting "unilaterally" – by carrying on with the oil exploration that Argentina had expressly agreed to in 1995 and had accepted without comment in 1998.

Companies that had been investing their money peacefully and lawfully over the previous 12 years were suddenly accused of acting "illegally."

To apply pressure on the Falklands over oil exploration, Argen-

tina followed this up with yet another "unilateral" act: decree 256/10, signed by President Cristina de Kirchner on February 16 2010, which required permits for shipping passing through Argentine waters to the Falklands.

Such permits were to be unavailable for any vessel or cargo connected with Falklands oil exploration. This was also a breach of the "right of innocent passage" enshrined in international shipping law.

Security Council Resolution 502

UN General Assembly resolutions are not binding on any country, whether or not they are members of the Security Council. But Britain certainly did its best to comply with Resolution 2065, and was complying with Resolution 31/49 too, until Argentina broke it so dramatically by invading the Falklands in 1982.

But Argentina conveniently ignores the fact that unlike General Assembly resolutions, UN Security Council resolutions are binding, and that it failed to comply with the crucial Security Council Resolution 502.

That Resolution, passed on April 3 1982, the day after Argentina's invasion, required Argentina to withdraw its troops and negotiate. If Argentina had obeyed it, it might have obtained an eventual handover of sovereignty, since Britain was willing to make major concessions to avoid bloodshed. Instead, the Argentine troops had to be expelled by military force, with considerable loss of British and Argentine life.

Despite the facts of the matter, Argentina continues to heap absurd criticism on Britain. Recently, one newspaper in Tierra del Fuego actually published the text of section 4 of Resolution 31/49 in order to accuse Britain of acting "unilaterally" over oil exploration.

But the article concerned omitted to mention that that UN resolution was passed in 1976, over five years before Argentina "unilaterally" invaded the Falklands!

If it had mentioned that date, every reader would have seen the absurdity of it all.

Argentine hypocrisy

It's clear that Argentine unilateral actions and mind-boggling hypocrisy are the real problem here – rather than any wrongdoing by Britain.

It's an old adage that truth is the first casualty of war, but in Argentina logic is a casualty now as well.

End of the line for ferry which delivered 2 Para

THE North Sea ferry which played such a pivotal role in the Falklands War is to be consigned to the scrapheap after 37 years of service.

The Norland, at the time the largest British-registered ferry, was requisitioned by the UK Government as it gathered the task force to liberate the Islands.

After becoming a familiar sight in her home port of Hull, from where she made nightly crossings of the North Sea to Rotterdam, the Norland carried the elite Second Battalion of the Parachute Regiment to the South Atlantic, who were to fight the first major land assault of the war at the battle of Goose Green.

"It was the Ministry of Defence who requisitioned the Norland," says Captain Donald Ellerby, the ship's master at the time of her call-up.

"I had just come from leave and they called to say they were coming to look at the ship. They came with us on the trip to Rotterdam and when we arrived back in Hull we were told she would be going to the Falklands."

"She was taken to Queen Elizabeth Dock, they started building helicopter pads on the deck. The rest of the changes were made in Portsmouth."

Sixty volunteers from her regular crew, including officers and stewards, sailed with the Norland as she departed the south coast port and sailed to war.

She left the Solent for the South Atlantic as a newly-converted troop carrier, with more than 1,200 men onboard in total.

An 11-day journey – including a stop at Sierra Leone, West Africa – awaited, before reaching Ascension Island.

To the knowledge of her captain, crew and families back home, the Norland would be going to within 100 miles of the Falklands shores.



Roll-on roll-off ferry Norland

But when the news came the ship would be sailing even further into danger, it jolted even the calm Captain Ellerby, now 80.

"It was a shock to everyone to be told we would be hitting the shore to drop the troops," he said. "The agreement before that was that troops would be landed by helicopter."

"It was during landing manoeuvres in Ascension that they discovered her side doors would be perfect for landing the 2 Paras."

On May 20, 1982, Norland was the first merchant ship to enter San Carlos Water, which was to earn the nickname Bomb Alley.

The boots of 1,000 soldiers pounded the deck into landing crafts which took them ashore.

Frankie Green, 60, an officers' steward on the Norland at the time, remembered that moonless night: "It was a very calm night. It was very tense and all the Paras' faces were blacked out."

After sunrise, San Carlos Water thundered with heavy fire from enemy aircraft.

"Later that morning the terrifying noise of klaxons filled the air as jets flew overhead. I thought such things only happened in the movies and that was when the reality of war hit home," said Mr Green, now a publican in Hull.

The Norland's closest call came when two 500lb Argentine bombs pounded into the sea only feet away from her.

"We were coming to join the rest of the fleet after dropping the

troops under the escort of Royal Navy frigates HMS Ardent and HMS Antelope," said Mr Green.

"The next thing we heard was that the Antelope had been hit. An unexploded bomb had crashed on deck and the crew were trying to defuse it."

"It just exploded, killing one person who was trying to defuse it, and she sank the next day."

Two days apart, Captain Ellerby and his crew had watched desperately as the sterns of HMS Ardent and HMS Antelope disappeared under the Atlantic.

Second-in-command of the Norland was Chief Officer Bob Lough: "The thing I remember most of that day was the noise of battle," he said.

"The naval gunfire support from the frigates firing their 4.5-inch guns, the roar of the attacking jets flying very low around the ship and the explosions as missiles exploded around us."

"We were in San Carlos for four days and suffered frequent air attacks."

When the bomb exploded on board Antelope and she sank, we took her whole crew off."

It was another shining moment for Norland and her crew.

When the war ended, the ship was returning to East Falkland from Uruguay, having delivered 500 prisoners of war from the battle of Goose Green.

While other requisitioned vessels went home after the conflict, she stayed in the South Atlantic, ferrying men and supplies between Ascension and the Falklands.

Finally, on February 1, 1983, the Norland was welcomed back to her King George Dock berth in Hull by flag-waving crowds.

The Norland sailed from Hull for the last time in 2002. Now its Italian owners have announced that the ship is heading for an Indian scrapyard.

Give us two minutes...



Tara Hewitt

1. What is your most prized possession?

My cuddly dog – Ruud Gullit

2. What is the best (or worst) piece of advice you have ever been given?

Best – rather regret doing something, than regret not doing it

3. Who would you most like to have a cup of tea/tot with?

Alan Jackson, Tim McGraw, Brad Paisley and Sara Whitney. Sharing's caring.

4. What is your most embarrassing (or happiest, you choose) moment?

Happiest – being Maid of Honour for Sara and Tyrone's wedding

5. Who would you make Governor of the Falklands?

Gary Hewitt – Dads can fix anything!

6. What is your nickname and why?

Silly – it's not as self-explanatory as you might think

7. If you could travel anywhere in the world, where would it be?

America – to see Alan Jackson in concert

8. What song makes you feel happy (or sad) when you hear it?

Biffy Clyro – Many of Horror

9. What would people be surprised to learn about you?

I lived in South Africa for six months and was only nearly killed two times!

10. What's the best book or movie you have read/watched recently?

Movie – The Human Centipede. I'll leave that to your imagination

Tara Hewitt (24) was born in the Falklands, and studied childcare for two years at Chichester College. In the future she hopes to fulfil her dream of working in Antarctica for the British Antarctic Survey

Deadliners striking the high notes



Andy and Marcus performing

THE Greenhouse Deadline attracted another big crowd when they held their third Desire the Right to Party gig at the Trough last month.

Previously the group – Saul Zuvic, Andy Felton, Marcus Porter and Sam Elliott – had donated money raised through the events to charity, but found they made a loss each time.

They decided on this occasion to keep the £500 raised from ticket sales to cover costs of hiring the venue and organisation.

Home from the UK Marcus and Sam are in another group, Whistleblower, which formed

with friends at college and their University, Brighton School of Modern Music.

"We've spent most of our time recording songs and have only just started playing gigs," Marcus told the Penguin News.

He described the band as having an eclectic genre appeal, with roots in folksy rock and in parts drum and bass.

Marcus remains keen to play with his fellow Deadliners, however, and the band has recently been in the recording studio at FIRS, recording a new and emotive track, which was to be broadcast on the FIRS Fusion show.

Your Letters

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Action grows on expat pensions

MY friends and I are frequently hearing from those living here, and who once worked in the UK, where they compulsorily contributed to the National Insurance pension scheme and have learned to their great surprise, and anger, that on first drawing their pension it is a sum that is then frozen.

Or that it remains effectively frozen at the rate it stood at when they left the UK.

Thus it will not increase year on year as it would had they remained in the UK, or if they were living in an EU country and others including the United States of America.

Action is in hand to try and persuade the United Kingdom Government to unfreeze this pension world-wide.

One organisation fighting to achieve this is the Canadian Alliance of British Pensioners (CABP), of which I have been a member for a number of years. You can find out more on their website: www.britishpensions.com.

The fight for reclaiming our full pension rights is also being waged by the International Consortium of British Pensioners of which CABP is a founding member – their web link is www.pension-parity-uk.com.

News of both organisations can be followed on facebook by just clicking on the web page links.

Shortly before last Christmas a British expat pensioner now living in Canada (which is one of 150 countries that does not have a reciprocal social security arrangement with the UK), and who served in the Second World War, flew to London to meet the Pensions Minister.

He spoke on behalf of a group of veterans who are threatening to return their medals over this freeze.

No doubt we will hear more on these actions in due course, but if I can be of help by providing any further information then your readers can get in touch with me.

Graham France
Stanley

Jackpot wins are just a scam

I'VE been working here in the Islands since some time now, and something suspicious has been happening to the people I work with and to myself.

We, as most of us in the Falklands, own a mobile phone, and since Friday we have received a very suspicious text message saying we were the winners of a large amount of money. To my surprise I got the following message:



Penguin News Missing Links

This dapper couple obviously went to a lot of effort to put on a handsome show for their special day. But who are they, and when and where in the Falklands was this picture taken? Please call us on 22709 or send your email response to editor@penguinnews.co.fk if you can help.

"Congrats!!!(sic) Your mobile number has won 254,000 Pounds Sterling in the Ongoing (sic) NOKIA Mega Jackpot, for claims call: +44-704-570-6131 or Email:nokia631@yahoo.com."

Just like me, the chef of the place where I work got a similar message, this time being rewarded with 1.5 million, and late that very same day another person I work with got a similar text telling him to claim his £350,000 prize.

Since it looks out of place, such a random money giveaway, especially to be told to reply to a mail address different than nokia.co.uk, I decided to do a quick search in google, finding more people asking about the same issue, ending in nothing more than a money scam which works in the following way...

After getting the text message, the person gets an email with a form, which is to fill up to claim the prize.

This form asks for address, contact number, date of birth, full name and other personal information.

It looks like a stage to commit further identity theft related offences.

After sending said form, the person is asked to send a copy of his/her passport or driving licence to prove the real identity of the "winner" and as a "security check," along with another form asking for personal data, this time asking to choose the way to deliver the prize, which happens to be in cash.

The scammer asks for £550 for a 72 hours courier, £600 for 48 hours and £650 for a 24 hours courier delivery. They say Nokia (the company the scammers claim to

work for) will pay the insurance but the winner is in charge to pay for the delivery of the money in cash.

The person is hurried to send said information within three days, otherwise they will lose their prize.

I don't have further information of what happens after this stage, but I found via google that a credit card or money transfer is asked to pay for the money delivery, and even a meeting with this person sometimes takes place, since information as contact numbers and personal address takes place.

I would appreciate if you could warn the rest of the people here in Falklands.

Carlos Horta
Hillside Camp

It's a struggle to understand FIG

MOST of your readers appear to have misread your front page article two weeks ago (see Dave Eynon's letter in last weeks paper).

In your front page article of January 14 John Fowler wrote: "Mr Wylie said that while he could understand the unwillingness of the Falkland Islands Government to continue to subsidise the SAAS route - they recently and controversially made an unsecured loan of £1m - he felt that despite the fact that..."

You could not report that I had said FIG had made an unsecured loan to SAAS because that would be untrue, so instead you have inserted your own statement into this paragraph in order to give it some authenticity.

This paragraph further misleads the reader as it indicates that FIG has given a subsidy to SAAS, which is also not the case.

My comment was that I could understand why FIG may not want to subsidise the service into the future, which is what will undoubtedly now be required for the service to continue beyond the current charter.

Whilst many appear to struggle to understand why FIG had joined CFL in an attempt to make the service work, I struggle to understand how FIG, being the only organisation with the ability to enable this vital shipping link to succeed, could turn its back on the most crucial single element in the future economic development of the Islands.

Had FIG not done so the service would have ended in May 2009, and we would never have known whether a potentially viable business operation could have fallen victim to the recent Argentine economic offensive or not.

Your editorial in the same paper was, however, well written, and I can now see where Alan Huckle was coming from when he told you that you p****d him off.

Hamish Wylie
Stanley

My trauma of sexual abuse

GROWING up is difficult enough without added trauma and pressure put upon a child by sexual deviants.

Recent events in the Islands have made me want to write this piece, albeit anonymously, and I thank the Penguin News for accepting it as such.

My childhood was spent here and I was living in an environment of ever changing adult company. I was bright, well formed and a bit brash as I approached my teens.

I was subjected to inappropriate comment and touching of breasts and genitalia on a regular basis for several years.

I was also exposed to the male genitalia regularly, but always "accidentally."

I was removed from that environment as a young teen through circumstance and, although relieved that the attention bestowed upon me had stopped, strangely I missed it.

Therefore, when another adult male and a senior member of staff (remember that we started work at 14) began to treat me that same way it seemed almost acceptable.

I now know that it was not my fault that I attracted such attention.

This treatment undoubtedly forged my sexual behaviour for many years to follow – I became promiscuous, was abused physically and emotionally, sometimes I was the abuser (not sexually but emotionally) and never once gave my heart totally to one person.

I used and abused and buried the past deep within.

I always had a need to be the centre of attention, though, and delighted in telling my friends and others of some of my "exploits" – sometimes embellished to make the stories better.

It is only in recent years that all that went before came to the surface and resulted in serious mental trauma and a long period of aftercare and counselling from the mental health professionals.

I considered bringing my abusers to justice but those names I remembered led to the discovery that they were no longer alive.

That is my reason for writing this – if you are a victim of sexual abuse (it doesn't have to be full intercourse) then don't leave it too late otherwise the perpetrators will have died with that disgusting dirty smirk on their faces.

Name and address withheld

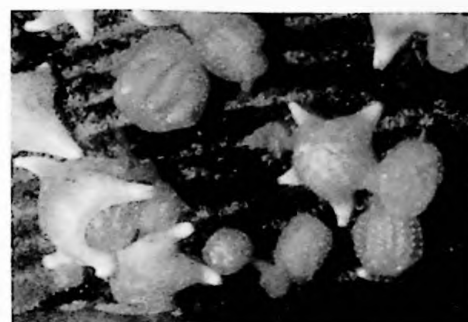
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A nudibranch (*Flabellina* sp.) crawls over a kelp holdfast



Diver ascending through *Macrocyctis pyrifera* kelp forest



Starfish (*Porania anatarectica*) gather to eat sea squirts (*Sycozoa* sp.)

Survey team plumbs the depths of an underwater wonder world

SCIENTISTS from the Shallow Marine Surveys Group have recently returned from a groundbreaking expedition to survey the marine flora and fauna of South Georgia by scuba diving.

The shallow marine life of the area is very poorly known with only six sites previously surveyed by diving. Based on the MV Pharos SG for the three week expedition, the team surveyed 46 sites over three depth zones, along the north coast of the island.

They collected 2,270 specimens of marine invertebrates, and specialists working with the group collected an additional 120 sponge and 160 seaweed samples.

Project officer Dr Paul Brewin said it was an "awesome opportunity" to gather information about a unique environment. "I'm looking forward to spending the next year analysing the data collected and examining and describing the specimens."

Giant kelp forests (*Macrocyctis pyrifera*) and trailing *Himantothallus grandifolius* algae dominated the seabed, providing a habitat for stripy topshells, giant red sea spiders, limpets, colourful sea slugs and a variety of starfish.

Beautiful overhangs and rock walls were also encountered, covered in a vibrant array of sea



The survey team enjoys the scenery off South Georgia. From left: Paul Brewin, Emma Wells, Steve Brown, Paul Brickley, Dion Poncet, Steve Cartwright, Jude Brown, Claire Goodwin

squirts, anemones and sponges. Cameramen for the trip, Steve Brown, Steve Cartwright and Dion Poncet, not only gathered quadrat photos for later analysis of species cover but also took some amazing footage of the playful fur seals which accompanied the team on every dive.

Specialists Dr Emma Wells (algae, Wells Marine) and Dr Claire Goodwin (sponges, National Museums Northern Ireland) joined the group for the expedition.

Emma said: "Although the diversity of algae is less than in the Falkland Islands due to the isolated nature of South Georgia, there were a number of interesting endemic species." Claire was particularly excited to encounter the

"volcano sponge" *Rosella* sp. in shallow waters. She said: "This belongs to a group of sponges called glass sponges which are normally encountered only in depths over 200m."

"Due to the fjordic nature of the South Georgia environments we found them here in only 8m."

The team of eight volunteers spent 11 days surveying down to 18m, a depth restriction imposed for safety reasons, as well as completing some intertidal surveys. Settlement plates were also deployed in three locations to determine if invasive species are present.

Dive Officer Judith Brown said: "The team coped well with the icy waters, with temperatures

down to 0oC at some sites. In total 64 hours were spent underwater without incident."

Dr Paul Brickley, chairman of the SMSG, said: "The expedition surpassed expectations due to unusually calm weather, the professionalism of the dive team and the outstanding support of the Pharos officers and crew."

"Outputs from the survey will include geo-referenced information on species diversity which will be essential for future marine management."

South Georgia Senior Executive Dr Martin Collins added: "This is important work for South Georgia."

"It is part of a larger programme investigating the marine environment of the South Georgia Maritime Zone that should lead to the designation of Marine Protected Areas and enable the Convention on Biological Diversity to be extended to South Georgia."

Support for the survey was provided by the Darwin Initiative and the Government of South Georgia and South Sandwich Islands, with additional funding and assistance from the Joint Nature Conservation Committee, British Antarctic Survey, the Shackleton Scholarship Fund, Byron Marine Ltd, Neil McKay Ltd, and Sullivan Shipping Ltd.



A seastar *Odontaster validus* impresses beneath the icy waters



A survey diver ascends with a bag of invertebrate samples



Janet Robertson

I would expect that MLAs are currently working on an overall PR strategy.

One tactic I would consider would be an open letter to the Argentine Government ensuring that a copy was sent to all major newspapers around the world, including the Argentine press, outlining the details of the economic blockade they are building against the Islands and the negative effects this policy has at both political and human levels.

On a lighter note, it would be highly desirable if a popular author were to write a summer blockbuster novel using the Falkland Islands political situation as a background to a story that is so gripping that it is immediately commissioned by a major Hollywood studio and turned into a film, starring Brangelina! (this may be tongue-in-cheek but if we are trying to change hearts and minds...)

Talk of the Town

Penguin News Vox Pop
As a former councillor, what advice would you give to your successors in regard to the escalating troubles with Argentina?



Ian Hansen

We should definitely be proactive in presenting our case to as wide an audience as possible. Do not weaken to pressure, however subtle, from any direction



Richard Stevens

Be strong and project a community, to Argentina, that will prevail. Don't do anything rash that might make people feel good for a couple of days but ultimately make the whole situation worse



Mike Summers

Be firm with the UK Government about necessary actions, talk to Parliament and the UK/European press about Argentina's illegal sanctions, and get out and talk to potentially supportive countries



Andrea Clausen

The general public has put its faith in the current elected government and so I believe it is advice from the public that should be sought. I believe that anybody elected by the electorate should be trusted to act in the best interests of the Falklands.



Richard Cockwell

I am sure that the present Assembly Members will be privy to information which is not available to the general public and will need no advice from me. However, an urgent face-to-face meeting with Foreign Office officials needs to take place to work out a strategy to handle the situation



Mike Rendell

Whilst I accept that Councillors have a lot to think about at the moment, I would strongly advise them to keep the population in the picture as much as possible - their silence makes a lot of constituents very nervous

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Book charts the remarkable lives of an amazing little wooden ship

AN English version of a book celebrating and detailing the three lives of a well-known and historic Falklands wooden vessel is now available in Stanley.

In 1927 an explorer and First World War hero, Gunther Pluschow, had a small but strong wooden ship called Feuerland built in Northern Germany.

Its intended purpose was to take him to Tierra del Fuego where it would serve as a floating base for his attempt to be the first man to explore this then little-known area and film it from the air.

While this first expedition was successful, a second, to Patagonia, led to Pluschow's death in Lago Argentino, when his tiny seaplane the Silver Condor crashed shortly after take-off.

By this time, however, his small ship had been sold to Captain John Hamilton, the owner of Weddell Island, and brought to the Falklands.

Here she was to remain for the next 78 years under her new name Penelope.

Most of this time was spent serving the needs of the farming community, carrying sheep, horses and supplies around islands and scattered settlements.

But, for a brief period during the Argentine occupation of the Falkland Islands in 1982, Penelope, now renamed ARA Penelope, was requisitioned to become the smallest ship in the Argentine Navy.

Serving aboard her as interpreter between the local captain Findlay Ferguson and her new

Argentine crew was an unwilling 19-year-old English-speaking conscript with pacifist tendencies, Roberto Herrscher.

His often hair-raising experiences aboard the Penelope were to change his life forever, and he realised he had not one, but many stories to tell.

Now a respected journalist living in Barcelona, Herrscher's experience on the Penelope set him off on a quest to learn the whole story of a vessel which was obviously of great significance in Germany, where it has now been returned.

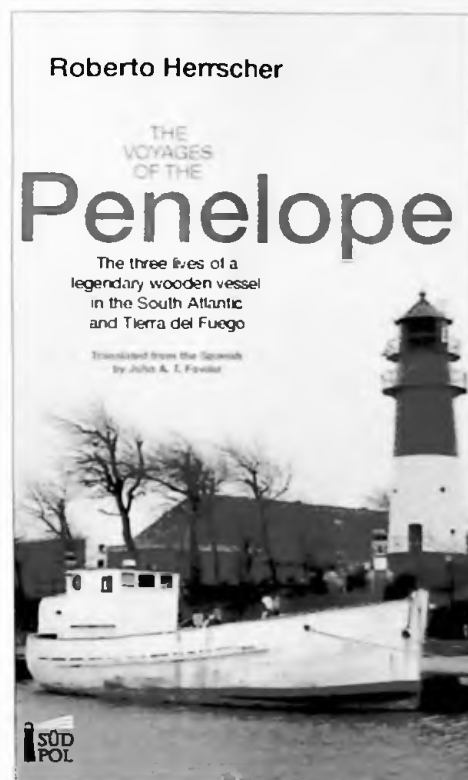
An odyssey to Germany, the Falklands Islands, Tierra del Fuego and Buenos Aires, as well as into the labyrinth of his own and his family's memories and those of his fellow crew members, was to result in this book.

The Voyages of the Penelope is a translation from the original Spanish by John Fowler.

It is dedicated to the memory of Jane Cameron whose assistance to the author was vital.

It is not just a comprehensive history of the three lives of the ship first known as the Feuerland, then the Penelope and finally ARA Penelope, but also, through a series of interviews, introduces many of the people who have been connected with her during her long and remarkable life.

The book is currently available at the Pink Shop and the Museum Shop, priced £12.95 or can be ordered directly from John Fowler on 51434 or email: fowler.at@googlemail.com.



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Laura, Leigh, Sonia, Emma and Caitlin modelling fashion for Project Runway at FICS

July

SEVEN young Islanders graduate with honours from British universities. They include Kimberley Finlayson (1st Class Applied Biomedical Science) and Zoran Zovic (Honours in Civil Engineering).

Unusually for her, Argentine President Cristina Kirchner stays quiet on the subject of Falklands sovereignty at this year's G20 summit in Toronto.

Emma Edwards challenges the UN's Decolonisation Committee to put human rights before politics and urges Argentina to cooperate with the Falklands over oil exploration for mutual benefit.

After two years of preparation by both public and private sectors, the Economic Strategy for the Falklands is released for public consultation.

Meat company FIMCO announces its best season to date, despite early bad weather, with local market turnover exceeding £300,000 for the first time.

A draft report by consultants Royal Haskoning suggests Port Harriet as preferred site for a new port, but FIG remains uncertain.

A Falkland Islands team of motorcyclists - Dereck Jaffray, Shane Blackley, Jay Moffatt and Sean Moffatt - competes with honour in the Welsh International Two Day Enduro.

Argos Resources becomes the fifth company to announce joining the current oil



Kelly Moffatt wears the flag at the Welsh Enduro

exploration effort and is immediately threatened with legal action by the Argentine government.

The UK government protests against Argentina's Presidential Decree 256/10 claiming that the Decree and its implementing regulations are not compliant with international law.

St Helena's long awaited airport gets the go-ahead. Newly released building plots at Mink Park are snapped up, with 18 of the 19 plots going to first-time house buyers.

Falkland Islands shearers compete in the Golden Shears World Shearing Competition in Wales. Lee Molkenbuhr and Jan Clarke come in 6th in the Team Shear Competition and are awarded the prize for the cleanest pen.

Following engine problems, travellers on the Falklands-UK Airbridge spend three days in Dakar, West Africa.

Eight Falkland Islands Girl Guides leave to take part in the Guides Centenary Camp at Harewood House near Leeds, Yorkshire.

Falkland Islands cricketers take part in a triangular contest between themselves, Falkland in Fife, Scotland, who are celebrating the club's 150th anniversary, and Falkland near Newbury in Berkshire. The matches take place at Scroggie Park in the grounds of Falkland Palace.

August

COUNCILLORS announce that the establishment of a minimum wage will be a priority. All employers are canvassed for their views.

Work starts on a container park on an area bordering the Airport Road to the east of the FIPASS access road.

Head of the Junior and Infant School since 2005, Nick Barrett leaves the Falklands.

The Public Accounts Committee seeks help from the public as it sets out on its inquiry into the Stanley Dairy failure.

Thirteen year-old Dale Evans finds what appears to be the skull of a warrah, the enigmatic Falklands fox or wolf that helped inspire the theories of Charles Darwin, but was wiped out in the 19th Century.

A healthy future for the Falklands rests not only on a healthy economy but also on a healthy growth in population, FIG's Economic Advisor Sonny José tells a public meeting on the Economic Development Strategy.

Willie Bowles is the first to receive the Queen's Certificate and Badge, a new local honour for those who have given exceptional service to their community.

The departure of cross-sound ferry Concordia Bay from dry dock in Montevideo is delayed when a nearby Korean fishing boat catches fire.

Four hundred Stanley householders complete

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2010 Review of the Year: part two

a survey on earwigs, which indicates that they are everywhere.

Director of Natural resources, John Barton announces that the first seven months of 2010 have been good for loligo and rock cod catches, though poor for illex.

Islander Teraaka Middleton, son of Stella and Phil Middleton, passes out from Sandhurst as a 2nd Lieutenant and is commissioned into the 3rd Battalion (Staffs) Mercian Regiment.

85th Birthday coin for the Queen approved.

September

ANDREW Fleming of the British Antarctic Survey proposes the creation of a new environmental research unit in the Falklands.

On its way to its final deployment in the Falklands, HMS Gloucester helps intercept a yacht carrying drugs off the coast of Africa near Cape Verde.

Five new teachers join the staff of the Community School and the same number also join the staff of the Infant and Junior School and Camp Education.

People power, including a 205-signature petition, prevents a residential development on an area in East Stanley formerly listed as green space.

In court in Australia, former manager of Stanley Dairy, Kevin Reynolds, admits stealing items worth \$AU20,000 from the dairy.

Legislative Assembly members confirm government support of the South American Atlantic Service (SAAS) vital shipping link with South America just days after Cllr Sharon Halford in a public meeting denies that the company receives any government subsidy.

Latecomers to the current round of oil exploration in the Falkland Islands, Argos Resources announce that they have identified seven prospects with a combined potential of 747 million barrels of recoverable oil.



GOODBYE GOVERNOR

farewelled at the end of his tour of duty on September 18.

Former Chief of the Royal Falkland Islands Police, Ken Greenland, is appointed for a year as the Falklands first Principal Complaints Commissioner.

October

PLANS are lodged with the Environmental Planning Officer for a private sector initiative to build a multi-million pound oil port at Port San Carlos.

Patrick Watts, former chairman of the Falkland Islands Overseas Games Association, is short-listed by the Commonwealth Games Association for a Lifetime Achievement Award.

New Governor Nigel Haywood arrives in the Falklands and is sworn in hours after his arrival in Stanley on October 16.

President of the UN Committee on Decolonisation, Donatus Keith Aimee, makes a four-day visit to Argentina.

Ex-President of Argentina Nestor Kirchner, widely tipped to stand again and win in the 2011 elections, dies.

Former Royal Navy chiefs, including 1982 Task Force Commander Julian Thompson, describe the UK decision to scrap the Harrier jet as "strategically and financially perverse."



December: Maurice Davis leading the field in the Governor's Cup on Dashing Dancer



October: five former chauffeurs say farewell to the Governor's historic red taxi

November

MANAGER of Falklands Brasserie, Alex Olmedo, informs staff that he cannot guarantee their jobs after December.

Members of Stanley Running Club, including Anton Wolfaardt and the Governor - both of whom go the full distance - accompany Marie-Louise Stenild on the first of a series of seven marathons to be run on seven continents in seven days for charity and a place in the Guinness Book of Records.

Ten teams compete in the annual Captain's Day golf tournament, won by "The Saints." Adam Glanville, Nick Stevens and Darren Wade.

Georgia Seafoods, part of the Fortuna Group, is one of more than 750 companies exhibiting at the 15th annual China Fisheries and Seafood Expo held in Dalian.

Problems with red tape face would-be importers to the Falklands wanting to use the SAAS shipping service from Rio Grande Brazil.

A team led by FIDF Commanding Officer Peter Biggs replaces the faces of the Cathedral clock which have been refurbished by Rob Yssel.

A planning application for the construction of an oil port at Smylie's Farm, Port San Carlos by a private consortium is deferred until more information is available.

December

FALKLAND Islands Fishing Companies Association Chairman Stuart Wallace blasts the Argentine Government for refusing to engage



November: happiness as budget fashion outlet Peacocks opens in the West Store

actively in the management of marine resources.

The Education Department's newly expanded Training Centre on Sapper Hill Road is opened by the Governor.

Police officers from Scotland Yard arrive in the Falklands with ground-scanning radar after fresh information believed to be in the form of a telephone tip-off reactivates the search for the Royal Marine, Alan Addis, who was last seen at North Arm in 1980.

British Prime Minister David Cameron reaffirms the UK's ongoing support in his first Christmas message to the Islands.

The long-discussed ban on smoking in public places is agreed by ExCo and will take effect in February 2011.

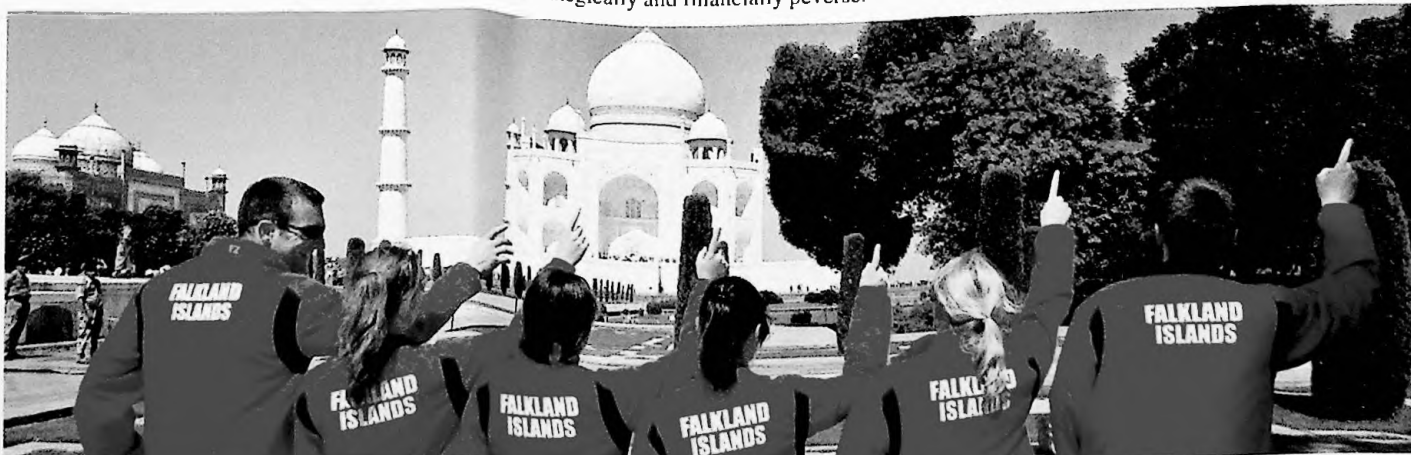
Rockhopper Exploration takes up two optional drilling slots on the Ocean Guardian rig.

Both schools in Stanley are currently without heads and get "could do better" reports from visiting Ofsted inspector.

Death announced of famous "I counted them all out and counted them all back" Falklands War reporter, Brian Hanrahan.

Battle Day, December 8, is commemorated in Stanley by the usual service and parade, and a ceremony at the Cenotaph in London, which is followed by the Annual General Meeting of the Falkland Islands Association at the Union Jack Club in London.

Veteran journalist with the Guardian newspaper, John Ezard, described by Falkland Islands London Representative Sukey Cameron as "a true and loyal friend to the Falklands," loses his fight with cancer.



October: not to be missed when in India, Falkland Islands competitors at the Commonwealth Games take time out to visit the Taj Mahal



December: Whoops-a-Daisy Angel at IJC

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Governor Huckle bids Islanders final farewell

FIG joins SAAS bid to save vital shipping link



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Teal Inlet + 3 hrs 30m
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Port Stephens + 3hrs 15m
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Berkeley Sound + 1 hr 11m
Port San Carlos + 2 hr 55m
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STANLEY LEISURE CENTRE - OPENING SCHEDULE

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Swimming Pool	Sports Hall / Squash Court	Exercise Suite
Friday 21st January 2011		
Lane Swimming	07:00-09:00	Public
O A P, Adults, Parents & Toddlers	09:00-12:00	Public
Lane Swimming	12:00-13:00	Public
Closed for Holiday Programme	13:00-14:00	Public
Public	14:00-15:00	Public
Lane Swimming	19:00-20:00	Public
Saturday 22nd January 2011		
Public	10:00-13:00	Members Only
Lane Swimming	13:00-14:00	Public
Public	14:00-16:00	Public
Lane Swimming	16:00-18:00	Public
Sunday 23rd January 2011		
Public	11:00-13:00	Public
Lane Swimming	13:00-14:00	Public
Public	14:00-17:00	Public
Lane Swimming	17:00-19:00	Public
Cricket Club 2-4pm & Hockey Club 4-6 pm		
Monday 24th January 2011		
Lane Swimming	07:00-09:00	Public
O A P, Adults, Parents & Toddlers	09:00-10:00	Public
Closed for Swim School	10:00-11:00	Public
Closed for Private Hire	11:00-12:00	Public
Lane Swimming	12:00-13:00	Public
Public	13:00-16:00	Public
Closed for Swim School	16:00-17:00	Public
Public	17:00-19:00	Public
Lane Swimming	19:00-21:00	Public
Badminton Club 7pm-9pm		
Tuesday 25th January 2011		
Lane Swimming	07:00-09:00	Public
OAP's, Adults, Parents & Toddlers	09:00-11:00	Public
Closed for School	11:00-12:00	Public
Lane Swimming	12:00-13:00	Public
Closed for School	13:00-16:00	Public
Stanley Swimming Club	16:00-17:00	Public
Public	17:00-19:00	Public
Ladies Only	19:00-20:00	Public
Lane Swimming	20:00-21:00	Public
Netball Club 6pm-7pm		
Wednesday 26th January 2011		
Lane Swimming	07:00-09:00	Public
OAP's, Adults, Parents & Toddlers	09:00-12:00	Public
Lane Swimming	12:00-13:00	Public
Closed for School	13:00-15:00	Public
Public	15:00-16:00	Public
Closed for Swim School	16:00-17:00	Public
Public	17:00-18:00	Public
Aquatics	18:00-19:00	Public
Lane Swimming	19:00-21:00	Public
Thursday 27th January 2011		
Closed for Cleaning	09:00-16:00	Closed for Cleaning
Closed for Swim School	16:00-18:00	Public
Closed for Training	18:00-19:00	Public
Lane Swimming	19:00-21:00	Public
Badminton Club 7-9pm		
Friday 28th January 2011		
Lane Swimming	07:00-09:00	Public
Closed for School	09:00-12:00	Public
Lane Swimming	12:00-13:00	Public
Closed for School	13:00-16:00	Public
Stanley Swimming Club	16:00-17:00	Public
Public	17:00-19:00	Public
Lane Swimming	19:00-20:00	Public

Falkland Islands Defence Force Routine Orders

Thursday 27 January 2011
Field craft Exercise-Sniper Walk
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STANLEY GOLF CLUB Contact Glenn Ross (Captain) on 27149 (work) or Tony Rocke (Secretary) on 28000 (work) for information regarding membership and forthcoming competitions. Normally competitions are held every Sunday morning from October through to April and the first Sunday of each month during winter. Draw at 9am and tee off time 9.15am. New members welcome

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

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

GUILD OF SPINNERS, WEAVERS & HANDICRAFTS Meetings Mon evening from 7.30pm, Thurs afternoon from 1.30pm. 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 - Lidda Luxton Tel: 21717 Secretary - Geoff Pring Tel: 21785 Treasurer - Chrs Bell, tel: 21078

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

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

STANLEY SUB-AQUA CLUB - Contact David McLeod Phone: 20836 (d), 20843 (h)

THE ROYAL BRITISH LEGION - FALKLAND ISLANDS BRANCH Meets on the first Monday of every month at the Hillside Mess at 7.45pm. Contacts: Chairman Marvin Clarke, Secretary Keith Biles (51897) Treasurer David Lewis (51527) website www.britishlegionfalklands.co.fk

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

JELLY TOTS CLUB Jellytots will now be held on Tuesdays from 1.45 - 3.30 and Thursdays from 10.00 - 11.30 in the Parish Hall. All under fives welcome, along with an adult. We have lots of toys and space to play in. Contact Wendy on 21179 or Rosie 22759

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 - 4pm. Contact Gordon Lennie Tel: 21667

KARATE CLUB - New Training Schedule Tuesday's 5.15pm - 6.10pm (juniors) 6.15pm till 7.30pm (seniors) Friday's 5.55pm (junior grades) 6pm till 7.00pm (seniors). All sessions held at IJS Hall. Cost: £1.00

ALCOHOL SUPPORT Contact Health on 28082 or Social Services 27296

ACORNS COMMUNITY GROUP, Day Centre, KEMH. Tuesday 9.30am - 11.30am, Thursday 9.30am - 11.30am and Thursday Evening, Drop-In 7pm - 9pm

HAND CHIME GROUP - Tuesday evenings from 8.00 to 9.30pm at 11 Nutt Cartmell Close. Anyone interested in joining should contact Eileen Davies on 22428 after working hours.

BABY CLINIC - 3 - 5pm every Wednesday

LIGHTHOUSE SEAMEN'S MISSION CAFE NEW HOURS
The Lighthouse Seamen's Mission Cafe now opens an hour earlier on Sunday. Our new hours are: Wednesday through Friday 10am to 4pm, Saturday and Sunday 11am to 4pm. Last order for hot food at 3pm. The Mission remains open as usual for Seafarers, at times displayed in the Mission window or by arrangement with individual - Vessels/Agents/Ship Owners

SAMA 82 FALKLAND ISLANDS TRUST Chairman - G Clement 52910 Treasurer K Ormond 52814 Secretary J Elliot 51765

FALKLAND ISLANDS STANLEY HASH (FISH) HOUSE HARRIERS welcomes new runners/walkers. Meets last Sunday of month at 1500 and also mid month

CHARITY SHOP Opening hours: Mon, Wed, Fri & Sat. 2-4pm. (Summer hours 2-5pm) Saturday morning, 10am - 12 noon.

FALKLAND ISLANDS FOOTBALL LEAGUE (FIFL): Contact the Committee for more information. Chairman - Ian Betts, Treasurer - Sharon Gilbert, Secretary - Andrew Newman

TEAM TRANQUIL (MENTAL HEALTH STRATEGY GROUP) c/o 16 John Street. Treasurer Ruth Taylor tel: 22169

LIBERTY LODGE email lodge.manager@cwimail.fk phone 22327 or 55327

FALKLAND OFF-ROADERS: email falklands4x4@yahoo.com

FALKLAND ISLANDS YACHT CLUB - Chairman - Tony Blake 51684, Secretary - Janet McLeod 53566, website www.falklandsailing.com

FALKLANDS SEA CADETS: Contact the CO 52779 or XO 51111

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).....Mount Caroline repeater, covering the north of the West Falkland including the cross sound ferry main operational area

146.625...Stanley to Mount Alice

147.825 (Duplex - 0.6).....Mount Alice repeater, covering the south of West Falkland.

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

Friday 21st January
 7:00 BREAKFAST
 10:15 THE WEAKEST LINK
 11:00 NIGEL SLATER'S SIMPLE SUPPERS
 11:30 THIS MORNING
 1:25 EMMERDALE
 2:10 CHEETAH KINGDOM Documentary series
 2:35 ITV News and BFBS Weather
 3:00 LOOSE WOMEN
 3:45 DEAL OR NO DEAL
 4:35 CELEBRITY COACH TRIP Reality series
 5:00 COME DINE WITH ME DOWN UNDER 5:25 GREAT OCEAN ADVENTURES
 6:05 CORONATION STREET
 6:30 BRITISH FORCES NEWS
 7:00 BBC NEWS
 7:30 EASTENDERS
 8:00 THE SECRET MEDITERRANEAN with Trevor McDonald
 8:45 BFBS WEATHER
 8:50 CHILDREN'S EMERGENCY
 9:20 THE GOOD WIFE Legal drama series
 10:05 BECKII: Schoolgirl Superstar at 14
 11:05 ASK RHOD GILBERT Comedy entertainment panel show
 11:40 THE GRAHAM NORTON SHOW
 12:25 BBC NEWS

Saturday 22nd January
 8:30 AN ISLAND PARISH
 9:00 JIMMY'S FOOD FACTORY Science series
 09:30 CLIMBING GREAT BUILDINGS
 10:00 DOCTOR WHO
 10:55 MASTERCHEF
 12:20 ZOO DAYS Documentary series based at Colchester Zoo
 12:45 TEENSVILLE The mission: to find out what life is like for teenagers living in Unst
 1:10 WONDERS OF THE SOLAR SYSTEM
 2:10 BBC SPORT Australian Open Women's Final Highlights
 3:40 PETE POSTLETHWAITE: a Tribute
 4:30 NATURAL WORLD Miracle in the Marshes of Iraq: Wildlife documentary
 5:30 FINAL SCORE
 6:10 TAKE ME OUT Dating series
 7:05 BFBS WEATHER
 7:10 THE MAGICIANS Prepare to be dazzled
 8:10 PRIME Romantic comedy about a divorced photographer who falls for a much younger man and turns to her therapist for advice about the relationship
 9:50 ABBEY ROAD DEBUTS: this programme showcases hotly-tipped new band Everything Everything
 10:00 BRITISH COMEDY AWARDS
 12:00 MATCH OF THE DAY Highlights from the Premier League, including title-chasing Manchester United against Birmingham, Arsenal v Wigan and Newcastle v Tottenham.
 1:20 THE FOOTBALL LEAGUE SHOW Derby County and Nottingham Forest clash in the npower Championship, while Bournemouth take on Brighton in a League One south coast derby
 2:40 BBC NEWS

Sunday 23rd January
 8:35 MATCH OF THE DAY Highlights from the Premier League, including title-chasing Manchester United against Birmingham, Arsenal v Wigan and Newcastle v Tottenham
 10:00 THE ANDREW MARR SHOW
 11:00 BRITISH FORCES NEWS: The Week in Afghanistan
 11:20 MASTERCHEF
 12:20 EXTREME UNIVERSE Documentary series

SEAFISH CHANDLERY

THIS WEEKEND IS Fresh FOODS FROM UK

Mon-Fri 8.00am-7.00pm Saturday 9.00am-6.00pm Sunday 10.00am to 5.00pm
 For more information see our web page: www.chandlery.co.uk

1:05 DINOSAUR SECRETS Cannibal Dinosaur: Documentary series
 1:50 JAMES MAY'S 20TH CENTURY BODY FANTASTIC: James May discovers just how far he can push his body, exploring some of the most remarkable medical advances over the last hundred years
 2:20 EVOLUTIONS Last Living Dinosaur: Documentary
 3:05 CITIES OF THE UNDERWORLD Series exploring the countless subterranean secrets concealed beneath the seemingly mundane streets of our modern cities
 3:50 REVEALED Who Feels British? Reporters Anthony Baxter and Adina Campbell journey across the UK to find out who feels British
 4:05 Deal or No Deal
 4:55 SMALLVILLE Drama series
 5:35 ALL STAR FAMILY FOR TUNES
 6:15 SKI SUNDAY Coverage of the longest, fastest and most arduous downhill race on the men's tour - Wengen's infamous Lauberhorn
 7:00 BFBS WEATHER
 7:05 WILD AT HEART
 7:50 DANCING ON ICE
 9:50 SILENT WITNESS Drama series about a team of forensic pathologists
 10:50 DANCING ON ICE: The Results
 11:15 BFBS WEATHER
 11:20 QI
 11:50 THAT SUNDAY NIGHT SHOW
 12:15 FILM 2011 with Claudia Winkleman
 12:55 BBC NEWS

Monday 24th January
 7:00 BREAKFAST
 10:15 THE WEAKEST LINK
 11:00 EGGHEADS
 11:30 THIS MORNING
 1:25 EMMERDALE
 2:10 COOK YOURSELF THIN
 2:35 ITV NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER
 3:00 LOOSE WOMEN
 3:45 DEAL OR NO DEAL
 4:35 CELEBRITY COACH TRIP Reality series
 5:25 COME DINE WITH ME DOWN UNDER
 5:50 GREAT MOVIE MISTAKES
 6:05 CORONATION STREET
 6:30 BRITISH FORCES NEWS
 7:00 BBC NEWS
 7:30 EASTENDERS
 8:00 WHO DOES WHAT?
 9:00 BFBS WEATHER

9:05 SILENT WITNESS Part two. Drama series
 10:05 NOT GOING OUT Sitcom
 10:35 BONES Scientific crime drama series
 11:15 THE HOSPITAL Documentary series
 12:05 TIGER WOODS: The Rise and Fall Documentary
 1:10 BBC NEWS

Tuesday 25th January
 7:00 BREAKFAST
 10:15 THE WEAKEST LINK
 11:00 LIFE IN A COTTAGE GARDEN with Carol Klein
 11:30 THIS MORNING
 1:25 HOUSE GIFT
 2:10 EMERGENCY ANIMAL RESCUE Documentary series
 2:35 ITV NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER
 3:00 LOOSE WOMEN
 3:45 DEAL OR NO DEAL
 4:35 BAKING MADE EASY
 5:05 ALAN TITCHMARSH'S GARDEN SECRETS
 6:05 CORONATION STREET
 6:30 BRITISH FORCES NEWS
 7:00 BBC NEWS
 7:30 EASTENDERS
 8:00 GRAND DESIGNS Property series
 8:45 BFBS WEATHER
 8:50 HUGH'S FISH FIGHT
 9:40 THE EVENT Fast-paced US conspiracy thriller
 10:20 UNDERCOVER BOSS High-flying company executives go undercover
 11:10 THE BRAIN: A Secret History Dr Michael Mosley continues his exploration of the brutal history of experimental psychology
 12:10 BBC NEWS

Wednesday 26th January
 7:00 BREAKFAST
 10:15 THE WEAKEST LINK
 11:00 JULIA BRADBURY'S GERMAN WANDERLUST
 11:30 THIS MORNING
 1:25 EMMERDALE
 2:35 ITV NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER
 3:00 LOOSE WOMEN
 3:45 DEAL OR NO DEAL
 4:35 GREAT BRITISH RAILWAY JOURNEYS Brighton to Crystal Palace
 5:05 ARE YOU FITTER THAN A PENSIONER?
 6:05 CORONATION STREET
 6:30 BRITISH FORCES NEWS
 7:00 BBC NEWS

Thursday 27th January
 7:00 BREAKFAST
 10:15 THE WEAKEST LINK
 11:00 SEASIDE RESCUE Documentary series
 11:30 THIS MORNING
 1:25 HOUSE GIFT
 2:10 SUPER NURSES
 2:35 ITV NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER
 3:00 LOOSE WOMEN
 3:45 DEAL OR NO DEAL
 4:35 A HISTORY OF THE WORLD
 5:05 MICHEL ROUX'S SERVICE
 6:05 CORONATION STREET
 6:30 BRITISH FORCES NEWS
 7:00 BBC NEWS
 7:30 EASTENDERS
 8:00 HOLBY CITY Medical drama series
 9:00 ZEN Detective Zen works against the clock to recover the kidnapped Ruggiero Miletto
 10:30 V A re-imagining of the classic 1983 sci-fi series about a race of seemingly friendly alien visitors, or Vs, who come to planet Earth
 11:10 THE IMPRESSIONS SHOW with Culshaw and Stephenson
 11:40 QUESTION TIME Topical debate, chaired by David Dimbleby
 12:40 BBC NEWS

7:30 CASUALTY
 8:20 OIL RIGGERS Documentary series
 9:05 BFBS WEATHER
 9:10 ARCTIC with Bruce Parry Siberia, Bruce Parry (Tribe, Amazon) returns with a new five-part documentary series set in the spectacular wilderness of the Arctic
 10:10 SUN, SEX AND HOLIDAY MADNESS
 11:10 MIRANDA Miranda isn't your average girly girl. At 6 ft 1, Miranda gets called Sir once too often
 11:40 RIPPED FROM THE COCKPIT: BA Flight of Terror Documentary exploring the remarkable story of a British Airways passenger jet that narrowly avoided disaster following an incident at 17,000 feet
 12:30 BBC NEWS

Friday 28th January
 07:00 BREAKFAST
 10:15 THE WEAKEST LINK
 11:00 NIGEL SLATER'S SIMPLE SUPPERS
 11:30 THIS MORNING
 1:25 EMMERDALE
 2:10 CHEETAH KINGDOM
 2:35 ITV NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER
 3:00 LOOSE WOMEN
 3:45 DEAL OR NO DEAL
 4:35 GREAT BRITISH RAILWAY JOURNEYS Waterloo to Canary Wharf
 5:05 LAST CHANCE TO SEE AMAZONIAN Manatee
 6:05 CORONATION STREET
 6:30 BRITISH FORCES NEWS
 7:00 BBC NEWS
 7:30 EASTENDERS
 8:00 THE SECRET MEDITERRANEAN with Trevor McDonald
 8:45 BFBS WEATHER
 8:50 CHILDREN'S EMERGENCY
 9:20 THE GOOD WIFE Legal drama
 10:05 YOUNG, DUMB AND LIVING OFF MUM
 11:05 ASK RHOD GILBERT Comedy entertainment panel show
 11:40 THE GRAHAM NORTON SHOW
 12:25 BBC NEWS

Billings correct at time of going to press but subject to change until actual transmission. Tune into BFBS Radio/Television for up-dates.



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 07:00 Breakfast Show with Trina Bernsten
 09:00 The Morning Experience with Ailie Biggs
 10:00 News & Lifestyle with Liz Elliot to include: 12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
 11:30 One to One
 1:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM
 4:00 News & Jukebox with Scott Betts
 6:00 News & Repeat of One to One
 6:15 Weather, Flights, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
 6:30 Tuesday's Theme with Monica Limburn
 6:45 Simply Classical
 7:45 Folk Music Show with Jock Elliot
 8:30 Weather, Flights & His of the 80's & 90's with Liz Roberts
 10:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM
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 6:15 Weather, Flights, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
 6:30 The Best of... with Lise Gill
 7:30 Drama Presentation
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 7:30 Feature Presentation
 8:00 Pot Luck with Myriam Booth including Weather & Flights at 8:30
 10:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM

Saturday 22nd January
 9:00 - 12:00 The Saturday Morning Show with Lise Gill
 5:00 Children's Corner with Monica
 6:15 Weather, Flights, Anno's, Job Shop & What's on Guide
 6:30 News Review
 7:00 In Concert
 8:00 The Fusion with Stacy Bragger
 10:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM
Sunday 23rd January
 5:00 Music, Music & All That Jazz with Norman Clark
 5:30 Desert Island Discs - American Crime Writer - James Ellroy
 6:15 Weather, Flights, Announcements, Job Shop & What's on Guide
 6:30 Feature Presentation - The Age of Genome
 7:00 Sunday Evening Service - St Mary's
 8:00 Slow Jams with Jock Elliot including weather & flights at 8:30
 10:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM
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 07:00 Breakfast Show with Trina Bernsten
 09:00 The Morning Experience with Ailie Biggs
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Friday 28th January
 07:00 Breakfast Show with Trina Bernsten
 09:00 The Morning Experience with Ailie Biggs
 10:00 News & Lifestyle with Liz Elliot to include: 12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
 1:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM
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 7:30 Feature Presentation
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 10:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM

Saturday 29th January
 07:00 Breakfast Show with Trina Bernsten
 09:00 The Morning Experience with Ailie Biggs
 10:00 News & Lifestyle with Liz Elliot to include: 12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
 1:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM
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 7:30 Feature Presentation
 8:00 Pot Luck with Myriam Booth including Weather & Flights at 8:30
 10:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM

Sunday 30th January
 07:00 Breakfast Show with Trina Bernsten
 09:00 The Morning Experience with Ailie Biggs
 10:00 News & Lifestyle with Liz Elliot to include: 12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
 1:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM
 4:00 News & Jukebox with Scott Betts
 6:00 News & Repeat of Spotlight
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 7:30 Feature Presentation
 8:00 Pot Luck with Myriam Booth including Weather & Flights at 8:30
 10:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM

Monday 31st January
 07:00 Breakfast Show with Trina Bernsten
 09:00 The Morning Experience with Ailie Biggs
 10:00 News & Lifestyle with Liz Elliot to include: 12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
 1:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM
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 8:30 Weather, Flights & His of the 80's & 90's with Liz Roberts
 10:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM
Tuesday 1st February
 07:00 Breakfast Show with Trina Bernsten
 09:00 The Morning Experience with Ailie Biggs
 10:00 News & Lifestyle with Liz Elliot to include: 12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
 12:30 Spotlight
 1:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM
 4:00 News & Jukebox with Scott Betts
 6:00 News & Repeat of Spotlight
 6:15 Weather, Flights, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
 6:30 The Best of... with Lise Gill
 7:30 Drama Presentation
 8:30 Weather & Flights followed by The Chart Show with Jason Lewis
 10:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM
Wednesday 2nd February
 07:00 Breakfast Show with Trina Bernsten
 09:00 The Morning Experience with Ailie Biggs
 10:00 News & Lifestyle with Liz Elliot to include: 12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
 1:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM
 4:00 News & Jukebox with Scott Betts
 6:00 News & Repeat of Spotlight
 6:15 Weather, Flights, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
 6:30 The Best of... with Lise Gill
 7:30 Drama Presentation
 8:30 Weather & Flights followed by The Chart Show with Jason Lewis
 10:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM
Thursday 3rd February
 07:00 Breakfast Show with Trina Bernsten
 09:00 The Morning Experience with Ailie Biggs
 10:00 News & Lifestyle with Liz Elliot to include: 12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
 1:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM
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 7:30 Drama Presentation
 8:30 Weather & Flights followed by The Chart Show with Jason Lewis
 10:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM
Friday 4th February
 07:00 Breakfast Show with Trina Bernsten
 09:00 The Morning Experience with Ailie Biggs
 10:00 News & Lifestyle with Liz Elliot to include: 12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
 1:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM
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 6:00 News & Repeat of Spotlight
 6:15 Weather, Flights, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
 6:30 The Best of... with Lise Gill
 7:30 Drama Presentation
 8:30 Weather & Flights followed by The Chart Show with Jason Lewis
 10:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM
Saturday 5th February
 07:00 Breakfast Show with Trina Bernsten
 09:00 The Morning Experience with Ailie Biggs
 10:00 News & Lifestyle with Liz Elliot to include: 12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
 1:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM
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 6:00 News & Repeat of Spotlight
 6:15 Weather, Flights, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
 6:30 The Best of... with Lise Gill
 7:30 Drama Presentation
 8:30 Weather & Flights followed by The Chart Show with Jason Lewis
 10:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM
Sunday 6th February
 07:00 Breakfast Show with Trina Bernsten
 09:00 The Morning Experience with Ailie Biggs
 10:00 News & Lifestyle with Liz Elliot to include: 12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
 1:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM
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 7:30 Drama Presentation
 8:30 Weather & Flights followed by The Chart Show with Jason Lewis
 10:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM

Monday 7th February
 07:00 Breakfast Show with Trina Bernsten
 09:00 The Morning Experience with Ailie Biggs
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Fisheries Department Catch for period 8 to 12 Jan 2011 Number of Licenses

Licence Type	Eligible for Period	Fishing During Period
Total	19	10
A	4	0
F	1	0
L	1	1
S	1	0
W/Z	12	9

A= All Finfish
F/R =Skate/Ray
L=Longliner
S=Surimi

W/Z Restricted Finfish (no Hake)

Catch by Species (tonnes)

Species	Total catch
Loligo	0
Illex	0
Hakes	0
Blue Whiting	1
Hoki	38
Kingclip	11
Toothfish	22
Red Cod	8
Ray	23
Rock Cod	624
Others	1
Total	728

Department of Agriculture Wool Market Report 13th January, 2011

Jan Campbell, Department of Agriculture, Falkland Islands
The Australian wool market has started 2011 on a wonderfully high note, up 70p to a record 729 pence per kg. This is a real price increase, and not an exchange rate artefact. It is thought to be driven by a shortage of supply, with floods and strange seasons in Australia possibly affecting wool supply in the future. Demand for Falkland Island wool is very strong too, and we at DoA are working hard to keep on top of wool testing to get wool on the market. Farm incomes here will benefit greatly from what is now a sustained wool price increase as the shearing season progresses.

Week ending	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	28	30	32
15/12/2009	642	587	522	508	494	478	442	379	319	251	215	185
14/01/2010	682	626	566	559	538	520	479	390	341	269	230	196
02/09/2010	718	625	541	528	517	509	480	421	359	270	237	211
07/10/2010	759	659	586	572	552	530	486	448	386	277	241	219
04/11/2010	903	765	647	617	591	560	518	472	416	299	262	247
02/12/2010	990	787	630	616	584	560	516		414	302	275	258
16/12/2010	1028	822	655	638	607	576	519	441	399	305	278	258
13/01/2011	1160	964	727	707	670	639	565	478	432	330	294	266
Market Change	132	142	72	69	63	63	46	37	33	25	16	8
Price year ago	674	615	552	542	522	505	465	390	331	282	224	189
Change from last year	72%	57%	32%	30%	28%	27%	22%	23%	31%	26%	31%	41%

Coffee break Sudoku and quiz

Sudoku by Colin Lang

		9			2
6	3			5	
	1		9		2
	6		5	4	1
	7		2	6	8
	2		6		3
3	4			1	
		8			6

- The town of Budge Budge is in which country?
- In anatomy, the dorsum is better known as which part of the body?
- In 1947, who was the first person to break the sound barrier?
- Meaning 'heavenly woman', from the Greek word after which an element and planet are named, who was the Greek muse of astronomy?
- What type of creature is a noctule?
- What colour is the flower of the milk thistle?
- The twisted tusk of which sea creature is said to protrude from a unicorn's head?
- The city of Astrakhan lies on which river?
- Which US president, known commonly by his initials, was born in Stonewall, Texas in 1908?
- Actor and comedian, and half of a famous double-act, Arthur Stanley Jefferson was better known by which name?

Answers to last week's quiz:

- Messerschmidt
- The Walkman
- Ukulele
- Sloe
- Monopol
- Seville
- The toast generally starts butter-side up in the hand or on the table, and the typical distance to the floor only allows time for half a revolution, i.e., a turn through 180 degrees,
- Nine miles walking per week
- Alan Rudkin
- Alaska

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From left: Jayne Glover, Peter Morris, Alan Glover, Sandra Morris and OSEO Tom Christensen

Star visitors lay wreath for the Merchant Navy

THE role played by Britain's Merchant Navy in 1982 was recognised during the recent visit to Stanley of the Star Princess, when Tom Christensen of Princess Cruises braved appalling weather to lay a wreath at the 1982 Memorial on behalf of the Merchant Navy Association.

Among the small group of passengers accompanying the Star Princess's Occupational Safety and Environment Officer were Sandra and Peter Morris of Bideford in Devon, who had brought the wreath on behalf of

the Merchant Navy Association's National President, Vivian Foster, who is a personal friend.

Mrs Morris spoke to the Penguin News about Vivian Foster's campaign to raise the level of public awareness of the Merchant Navy Association.

Among other activities, she has raised £50,000 for the first memorial to the men and women of the Merchant Navy to be constructed on Tower Hill in London.

Fellow passenger the Rev Alan Glover, who was accompanied by his wife Jayne, led prayers and

made a short address after the wreath-laying in which he referred to the valiant, but often forgotten service of the Merchant Navy during the 1982 conflict.

The Merchant Navy Association, which describes itself as a "member driven organisation" was established in 1989. In its website, www.red-duster.co.uk, it describes its mission as "to bring all serving and retired seafarers together in a spirit of companionship, consideration, and commitment towards a united lobby for the Community of the Sea."

Big airport expansion for Santiago

LONG queues on arrival at Santiago's airport from international flights may become a thing of the past when the airport is expanded to accommodate millions more passengers, according to a recent report in the Santiago Times.

The ten million passengers expected to pass through Santiago's Arturo Merino Benítez International Airport this year represent a 13 per cent increase on the previous year and exceeds the airport's designed capacity by half a million.

A new \$US40 million plan being developed by the Chilean Ministry of Public works will expand the capacity of the airport to about 14 million people a year. The renovation is expected to be completed by 2013.

The plan being discussed includes expanding the existing terminals, increasing the international police presence and modernising the baggage handling system. There are also plans to update customs and the arrival area for domestic and international flights.

The traffic through the airport is expected to continue to rise to an estimated 50 million passengers annually by 2045.



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A better understanding of raptors and livestock

LAST year saw Falklands Conservation implement a scoping project to investigate the impacts of birds of prey, or raptors, on the livestock of the Falkland Islands.

This five month project had four goals:

- collate historical reports and summarise economic impacts of raptors on sheep farming
- to interview ten landowners to better understand their perceptions of raptors on their farms, lamb loss levels, and conservation status of raptors
- to undertake a preliminary census of raptor abundance in order to identify potential study sites.
- to field test various capture, marking and tracking methods for study species

Historically, shooting of birds of all kinds, including raptors, was prevalent across the Islands.

However, this practice has been changing in recent years, with shooting of wild birds declining.

We could not address the core issue of raptor-livestock conflicts without the participation and support of landowners, thus one pillar of the project was landowner perceptions of the issue.

We interviewed the owners of ten farms, covering many of the different environments found in the Falkland Islands. We found that opinion regarding the impact of raptors varied significantly, partly due to the presence of different species, and partly due to the different practices of each farm.

All of the individuals we spoke with were keen to see changes in the management of raptors to alleviate the problem, while having the least detrimental impact upon wildlife.

Another information gap was to do with capture, marking and tracking of individuals of each species. We could not hope to collect useful information without first knowing that we were able to safely and humanely capture the birds and follow their movements.

We tested four methods of capturing birds; one of the best for



Sam Cockwell surrounded by a flock of Striated Caracaras



Tracking the birds

Photo: Roo Campbell

the Striated Caracara was a simple hand-operated string snare, showing that complicated and/or expensive is not necessarily best.

We went on to fit leg bands to both Striated Caracara (Johnny Rook) and Southern Caracara (Carancho). We also attached GPS logging devices to a small number of birds, using a "backpack."

Neither of these tags had any lasting impact and, in as little as an hour from the tags being fitted, birds were seen to behave and socialise normally. We also fitted Turkey Vulture and Southern Caracara with patagial (wing) tags which was similarly successful.

In addition to tracking individual birds, we spent time observing lambing flocks on West Falkland, looking out for any interactions between birds of prey and lambing ewes or young lambs.

While we did see birds feeding upon afterbirth and some older carcasses we did not see any actual predation at that time.

However, this does not mean that predation does not occur as during this time several farmers reported sightings of predation by raptors. We simply didn't observe any in our observations, highlighting the need for a more extensive survey.

Given the successes of the past six months, and the sensitivity of this issue among the conservation and agriculture communities, we are hopeful that our work can be extended and expanded upon in the coming year.

We are currently seeking to undertake a more comprehensive survey of farmers and spend more time observing flocks for interactions.

Falklands Conservation would like to thank everyone who has helped out with this project over the last seven months.



Banded Striated Caracaras

Interaction is mostly beneficial

MUCH of the famous wildlife on the Falkland Islands occurs on farm land. This interaction is mostly beneficial; the sea birds and mammals bring in the valuable plant nutrients that are not only lacking here but are also being harvested in produce.

Occasionally it goes wrong - there are undoubtedly cases of predation by birds of prey - but the long term aim of the raptor project is to quantify this and to put this into perspective as well as develop preventative management systems.

Attacks on sheep are often birds simply cleaning up carrion, but they look bad.

As such there is no commercial loss and even a gain in fly control and nutrient recycling.

Unfortunately a lambing ewe or a new born lamb is temporarily compromised and attacks on these animals do represent a true commercial loss.

In the middle are the sick or dying animals that get attacked, often a brutal sight but again not the primary problem.

Our view at DoA is that strong, healthy and well fed animals are more resilient and less likely to be taken on by a predator.

However, we also accept some rogue birds are a primary problem, and we sit on the committee that issues destruction permits.

The bottom line, though, is that the more views we seek from the farmers who work with this, and the better understanding overall, the better we will be to manage the system.

Ian Campbell

Department of Agriculture

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Sarah drives her way to her second record in a month

THE Morrison (Falklands) Ltd golf competition was held on Sunday at Stanley Golf Club.

The Morrison's competition is the fourth in a series of six competitions that make up qualifying for the Island Games and therefore very important for any players wishing to qualify.

Conditions were fine and the scoring reflected this, with a lot of very good scores. Top of the pack was Sarah Bowles who broke the Ladies course record for the second time in a month. Sarah shot 74 for a nett 64.

Graeme Hay took second place with a nett 65 after a very good round of 77. Third, missing out on a count back to Graeme, was Troyd Bowles who shot 70 for a nett 65.

Best front nine went to Timmy Bonner and best back nine was Roy Reynolds. Nearest the pin on the fourth hole went to Roy Smith and on the 17th, Tony McMullen. Longest drive was won by Kevin Clapp. Mike Butler, Regional Manager of Morrison (Falkland) Ltd, was on hand to present the prizes, and the Golf Club thanks



Sarah Bowles and Mike Butler

the company for its continued kind sponsorship of this event.

As far as the Island Games qualifying is concerned, Kevin Clapp sits on top of the leader board, and Sarah Bowles is not far behind in second.

The next qualifier is the Stanley Open with both rounds counting towards qualification. The Open is scheduled for the first weekend in February, and next week is the Bread Shop Competition.

Troyd Bowles

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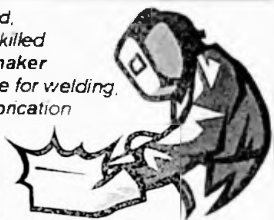
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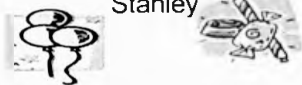
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Narrows Bar

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Myriam's Country Music this Saturday starting at 8pm. Live Music by Andi Neate on the 28th - ticket only event after 9.30pm. Check out Andi's website for further information www.andineate.co.uk Andi has already performed at the Narrows with The Pushers and the Fighting Pig Band so you know who she is!!

Please pre-book your tables for the Friday night buffet - 6.30pm - a choice of 3 main courses and 2 desserts for £9 per person. No food is served on Tuesday or Wednesday.

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Please note that the following committee meetings will be open for public attendance during the forthcoming week:

Education Committee – Tuesday 25th January at 1.30pm in the Liberation Room, Secretariat

Stamp Advisory Committee – Tuesday 25th January at 2.00pm in the Post Office

Standing Finance Committee – Thursday 27th January at 3.00pm in the Liberation Room, Secretariat

Mineral Resources Committee – Friday 28th January at 10.00am 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.

FIFL League Table 17/01/11

Team	P	W	D	L	F	A	PTS
Sealed PR	8	5	0	3	20	13	15
Sullivan Bluesox	7	4	1	2	16	13	13
Seafish Chandlery	7	1	1	5	9	19	4

Top Goalscorers

Georgie Elbakidze 8, Wayne Clement 5, Andreas Balladares 4, Michael Poole 2, Len Ford 2, C Gilbert 2, Matt Nethercott 2, Michael Betts 2, Kyle Biggs 2,

Jordan Phillips 2, Patricio 2

Fixtures: Fri 21st Jan 6pm K/O

Sealed PR v Seafish Chandlery

Officials - Sullivan Bluesox

**At close of business
January 20, 2011**

**Change over
previous week**

Falkland Oil and Gas Ltd	99.50	+2.50
Falkland Islands Holdings	308.50	+3.50
Desire Petroleum	42.00	-2.50
Rockhopper Petroleum	357.25	+23.00
Borders & Southern Petroleum	66.00	+2.75
Cable & Wireless	48.95	-0.64
Standard Chartered PLC	£17.12	-0.34

NOTICES/VACANCIES

The Falkland Islands Company - Vacancies**Warehouse Order Clerk**

A position exists in the Falkland Islands Company Ltd for a Warehouse Order Clerk. The job involves working as part of a small team developing the Company's range of products for sale in its retail departments.

The position will include:

Receipt and despatch of goods
Dealing with customer orders and enquiries
Interacting with other members of staff
Daily invoicing and end of week sales
Stock control-maintaining an up to date record and receipt of cargo
Costing- pricing items for re-sale in the Company's retail Departments
Custom/Immigration Declarations- assisting with paperwork

The right applicant must be:

Assertive
Good at working as in a team but also able to work on their own
Possess good communication and interpersonal skills
Able to meet deadlines whilst working under pressure in a busy environment
Ready to work weekends and public holidays if and when necessary
Demonstrate a good level of computer literacy although training can be given.

Salary will reflect successful candidate's experience and qualifications.

For further details of this position, please contact Justina Peters the Warehouse Manager on 27641 or on e-mail jf.whse@horizon.co.fk

Job Vacancy exists for a Full-time Cafe/Deli Manager for the West Store Retail Complex.

The role involves managing the day to day running of both the Cafe and Deli within the West Store. The right applicant must show previous experience of managing high turnover cafe/restaurant, hold some qualifications in catering and have a knowledge of food hygiene training.

The Manager must be able to create new and exciting menus and products in order to promote both the Cafe and Deli. The Manager will be expected to be responsible for the staffing and training of this Department.

The successful candidate would be required to work public holidays, weekends and extra hours during the Tourist Season. For further details please contact Tara Francis on 27660.

The Falkland Islands Company Ltd has vacancies for **Handymen** for a period of up to one year. A good knowledge of carpentry, roofing, plumbing and general building work is required, together with the ability to work unsupervised and at heights. Candidates must also have experience in masonry work, painting and decorating.

For further details please contact Roger Spink on 27600 or write in with a CV to our Crozier Place offices. The closing date for applications is 28th January 2011.

Full-time and Part-time Customer Service Assistants are required for the West Store Retail Complex.

Applicants must be aged 18 years and over and be willing to work flexible hours, including weekends, evenings and public holidays. You should be pleasant, confident and will need to be versatile and happy to undertake any aspect of work within the West Store Complex, Cafe and new Peacocks clothing section. The position will include the operation of computerised tills and organising of new stock.

For further information, please contact Leanne Henry on 27661. Application forms are available from the West Store Foodhall.

The Malvina House Hotel has a vacancy for a Full-time kitchen porter.

Duties include cleaning of dishes and cutlery from the restaurant, pots and pans etc and keeping our new kitchen in a clean & tidy manner at all times.

Hours of work are 50 hours a week over 6 days which include weekends and bank holidays. Annual leave of 30 paid days is provided.

Applicants must be able to work well as part of a team in a busy kitchen and have pride in their areas and keep the kitchen in a pristine order and willing to do as required by the head chef and his team.

For further details contact Carl or Matt on 21355 or 21360

The Malvina House Hotel has vacancies for 2 Assistant Chefs. The applicants should be fully qualified to NVQ level 2 or equivalent and have at least two years experience in a busy restaurant. Hours of work are 50 per week over 6 days, which includes weekends and public holidays.

Accommodation for these positions can be provided if required.

For full details on this position contact Matt the Head Chef on 21355 or 21356.

Radiographer required for maternity cover. Must have a BSc or equivalent in Radiography, be HPC registered with a minimum of 2 years post qualification experience. For more details email naldridge@kemh.gov.fk

TJ's are seeking to employ stevedores for the season.

Applicants must be physically fit and willing to work shift patterns day and night, inclusive of weekends at FIPASS and also on vessels in Port William/Berkeley Sound. For more information please telephone 31119 or 41012.

**Islands Games
Isle of Wight**

25th June - 1st July 2011

Any spectators intending to go to the IOW Island Games this year please contact Mike Summers to arrange accreditation. This will entitle you to free transport on all games buses and free entry into sports venues. We may be able to assist with accommodation depending on numbers.

Contact Mike on 21042 or 5421 or email m.j.summers@horizon.co.fk

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FALKLAND ISLANDS GOVERNMENT VACANCIES

Public Works Department Administrative Officer – Maternity Cover

Hours: 37.5 hours per week
Salary: Grade E, commencing at £19,824 per annum
Further Information: Contact Ms Karin Sanchez, Administrative Officer, on 27197 during normal working hours. Closing Date: Thursday 27th January 2011

Property & Municipal Section General Handyperson

Hours: 37.5 hours per week
Salary: Grade H, commencing at £12,648 per annum
Further Information: Contact Mr Glen Williams, Works Manager, on 27177 during normal working hours. Closing Date: Monday 24th January 2011

Attorney Generals Chambers Legal Secretary for approximately 13 months

Hours: Part Time (Negotiable)
Salary: Grade F, commencing at £17,016 per annum, pro rata
Further Information: Contact Barbara Steen, PA, on telephone 28464 during normal working hours. Closing Date: Friday 4th February 2011

Leisure Centre Part Time Receptionist

Hours: 37.5 hours per fortnight
Salary: Grade H, commencing at £6,492.64 per annum
Further Information: Contact Steve Dent, Recreation Manager, on telephone 27285 during normal working hours. Closing Date: 24th January 2011

Casual Sports Attendants

Hours: 37.5 hours per week
Salary: Grade H, commencing at £6.49 per hour
For Information: Contact Steve Dent, Recreation Manager, on telephone number 27285 during normal working hours. Closing Date: 4th February 2011

Health & Social Services Department Hospital Manager

Hours: 37.5 hours per week
Salary: Grade A, commencing at £39,486 per annum
Further Information: Contact the Human Resources Department, on telephone 28420 during normal working hours. Closing Date: 31st January 2011

Health Care Support Workers/ Drivers/Security Workers

Hours: Casual Basis
Salary: hourly rate dependant on work undertaken
Further Information: Contact Candy Blackley, Hospital Administrator, on telephone 28000 during normal working hours. Closing Date: 4th February 2011

Education Department – Infant & Junior School Primary School Teacher – Maternity Cover

Hours: 37.5 hours per week
Salary: Grade C, commencing at £29,340 per annum
Further Information: Contact Karen Steen, Acting Head Teacher, on telephone 27294 during normal working hours. Closing Date: 4th February 2011

Job Descriptions and application forms for the above positions can be obtained from the Human Resources Department – telephone 28420, fax 27212 or e-mail HRclerk@sec.gov.fk

Stanley Electrical Ltd have a vacancy for a photocopier technician to service and repair Xerox Photocopiers. The preferred applicant would have experience in electrical and computer systems, but in the absence of these skills a willingness to learn is essential as full training will be given. Applicants must have a full clean driving licence and a valid passport, as some overseas work would be expected. Rates of pay will depend on ability and age.

Contact Steve Vincent for further details or to arrange an interview. Phone 22061 or email steve@printshop.co.fk Closing date for applicants is 31st January 2011

Falklands Brasserie Job Vacancies

Kitchen Assistant – Full Time
Assistant Chef – Full Time
Waiter/Waitress – Part Time
Kitchen Assistant – Part Time

For the above positions we require reliable and hard working people, willing to work unsociable hours, weekends and public holidays. No experience required for the kitchen assistant as training will be given. Assistant Chef needs to be fully qualified with at least three years of experience, skills and ability for pastry work would be an advantage. For any of the positions please contact the Manager Alex Olmedo on 21159/52510. Closing dates for applications Friday 28th February 2011.

FALKLAND ISLANDS TELEVISION

Falklands Island Television Limited is a new company owned equally by KTV and Stanley Services Limited. The TV channel will start broadcasting later this year and will produce its own local news and current events programmes, initially two to three times a week.

Camera Operator / Producer – a position exists for camera operator / producer who will deal with all technical aspects of filming, editing and producing the television programmes and advertising content. This position will suit someone with an interest in the "behind the scenes" aspects of the media but may at times also involve presenting the television programmes themselves. Again there will be the necessity to work weekends and evenings as dictated by the news stories of the day. No previous experience is necessary for this position as full training on both the equipment to be used and on presentational skills will be provided.

Attractive salaries are on offer for the right person. For further information please contact Steve Fowmes at Stanley Services Limited on 22631 or Mario Zuvic at KTV on 22349. Applications should be submitted to Steve Fowmes, Financial Controller, Stanley Services Limited, Airport Road, Stanley. (e-mail sfowmes@stanley-services.co.fk) by Monday 31st January 2011.

Stanley Running Club

Half Marathon Training Schedule

Week 5 (24 Jan - 30 Jan)

Tue	Thurs	Sat	Sun
4M or 35 mins easy, off-road if possible	4-5M of fast-and-slow, with bursts up the hills (but not down them)	4M or 35 mins easy, off-road if possible	4M or 35 mins easy, off-road if possible



Adam Henry. Happy 18th Birthday for today. Lots of Love Mum, Dad, Lucianne, Nan and Granddad xxx

We would like to thank all those who made our day so very special! Our drivers Shane, Jonathan, Roger, Pecker, Eddie and Andrew. Our parents for all their help and support! Manfly, Demi, Caprice, Darby, Tanya and Kate for being amazing ladies, Konner for being so good, Jon and Gary for the photos, Lee, Jax, Jill & Jon the ushers, Cyndi, Angie, Michelle and all the crew for their finishing touches! Arlette, Glynis and Tanya for hair and makeup, Sarah for her taxi service, Pam for the flowers, Michelle for the awesome cake!

There are far too many to thank, but you know who you are! so thank you all very much for giving us a day we will never forget! xx Donna and Wayne

Bridge results for Wednesday 19th January:

1st Bob Alazia & Burnerd Peck
2nd Priella & Peter Mason
Booby Rene Duncan & Joyce Allan



Happy 2nd Birthday Aaliyah. Have a lovely day. Lots of love & kisses from Mummy, Daddy, Jacob & Nanny xxxxx



Happy 16th birthday Remelia. Hope you have a fantastic day. Love from your Family

To those who remember our father, Yvonne and Vernon advise that

Robert Bertram STEEN passed away peacefully in Mount Gambier, South Australia on Wednesday, 29th December, 2010. Aged 93 years.
Rest in peace

We would like to say a huge thank you to everyone who helped to make our special day so amazing. Especially Paul the bestman and Justine, Sarah, Stacey and Kerri the older bridesmaids for waiting on us hand and foot and all their help before and after the day. Keirah and Kallista our little bridesmaids for being so amazing. To Lynne for doing the little bridesmaids hair and helping to get them ready, Kimmi and Teenie for the beautiful hair and make-up and for helping the bride get into her dress. To Jill and her helpers for helping with the decoration of the FIDF club and hall, to Rev Richard Hines for a humorous and enjoyable service, Gary for the photos, Kevin for the beautiful wedding cake, Jaes for the reception buffet and Dale, Tanya, Carla and Stu for the wedding meal. Thank you to all those who helped out behind the bar, Pam for the beautiful flowers and balloons and to everyone who helped in anyway but have not been mentioned - you all made our day the perfect start to our life together. *Spurs and Donna.*

We would like to thank all those who made it possible for Renata Valeria to arrive happily and healthily into the world. Especially Paul the bestman and Justine, Sarah, Stacey and Kerri the older bridesmaids for waiting on us hand and foot and all their help before and after the day. Keirah and Kallista our little bridesmaids for being so amazing. To Lynne for doing the little bridesmaids hair and helping to get them ready, Kimmi and Teenie for the beautiful hair and make-up and for helping the bride get into her dress. To Jill and her helpers for helping with the decoration of the FIDF club and hall, to Rev Richard Hines for a humorous and enjoyable service, Gary for the photos, Kevin for the beautiful wedding cake, Jaes for the reception buffet and Dale, Tanya, Carla and Stu for the wedding meal. Thank you to all those who helped out behind the bar, Pam for the beautiful flowers and balloons and to everyone who helped in anyway but have not been mentioned - you all made our day the perfect start to our life together. *Spurs and Donna.*

Quisieramos agradecer a todas las personas que hicieron posible que Renata Valeria, llegara sana y feliz a este mundo. En especial a Jackie, Valerie Allan, Nina, Dr Roger Diggle y staff del KEMH y todos nuestros amigos por sus muestras de cariño, preocupacion, tarjetas de felicitaciones y presentes. Muchas Gracias. Rodolfo (Reno) Johanna (Rena), Renata Valeria (Renita). A mi tia Valerie Allan. Gracias por tu profesionalismo, cariño y amor conmigo y mis padres. Y estar conmigo en mi nacimiento. Es en honor a ti que llevo tu nombre, con mucho orgullo. Y se lo hare saber a mis amigos cuando sea mas grande. Con mucho amor y cariño. Renata Valeria Borquez Leiva y Papas. A mi abuelita Marcela, por cuidarme en mis primeros dias de vida. Te amo. Renata Valeria y papas

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 2. Suzuki King Quads both runners 2 would make 1 good one.
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 1. Haybob
 1. 300 gallon twin axle Herbst fuel bowser with inbuilt 12 volt transfer pump.
- Offers To Ben Bernsen Elephant Beach Farm. For viewing and further info. Contact Mike & Nikki on phone 41019 or Ben on 41020

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To Clear
Two pallets of engineering bricks. Take the lot or take a few. Telephone 21571.

Could anyone with equipment borrowed from KENH please return it to hospital reception. Any sticks, crutches or Zimmer frames would be particularly valued. Thank you.

The Annual General Meeting of Stanley Kids Zone will be held on Thursday 27th January at 7.30pm at the nursery. All are welcome to attend and if you would like any more information the please contact Stanley Kids Zone on 21954.

There will be a public presentation by **Newton Investment Management** on Thursday 27th January at 5.30pm in the Liberation Room. The presentation including questions and answers is expected to last no more than one hour. Please come along if you would like to learn more about the way Government's reserve funds are invested.

House for Sale

Large (approx. 220 sq.m.) modern two-storey house. Open-plan living space; all the mod-cons and several luxury features inc. huge spa bath and steam cubicle. 3/4 big bedrooms, easily converted to 4/5 bedroom. Master suite includes en-suite shower room and walk-in closet/dressing room. Good sized plot of land in quiet part of town with surprisingly gorgeous views. Wonderful family home, but with definite potential for business use. Viewing on arrangement. Contact David or Leona on 53002 or 22172 evenings for more information

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and probably just a small amount
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Saturday 05 February 2011 - 7.00 p.m.

FIDF Hall

An IJS PA Production

£110 for a table of up to 6 people

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Tickets available from Sally Ellis,

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HOUSE FOR SALE

9 Brandon Road, Stanley is up for sale and available in April. 3 bedrooms, sitting room, kitchen, dining room, porches front and back. Garage. Cultivated gardens. Viewing by appointment. Interest/offers to Arthur and Josie Nutter 21267.

SHACKLETON SCHOLARSHIP FUND

The Shackleton Scholarship Fund takes this opportunity to remind applicants for Quality of Life scholarships that the closing date for receipt of applications to be considered this year is 31 March 2011.

Application forms can be downloaded from www.shackletonfund.com. Completed applications and any queries should be addressed to Sally Ellis, Secretary, Shackleton Scholarship Fund on paul.sally@horizon.co.fk or P O Box 307, Stanley.

NOTICES

FOR RENT from 1 March 2011
Fully furnished house at 24 Hansen Hill

3 bedrooms (master en-suite), bathroom, sitting room with dining area, well equipped kitchen and utility room. Outstanding views. Off street parking. For further details contact Cat and Smiler Jaffray on cat.smiler@yahoo.co.uk or Lisa Jaffray on 53551.

Members of the Legislative Assembly will be holding a public meeting on Tuesday 25 January 2011, 5pm in the Parish Hall, Christ Church Cathedral. This will be an open meeting. Should you have any questions that would require research please could they be sent to Gilbert House on email assembly@sec.gov.fk by 4.30pm on Thursday 20 January.

Exciting opportunity to learn about mosses, liverworts and lichens from four visiting researchers. All welcome. The following two workshops will include brief introductory lectures as well as hands-on practical work so that you can look at a range of local examples. Monday 24th January 5-7 pm, science lab, FICS. Introduction to mosses and liverworts. Wednesday 26th January 5-7 pm, science lab, FICS. Introduction to lichens. Contact Rebecca at Falklands Conservation on 22247 for more details.

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(A novel set in 1982 Falklands)
Copies of my book Dry Ice are available from

A Lowe at The Murrel Farm
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Signed copies from myself
falklandbirds@hotmail.com

Twilight Sports

Due to a lack of volunteer help Twilight Sports will no longer carry on, until further notice. SLC will put a circular around FICS in the first week of school letting everyone know what is happening. If you are able to help in any way as a volunteer, for as small a time as you can, contact the Recreation Manager on 27285 or 55632.



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NOTICES

See page 17 for 'Narrows News'

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Wanted to buy: Sea Kayak or similar 55966

Wanted: To rent from 12th - 19th Feb inclusive, 3 or 4 bedroom furnished house. Contact Hamish on 55341

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Head for FICS put on hold

ASSISTANT Director of Education, Richard Fogerty reported to the Education Committee on Tuesday that recruitment for a new Head Teacher for the Community School had been put on hold whilst "discussions on possible reorganisation are held with the Director of Health and Education on his return from the UK."

The meeting was told that an advertisement placed in early December had brought forth a significant number of applicants for the head teacher post, who had now been advised of the delay.

Mr Fogerty said that the discussions referred to were between the Chief Executive and the Director of Health and Education and that he was himself unaware of what options were being discussed at this stage. The Chief Executive is currently in South Georgia and therefore unavailable to comment.

Questioned by Penguin News, Director of Health and Education David Jenkins said, "At this stage I can only confirm that a number of options are being considered for the role of the Head Teacher at FICS however, I wish to emphasise that these are purely considerations at the moment and that no decision has yet been made on the way forward. This is an issue that will be discussed further in the coming weeks."

Mr Fogerty confirmed on Wednesday that Acting Head Mrs Helen Bell, has agreed to continue to fill that role until the headship issue is decided.

New-born baby in Catch-22 trap



Johanna Leiva and Rodolfo Borquez at home with baby Renata

FEATURED on page nine among the other babies born in December is Renata Valeria Borquez Leiva, whose birth although she is too young to know it, has resulted in her parents being involved in a classic Catch-22 situation.

Little Renata is the daughter of Johanna Leiva, who until recently was one of the smiling faces behind the counter in the West Store's café and Rodolfo Borquez, who works for the Seafish Chantry.

The phrase Catch-22 which is used to describe any situation where rules are contradictory and impossible to comply with, comes from the novel of the same name by American writer Joseph Heller which was later made into a very successful Hollywood blockbuster.

The book's hero is a combat-weary American airman who tries

to get himself grounded on the grounds of insanity. Unfortunately trying to get out of his situation by asking for an evaluation of his mental health is considered by his superiors as being in itself a sufficient proof of sanity.

When Renata was born in the KEMH, Joanna and Rodolfo had assumed that she would automatically acquire Falkland Islands status and were disappointed to discover that since the introduction of the new Constitution in January 2009, being born here is no guarantee of status.

Disappointment turned to dismay, when the couple discovered that they would have to apply to the Chilean Consul in London in order to acquire a Chilean identity document for their daughter. This process, they were informed would take a minimum of three

weeks, but could, in fact, take much longer.

In the meantime, the couple's relatives in Chile are clamouring to see the new arrival and Johanna is especially anxious to show her new-born to her great grandmother who is old and in a very precarious state of health.

Johanna has been told by the Chilean authorities that she could travel to Chile with Renata if she took with her the child's birth certificate and a letter from Rodolfo giving his daughter permission to travel.

Despite this assurance strict airline rules mean that the baby cannot be allowed on LAN's international flight from the Falklands to Chile without an identity document.

As the baby's father, Mr Borquez obviously feels frustrated and is angry that his baby seems to be for a time at least trapped in the Falklands, a victim of a loophole, which may not have been provisioned by the writers of the Constitution, but which denies his rights as a parent.

In a meeting with Legislative Assembly Member, Dick Sawle on Thursday morning, Mr Borquez was offered help with the necessary paperwork, but advised that his situation, though frustrating, was one which had probably been encountered before by other work permit holders.

John Fowler

Biggest ever cruise ship day on Wednesday

MORE than 11,000 tourists will visit the Falklands in the next week, making it possibly not only the busiest week ever but certainly the biggest single day ever with 6,561 passengers from three ships expected on Wednesday.

It will also be one of the biggest days for the Government cof-

fers with the potential to make more than £150,000 from harbour dues and passenger taxes.

But the build up is gradual: today three smaller ships, the Ocean Nova (84), Prince Albert II (132) and MV Hanseatic (194) visit Stanley. On Sunday the Aurora (1,950) calls into Stanley

while the Sea Spirit (110) calls at Bleaker Island before making her way into Stanley for the latter part of the day.

Monday brings the Veendam's 1,350 passengers to Stanley and on Tuesday it is time to draw breath in readiness for the big one.

Crystal Symphony (1010),

Star Princess (3102) and Infinity (2449) are all scheduled to be in Stanley on Wednesday.

The week draws to a close with the Black Watch (868) visiting West Point on Thursday before making its way into Stanley on Friday where the Seabourne Odyssey (450) will also be visiting.

FATAL ROAD ACCIDENT * EAST AND WEST WEDDINGS * CCTV IN ACTION

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ONE of the responsibilities of a journalist, or indeed anyone like me who tends to pontificate publicly, is to get things right.

Last week, barely had the ink dried on the latest copies of the Penguin News when I discovered that in two instances at least I had got things very wrong.

In the first case, ascribing the remarks relating to the sentencing of Marie Clifton to the Chief Justice rather than to the Chief Magistrate, I was guilty of making an incorrect and unsubstantiated assumption, based on the fact that I knew Chief Justice Gardner was in the Islands and thought - wrongly as it turned out - that Chief Magistrate John Trevaskis was still abroad. I apologise humbly to all parties concerned.

Still smarting from a deserved rebuke from former Chief Magistrate Keith Watson, I received a phone call from Legislative Assembly Member, Sharon Halford, who holds the health portfolio, asking me what was the basis of my accusation of bullying in the hospital.

Reading the letter which I had mentioned in my editorial again more carefully, I realised that I had read it wrongly and that the writer had been concerned with all aspects of bullying in the workplace and had not accused any particular place of work. The hospital had been mentioned only in the context of using the number of people that it treats for work-related stress as a possible indicator of the incidence of bullying throughout all the workplaces in the Falklands.

I must therefore once again put on my grovelling trousers with the leather knee patches and beg the readers' pardon for a misleading accusation. The job of the hospital staff is surely difficult enough without having to deal with false accusations and I must apologise to them for any distress that my careless reading may have caused.

There were various rumours about the hospital in circulation some time ago and I believe it is these that may have caused me to make a wrong assumption - more evidence, if any were needed, of how dangerous rumours can be.

I am relieved to hear from Cllr Halford, that these rumours were investigated in depth at the time and dealt with appropriately.

If I may now get up off my knees and start sewing together again any garments I may have rent asunder as evidence of my unworthiness, I would hope that these unforgivable instances of sloppiness on my part do not detract from the message about individual responsibility that I - in common with Chief Police Officer Gary Finchett in our separate ways - have been trying to convey.

How our society conducts itself is the responsibility of us all as individuals. In the courts we may be judged to be innocent until proved guilty, but we should not rely on the courts alone to change the ways of the guilty or on the police to bring all the potentially guilty to court, without our help.

John Fowler



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Farm worker dies in West road accident

A SINGLE vehicle road accident on West Falkland on Saturday has left one man dead and another seriously injured.

Gilbert (Gil) Giles aged 63 was pronounced dead at the scene while Alistair Minto (51) sustained serious neck and spinal injuries.

Both men were airlifted by a British International Helicopter to the King Edward Memorial Hospital in Stanley.

Mr Minto was medically evacuated to Chile the following day.

Both men were Chartres residents and were believed to have been driving from Hill Cove to their home in a 110 Land Rover.

The Brintel helicopter was covering for the RAF Search and Rescue Service due to both their usual helicopters being grounded, one for essential repair and the other for a routine engine change.

The closest landing area to the RTA was three miles away at Hill Cove and it fell to the residents to prepare and light that area in time for the arrival of the rescue helicopter.

Commenting on the accident, Director of Community Safety and Chief Police Officer Gary Finchett said: "This was an excellent response from the West Falkland First Response Team and the military which was not without its challenges. Members of the community on West Falkland acted with total professionalism and dedication on the night of this incident, particularly Marie-Paul Guillaumot and her daughter Marilou from Dunbar Farm, Tony Hirtle from Hill Cove and Dr Becky Edwards from Port Howard.

"This was a very difficult and challenging situation to be confronted with in an isolated area of West Falkland and these individuals, with excellent support from other members of the community, worked tirelessly and professionally together to ensure that everything that could be done for the two casualties at the scene was done prior to the arrival of the helicopter. Enquiries into the circumstances

of the collision are continuing and a report is being compiled for the Coroner. Our thoughts are with the families and friends of both men at this time."

An inquest into the death of Mr Giles was formally opened on Thursday and was adjourned pending the outcome of the pathologist's report and further investigations into the incident.

Mr Minto was still in the intensive care unit at the Clinica Alemana in Santiago on Thursday recovering from an operation to a fractured bone in his neck on Monday night. He was waiting to hear from an orthopaedic surgeon whether a further operation was required. His family were hopeful that he may be out of ICU in the next couple of days.

The First Response team on West Falkland is an initiative by Helen Marsh with assistance from Steve Dent, prompted by a serious road accident several years ago.

More than 20 people scattered across the West have now taken an extensive first aid course and team member Clare Cockwell said the incident on Saturday showed how important it was for them to attend the scene of an accident with the proper equipment.

It was assumed that a medical evacuation would take place from the scene of the accident, however when that was not possible, the spinal board and sufficiently trained people were there to safely shift the patient, said Mrs Cockwell.

The team are hoping to get another set of equipment together to be held at a location other than Fox Bay. Given the remoteness of some locations, the inclusion of a satellite phone could be the biggest life saver of all.

Plans are underway for a training course in the winter. "We'd like to see as many people get involved as possible, whether they are updating and practising existing skills, learning something new, or acting as 'victims' in an exercise for a couple of hours," said Mrs Cockwell.

Ships in Stanley harbour

for the week ending January 26



Vessel	Type	Vessel agent	Departed
Faxaborg	Chase	Stanley Services	Jan 19
Toisa Invincible	Supply	Byron Holdings	Jan 20
C.Columbus	Cruise	Sullivan Shipping	Jan 21
Fenny	Chase	Stanley Services	Jan 21
Linda C	Chase	Stanley Services	Jan 21
Bravo Supporter	Supply	Stanley Services	Jan 23
Maersk Traveller	AHTS	Byron Holdings	Jan 23
Pelagic	Yacht	Private	Jan 23
Sil	Trawler	Seaview Ltd	Jan 25
John Cheek	Trawler	FIC	Laid up
Ernest Shackleton	Research	BAS	16 Jan
James Clark Ross	Research	BAS	
Maersk Pacer	AHTS	Byron Holdings	
Dira	Yacht	Private	
Northanger	Yacht	Private	

Broken anchor prevents Insignia from putting passengers ashore

LOCAL tour operators were distressed on Sunday when the cruise vessel Insignia with 677 passengers aboard failed to put any of them ashore, despite remaining all day and into the evening in Port William.

The MPA Meteorological Office informs us that during the day the mean wind speed recorded at Stanley Airport was between 25 to 30 knots, which does not take into account gusts. It was not until around 5pm that the wind moderated slightly to just below 20 knots.

According to the ship's agents, Sullivan Shipping, these conditions, which by themselves might have been sufficient to cause a ship's captain not to put in to Stanley,

were compounded by Insignia breaking off one of its three anchors in Port William.

Uncertain as to the ability of the ship to hold its position and in view of the strong wind, at around 9am, the Captain made the decision not to deploy the tenders necessary to get ashore passengers for pre-booked excursions, though he left open the possibility of a free tender service later in the day should the wind have abated.

Sullivan's agent, Elvio 'Migs' Cofré who was on the Insignia's bridge in Port William says of the ship's Italian captain, "It is unfair to say he didn't give it a fair go."

Once the decision not to land passengers had been taken it would

have been normal for the ship to depart. On this occasion, however, Insignia had to remain to take on fuel as its next destination was the Antarctic Peninsula.

Bunkering from a tanker began in mid afternoon and the ship did not leave Port William till around 9.15pm. It was this continued and visible presence of the ship which fuelled the frustration felt by shore excursion providers, especially as the wind continued to moderate and the evening was fine.

While FIG benefitted from the payment of harbour dues and customs fees, the passenger tax of £18 per person, which would have amounted to £12,186, was not collected.

Re-consult RTO

REPLYING to enquiries as to what was happening with the new Road Traffic Ordinance which had been ongoing for some six years, Councillor Edwards said at Tuesday's Public Meeting that the weighty RTO was being delivered to the Assembly in four chunks. Councillor Jan Cheek added that it was the feeling of this council that there was a need to re-consult, she said.

Penguin plea

SOME scientists may be inadvertently harming penguins with the metal bands they use to keep track of them a new study says. The survival rate of King penguins with metal bands on their flippers was 44 percent lower and fewer chicks were produced according to research published in the journal Nature.

Mini Sports

THE Stanley Sports Association Mini Sports take place tomorrow (Saturday) starting at 1pm. A fun packed programme of gymkhana, racing and foot events for all the family has been arranged as well as a licensed bar and food outlets.

Court news

ALENA Dawn Scott who had previously entered a not guilty plea to a charge of unlawfully and maliciously wounding appeared in court on Friday after she broke her bail conditions. No action was taken and she is to reappear in court on February 8

New role

THE Chamber Council have announced the appointment of Miss Naomi Summers to the position of Office Manager for the Chamber of Commerce. A spokesperson said Naomi brought an extensive experience in both the shipping and retail sectors, as well as a strong background in accounts and office management to the role.

With regret

WE regret to report the death in Southampton of Clive Allan at the age of 74 years. Clive had been in indifferent health for some time but died suddenly in Southampton General Hospital on January 21. He is survived by his son Erwin in Southampton and brother John in the Falklands.

Bomb scare

A LAN flight between Buenos Aires and Rio Gallegos on Sunday made an unscheduled landing in Comodoro in response to a bomb threat. A search revealed nothing of a suspicious nature.

New Islanders enjoy encounters of a rare kind

RESIDENTS of New Island have been fortunate enough to have had several encounters with rare wildlife visitors this summer.

Penguin News covered the visitation of a young Leopard Seal to the island's Protector Beach in October.

In November, a young Weddell Seal was found lazing on the beach at the North End of New Island – the very same seal then returned to the same beach just recently on January 14.

New Island resident Georgina Strange explained that Weddell Seals are rare visitors to the Falkland Islands; they are an Antarctic seal species which prefers the fast ice near the shores of the Antarctic



Royal Penguin



Weddell Seal

A Grey-headed Albatross was also recorded at New Island's settlement colony in December, and last week a Royal Penguin was found amongst the Rockhoppers at the same colony.

Georgina said, Royal Penguins breed only on the subantarctic island of Macquarie which lies in the Southern Ocean, about half way between Australia and Antarctica.

Royal Penguins are migratory but little is known about where they go outside of the breeding season.

Royal Penguin picture by Ana Almeida and Weddell Seal by Georgina Strange

continent. They breed and rear their pups on the ice and maintain ice-holes nearby for access to the sea to forage for their main prey which is fish, such as the Antarctic Cod and Antarctic silverfish.

On January 5, a second Weddell Seal was encountered on a sand beach at Beaver Island during a survey of Dolphin Gull foraging areas. Georgina reported that both seals seemed to be healthy.

Lots of posts but no signs



TRAVELLERS on the Falklands road network will have noticed a plentitude of sign posts but a severe shortage of signs attached to them particularly in the area known as Huckle's

Corner, which at Tuesday's Public Meeting, Councillor Bill Luxton said would look like a forest when completed.

Councillor Roger Edwards said £100,00 for the signs had been included in the roads programme budget for this year and it was his understanding that it was a case of waiting for the signs to arrive in the Falklands.

MLA's first year allowances

Members of the Legislative Assembly's taxable allowances amounted to a total of £139,858 in the last year with Councillor Dick Sawle the highest earner at £28,438.35.

Councillor Roger Edwards representing the Camp constituency slipped into second place with £23,209.35 and Jan Cheek was the third highest earner with £20,666.04.

Councillors Glenn Ross and Emma Edwards received the least allowance as they are both employed by the Falkland Islands Government. This means that they are only paid when they are officially on holiday from their respective employments with the Power and Electrical Department

and Education Department.

Councillor Dick Sawle also received the highest allowance for attending local meetings and in this area Camp representative Sharon Halford was hot on his heels with Jan Cheek having attended just slightly less meetings.

Assembly Members are paid £126 per full day and £63 for a half day they attend meetings as part of their respective portfolios.

Reimbursed expenses are non-taxable and amounted to £12,802.07 for the seven members who made claims. Councillor Gavin Short did not claim any reimbursements. Non-taxable expenses include travel, accommodation, internet and telephone.

FIOGA prepares biggest team ever for Isle of Wight

PREPARATIONS for the NatWest Island Games XIV on the Isle of Wight in June are moving forward in a number of areas.

Entries have now been submitted from seven sports clubs, representing athletics (4), badminton (10), football (18), golf (6), shooting - Pistol and Shotgun (7), shooting - full bore (2) and swimming (1) supported by eight team sports officials and three managers.

There are expected to be 39 male competitors and nine female competitors in total. All clubs and participants are in active training for their respective events, and we wish them the best of good fortune in their preparations.

The Falklands team of around 60 will be the biggest team the Falklands has sent to any multi-sports event, and is a major logistical exercise for all concerned.

Accommodation for the team has been allocated at Cheverton Copse, near Sandown Golf Club (www.chevertoncopse.com) and

we hope also to be able to include some allocation for spectators supporting our teams.

FIOGA is in active discussion with a number of parties about travel arrangements to UK, though these can only be finalised when final team make up is known. We are unlikely to be able to make any travel arrangements for spectators.

None of this is possible without the generous support of our long term sponsors Falkland Islands Holdings/Caribbean Alliance, Cable & Wireless and FIG, who have now been joined by Stanley Services Ltd (SSL).

SSL have committed £5000 per annum to FIOGA on an ongoing basis, in addition to their continuing support in other sporting areas. We are also grateful to our other supporters and contributors and members of the public who give so generously to support our sports men and women.

The recognition of the role of sport and exercise in a healthy life-

style is at the core of FIOGA's philosophy, and its contribution to the health of the community is vital.

FIOGA is also pleased to announce that, in accordance with the revised Constitution, Patrick Watts has been appointed as a Vice-President of FIOGA, in recognition of his long and dedicated service to sport in the Falklands, and the development of overseas sports participation in particular. We look forward to Patrick continuing to represent the Falklands at our sporting events.

For more information on the Falkland Islands Overseas Games Association and its activities go to www.fioqa.co.uk

For more information on the NatWest Island Games go to www.natwestislandgames2011.co.uk or contact Mike Summers - Chairman 21542 or 54211, Steve Dent - Vice-Chairman 27285 or 55632, Beth Reid - Secretary 55392, Michael Poole - Treasurer 28003

Mike Summers

Nick wins first major tournament

THE second major of the golfing season was held on January 9, in windy but pleasant conditions.

The President's Bowl, sponsored by McGrigors LLP, is one of four competitions played during the golf season with the winner getting their name on the honours board in the clubhouse.

18 players signed in and the majority returned good Stableford scores in the mid thirties. Nick Stevens was however, head and shoulders above the rest, returning a winning score of 38 points. This is the first major win for Nick and is well deserved for one of the most consistent players in the club.

Two of the golf club's longest serving members made up the minor placings with Adrian Lowe finishing second on a count back from Tony McMullen, both players scoring 36 points.

Darren Wade won Best Front Nine and Sarah Bowles won Best Back Nine. Nearest the pin on the 7th was Steve Vincent and Troyd Bowles was nearest on the 12th. On a day of many long drives due to the helping wind it was Roy Smith who won the prize for Longest Drive, incredibly with a 5 wood. There were also a large smattering of birdies and one eagle by Roy Reynolds on the 10th.

The Golf Club would like to thank McGrigors LLP for their continued sponsorship of one of the Club's flagship competitions.

Decor Services medal

The January Monthly Medal, sponsored by Decor Services was won by Darren Wade with a nett two under par round of 65. Sarah Bowles was second on a count back.

The February Medal has been moved to later in the month and the Stanley Open will now be held on the first weekend of February.

Junior Badminton players show promise for future overseas games

THE Stanley Badminton Club held their first junior tournament of the year on January 10.

With a mixture of winners, some being with the Club a couple of years, and others joining the Club during 2010, the tournament showcased serious contenders for overseas games in future years. With Rebecca Pantaney back to continue training in April, their future is in good hands.

Anna Luxton who recently played at the Com-



Tobi Adeoye, Ross Stewart, Aaron Franks, Anastasia Markhina, Anna Luxton, Vicky Williams and Hannah McPhee

monwealth Games in Delhi presented the medals on behalf of the Club.

Results

Men's singles:

Ross Stewart

Women's singles:

Anastasia Markina

Men's Doubles: Aaron

Franks & Tobi Adeoye

Women's Doubles:

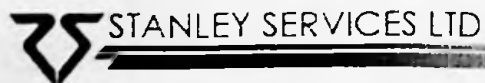
Hannah McPhee &

Anastasia Markina

Mixed Doubles: Vicky

Williams & Aaron Franks

More sport on page 15



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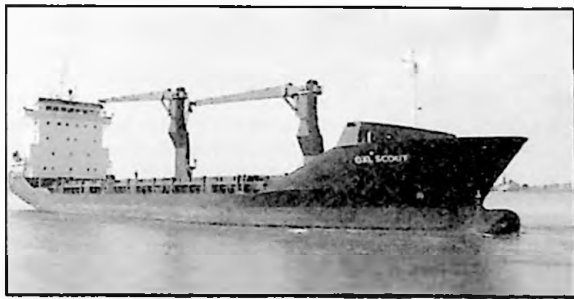
You have to trust us, Cllrs tell the electorate

THE lack of information forthcoming from the Assembly about the current situation with Argentina and shipping links in particular was a source of serious concern among the electorate, a member of the public told the eight councillors present at Tuesday's Public Meeting.

He said he appreciated their comments about not discussing sensitive issues in public, but there had been such a silence since the New Year that the electorate now needed to be told something. There had been a lot of negative press in the media but nothing in response. "Perhaps SAAS is commercial in confidence, but we need to know what is happening – why aren't you jumping up and down and kicking some arse," he asked.

Councillor Jan Cheek assured that they were all working hard in the background, while Councillor Dick Sawle said the bottom line was that the electorate was going to have to trust the Assembly.

Councillor Enma Edwards said she had recently visited the Foreign and Commonwealth Office in London and had spelt out in very basic language the effect Argentina's programmes were having on the Falklands. She said it was her belief from those



SAAS vessel Scout - uncertainty lies ahead for shipping links to the Falklands

discussions that the FCO was working very hard on the Falklands behalf.

Councillor Gavin Short said that as he saw it, stealth was the only way anything positive could be achieved.

There should be a more robust response to Argentina's actions, was the view of Councillor Bill Luxton which was backed up from the floor by a member of the public who said that about a year ago the FCO had also said they would like to see a more robust stance from the Falklands. The propaganda and negative media had little effect on the Falklands population, but the perception of the outside world was a concern, he said.

It was agreed that people should continue to get the Falklands story across where possible and that by writing to national and regional newspapers was one way of reaching a broad

spectrum of the British public as well as on online forums.

Councillor Sharon Halford noted that tour guides and local drivers could also spread the word while one tour guide said he handed out a 44 page booklet by Graham Pascoe and Peter Pepper called *Getting it Right* (www.falklandshistory.org) to interested passengers

in the hope they would read if not all of it, at least the summary which gives an excellent overall view of Falklands history.

In the meantime in conjunction with FIG, Edelman, the world's largest independent public relations firm are working on the PR Strategy for the Falkland Islands. Their remit includes the requirement to provide strategic and tactical advice to FIG in relation to all public relations and media issues internationally (particularly the European Union, the United States and South America) in the UK and in the Falkland Islands.

The Public Affairs arm of Edelman have worked with FIG since 2003. The FIG sought expressions of interest from PR companies and Edelman were selected after a detailed process of interviews and presentations.

The PR budget is £64,000 per annum.

Give us two minutes...



Jennifer Davie

1. What is your most prized possession?

A sapphire and diamond ring given to me by my godfather and his partner for my 21st birthday.

2. What is the best piece of advice you have ever been given?

Take people as you find them, not as others find them.

3. If you had a motto, what would it be? Veritas - it was originally my school motto.

4. What was your most embarrassing moment?

In the Falklands, asking John Rowland when I first met him which part of New Zealand he came from.

5. If you could set up a business in the Falklands what would it be? You'll find out when I make my comeback to the Islands...

6. What in your everyday life drives you crazy? Inefficiency.

My own and everyone else's!

7. What is your nickname and why? Komodo. A (now!) affectionate term given to me by my flatmates at university. They were having an after party in our flat; I was asleep and suffering from flu. Needless to say they received a "fire breathing" reception and the name stuck.

8. If you could travel anywhere in the world, where would it be? Anywhere that has knee-deep powdered snow and sunshine? I'm a ski addict. However, my favourite place to return to is Hong Kong; it's my second home.

9. What song makes you feel happy or sad when you hear it? "Mockingbird" by Carly Simon and James Taylor. My Mum used to sing it with me as a wee girl.

10. What would people be surprised to learn about you? I spent two and a half months in China studying Mandarin and have been (trying to) learn it ever since. Unfortunately, I still can't order from a menu but, apt for the Falklands, I can say "penguin."

Jennifer is originally from Glasgow, Scotland and currently on secondment with McGrigors LLP, in Stanley as a Trainee Solicitor. Enjoys trips out to Camp, wearing her new boiler suit and a good benny bop with her favourite Falkland Islanders. Pooncha.

CCTV puts shoplifters in the frame

THIS week three members of the public, believed to be military, received citeable cautions for obtaining property by deception following a successful criminal investigation.

The investigation was greatly assisted by extensive CCTV footage from new cameras, recently installed throughout the sales area of the Seafish Chandlery, from the shop's electronic sales records and staff members.

The individuals were caught on CCTV interfering with certain items of stock, then purporting to

pay for them at the cash desks, before exiting the Seafish Chandlery. Chandlery Manager Neville Hayward said he was very pleased his company's investment in CCTV and other security systems was paying dividends.

In his view, the successful outcome showed that CCTV does work, and that it can and will be used to identify shoplifters and bring them to justice.

Inspector Len McGill fully endorsed Mr Hayward's comments and acknowledged the extensive assistance afforded the in-

vestigation by the CCTV footage and the Chandlery staff.

He pointed out that shoplifting, in all its forms, is a crime which affects everyone because retailers are forced to pass on their losses from shoplifting to honest customers.

For this reason, shoplifting and related activities are considered serious offences. He said the Police would rigorously investigate such incidents with a view to bringing perpetrators to justice and would use all means at their disposal, to achieve it.

New fire appliance doesn't make the grade

EFFORTS to encourage the British Antarctic Survey Dash 7 aircraft back to Stanley airport on their routine journeys to Antarctica have been delayed after the necessary fire appliance was delivered with defects.

The aim was to purchase a Category 2 fire appliance which would meet the safety requirements of the Dash 7 which

had been regular visitors to the Islands for many years until new ASSI regulations prevented the familiar aircraft from landing at Stanley Airport.

Councillor Jan Cheek said at Tuesday's Public Meeting that the appliance had been purchased within the £130,000 budget agreed by Executive Council in 2008 and at the time of the decision, it had

also been considered a possibility that oil companies may wish to operate from Stanley Airport subject to safety regulations.

She said however that more adjustments were required to make it Category 2 compatible and that the suppliers had visited at their expense to attempt to rectify the situation. The delay was unfortunate, she added.

Your Letters

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FIG: Bullying not acceptable

IN my capacity of Director of Procurement & Efficiency, this department covers the FIG Human Resources department. I contact you in relation to your editorial in the Penguin News dated today. (January 21 Edition)

I am very alarmed by the news that your newspaper has been approached anonymously by someone who has pleaded for you to investigate an incident of bullying in the hospital.

I can assure all FIG staff and your readers that as the Strategic Director responsible for Human Resources, bullying in no shape or form whatsoever will not be tolerated within FIG rest assured we do not take these matters lightly.

For the people affected, such circumstances are never easy to deal with, however I would urge the person concerned to come forward to my Department so that the matter can be dealt with in the appropriate way in line with HR policy and procedures.

We do have within FIG clear policy and procedures for dealing with matters relating to bullying and harassment.

I will, as a matter of urgency be making some provisional enquires at the hospital myself, however until the affected staff member makes the issues known to my Department it very difficult to tackle the issue head on.

If you are in a position to share this letter with the person concerned or can publish this in future editions of your newspaper I would be very grateful. Let's hope the matter can be identified as soon as possible and brought to a swift and satisfactory conclusion for all those concerned.

Andrew Lee
FIG Director of Procurement & Efficiency
alee@sec.gov.fk

This week's editorial contains an explanation of and apology for my mis-reading of the anonymous letter referred to.

The writer's concern was about bullying in the workplace in general and no specific accusation was made against the hospital or its staff. I apologise for any concern that this error on my part may have caused.

Hopefully this mistake does not detract from the point being made about our collective responsibility as members of this community.

John Fowler

Tsunami rather than later

ABOUT a year ago or possibly longer there was a warning given on CNN about the possibility of a tsunami in the South Atlantic, possibly caused by an earthquake on the South Sandwich Islands.

At the time I phoned up the police to inform them of the alert and the Chief Inspector who took the call said to me "What do you want me to do about it?" I replied, "I don't know; I leave the ball in your court."

I found it very disconcerting to think that our most important law enforcement agency didn't have a clue and still as far as I know haven't any plans for evacuation.

At the next councillors' meeting I gave councillors the actual notice which a friend had kindly

to high ground, but it's not as simple as that. What you need to do is plan your journey. For example, if you're well away from the coast and trying to get to higher ground the worst place to be would be next to a river or crossing a small stream which would act like a rapier into the heart of the Islands.

For instance when Krakatoa exploded in 1883 a huge wave hit Java and there's a stream which is only a few inches deep and the most shocking thing I have ever seen is a two hundred ton ship 15 miles up this little stream, so if you have to cross any little streams don't hang about.

I sincerely hope that such a scenario will never happen but if the worst comes to the worst I hope this council will really do something about it.

Roy Davis (Ginge)
Stanley



Toyah Wilson and Kai Heathman showing that happiness is not having to share your Penguin News.....so always buy two copies!

printed out for me and with little response, which I suppose I was expecting from the previous council.

When the new council came in I immediately informed Councillor Dick Sawle who was kind enough to supply a lot of information which he had got for me. This was a totally different response for me from the one I got from Councillor Summers.

Since that time the Americans have put in place six seismic buoys stationed off the east coast of the USA, which was a fantastic thing to have done.

The Americans are very conscious of the danger of a massive tidal wave being generated by a huge land slide on the Canary Islands with a very active volcano called Cumbre Vieja.

If we are informed of a seismic event I wonder what our emergency services will do about it.

I'm guessing that we will have about 12 hours warning which will be very advantageous for an evacuation which would need to be very co-ordinated, as just evacuating the hospital would be a nightmare.

What I have tried to do in this letter is to make everyone aware that if such a warning is given the first and natural thing to do is head

Metrification a thing of the past

AS an outside subscriber I don't often feel it right to enter into correspondence in the pages of Penguin News but the letter from Michael Glass re metrification is so extraordinary that it needs some response.

He writes as though, by some innate process of natural selection, metrification was agreed to be the best and soon universal system of measurement. Nothing could be further from the truth.

The metric system was one of the wilder and more illogical ideas to arise from the bloodbath of the French Revolution. Thankfully sense prevailed and the 10 day week and 10 month year were scrapped but we forget such idiocies at our peril, for if we are to be truly metric then that is the way we should go.

The Battle of Waterloo was a great allied victory but it did prevent the Emperor Napoleon from fulfilling his pledge to repeal what was left of the metric system. If he had the world would be turning a lot more efficiently and economically.

As a mathematician he understood that any system based on a miscalculation and that by its nature is beset by vulgar fractions is a waste of time and money (how many times can you divide 12 and get whole numbers and how many 10's)

The biggest fallacy in Mr Glass' letter is that any country, including Australia, is metric. No country in the World is fully metric and it is extremely unlikely that any will ever be. Just consider that all measurement of time and global geography is non-metric. All nautical distances and speeds are non-metric, and this means that virtually all astronomical measurement is non-metric.

The future does not look rosy for the metric system and it is worth mentioning that many of the international scientific metric standard measurements are not metric at all but have been called "metric" to make it look as though the system is universal.

Mr Glass may of course have been thinking of trade advantages from the Falklands taking this step but if so might have considered that the greatest economy in the world for the foreseeable future (despite the advances of China, itself largely non-metric) the USA has turned its back on metrification.

In a surge of enthusiasm some years ago a few states passed legislation to enable metrification but non took any real steps to implement this and virtually all have now repealed those laws. Even in Europe, which should be a bastion of metrification, many customary measures are used - can you yet get a metric screw in Germany?

I leave you with a final thought based on my 30 years as a computer professional: no computer software system that has ever been made and probably none that ever will be made is metric. The extra cost of adding bodging arithmetic units to computers is astronomical - the Duke of Wellington has a lot to answer for!

Bill Featherstone
Desborough, England

Necessary to keep Nimrod

I WRITE on behalf of colleagues at BAE Systems where the Nimrod MRA4s aircraft were being built to make you aware of the serious impact their cancellation will have upon the ongoing defence of the Falkland Islands.

The Coalition government in the UK last year undertook a Strategic Defence and Security Review (SDSR) which resulted in both the cancellation of the Nimrod MRA4s and the early withdrawal from service of HMS Ark Royal. This represented a double blow to the security of the Falkland Islands as without the former it is far more difficult to defend them and without the latter it is now impossible to retake them in the event of an invasion.

For your information, the Nimrod MRA4s are maritime recon

naissance aircraft. They have a wide range of capabilities, including intelligence, surveillance, target acquisition and reconnaissance (ISTAR), submarine detection and attack (using torpedoes and depth charges), surface ship detection and attack, air to air defence (with sidewinder missiles) and search and rescue. They also have a 6000 mile range without refuelling and can stay in flight for 15 hours. They can scan an area the size of Britain every ten seconds.

These aircraft are fully paid for with two complete and the others almost complete and clearly would have been very important to assist in the defence (and warning of any impending attack) of the Falkland Islands. Furthermore, you do not have to take my word for it. Here is what the current secretary of defence, Dr Liam Fox, stated in a leaked letter to the Prime Minister prior to completion of the SDR:

"Deletion of the Nimrod MR4 will limit our ability to deploy maritime forces rapidly into high-threat areas, increase the risk to the Deterrent, compromise maritime CT (counter terrorism), remove long range search and rescue, and delete one element of our Falklands reinforcement plan."

Admiral Sir Mark Stanhope after the SDR was completed stated he was "very uncomfortable" and did not "welcome the loss of Nimrod".

We have been trying to raise the impact of the cancellation of these aircraft with the press and media in the UK and with MPs, but with limited success. This is despite their cancellation representing a waste of £4bn! We have also written to the Prime Minister.

We felt that the people of the Falkland Islands would be interested to hear of the increased risk that the Falklands are under as a result of the loss of the Nimrods.

The UK government may well say that the loss of the Nimrods can be covered by other means, but the seas around the Falkland Islands encompass a very large area and no ship nor submarine can possibly cover such a large area. In addition, the Typhoon aircraft based on the Islands are very limited in their capability compared to the Nimrods; they are simply not designed for surveillance.

Our interest in this matter is four fold. Firstly, as citizens of the UK we feel that cancelling the Nimrods is putting the defence of the UK and its territories at risk. Secondly, having spent years developing and building these aircraft, it is quite galling to now have to cut them up for scrap metal (literally), thirdly this represents a huge waste of money, £4bn to be precise (from ministerial answers to questions) and fourthly it will cost jobs at both BAE Systems in Warton (noting that Woodford where the planes are being built was to close anyway) and at RAF Kinloss.

Hopefully this will be of interest to you and if it means that ei-

ther your paper or the Island's residents are motivated to raise this with the British press and media and MPs then so much the better.

If you wish to contact me please feel free. My number is 07793 4

Keith French,
Unite Staff Chairman, BAE
Systems Woodford.

Questions from Folsom Prison

LAST night, the Public Broadcasting Service (PBS) station aired an episode of *Globe Trekker*, and the person travelled to the Falklands, South Georgia, and eventually Antarctica. I was quite pleased to learn a few things about your part of the world, but like everything else in broadcasting, too many interesting details were deleted, edited out, or left unexplored. Luckily, I noticed newspaper boxes for your paper, so I figured I'd drop you a note and ask a few questions:

- 1.) What is the current population of the Falklands?
- 2.) Do you have Internet capability, or are you confined to regular mail and/or satellite phones, etc?
- 3.) What is the average cost of living?
- 4.) While I recognize there are multiple industries related to the tourist trade, what "skill sets" are most needed there?
- 5.) What type of immigration restrictions would exist for an "artist/retiree", or anyone who wished to maintain a temporary or permanent residence?
- 6.) Does a felony conviction preclude being allowed entry into your country?

My primary interest is in finding a reasonably quiet place where I can pursue artistic endeavors, but I feel compelled to work in the "greater community", focused mostly on health care and substance abuse counselling, or other functions. When I leave prison in 2012, I will be 50 years of age, reasonably healthy, and unattached.

Finally, I would greatly appreciate a copy of *The Penguin News*, because prisoners do not have internet access. It would help my understanding of current local events and concerns.

May Peace & Justice Coexist,
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Missing Links



We are indebted to Ian Gleadell for this wedding day photo. We don't know who is in it, but suspect that the well-built gent on the extreme right may be a Ford.

If you know better, contact Penguin News on 22709 or email editor@penguinnews.co.fk

In response to complaints that we haven't been revealing the identities of people in our missing links photos, we have to protest that if our readers don't know them, then neither do we.

For example, we still don't know who was the fairy in the grip of Rene Rowlands' wicked witch or who the 'cat in the hat' was in Ailsa's Heathman's photo, though she believes that the little boy discovered by Anne Reid between the pages of a book in the Charity Shop is her father George Malcolm.



From one extreme of not knowing to the other of knowing everything, avid Penguin News reader, author and local historian John Allan, knows everybody in the picture of the 1950s



The whole of the 1st Falkland Islands Company, Boys Brigade taken where the Infant and Junior School now stands, in November 1944, following the Company's formation on July 6 1944

Left to Right, Back Row: Robbie Skilling, Robert Allan, Kenneth Summers, David Earle, Gerard Clifton, Norman Summers, Reg McGill, John Allan, Keith Pearson, George Johnson, Julian Bradley, Terry Reive, Roderick Bonner, Lesley Smith, Lennard Porter.

Second Row: (standing) Kenneth Mills, Stanley McAskill, Charles Skilling, Ronald Morrison, Eric Fleuret, Robert Wallin, Eric Nicholson, Steve Reive, Raymond Hansen, Eugene Williams, Reginald Smith, Eric Biggs, Richard Aldridge, Patrick Peck, Raymond McGill

3rd Row (seated): Henry Luxton, Ian Biggs, William Richards, James Stirling (Lt Royal Scots), Ted Lellman Lt, Forrest McWhan (padre), Cpt McCubbing, Founder (Royal Scots), Cpt Shepherd (OIC Police Force), John Blyth Lt, H.L.(Nap) Bound Lt., Les Haliday Staff Sgt., William Inglis (Royal Scots), Tommy O'Sullivan, Oliver Bonner
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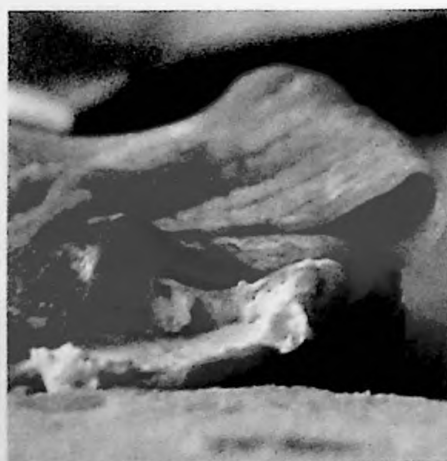
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Ashleigh Alea Anthony to Kylie Rebecca Velasquez & Rico Jaye Anthony

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MARRIAGES

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James Muir Howson & Sandra Grisewood Pappas
Registrar General's Office Stanley

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Paul Smith & Sarah Molkenbuhr
Mount Low, East Falklands

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Andrew James Smith & Jennifer Lindsay Parker
Cape Pembroke Lighthouse
Peter Ryland Cairns & Helen Largan
Whale Bone Arch, Stanley

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Jeremy Selwyn Lloyd Henry & Donna Triggs
Christchurch Cathedral, Stanley



Renata Borquez Leiva

Peter Ryland Cairns and
Helen Largan

Working to save native fish species: Darwin Initiative zebra trout group

AMONG the travellers inconvenienced by the delay in the LAN flight last weekend were a group who had spent the previous week wading about the streams of Lafonia and were now heading for Puerto Montt in Chile to do the same.

Leader of the group was Spanish scientist, Dr Carlos Garcia de Leaniz from Swansea University in Wales who is the supervisor of a Darwin Initiative project set up to study and protect a group of native fish known as Galaxiids, of which one type is commonly known in the Falklands as zebra trout.

With Dr Garcia were his wife, Dr Sonia Consuegra, from Aberystwyth University, who is the group's geneticist, José Sanzana from the Universidad de Los Lagos in Chile and Daniel Fowler who formerly ran the FIDC's fish-farming study project in the Falklands and now works on the Galaxiids study in the Falkland Islands.

The Darwin Initiative, which has recently funded other scientific projects in the Falklands such

as the recent and on-going raptor study was set up by the British Government's Department of Food Resources and Agriculture (DEFRA) to help fund scientific projects in countries which are rich



Daniel Fowler & José Sanzana (rear) with Dr Sonia Consuegra and Dr Carlos Garcia

in terms of biodiversity, but lacking in available cash to devote to such things.

Dr Garcia told Penguin News that the Galaxiids Project had three main aims in the Falklands, the first of which was to establish a breeding programme to be able to re-introduce zebra trout into the wild in sufficient numbers to ensure the viability of the population.

Along with trying to revive the zebra trout population was the need to discover the reasons for its decline in the species. This had been largely been attributed in the past to the introduction of brown trout, said Dr Garcia, but added that the evidence for this was circumstantial and needed to be investigated.

Education, dissemination of information and building capacity were at the heart of the project's third aspect. Dr Garcia said that he hoped the project would engage with the local community, including young people and anglers.

Asked what were the perceived benefits of protecting or re-establishing a non-commercial fish species such as zebra trout, Dr Garcia said that first of all it was a very rare species found only in Chile, Argentina and the Falklands, where it was an important part of the Islands' diversity – perhaps the most characteristic and unique species in the aquatic environment.

Agreeing to the suggestion that they are like canaries in a coal mine, Dr Garcia said that, "Zebra trout are a very good indicator of envi-

ronmental change – good sentinels and value indicators.

They can help us to understand how changes in climate and changes in land use may be affecting the environment in which we live and therefore, our lives. Like the most important things in life, you cannot put a price tag on it."

As well as involving the universities of Swansea and Aberystwyth in Wales, the project is being carried in collaboration with partners in the USA: Oregon State University and the US Geological Survey, in Chile the University of Los Lagos and the Environmental Planning Department of the Falkland Islands Government.

Geneticist Dr Sonia Consuegra explained that up till now it was thought that the zebra trout in the Falklands was a single species, but what had been found in a previous project in Chile was that there were two species, very similar, but different species and both called zebra trout. The sampling that the team have been carrying out in streams and rivers of the East Falklands suggests that the same case applies here.



The scenic wedding setting of Carcass Bay at Coast Ridge.

A perfect day for two fantastic Knights...

AGAINST a stunning backdrop and to the sound of waves breaking on the pristine beach at Carcass Bay, Keith Knight and Nuala McKay made their wedding vows surrounded by more than 200 friends and family on Sunday.

While it was a special day for Keith and Nuala, the drive over to Carcass Bay, a rarely visited beauty spot on the family farm at Fox Bay, and the fun filled programme for the entire day ensured that it was a memorable occasion for each and every guest.

If the penguins were slightly surprised to see 61 vehicles string down the side of the mountain they recovered quickly and were soon edging forward to view proceedings from the sand banks with a lone King in their midst.

Attended by four bridesmaids Nuala was given away by her father who along with 10 other family members had made the journey to the Falklands the previous day.

Their baptism to the Falklands way of life Nuala has so wholeheartedly embraced was full on, but they greeted it with true McKay enthusiasm as they tunelessly led the gathering through celebratory songs, hymns and prayer.

Keith's brother Justin carried out the best man's duties as meticulously as the Knighthood carry out all tasks and despite his self confessed fear of public speaking, his speech in the beautifully transformed shearing shed as the sun went down, ensured there was barely a dry eye in the house as well as a lot of laughter.

Fully fed with delicious barbecued food the crowd took to the dance floor as Keith and Nuala completed their nifty footwork and partied into the wee small hours in true West Falkland fashion.

Keith and Nuala join in the singing



Back at Fox Bay the barbecue is enjoyed by all



Kia Alazia observes the wedding ceremony from Gerry McKay's shoulders while sisters Denise and Kate add some Scottish flavour to the dancing in the shearing shed



Daniel Lee and Lucy Blake in their wedding finery

...as they share their day and the beauty of West Falkland with many

IT might seem a little bit perverse that someone with a large number of siblings scattered around the world should choose to get married somewhere as remote and difficult to get to as a beach on West Falklands, over an hour's off-road driving and on the other side of a mountain from the nearest settlement.

Penguin News believes that the McKay/Knight wedding, which took place on the white sands of Coast Ridge Farm's, Carcass Bay, was not planned simply as a means of keeping all but the most devoted friends and relatives at bay, but was part of a bigger plan.

Since the break up of big farms from financial and political pressures, the de-population of the Camp has been of concern, with everyone - except maybe those already living there - agreeing that the Camp and the West in particular needs more people.

The Rural Development Strategy is the latest attempt to kick start this proc-

ess of re-population and revitalisation. Who, having moved herself to the West is now its author and driving force, but the woman who we must now remember to call not Nuala McKay, but Nuala Knight.

Officiating at the ceremony Rodney Lee joked that he was sure Keith didn't have that many friends, so it must have been Nuala who had lured two hundred or so people in more than 60 vehicles to attend their nuptials. In the process they learned to love the West and boost its economy, if only across the bar of the Southern Cross Social Club.

Benefits to the wider economy also accrued with the need for two special ferry crossings and nine FIGAS flights to get everyone home again.

So it's well done to Nuala for combining work and romance so effectively.

If you can't reactivate the Camp, no one else will and we wait breathlessly to see what you think of next.



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28 January - 3 February, 2011

TIDES AROUND THE ISLANDS

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Berkeley Sound + 1 hr 11m
Port San Carlos + 2 hr 55m
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Friday 28th January 2011		
Lane Swimming Closed for School Lane Swimming Closed for School Public Stanley Swimming Club Public Lane Swimming	07:00-09:00 09:00-12:00 12:00-13:00 13:00-15:00 15:00-16:00 16:00-17:00 17:00-19:00 19:00-20:00	Public Public Members Only
Saturday 29th January 2011		
Closed for Swim School Closed for Private Hire Public Lane Swimming	10:00-12:00 12:00-13:00 13:00-16:00 16:00-18:00	Public Members Only
Sunday 30th January 2011		
Public Lane Swimming Public Lane Swimming	11:00-13:00 13:00-14:00 14:00-17:00 17:00-19:00	Public Public Members Only
Cricket Club 2-4pm & Hockey Club 4-6pm Monday 31st January 2011		
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Badminton Club 7pm-9pm Tuesday 01st February 2011		
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Netball Club 6pm-7pm Wednesday 02nd February 2011		
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Thursday 03rd February 2011		
Closed for Cleaning Closed for Swim School Closed for Training Lane Swimming	09:00-16:00 16:00-18:00 18:00-19:00 19:00-21:00	Closed for Cleaning Public Members Only
Badminton Club 7-9pm Friday 04th February 2011		
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Falkland Islands Defence Force Routine Orders

Thursday 3 February 2011

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Basic Fitness Test and Quad bike Training



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Tel/Fax: 21100 christchurch@horizon.co.fk
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Monday - Friday 08.45 - 12.00 and 13.30 - 17.45
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Phone 27366. Consultation hours: Mon, Wed, Fri 8.30am-9.30am, 1pm-2pm, 4pm-4.30pm, Tues, Thurs 1pm-2pm
Consultations by appointment only.

BADMINTON CLUB Mondays and Thursdays 7 - 9pm. Rosemarie King Tel: 21451
SQUASH CLUB Thursdays 5-9pm Contact: Roger Spink Tel: 21128
NETBALL CLUB Tuesdays 6-7pm. All are welcome. Contact Zoe Luxton 21441
THE FI GUN CLUB New members welcome Contact: Steve Dent on 55632
F.I. RIFLE ASSOCIATION Contact Secretary Derek Goodwin 22357
CRICKET ASSOCIATION New junior and senior players welcome, contact Roger Diggle 21716
STANLEY GOLF CLUB Contact Glenn Ross (Captain) on 27149 (work) or Tony Roake (Secretary) on 28000 (work) for information regarding membership and forthcoming competitions. Normally competitions are held every Sunday morning from October through to April and the first Sunday of each month during winter. Draw at 9am and tee off time 9.15am. New members welcome.
ASTHMA SUPPORT GROUP - Meets second Tuesday of every third month in the Day Centre at 5pm. Contact G. France on 21624
FALKLAND ISLANDS RED CROSS New members welcome. Contact Keith Biles, Tel: 21897 (Chairman), Jean Diggle 21716 (Treasurer)
GUILD OF SPINNERS, WEAVERS & HANDICRAFTS Meetings Mon. evening from 7.30pm. Thurs. afternoon from 1.30pm. Contact M. Smallwood 21031
CANCER SUPPORT & AWARENESS TRUST - Contact Theresa Lang (Chairman) 21235
Alison Ward (Secretary) 21851, Derek Howatt (Trustee) 21385, Shiralee Collins 21579
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DIABETES SUPPORT GROUP Holds meetings quarterly - for further details contact the Chairman Sharon Middleton on 21393
STANLEY SWIMMING CLUB Coaching Tuesdays 4-5pm, Fridays 4-5pm
STANLEY SUB-AQUA CLUB - Contact David McLeod Phone: 20836 (d), 20843 (h)
THE ROYAL BRITISH LEGION - FALKLAND ISLANDS BRANCH Meets on the first Monday of every month at the Hillside Mess at 7.45pm. Contacts: Chairman Marvin Clarke, Secretary Keith Biles (51897) Treasurer David Lewis (51527) website www.britishlegionfalklands.co.fk
STANLEY SHORT MAT BOWLS CLUB Friday 6.00-8.00pm. Contact G Skene 21488
JELLY TOTS CLUB Jellytots will now be held on Tuesdays from 1.45 - 3.30 and Thursdays from 10.00 - 11.30 in the Parish Hall. All under fives welcome, along with an adult. We have lots of toys and space to play in. Contact Wendy on 21179 or Rosie 22759
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 - 4pm. Contact Gordon Lennie Tel: 21667
KARATE CLUB - New Training Schedule Tuesdays 5.15pm - 6.10pm (juniors) 6.15pm till 7.30pm (seniors) Friday's 5.55pm (junior grades) 6pm till 7.00pm/ 7.30pm (seniors). All sessions held at JIS Hall. Cost: £1.00
ALCOHOL SUPPORT Contact Health on 28082 or Social Services 27296
ACORN COMMUNITY GROUP, Day Centre, KEMH. Tuesday 9.30am - 11.30am, Thursday 9.30am - 11.30am and Thursday Evening, Drop-In 7pm - 9pm
HAND CHIME GROUP - Tuesday evenings from 8.00 to 9.30pm at 11 Nutt Cartmell Close. Anyone interested in joining should contact Eileen Davies on 22428 after working hours.
LABY CLINIC - 3 - 5pm every Wednesday
LIGHTHOUSE SEAMEN'S MISSION CAFE NEW HOURS
The Lighthouse Seamen's Mission Cafe now opens an hour earlier on Sunday. Our new hours are: Wednesday through Friday 10am to 4pm, Saturday and Sunday 11am to 4pm. Last order for hot food at 3pm. The Mission remains open as usual for Seafarers, at times displayed in the Mission window or by arrangement with individual Vessels/Agents/Ship Owners
SAMA 82 FALKLAND ISLANDS TRUST Chairman - G Clement 52910 Treasurer K Ormond 52814 Secretary J Elliot 51765
FALKLAND ISLANDS STANLEY HASH (FISH) HOUSE HARRIERS welcomes new runners/walkers. Meets last Sunday of month at 1500 and also mid month
CHARITY SHOP Opening hours: Mon, Wed, Fri. & Sat. 2-4pm. (Summer hours 2-5pm)
Saturday morning 10am - 12 noon.
FALKLAND ISLANDS FOOTBALL LEAGUE (FIFL): Contact the Committee for more information. Chairman - Ian Betts, Treasurer - Sharon Gilbert, Secretary - Andrew Newman
TEAM TRANQUIL (MENTAL HEALTH STRATEGY GROUP) c/o 16 John Street. Treasurer Ruth Taylor tel: 22169
LIBERTY LODGE email lodge.manager@cwimail.fk phone 22327 or 55327
FALKLAND OFF-ROADERS: email falklandsx4@yahoo.com
FALKLAND ISLANDS YACHT CLUB - Chairman - Tony Blake 51684, Secretary - Janet McLeod 53566, website www.falklandsailing.com
FALKLANDS SEA CADETS: Contact the CO 52779 or XO 51111

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) Mount Caroline repeater, covering the north of the West Falkland including the cross sound ferry main operational area

146.625 Stanley to Mount Alice

147.825 (Duplex - 0.6) Mount Alice repeater, covering the south of West Falkland.

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

Friday 28th January
 7:00 BREAKFAST
 10:15 THE WEAKEST LINK
 11:00 NIGEL SLATER'S SIMPLE SUPPERS
 11:30 THIS MORNING
 1:25 EMMERDALE
 2:10 CHEETAH KINGDOM
 2:35 ITV NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER
 3:00 LOOSE WOMEN
 3:45 DEAL OR NO DEAL
 4:35 GREAT BRITISH RAILWAY JOURNEYS Waterloo to Canary Wharf
 5:05 LAST CHANCE TO SEE AMAZONIAN MANATEE
 6:05 CORONATION STREET
 6:30 BRITISH FORCES NEWS
 7:00 BBC NEWS
 7:30 EASTENDERS
 8:00 THE SECRET MEDITERRANEAN with Trevor McDonald
 8:45 BFBS Weather
 8:50 CHILDREN'S EMERGENCY
 9:20 THE GOOD WIFE Legal drama
 10:05 Young, Dumb and Living off Mum
 11:05 ASK RHOD GILBERT Comedy entertainment panel show
 11:40 THE GRAHAM NORTON SHOW
 12:25 BBC NEWS

Saturday 29th January
 8:30 AN ISLAND PARISH
 09:00 JIMMY'S FOOD FACTORY Science series
 9:30 CLIMBING GREAT BUILDINGS
 10:00 MERLIN Part one. Fantasy drama
 10:45 MASTERCHEF
 12:15 ZOO DAYS Documentary series based at Colchester Zoo
 12:35 TEENSVILLE My Bar Mitzvah Diary: Film which follows five very different British Jewish kids as they prepare for the biggest, most important day of their lives so far - their Bar or Bat Mitzvah
 1:00 WONDERS OF THE SOLAR SYSTEM
 2:00 BBC SPORT Highlights of the women's singles final at the Australian Open, as one player walks away with the Daphne Akhurst Memorial Cup. Plus live coverage from the Aviva International Athletics Match in Glasgow
 5:30 FINAL SCORE
 6:15 TAKE ME OUT MATCH-MAKER Paddy McGuinness continues his quest to hook up his 30 flirty ladies with a sizzling date in the sun
 7:10 BFBS Weather
 7:15 THE MAGICIANS
 8:15 MARS ATTACKS! Comic strip-style sci-fi satire about a Martian invasion of Earth
 9:55 DERREN BROWN: Behind the Mischief Documentary
 10:45 GORDON RAMSAY: Shark Bait Gordon Ramsay investigates the controversial dish, shark fin soup
 11:35 BFBS WEATHER
 11:45 FA CUP FOURTH ROUND HIGHLIGHTS Including Southampton v Manchester United, Everton v Chelsea and Torquay v Crawley Town
 1:15 BBC NEWS

Sunday 30th January
 9:15 AUSTRALIAN OPEN: Men's Final Sue Barker presents live coverage of the men's singles final at the Australian Open
 1:05 BRITISH FORCES NEWS: The Week in Afghanistan
 1:25 MasterChef
 2:30 FA CUP 4TH ROUND Notts County v Manchester City
 5:30 FA CUP 4TH ROUND Fulham v Tottenham Hotspur
 7:25 BFBS WEATHER
 7:30 DANCING ON ICE
 9:25 SILENT WITNESS Drama series about a team of forensic pathologists.

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10:30 DANCING ON ICE: The Results
 11:00 BFBS WEATHER
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 11:35 THAT SUNDAY NIGHT SHOW
 12:00 FILM 2011 with Claudia Winkleman
 12:40 BBC NEWS

Monday 31st January
 7:00 BREAKFAST
 10:15 THE WEAKEST LINK
 11:00 EGGHEADS
 11:30 THIS MORNING
 1:25 EMMERDALE
 2:10 COOK YOURSELF THIN
 2:35 ITV NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER
 3:00 LOOSE WOMEN
 3:45 DEAL OR NO DEAL
 4:35 ON HANNIBAL'S TRAIL Series in which three Australian brothers - Danny, Ben and Sam Wood - set out cycling on the trail of Hannibal, the warrior who marched from Spain to Rome at the head of an invading army accompanied by elephants
 5:05 THE BIG SILENCE Abbot Christopher Jamison, a Benedictine monk, believes that he can teach five ordinary people the value of silent meditation, as practised by monks in monasteries, so they can make it part of their everyday lives
 6:05 CORONATION STREET
 6:30 BRITISH FORCES NEWS
 7:00 BBC NEWS
 7:30 EASTENDERS
 8:00 WHO DOES WHAT? Couples have their household activity analysed to find out who does what
 9:00 BFBS Weather
 9:05 SILENT WITNESS Drama series about a team of forensic pathologists
 10:05 NOT GOING OUT Movie: Sitcom
 10:35 BONES Scientific crime drama series
 11:15 THE HOSPITAL Documentary series examining the relationship between British teenagers and the NHS, as consultants, doctors, nurses, surgeons and midwives speak with candour about the problems faced with this age group
 12:05 JANE GOODALL: Beauty and the Beasts Documentary about Jane Goodall, a young secretary from Bournemouth with no scientific qualifications, who entered a remote forest in Africa in 1960 and became accepted by a group of wild chimpanzees
 1:05 BBC NEWS

Tuesday 01st February
 7:00 BREAKFAST
 10:15 THE WEAKEST LINK
 11:00 LIFE IN A COTTAGE GARDEN with Carol Klein Spring
 11:30 THIS MORNING
 1:25 HOUSE GIFT
 2:10 EMERGENCY Animal Rescue Documentary series
 2:35 ITV NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER
 3:00 LOOSE WOMEN
 3:45 DEAL OR NO DEAL
 4:35 BAKING MADE EASY
 5:05 ALAN TITCHMARSH'S GARDEN SECRETS
 6:05 CORONATION STREET
 6:30 BRITISH FORCES NEWS
 7:00 BBC NEWS
 7:30 EASTENDERS
 8:00 GRAND DESIGNS Property series
 8:45 BFBS Weather
 8:50 HUGH'S FISH FIGHT
 9:40 THE EVENT Casualties of War: Fast-paced US conspiracy thriller
 10:20 UNDERCOVER BOSS High-flying company executives go undercover to ensure their businesses are in good shape
 11:10 THE BRAIN: A Secret History
 12:10 BBC NEWS

Wednesday 02nd February
 7:00 BREAKFAST
 10:15 THE WEAKEST LINK
 11:00 EGGHEADS
 11:30 THIS MORNING
 1:25 EMMERDALE
 2:10 STREET MARKET Chefs Cooking show
 2:35 ITV NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER
 3:00 LOOSE WOMEN
 3:45 DEAL OR NO DEAL
 4:35 GREAT BRITISH RAILWAY JOURNEYS Michael Portillo takes to the tracks with a copy of George Bradshaw's Victorian Railway Guidebook
 5:05 ARE YOU FITTER THAN A PENSIONER?
 6:05 CORONATION STREET
 6:30 BRITISH FORCES NEWS
 7:00 BBC NEWS
 7:30 CASUALTY Medical drama series
 8:20 OIL RIGGERS Documentary series following life on the oil rigs of west Texas
 9:05 BFBS WEATHER
 9:10 ARCTIC with Bruce Parry Greenland: Documentary
 10:10 MEN OF ROCK Geologist Iain Stewart retraces the steps of a band of

maverick pioneers who made groundbreaking discoveries in the landscape of Scotland about how our planet works

11:10 MIRANDA Miranda is rather British when it comes to sex, or shenanigans as she likes to call it
 11:40 THE WOUNDED PLATOON Since the Iraq War began, 17 US soldiers based at Fort Carson, Colorado, have been charged or convicted in 14 murders, manslaughters and attempted murders
 12:40 BBC NEWS

Thursday 03rd February
 7:00 BREAKFAST
 10:15 THE WEAKEST LINK
 11:00 SEASIDE RESCUE Documentary series
 11:30 THIS MORNING
 1:25 HOUSE GIFT
 2:10 SUPER NURSES Series providing an intimate look at the daily lives of cancer sufferers and the nurses that care for them at the Macmillan, Marie Curie and Christie hospitals
 2:35 ITV NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER
 3:00 LOOSE WOMEN
 3:45 DEAL OR NO DEAL
 4:35 A HISTORY OF THE WORLD Adam Hart-Davis tells the remarkable story of Thomas Newcomen, the Devon man who invented the world's first working steam-powered engine
 5:05 MICHEL ROUX'S SERVICE Michel Roux is on a personal mission to train eight young people as front-of-house superstars
 6:05 CORONATION STREET
 6:30 BRITISH FORCES NEWS
 7:00 BBC NEWS
 7:30 EASTENDERS
 8:00 HOLBY CITY Medical drama series
 8:55 BFBS WEATHER
 9:00 KIDNAP AND RANSOM First in a gripping three-part drama
 9:50 FAST AND LOOSE
 10:20 V A re-imagining of the classic 1983 sci-fi series about a race of seemingly friendly alien visitors, or Vs, who come to planet Earth
 11:40 QUESTION TIME Topical debate from Workington with a panel of prominent public figures and an invited audience, chaired by David Dimbleby
 12:40 BBC NEWS

Friday 04th February
 7:00 BREAKFAST
 10:15 THE WEAKEST LINK
 11:00 NIGEL SLATER'S SIMPLE SUPPERS
 11:30 THIS MORNING
 1:25 EMMERDALE
 2:10 CHEETAH KINGDOM Series following the conservation work of David Houghton and his colleagues at the Africat Foundation in Namibia
 2:35 ITV NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER
 3:00 LOOSE WOMEN
 3:45 DEAL OR NO DEAL
 4:35 GREAT BRITISH RAILWAY JOURNEYS
 5:05 LAST CHANCE TO SEE NORTHERN WHITE RHINO
 6:05 CORONATION STREET
 6:30 BRITISH FORCES NEWS
 7:00 BBC NEWS
 7:30 EASTENDERS
 8:00 CHILDREN'S EMERGENCY
 8:30 RBS SIX NATIONS Wales v England
 11:00 BFBS WEATHER
 11:05 ASK RHOD GILBERT Comedy entertainment panel show
 11:40 THE GRAHAM NORTON SHOW Anarchic talk show
 12:25 BBC NEWS

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Falklands Radio Programmes Schedule

Friday 28th January

07:00 Breakfast Show with Trina Bernitsen
09:00 The Morning Experience with Ailie Biggs
10:00 News & Lifestyle with Liz Elliot to include: 12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
12:30 Spotlight
13:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM
4:00 News & Jukebox with Scott Betts
6:00 News & Repeat of Spotlight
6:15 Weather, Flights, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
6:30 The Fabulous 50's with Paul Peters and Geoff Kemp
7:30 The Non Stop Country Hour with Liz Elliot
8:30 Weather & Flights and Leather & Lace with Layla Crowe
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM

Saturday 29th January
9:00 - 12:00 The Saturday Morning Show with Lise Gill
5:00 Children's Corner with Monica
6:15 Weather, Flights, Anno's, Job Shop & What's on Guide
6:30 News Review
7:00 In Concert
8:00 The Fusion with Stacy Bragger
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM

Sunday 30th January
5:00 Accordingly Yours with Derek Howatt
5:30 Desert Island Discs - Blogger and Professor of Classics - Mary Beard
6:15 Weather, Flights, Announcements, Job Shop & What's on Guide
6:30 Feature Presentation
7:00 Sunday Evening Service - Light-house Seamans Mission
8:00 Slow Jams with Jock Elliot including weather & flights at 8:30
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM

Monday 31st January
07:00 Breakfast Show with Trina Bernitsen
09:00 The Morning Experience with Ailie Biggs
10:00 News & Lifestyle with Liz Elliot to include: 12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
12:30 Spotlight
13:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM
4:00 News & Jukebox with Scott Betts
6:00 News & Repeat of Spotlight
6:15 Weather, Flights, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
6:30 Music presentation
7:30 Comedy Presentation - Claire in the Community
8:00 Vinyl Frontier with Myriam Booth including Weather & Flights at 8:30
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM

Tuesday 1st February
07:00 Breakfast Show with Trina Bernitsen
09:00 The Morning Experience with Ailie Biggs
10:00 News & Lifestyle with Liz Elliot to include: 12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
12:30 Spotlight
13:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM
4:00 News & Jukebox with Scott Betts
6:00 News & Repeat of Spotlight
6:15 Weather, Flights, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
6:30 Soul, Blues & Rock 'n' Roll with Liz Elliot
7:30 Feature Presentation
8:00 Pot Luck with Myriam Booth including Weather & Flights at 8:30
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM

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10:00 News and Lifestyle with Liz Elliot to include: 12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
12:30 One to One
1:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM
4:00 News & Jukebox with Scott Betts
6:00 News & Repeat of One to One
6:15 Weather, Flights, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
6:30 Tuesday's Theme with Monica Limburn
6:45 Simply Classical with David Lang
7:45 Folk Music Show with Jock Elliot
8:30 Weather, Flights & Hits of the 80's & 90's with Liz Roberts
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM

Wednesday 2nd February
07:00 Breakfast Show with Trina Bernitsen
09:00 The Morning Experience with Ailie Biggs
10:00 News and Lifestyle with Liz Elliot to include: 12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
12:30 Spotlight
1:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM
4:00 News & Jukebox with Scott Betts
6:00 News & Repeat of Spotlight
6:15 Weather, Flights, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
6:30 The Best of... with Lise Gill
7:30 Drama Presentation
8:30 Weather & Flights followed by The Chart Show with Jason Lewis
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM

Thursday 3rd February
07:00 Breakfast Show with Trina Bernitsen
09:00 The Morning Experience with Ailie Biggs
10:00 News and Lifestyle with Liz Elliot to include: 12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
1:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM
4:00 News & Jukebox with Scott Betts
6:00 News & A Brief History of Mathematics
6:15 Weather, Flights, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
6:30 Soul, Blues & Rock 'n' Roll with Liz Elliot
7:30 Feature Presentation
8:00 Pot Luck with Myriam Booth including Weather & Flights at 8:30
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM

Friday 4th February
07:00 Breakfast Show with Trina Bernitsen
09:00 The Morning Experience with Ailie Biggs
10:00 News and Lifestyle with Liz Elliot to include: 12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
12:30 Spotlight
13:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM
4:00 News & Jukebox with Scott Betts
6:00 News & Repeat of Spotlight
6:15 Weather, Flights, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
6:30 Soul, Blues & Rock 'n' Roll with Liz Elliot
7:30 Feature Presentation
8:00 Pot Luck with Myriam Booth including Weather & Flights at 8:30
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM

Saturday 5th February
07:00 Breakfast Show with Trina Bernitsen
09:00 The Morning Experience with Ailie Biggs
10:00 News and Lifestyle with Liz Elliot to include: 12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
12:30 Spotlight
13:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM
4:00 News & Jukebox with Scott Betts
6:00 News & Repeat of Spotlight
6:15 Weather, Flights, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
6:30 Soul, Blues & Rock 'n' Roll with Liz Elliot
7:30 Feature Presentation
8:00 Pot Luck with Myriam Booth including Weather & Flights at 8:30
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM

Sunday 6th February
07:00 Breakfast Show with Trina Bernitsen
09:00 The Morning Experience with Ailie Biggs
10:00 News and Lifestyle with Liz Elliot to include: 12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
12:30 Spotlight
13:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM
4:00 News & Jukebox with Scott Betts
6:00 News & Repeat of Spotlight
6:15 Weather, Flights, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
6:30 Soul, Blues & Rock 'n' Roll with Liz Elliot
7:30 Feature Presentation
8:00 Pot Luck with Myriam Booth including Weather & Flights at 8:30
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM

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Friday 12.00am Ops Breakfast from Afghanistan 3.00am Simon Guettier 4.00am UK Breakfast 7.00am Paul Wisdom 10.00am Mark Humphries 2.00pm Glen Mansell 5.00pm Mike Howarth 7.00pm Jessie Aru 10.00pm The Vibe

Saturday 12.00am Chill Out Room - Mark Humphries 2.00am Forces Shuffle 3.00am UK Breakfast Show 7.00am Falkland's Breakfast Show 9.00am The Vault 11.00am Vicky & Adam's Saturday Show 3.00pm Andy Pearman 6.00pm Club Culture Live 9.00pm Groove Collective - Mario 11.00pm BFBS Hosts

Sunday 12.00am BFBS Hosts 1.00am The Vault 3.00am UK Breakfast Show 7.00am Access all Areas 11am UK Sunday Afternoon Show 3.00pm Lee Dunn 6.00pm Music First 8.00pm Elevation 10.00pm Chill out room

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BFBS radio



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SUNDAY 0200 Morning reports 0300 Weekend Breakfast Five live 0500 BFBS News 0503 The BFBS Radio 2 Sunday Show 0600 Broadcasting House from BBC Radio 4 0700 BFBS News 0703 A Taste of Cyprus 0900 BFBS Radio Greatest hits 1000 Five live sport 1600 Pienaar's Politics BBC Five live 1700 On the money 1800 Five Investigates 1900 Late night live 2200 BFBS Radio News 2203 BFBS Gold with Dave Windsor 2300 Up All Night

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MPA Phoenix Cinema Schedule

Weekday show starts - 1st Performance 19:30

Saturday & Sunday shows start - 1st Performance 14:00 2nd Performance 19:30

Seat Prices: Adult (18 and over) £4 / 3D £5 Child (3-17) £3 / 3D £4 Students £3 / 3D £4 Seniors (60 and over) £3 / 3D £4
Family Ticket £11.00 / 3D £15.00 Visit website: www.ssvc.com/cinemas

Fri 28 January	Sat 29 January	Sun 30 January	Mon 31 January	Tues 1 February	Weds 2 February	Thurs 3 February
	GULLIVER'S TRAVELS 3D	HARRY POTTER AND THE DEATHLY HALLOWS: PART 1				
Show starts 19:30	Show starts 19:30	Show starts 19:30	Show starts 19:30	Show starts 19:30	Show starts 19:30	Show starts 19:30
THE DILEMMA	LITTLE FOCKERS	THE KINGS SPEECH	THE NEXT THREE DAYS	THE GREEN HORNET	THE DILEMMA	THE KING'S SPEECH

THE GREEN HORNET 3D (12A) 118 mins. Action. Britt Reid teams up with his late dad's assistant Kato to become a masked crime fighting team. Seth Rogen, Cameron Diaz
THE NEXT THREE DAYS (12A) 133 mins. Thriller. John Brennan has his perfect life shattered when his Laura is arrested for a murder she did not commit. Russell Crowe, Elizabeth Banks
THE DILEMMA (12A) 111 mins. Comedy. Ronny and Nick are trying to land a job but will see their auto design business really take off. But then Ronny spots Nick's wife with another man and decides to find out what's going on. Vince Vaughn, Kevin James

GULLIVER'S TRAVELS 3D 3D (PG) 87 mins. Comedy. Gulliver is mistakenly assigned a travel piece on the Bermuda Triangle. Jack Black, Emily Blunt
LITTLE FOCKERS (12A) 97 mins. Comedy. After ten years and the arrival of two Little Fockers, Greg is finally getting along with his father-in-law. Robert De Niro, Ben Stiller
HARRY POTTER & THE DEATHLY HALLOWS (12A) 145 mins. Adventure/Fantasy. Voldemort's power is growing stronger. Daniel Radcliffe, Emma Watson
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Friday 28th	0800 East—West 1000 West—East 1800 East—West
Saturday 29th	0800 West—East
Sunday 30th	1200 East—West 1400 West—East
Monday 31st	
Tuesday 1st	West Islands
Wednesday 2nd	West Islands
Thursday 3rd	West Islands
Friday 4th	West Islands
Saturday 5th	West Islands
Sunday 6th	1200 East—West 1400 West - East
Monday 7th	
Tuesday 8th	
Wednesday 9th	1800 East—West
Thursday 10th	0800 West—East 1000 East—West 1200 West—East
Friday 11th	0800 East—West 1000 West—East 1800 East—West

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**Fisheries Department
Catch for period 13 to 19 January 2011
Number of Licences**

Licence Type	Eligible for Period	Fishing During Period
Total	20	8
A	4	0
F/R	1	0
L	1	1
S	1	0
W/Z	13	7

A= All Finfish

F/R = Skate/Ray

L= Longliner

S= Surimi

W/Z Restricted Finfish (no Hake)

Catch by Species (tonnes)

Species	Total catch
Loligo	0
Illex	0
Hakes	3
Blue Whiting	12
Hoki	32
Kingclip	18
Toothfish	12
Red Cod	25
Ray	28
Rock Cod	497
Others	3
Total	630

**Department of Agriculture Wool Market Report
20th January, 2011**

Lin Campbell, Department of Agriculture, Falkland Islands

The Australian wool market has increased again and finished the week well up again at 744 pence per kg. This spectacular result comes despite a strengthening pound against the Australian Dollar. It is thought to be driven by a shortage of fine wool in particular, with the Italian buyers setting the pace, and a possible uncertainty of supply due to wide spread flooding now in the wool growing areas. The market is very volatile at the moment, moving up and down quickly, so close monitoring should be done by those fortunate people who have wool to sell at the moment.

Week ending	Pence per kilogram clean for each micron category											
	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	28	30	32
15/12/2009	642	587	522	508	494	478	442	379	319	251	215	185
14/01/2010	682	626	566	559	538	520	479	390	341	269	230	196
02/09/2010	718	625	541	528	517	509	480	421	359	270	237	211
07/10/2010	759	659	586	572	552	530	486	448	386	277	241	219
04/11/2010	903	765	647	617	591	560	518	472	416	299	262	247
02/12/2010	990	787	630	616	584	560	516		414	302	275	258
16/12/2010	1028	822	655	638	607	576	519	441	399	305	278	258
13/01/2011	1160	964	727	707	670	639	565	478	432	330	294	266
20/01/2011	1203	967	725	688	666	633	591	507	467	356	316	279
Market Change	43	3	-2	-19	-4	-6	26	29	35	26	22	13
Price year ago	680	634	576	567	552	531	475	397	347	275	231	198
Change from last year	24%	51%	26%	21%	21%	19%	24%	28%	35%	29%	17%	41%

Coffee break Sudoku and quiz

Sudoku by Colin Lang

6			8	2
2			7	9
	3			
	6		7	8
		1	4	
9	2			3
			8	1
		6	3	
				5

- Which European airport has the code name LHR?
- English novelist Elizabeth Cleghorn Stevenson was better known by what name?
- The laxative Gregory's Powder was made from which leafy plant?
- Which mime artist is associated with the character Bip?
- The hummalo fish is better known by what name?
- David Beckham was shown a red card during England's game against which national team during the 1998 FIFA World Cup?
- What is the name of the small arrangement of flowers worn on the bodice of a dress or on the wrist?
- Which heavy metal rock band had a UK No1 hit in 1981 with their live album 'No Sleep 'Til Hammer-smith'?
- What is the medieval form of chemistry concerned with attempting to change base metals into gold?
- In tennis, what is the term for an untouchable and unreturnable legal point-scoring serve?

Answers to last week's quiz:

- India
- Back
- Chuck Yeager
- Urania
- Bat
- Purple
- Narwhal
- River Volga
- Lyndon B Johnson
- Stan Laurel

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Donna and Wayne sign up for a life time together

THE marriage of Wayne Clasen and Donna May took place on January 15 in the Christ Church Cathedral before a full gathering of the couple's family and friends. The service was performed by Rev Richard Hines.

The bride wore a beautiful long chiffon layer dress covered in delicate black and silver appliqué flowers, while the best man Karl Harris and groom wore charcoal suits with silver tie and waistcoats.

The couple were supported by Maid of Honour Tanya Jaffray, bridesmaids, Samantha McCormick, Demi Jones, Caprice Jones and Darby Newman all of whom looked beautiful in black and white. Their god-daughter Kate Clement was the perfect flower girl, alongside their nephew Konner May as a dashing pageboy.

The ceremony was followed by a buffet lunch at the Malvina House Hotel. A wonderful day of celebration was topped off by a reception and dance in the Town Hall which lasted into the wee small hours.

Donna is the Operations Manager at the Print Shop and has been responsible for ensuring the Penguin News reaches the reader on a Friday morning for many years having also done battle with the antiquated machinery at the Government Printing Office prior to taking up her current post.

The black and white theme for her marriage to Water Maintenance worker Wayne was a fitting tribute to her profession and a good indication of her character - there are no grey areas with Donna.

Congratulations to you both from all at Penguin News



The wedding party gathers outside Christ Church Cathedral

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Jesse Dewsbury Ross

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Charity not just FIC token effort



Kathy Biles, Nanette Morrison, Betty and Luis Romo of the Seamens' Mission receiving cheques from FIC's Eva Clarke

THE significance of the green plastic tokens that shoppers at West Store have been getting with their change since the end of November was revealed on Wednesday morning last week.

While early morning shoppers waited for the store to open, representatives of the Stephen Jaffray Memorial Fund, the Cathedral and the Lighthouse Seamens' Mission gathered at the south entrance of the West Store waiting to receive cheques from the Falkland Islands Company (FIC).

FIC Executive Manager, Eva Jaffray, who presented the cheques, explained that the green tokens and the choice of three boxes representing local charities into which they can be put represent an effort both to regularise FIC's giving to charity and also to involve shoppers in deciding how the company's charity budget should be allocated.

Independent of any long-standing and substantial charitable commitments that the FIC might have,

which remain unchanged, Eva explained that the Company has a budget of £500 per month for smaller donations and this will now be divided each month between three nominated charities, each of which will have its own box for tokens. At the end of the month, the £500 will be allocated on the basis of each charity's proportion of the weight of the total number of tokens placed in the three boxes.

Applying this method to the tokens received since the scheme began, on Wednesday the Stephen Jaffray Memorial trust received £295, the Lighthouse Seamens' Mission received £115 and the Cathedral £90.

This month's charities are Cancer Support, Acorns and The Shack. Charities wishing to be included in the scheme in future should contact Ana Crowie, Tara Francis or Eva Jaffray at the FIC, whether seeking general support or support for specific functions or events.

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(Left) The original Argentine poster which provoked Ron's effort and (Right) the version which mysteriously appeared in its place

Waging psychological warfare in '82 with PWD's photocopier

"WHEN you wake up in the morning, shake your head and it falls off your shoulders, you'll know you have been attacked in the night by the Ghurkhas."

This was one typical bit of folk-wisdom being offered in 1982 to the already jittery conscripts who made up the majority of the Argentine forces by Islanders like the late Malcolm Binnie, who were fluent in the language of the invader.

The military call this kind of morale-sapping psychological warfare Psyps.

Head of the government's Plant and Transport Authority (PATA) in 1982 was Ron Buckett, who recently recalled to Penguin News how he also became involved in Psyps.

As chief of PATA, Ron was in charge of the PWD's only functioning photocopier, which was much used by the Argentine military.

While he was not permitted to see most of the material being copied, under the supervision always of an armed guard, a crude poster made on the copier for the Secretaria Obras Publicas (Public Works Department) did remain in his office.

Displayed in other places round Stanley the poster appeals to Argentines' fanatical love of soccer while aiming to counter their equally strong tendency to litter.

Under the slogan "Mantenga limpia Malvinas" (Keep the Falklands clean) the poster shows a soldier deftly back-heeling a piece of rubbish into a nearby bin under the watchful eye of a military policeman.

Just for his own amusement Ron sketched a similar poster, this time under the heading Falkland Islands Government with the slogan "Clean up Stanley Campaign."

Ron's version shows a nonchalant Islander in boiler suit and hob-

ble hat, having back-heeled an Argentine soldier to a member of the Task Force, who equally neatly kicks him head-first into a bin marked Argentina.

Ron's then wife, Nidge, was a formidable lady who had bullied the Argentine authorities into letting her ignore the nightly curfew in order to visit the old and vulnerable of Stanley and check on their well being.

When Ron showed this poster to Nidge, she urged him to make more copies and said that she and her social worker assistant Suzy Packer would see that they went up around the town.

Ron thinks he may have made "a dozen or so" copies of this morale-boosting little poster, which, as Nidge had promised, began to appear around Stanley to the amusement of the locals and, no doubt, the annoyance of the invaders.

At one time it seemed that the British Forces were also involved in the use of leaflets, at least according to the World Service of the BBC.

During the 74 days of Argentine occupation in 1982, the BBC was often the only source of reliable information about what was going on, especially for the Stanley residents who were forced by the curfew to remain home at night and were discouraged by bombard-

ments and a heavy military presence on the streets from venturing out much during the day.

When during the latter stages of the recovery of the Falklands from Argentine occupation in 1982, the BBC announced that the Argentine defensive lines had been showered from the air with leaflets offering safe passage home to all who surrendered, this tended to be believed, despite the fact that none of these leaflets were seen at the time and none were found on

the persons of the Argentine forces after they surrendered.

The writer recalls the non-appearance of the Safe Conduct Passes being used at the time by two Argentine officers with whom he was having a discussion as a proof that the BBC could not be trusted. They

would very much like to have one they said and had looked every where for them in vain.

Governor Rex Hunt, who had recently returned to the Islands as Civil Commissioner sent this communication from Government House in Stanley, among other papers recently released by the Foreign and Commonwealth Office. Dated August 9, 1982 it reads in part,

"The Civil Commissioner well remembers being involved in the preparation of the leaflets but, oddly enough, we haven't been able to find a single leaflet nor do

any of those who were here throughout the occupation remember seeing any."

Following this enquiry from Government House, the Ministry of Defence explained to the FCO that three leaflets were carried with the Task Force and were available for dropping over the Islands.

At the time publicity had been given to two of the leaflets, a Safe Conduct Pass and a leaflet showing the Argentine surrender at South Georgia.

The Safe Conduct pass was written in both Spanish and English and signed by Admiral Sandy Woodward the Commander of the British Task Force. It was addressed to British Forces and read,

"The soldier who bears this pass has signalled his desire to cease fighting. He is to be treated strictly in accordance with the Geneva Convention and is to be evacuated from the area of operations as soon as possible. He is to be given food and medical treatment if he requires it and then be held in a place of shelter to await repatriation."

The reverse side of this leaflet carried a letter addressed to Brigadier General Menendez, the Commander in Chief of the Argentine forces urging him to consider the wisdom of surrendering in the interests of saving further loss of life.

The mystery of the missing leaflets was solved when in October 1982, the FCO responded to a further enquiry by Rex Hunt about the leaflets and admitted:

"The Ministry of Defence are rather sensitive about these leaflets because after having been assured by CINCFLEET that they had indeed been dropped, they publicly announced the fact. They later discovered that none had in fact been dropped - the rapidity of the final phases of the campaign made them unnecessary."

John Fowler



Ron with a surviving copy of his poster

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Each year Falkland Islands Cricket Club and the MPA XI play a three match series to decide who will win the South Atlantic Ashes and two friendly matches have already taken place. The first resulted in a tie and the second was won by the Cricket Club by a wicket.

The first game of the Ashes series is being played at MPA on Sunday.

Next month Wendel Coppin from the ICC is arriving in the Falkland Islands for a week long trip. Wendel is the Regional Development Officer for the Americas region. While he is here, he will be teaching a cricket coaching course.

He will also be involved with the schools to try and encourage children to take up the sport. The Cricket Club hope to use his time here to show them various ways of training and eventually improving their overall game.

Following last year's Division 4 tournament in Mexico City, The Falkland Islands Cricket Club will again be overseas to compete. This year, they will be attending World Cup qualifiers in Costa Rica in mid March. Other countries involved are Chile, Mexico, Costa Rica, Cuba, and Peru with a 20 - 20 format.

This is only the first round of qualifying for our region and the winners will then be promoted to the next division.

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Fri 4 Feb 11:00	Sat 5 Feb 02:55	Sat 5 Feb 06:00	Sun 6 Feb 03:00
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Closed on the 29th January from 9pm for private function. We regret that no food will be available on the evening of the 29th, all day on the 30th January or every Tuesday and Wednesday.

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FOR SALE

The Falkland Islands Development Corporation (FIDC) has for sale by means of public tender, the property known as Reflections Building on Dean Street, Stanley.

This centrally located property is a one and half storey timber framed building that has a floor area of approximately 208 36mts². It has two retail outlets on the ground floor and a two bedroom furnished flat above. FIDC would like to inform interested parties that it is unable to provide mortgage funding to facilitate the purchase. As such, interested parties are advised to have an alternative source of finance available to them, if required, to complete the purchase, should their tender be successful.

FIDC is not bound to accept the highest offer and reserves the right to reject any tender received. For further information and inspection, please contact Susana Faria on telephone 27211 or email staria@fide.co.fk. Tenders marked "Reflections Building" should be sent to FIDC no later than 12 noon on Friday 11 February 2011.



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Opening times are now as follows:
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25th June - 1st July 2011

Any spectators intending to go to the IOW Island Games this year please contact Mike Summers to arrange accreditation. This will entitle you to free transport on all games buses and free entry into sports venues. We may be able to assist with accommodation depending on numbers.

Contact Mike on 21542 and 54211
or email m.j.summers@horizon.co.fk



Course Updates

IOSH Managing Safety:	Course dates have changed to 14th, 15th, 21st, 22nd and 25th February 2011.
Managing Your Time:	9th February Closing date: 2nd February
Mediation- Workplace Conflict:	16th & 17th February Closing date: 9th February

For further information or to enrol on any of these courses:
Email: clerk.training@sec.gov.fk Phone: 27133 (mornings only)

At close of business
January 27, 2011Change over
previous week

Falkland Oil and Gas Ltd	95.50	-4.00
Falkland Islands Holdings	308.50	no change
Desire Petroleum	38.50	-3.50
Rockhopper Petroleum	354.75	-2.50
Borders & Southern Petroleum	65.00	-1.00
Cable & Wireless	46.78	-2.17
Standard Chartered PLC	£16.35	-0.77

NOTICES/VACANCIES

The Falkland Islands Company - Vacancies

Full-time and Part-time Customer Service Assistants are required for the West Store Retail Complex.

Applicants must be aged 18 years and over and be willing to work flexible hours, including weekends, evenings and public holidays. You should be pleasant, confident and will need to be versatile and happy to undertake any aspect of work within the West Store Complex, Café and new Peacocks clothing section. The position will include the operation of computerised tills and organising of new stock.

For further information, please contact Leeanne Henry on 27661. Application forms are available from the West Store Foodhall.

The Falkland Islands Company Ltd has an immediate vacancy for an experienced mechanic in the Crozier Place garage. Applicants must be experienced in servicing and repair operations on light 4x4 vehicles and experience in HGV/PSV and small boat maintenance would be an advantage. A full driving license is essential and HGV or PSV1 licenses would be an advantage. Rate of pay will be dependent on the successful applicant's experience. Applicants should contact Stephen Luxton on tel 27678 during working hours for further details of the post.

The Falkland Islands Company has a vacancy for a Retail Supervisor.

As Retail Supervisor you will help to ensure that we deliver the highest customer service standards and that the day to day operations behind the scenes and in store run smoothly. You will also help to achieve sales targets.

Applicants must have worked for a minimum of two years in a similar supervisory role. You will be sales driven, enthusiastic, self-motivated and be able to lead a team. You must be prepared to work flexible hours including evenings, weekends and public holidays.

For further information, please contact the Tara Francis on 27661. applications should be received by Friday 4th February 2011.



Stanley Services Ltd has an immediate vacancy in their Service Station for a Forecourt Shop Operator. Duties involve the everyday running of the Service Station Retail Outlet, including re-stocking, ensuring the shop is kept to a tidy manner and controlling of the pumps and tills. Applicants should have a pleasant manner and the ability to work unsupervised.

The successful applicant will be willing to work weekends on a Rota basis with days off during the week. Applicants must be aged 18 and over and in good health.

A competitive salary and term of employment will be offered to the successful candidate. For further information and an application form please contact us on 22622 or call in at our Office on the Airport Road.

Completed application forms should be returned to Gareth Goodwin, Stanley Services Ltd and reach us by no later than close of business on Monday 7th February 2011.

The Malvinas House Hotel has vacancies for 2 Assistant Chefs. The applicants should be fully qualified to NVQ level 2 or equivalent and have at least two years experience in a busy restaurant. Hours of work are 50 per week over 6 days, which includes weekends and public holidays.

Accommodation for these positions can be provided if required.

For full details on this position contact Matt the Head Chef on 21355 or 21356.

The Malvinas House Hotel has a vacancy for a Full-time kitchen porter. Duties include cleaning of dishes and cutlery from the restaurant, pots and pans etc and keeping our new kitchen in a clean & tidy manner at all times. Hours of work are 50 hours a week over 6 days which include weekends and bank holidays. Annual leave of 30 paid days is provided.

Applicants must be able to work well as part of a team in a busy kitchen and have pride in their areas and keep the kitchen in a pristine order and willing to do as required by the head chef and his team.

For further details contact Carl or Matt on 21355 or 21360.

Update from Bug Busters

Results from the recent survey conducted by the Bug Busters Group shows that the top methods for killing earwigs are:

Chemical Treatments

Mike McLeod's Earwig Control

Robocan

Ant Stop Powder

Non-Chemical Treatment

Boiling soapy water - Container with beer or oil

Volunteers are also being sought to take part in a monitoring programme of earwigs. It would entail reporting to the Department of Agriculture once a week with the number of earwigs found in the same spot in a certain area of their garden and providing as much information as possible. If you are interested in taking part please contact Katrina Stephenson at the Department of Agriculture on 27355 or email kstephenson@doa.gov.fk

EDUCATION - A partnership of educators, parents and the community.

Are you the parent or guardian of a pupil attending the Infant Junior School-Camp Education?

Do you have an interest in the education of our students?

Can you spare a few hours a term?

If you can answer 'yes' to the questions you might consider putting yourself forward to fill a vacancy as a parent Member of the Education Board. It could be your opportunity to support Education in the Falkland Islands.

The closing date for nominations is the 21st February 2011.

Please contact the Education Office on 27289 or the Infant Junior School on 27294, for further details.

Help us, help our students, and help our community!!!

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 2nd February at 8.30pm in Gilbert House

Fisheries Committee - Wednesday 2nd February at 9.00am in the Liberation Room, Secretariat

Planning & Building Committee - Thursday 3rd February at 8.30am in the Liberation Room, Secretariat

Health & Medical Services Committee - Thursday 3rd February at 11.00am in the Liberation Room, Secretariat

Lands Committee - Thursday 3rd February at 1.30pm in the Liberation Room, Secretariat

Police Committee - Friday 4th February at 10.00 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.

Bridge results for Wednesday 26th January - 1st Sharon Halford & Bob Alazia, 2nd Joan Middleton & Rosie King, Booby Rene Duncan & Joyce Allan.

VACANCIES/PERSONAL/NOTICES pnews.adverts@horizon.co.fk



FALKLAND ISLANDS GOVERNMENT VACANCIES

Education Department - Falkland Islands Community School Librarian Assistant

Hours: 5 hours per week Salary: £7.36 per hour in Grade G
For Information: Contact the Community School on telephone 27147
Closing Date: Wednesday 9th February 2011

Computer Section Computer Technician

Hours: 37.5 per week
Salary: Grade E/D, commencing at £19,824 £24,558 per annum, depending on qualifications & experience
For Information: Contact Mrs Dilys Payne, Computer Coordinator on 27107 during normal working hours
Closing Date: Friday 4th February 2011

Mineral Resources Department Director of Mineral Resources

Hours: 37.5 per week Salary: Grade A1, commencing at £59,094
For Information: Contact Tim Thorogood, Chief Executive on 28450 during normal working hours
Closing Date: Monday 14th February 2011

Public Works Department, Property & Municipal Section Plant Operator/Handyperson

Hours: 37.5 per week Salary: Grade G, commencing at £14,346
For Information: Contact Glen Williams, Works Manager on 27177 during normal working hours
Closing Date: Monday 7th February 2011

Royal Falkland Islands Police Reserve Police Constables

Hours: Casual as required Salary: Grade F, paid at the rate of £8.64 per hour.
For Information: Contact Tom Whistler, Sergeant on 28100 during normal working hours
Closing Date: Friday 11th February 2011

Education Department Teachers

Hours: Normal school hours Salary: Grade C, commencing from £29,340 per annum
For Information: Contact the Education Department on telephone 27289 during normal working hours
Closing Date: Wednesday 9th February 2011

Leisure Centre Senior Sports Attendant

Hours: 37.5 per week on a shift system
Salary: Grade F, commencing from £17,016 per annum
For Information: Contact Steve Dent, Recreation Manager on telephone 27285 during normal working hours
Closing Date: Wednesday 9th February 2011

Job Descriptions and application forms for the above positions can be obtained from the Human Resources Department - telephone 28420, fax 27212 or e-mail HRclerk@sec.gov.fk

Consultancy Services Falklands Limited has a vacancy for the position of Bookkeeper/Administrative Assistant. Although prior knowledge and experience is not essential, as training will be given, candidates must be numerate and able to work with minimum supervision. Remuneration is commensurate with experience and ability. For further details please phone Alison Baker on 22666. All applications to be received in writing no later than Monday 7 February 2011.

British International Helicopters Services Ltd are seeking to employ a relief Met Observer(s) for our operation at Cape Dolphin. The vacancy will be for the duration of the present offshore drilling contract. Ideally applicants should have qualifications and/or experience in Meteorology, however this is not essential as training will be given to the successful applicant(s). For further details please contact the Base Manager on 32560 or e-mail fk1.manager@brit-intl.horizon.co.fk

TRAINEE PHOTOCOPIER TECHNICIAN

Stanley Electrical Ltd (The Print Shop) have a vacancy for a Trainee photocopier technician to service and repair Xerox Photocopiers.
No previous experience required as full training will be given.
Applicants must have a full clean driving licence and a valid passport, as some overseas work is required.
Rates of pay will depend on age and ability.
Contact Steve Vincent for further details or to arrange an interview. Phone 22061 or email steve@printshop.co.fk
Closing date for applicants is 5th February 2011



The Community Nursing Service is seeking applications for health care support workers who want to make a difference to members of the community who live at home and require some support to continue to do so. Training will be provided for successful applicants.
Hours of work are two hours in the morning and three hours in the evening including weekends and with an on call commitment.
This would be suitable for people wishing to work on an occasional basis as well as a more regular commitment.

The work can be really rewarding for the successful applicants.
Please contact Mandy Heathman or Rachel Williamson via 28000 for further details.
Application forms can be obtained from Human Resources Department. Closing date is 4 February 2011.



Personal Assistant/Administration Assistant Falklands Islands Development Corporation

FIDC seeks a highly-motivated individual with administrative skills to act as Personal Assistant to the General Manager. This position also includes the role of Administration Assistant.
Training can be provided. Salary Grade E1/E2 - depending on experience and qualifications.
For a full job description contact Christine Scipio-O'Dean on christine@fidc.co.fk or telephone 27211.
Applications including CV and covering letter should be sent to the General Manager by noon on Monday 7 February 2011.



To Dylan Paul - Happy 7th Birthday for 3rd February. Hope you have a great day and enjoy the Laser quest. All our love Mummy, Daddy and Katrice XXX



To Regan Ellis Newman Happy 7th birthday precious Hope you have a lovely day Lots of love and hugs from Mummy, Daddy, Jordan and Darby XXXX



Lucianne Henry - Happy 12th Birthday for today. Lots of love Mum, Dad, Adam, Nan & Grandad XXX



Happy First Birthday Jesse Sending love, hugs and kisses from Swansea to a very special little boy From Daddy, Nanny & Grandad, Auntie Sarah & Uncle Tim, and big cousins Chloe and Jay. We all miss and love you so much xxx We will be thinking of you on your special day. We miss you loads. Lots of love Sue, Paul, Sian and Tom in Blackwood xxx



To Temis, Happy 7th birthday for Wednesday 2nd. Have a great time. Lots of love and hugs from Daddy and Anya xxx
To Temis, Happy 7th birthday. We hope you have a great time. Lots of love and hugs from Nanny and Grandad Smith xxx



BFBS
British Forces Boggie Site?
aka St Mary's Bay Fitzroy

Stanley Running Club

Half Marathon Training Schedule

Week 6 31 Jan - 6 Feb

Tue	Thurs	Sat	Sun
3-4M easy on soft ground	1M jog, then 2 x 5 mins fast, with 5-min slow jog recovery	4M easy on grass	9-10M slow

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1 x Mamas and Papas Unisex Moses basket with a wooden stand and some bedding included £50
1x Mamas and Papas Unisex vibrating chair £30
Both items in excellent condition
2x boxes Size 3 Super Dry Huggies Nappies (99 nappies per box) £15 each box
contact Jessica or Roberto on 21539 or 54539.

Mahogany extending table and four chairs. In very good condition. £150.00
Tel Cathy 55776

Plot of Land for Sale by Tender - with full planning permission, at the rear of 2 Ross Road West, Stanley. Offers in the region of £10,000. Bids to be submitted to Anya Harris, C/o Interserve, MPA, by Monday 21st February 2011. The tenderer does not bind herself to accept highest or any tender. For further details, please contact Anya Harris on 52546 or email anya.harris@yahoo.com

Lane access to Government House offices (along with the Cable and Wireless workshop yard and adjacent housing) will be restricted from Monday 31 January until around Friday 11 January due to urgent resurfacing works.

Throughout the works, visitors to Government House are advised to park along Ross Road West. We apologise for any inconvenience these works may cause.

Now at the **FIC Spares Section**, quality used cars. Ford Fiesta hatchback cars from just £5650 or Land Rover Discoverys from £8995, plus new Ford Ranger XLT crewcab pickups in a range of colours at £15950. **New Year Special Offer** discounts available on selected Defender 110 Station Wagon vehicles ex stock. Tel 27678 for further information, email fig.autos@horizon.co.fk or drop into the office for more details.

HOUSE FOR SALE

9 Brandon Road, Stanley is up for sale and available in April. 3 bedrooms, sitting room, kitchen, dining room, porches front and back, Garage. Cultivated gardens. Viewing by appointment.
Interest offers to Arthur and Josie Nutter 21267.

SHACKLETON SCHOLARSHIP FUND

The Shackleton Scholarship Fund takes this opportunity to remind applicants for both Academic and Quality of Life scholarships that the closing date for receipt of applications to be considered this year is 31 March 2011.

Application forms can be downloaded from www.shackletonfund.com. Details of where and how to submit completed applications can be found on the website. Any queries should be addressed to Sally Ellis, Secretary, Shackleton Scholarship Fund (Stanley Committee) on paul.sally@horizon.co.fk or P O Box 307, Stanley.

House for Sale

Large (approx. 220 sq.m.) modern two-storey house. Open-plan living space; all the mod-cons and several luxury features inc. huge spa bath and steam cubicle. 3 1/2 big bedrooms, easily converted to 4 1/2 bedroom. Master suite includes en-suite shower room and walk-in closet dressing room. Good sized plot of land in quiet part of town with surprisingly gorgeous views. Wonderful family home, but with definite potential for business use. Viewing on arrangement. Contact David or Leona on 53002 or 22172 evenings for more information.

FORSALE/NOTICES

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Blue Peugeot 306 car 1.9 litre diesel £1400
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Do you REALLY want to get away from it all?

Expressions of interest are invited for the FREEHOLD purchase of the Black Hill House and up to 5 acres of surrounding land. The house has a rich local history but is in a sad state of repair and needs much TLC. The basic structure is very sound. It is situated some 7 miles South East from the Chertres River Bridge along a good track and right of access would be granted with purchase. Email wrluxton@yahoo.com with any queries or phone 42296. Photos can be provided. A good view is available on Google Earth. Inspection welcome and we could guide. Replies please by 15th February 2011.

Twigworth Trading Limited is offering for Sale by TENDER the Farm known as Wineglass Station. The farm consists of approximately 23000 acres (9300 ha) and carries a number of Sheep and Cattle. The wool from our Hogs this year was 21.5 micron.

We also have several contracts outside of farming which would be included in the sale.

We would consider tenders for the complete farm or in lots.

Lot 1. The complete farm with all machinery etc.

Lot 2. Farm land and working shearing shed with paddocks.

Lot 3. Farm house with house paddock.

The farm house is having a large extension, which is not complete, but most of the materials are on site to complete the work, including 75 sheets of plaster board.

For further details, or to express an interest, please contact our Stanley Office on 21297. Bobby Short on 52280 52281 or Peter Short on 21849, mobile 51849.

Twigworth Trading do not bind themselves to accept the highest or any tender.

Jacs will be open from 10am to 4pm on Sunday

NOTICES

FOR RENT from 1 March 2011
Fully furnished house at 24 Hansen Hill 3 bedrooms (master en-suite), bathroom, sitting room with dining area, well equipped kitchen and utility room. Outstanding views. Off street parking. For further details contact Cat and Smiler Jaffray on cat.smiler@yahoo.co.uk or Lisa Jaffray on 53551.

Available for rent until December. The 4 bedroom house known as Hambledon situated on the front road beside the Cathedral. Contact telephone 22490 or yellowleesbound@btinternet.com or Megngors LLP 22690

For rent from 1 March 2011
Fully furnished house at 4 Biges Rd 3 Bedrooms (master en-suite), bathroom. Open plan sitting room dining room. Fully equipped kitchen. Off street parking. Large garden. Contact Michelle King 21784 51784 for details viewing.

Unfurnished 2 bedroom house to rent at 9 Villiers Street. Telephone 21191

FALKLAND CLUB

Notice of Extraordinary General Meeting
An Extraordinary General Meeting will be held in the Club Rooms at 18.30 hours on Friday 28 January 2011
Agenda: The Smoking (Prohibition) Ordinance 2011
Members should kindly refer to the Club Notice Board for details.
Alternatively please contact the Club Secretary, C D Lang, on telephone 53581
Signed: Management Committee

HOLIDAY CREDIT SCHEME

This is a reminder to all those with a holiday credit account that the scheme is due to close on 30 June 2011. Holiday credits need to be used by this date within the Scheme Rules.

Please contact Carol Anderson, Administrator, Holiday Credit Scheme for further information.

Canderson2@sec.gov.fk or Tel. 28436

MOTO X THIS SUNDAY.

Practice starts at 10.00am BBQ, fun for all the family. Be there!
Lorenzo Farm, follow the signs on the North Camp Road



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NOTICES

See page 17 for 'Narrows News'

Wanted: 2 bedroom house with allowance for pets, specifically cats. We are non smokers. If anyone has anywhere please contact either 52601 or 55449

Wanted to buy a breadmaker 21906

Wanted: To buy or even borrow 2 or 3 Welsummer hens. If anyone can help please contact Louise on 41294. I have one lonely rooster!

Wanted: Jetski. Cash waiting. Contact Dan 65114

Wanted: Land Rover Defender 130. Please email southsun17@hotmail.com

Wanted: To rent from 12th - 19th Feb inclusive, 3 or 4 bedroom furnished house. Contact Hannah on 53341

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ENTERTAINMENT AT THE STANLEY ARMS

Saturday 29th January - Country Night with DJ Bonzo
Wednesday 2nd February - Quiz Night - commencing at 8pm. (meal served from 7pm). Please book your teams of 4 and meal requirements with Kevin on tel. 52587 or 21790. The special will be Tandori Chicken & chips £6.50 per head. Entry fee is £10 per team. There is a cash prize for 1st & 2nd place. Councillors now is your chance to get a team together and support the local small pub in a smoke free atmosphere, as some have stated you would visit the pubs once the non smoking came into effect - look forward to seeing you!

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K1 22258 1 John Biscoe Road	Open 9am to 9pm Every Day *****
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K4 22273 39 Ross Road East	Open 9am to 9pm Every Day
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K4	
SERVICE	QUALITY VALUE

No phone a friend, no ask the audience
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QUIZ, BAR, TAPAS

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Saturday 05 February 2011 - 7.00 p.m.

FIDF Hall

An IJS PA Production

£110 for a table of up to 6 people

£20 for individual tickets

Tickets available from Sally Ellis,

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All classified advertisements **must** be submitted to Penguin News by Wednesday midday

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Top gun shearer Evan smashes Islands record

ISLANDER Evan Jones smashed the Falkland Islands sheep shearing record by five sheep on Monday when he shored 461 full fleeced mature ewes at North Arm.

The previous record holder was Peter McKay also a Falkland Islander, who 15 years ago in the Port Howard shed on West Falkland shored 456 ewes. It was a long time to hold on to a top tally in the shearing world but Peter told Penguin News he was happy to see it go to Evan. "I always wanted someone local to get it and I've got loads of praise for him," he said.

But Peter does not think the record will remain static for such a long time again. "I'm sure Evan himself or one of the other young shearers will probably better it again in the not too distant future," the veteran shearer said.

There are few employments left in the world that require such energy and dedication as sheep shearing. You can be as strong and as fit as is humanly possible, but a top shearer also has to have a huge heart and total commitment to physically and mentally push themselves to the limit for a full eight hours.

26 year old Evan has been shearing for seven years and on Monday morning he had a feeling it was a day to do "something big."



Evan Jones in action on sheep number 461 Picture C Jacobsen

Although he had wanted to beat the top tally for some time he said it wasn't uppermost in his mind, but after the first 15 minutes of the day he started to push for it. North Arm's Assistant Manager Stevie Dickson had told him the sheep were good and getting better and Evan mentally prepared himself for a big day.

But at breakfast time, morning smoko and lunch time he was a few sheep short of the required quota to break the 456 record and as he picked up his hand piece in

the afternoon he needed to shear one sheep per minute for two and a quarter hours to beat the record by one sheep.

Incredibly, Evan shifted up another gear in the last spell and for the final 45 minutes in the eight hour day a shorn sheep slipped into the letting go pen every 57 seconds, until the record was not only equalled, but beaten by five sheep.

"I was completely drained, but so happy," Evan told the Penguin News.

"The next day was a slow one and I'm still recovering now," he said on Wednesday.

North Arm's manager Ian Jaffray sets a high standard on the shearing board and many a shearer trying to slip a shoddy job past him has had the error of his ways pointed out – it's what the shearers call "a bombing" and in his younger days Evan had been on the receiving end of a few.

"Ian was more excited than I was on the last run, he kept nipping up to see the tally on my counter," said Evan.

"I kept wondering if I was going to get bombed out, but I reckon he's getting soft in his old age as he even bought me a case of beer," joked an elated Evan.

But there is no chance of Ian going soft just yet. "It was a good quality job and I wouldn't settle for anything else. I guess the bombings have paid off over the years, well done to Evan," he told the Penguin News.

On the same day five other local lads worked alongside Evan to shear a total of 1,816 sheep. Joe Clarke and Lucas Berntsen achieved personal bests of 350 and 323 while Scott Short clocked up 190 in his first season and Daniel Ford and Roy McKay shored 274 and 218 respectively.

Sharon Jaffray

Stanley rises to the challenge

DESPITE fears of chaos and confusion, in the end Stanley coped well with the challenge of Wednesday's invasion, the biggest since 1982 and much friendlier.

A damp grey day greeted Crystal Symphony (1,010), Star Princess (3,102) and Infinity (2,449) which seemed to fill Port William. As their passengers came ashore they pushed the capacity of pavements around the Jetty

Centre to overflowing.

In an attempt to get ahead of the rest, Crystal Symphony started their tours at 6.30am, which meant that for many of those preparing to receive them the day started as early as 4.30am.

Andrea Clausen at FITT said the success of the operation was down to careful organisation by everybody involved "from Steph in the Visitors Centre to the

companies and independents who were patient and flexible."

By lunch time, despite having spent most of Tuesday night awake and worrying, Sammy Marsh of Sullivan Shipping was beginning to relax. By day's end she reported that nearly every one of 64 tours, carrying 1,800 people had left on time.

Tours to Long Island and Sparrow Cove were fully booked

and Bluff Cove Lagoon broke records with more than 600 visitors. Volunteer Point was also very popular with more than 50 fifty vehicles making the journey.

Incidents and accidents appear to have been few, though one gentleman reportedly fell down the steps of the Cathedral and another stepped nonchalantly backwards into the harbour from a pontoon while taking a photograph.

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THE old Sunday newspaper banner boast, "All human life is here" crossed my mind on Wednesday every time I lifted my head to observe some of the estimated 5000 cruise ship passengers passing the office window. I didn't see anyone I could definitely identify as a tribesman from the mountains of Papua New Guinea, but it seemed that almost every other nationality in the world was represented.

What I also didn't see, and felt quite glad about not seeing, was anyone holding the letter that Councillor Sharon Halford mentioned during her round-up of last week's ExCo meeting. According to Cllr Halford, "Approval was given for a letter which has been prepared and can be handed out to people visiting the Falklands. This welcomes the visitor and gives a few pointers on how to behave whilst here."

Although I have not seen a copy, I doubt if the letter is like the excellent and informative leaflet prepared by the Tourist Board for Wednesday's visitors, which gave very clear information about opening times, authorised tour guides and their availability, acceptable forms of payment etc.

You could give such a letter to any visitor and they would be grateful, I am sure. What I am not so sure about is how a warning about correct behaviour would be received. I know how I would react if I got off a plane in Australia and was handed a leaflet saying, "Don't mention the Ashes" or landed in Iran to be advised, "Don't mention the Axis of Evil."

People who are out to cause trouble, will cause trouble, wherever they are and whenever they can. Warning them will have little effect and though I may be wrong I think such a 'welcoming but warning' letter could even be taken as an invitation by potential trouble makers, as it makes us out to be rather pathetically sensitive, as well as maybe over-ready to take offence, where none might be intended.

Assuming that the Government's advice is aimed primarily at those visitors who might want to wave foreign flags or mis-name our geography, selecting who to give it to solely on the basis of their appearance could go seriously wrong and seriously offend. It would also quite probably be illegal, which may be why - according to rumour - it has been returned to the Attorney General's Chambers for checking.

The presence of 5000 people on our shores gives us a fantastic opportunity for positive public relations. Rather than risking upsetting visitors needlessly, how marvelous it would have been if Government had followed the example of a growing number of private tour operators and provided every visitor with a copy of Pepper and Pascoe's excellent and well-researched historical booklet, "Getting it Right - the Real History of the Falklands/Malvinas."

John Fowler

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Wool exports tied up with red tape

SHEEP farmers who ship wool on MoD vessels could have to change the packing from the current 180 kg (average) bales to 50 kg bales if a dangerous goods issue recently highlighted by workers at Mare Harbour is not permanently resolved.

FIG Marine Officer Malcolm Jamieson said some of the problems experienced were because the International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code (IMDG Code) lacked clarity.

Wet wool is listed within the Code as dangerous goods, so therefore it would be natural to assume that dry wool would be considered a safe cargo. For most shipping lines this is the case.

Local shipping company SAAS have never been asked for any declaration in connection with shipping wool and are happy to ship bales of dry wool in the current bale sizes, General Manager Stewart Lawton, told the Penguin News on Thursday. "Our service provider Hamburg Sud is very proactive about hazardous cargo and has no problem with the way the wool is being shipped."

Mr Jamieson explained however that on closer inspection, wool could also be classed as an oily animal fibre. Whether wet or oily wool there is a possibility it could spontaneously combust hence the 'dangerous' classification.

"Dangerous goods are shipped around the world every day of the year but there are limits regarding the size of the containers that they are shipped in to minimise the dangers. With wool, the IMDG Code specifies that it should be carried in 50kg bags and not 180kg which is the norm in the Falklands and possibly elsewhere," said Mr Jamieson.

Where it is not possible for whatever reason to carry dangerous goods exactly as required by the IMDG Code, the UK Maritime

and Coastguard Agency, as a Competent Authority under the IMDG Code, can issue an approval on individual cases such as the recent dilemma faced with shipping wool from the Falklands.

Personnel at Mare Harbour had identified that wool being shipped from the Falklands was not complying with existing IMO regulations. "All shipping operators and exporters - whether civilian or MoD - must operate in accordance with these regulations" said a military spokesman.

"In this case, concerns were raised with both the consignor and the shipping agent that the recent cargo appeared to contravene IMDG regulations," he said, adding that for future shipments, the wool would have to be packed and labelled in accordance with IMDG regulations, unless the consignor and shipping agent secure a further MCA exemption.

"The responsibility for declaring, packaging and labelling wool correctly for shipping lies with the commercial companies acting as the consignor and shipping agent for the exported product. The responsibility for ensuring that the ship is loaded in accordance with IMDG regulations lies with Mare Harbour personnel, who must comply with the law" said the military spokesman.

He added, "Overall, BFSI understands completely the concern of farmers and potential impact on the local economy - and will advise and assist wherever possible - but we must operate within extant international shipping regulations."

Mr Jamieson said approvals or exemptions were looked at on a case by case basis and concluded: "As an interim measure, the approval being issued will be for the next voyage only and a longer term solution will be looked into well in advance instead of the short deadline last week."

Ships in Stanley harbour

for the week ending February 3rd



Vessel	Type	Vessel agent	Departed
John Cheek	Trawler	FIC	
Maersk Pacer	AHTS	Byron Holdings	31 Jan
Fenny	Chase Boat	Sullivan Shipping	28 Jan
Protegit	Patrol	RB Consultants	30 Jan
Toisa Invincible	Supply	Byron Holdings	
Ernest Shackleton	Research	BAS	31 Jan
James Clark Ross	Research	BAS	28 Jan
Castelo	Trawler	RB Consultants	31 Jan
Petrel	Trawler	FIC	29 Jan
Ventura	Trawler	FIC	29 Jan

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In court this week

ROBERT Crowie (52), of Stanley, admitted this Wednesday to driving whilst under the influence of alcohol on December 9. He explained through his defence counsel Mr Keith Watson that it was a case of an expensive two or three drinks and a serious error of judgement on his part.

Mr Trevaskis gave Mr Crowie maximum credit for an early admission of guilt and previous good character but disqualified him from driving for 18 months and ordered him to pay a fine and costs totalling £585.

Steven Toolan (44), of Stanley, admitted on Wednesday to causing criminal damage to windows and the gate of the Shackleton Drive YMCA building on 25 November last year. Given that he has already covered the costs of repairing the damage and his previous good character, Mr Toolan was conditionally discharged by Senior Magistrate Mr Trevaskis and ordered to pay prosecution costs of £85.

The sentencing and trial of Claudio Briones Sepulveda (48), were adjourned by the court until February 10. Senior Magistrate Mr Trevaskis acknowledged that the case seemed to be growing all the time, referring to a fresh charge of assault from September last year which has been brought and denied by the accused.

Mr Sepulveda is due to be sentenced for two admitted charges of assault and subsequent bail and conditional discharge breaches. He is also awaiting trial for the three charges he denies.

Due to staffing shortages in the the Magistrates Court, a trial date will not be set until after mid March, at which time the Senior Magistrate anticipated that sentencing for the charges to which Mr Sepulveda has already pleaded guilty would also take place.



Frequent visitor to the Falkland Islands, the MV Polar Star

Falkland Islands visitor finds an Antarctic rock

THE expedition cruise ship MV Polar Star, which was one of the first to visit the Falkland Islands this season, sustained what was described as minor damage on Tuesday morning when it struck a rock at Detaille Island off the Arrowsmith Peninsula in Antarctica, while preparing to anchor.

The ship left Ushuaia, Argentina, on January 26 for a 10 day adventure with 80 passengers and 35 crew on board.

The passengers who include Canadian, American, British, Australian and Dutch citizens were reported uninjured.

Early assessment of the damage suggested that the vessel's outer hull had been punctured, but not its inner hull.

Martin Karlens, President of Polar Star Expeditions, stated that the double-hulled vessel travelled uneventfully and at normal cruising speed from Detaille Island to the Polish Arctowski Station on King George Island, where station divers assessed the damage to the outer hull.

Following the underwater

inspection of the MV Polar Star's outer hull, the decision was taken to disembark the ship's 80 passengers at King George Island in the South Shetland Islands as a precautionary measure before crossing the Drake Passage and returning to Ushuaia, Argentina.

Alternative transportation back to Ushuaia is being arranged for MV Polar Star's passengers.

Following discussions with the captain and officials of Det Norske Veritas, the MV Polar Star's classification society, the company made the precautionary decision not to cross the Drake Passage with passengers aboard.

Once passengers have been transferred and temporary repairs made, the ship will proceed to Ushuaia with its 35 officers and crew.

Polar Star Expeditions has announced that the Polar Star's February Antarctica cruise will be cancelled, but the vessel's local agents Sullivan Shipping could not confirm whether this will affect a scheduled Falklands visit in mid March.

Inspired Hart

RISING comedy star Miranda Hart cleaned up with three gongs at the Comedy Awards. Unexpected was the dramatic untold story of nearly losing her inspiring father Captain David Hart-Dyke who was commanding officer of Royal Navy destroyer HMS Coventry when it was sunk by the Argentinians, with 19 men killed.

Dwarf for sale

THE FALKLANDS and the "Dwarf" a fascinating account of the voyage of the 1881-2 visit of the ship Dwarf to the Falklands by Rear Admiral Kit Layman and Jane Cameron has been reprinted and is on sale at The Capstan, Museum and the Pink Shop. Proceeds from this new printing will be donated directly to the Alastair and Jane Cameron Memorial Trust in Stanley.

Navy Rum

KELVIN McCallum bought a bottle of Navy rum as he travelled to the Falklands on the HMS Glamorgan. The 27 year old was killed alongside 12 comrades by an Argentine Exocet that struck the ship. The bottle is to be toasted in their honour on February 15 at the new Hookers Point stone memorial that marks where the missile was launched from in 1982.

Oils well

DESIRE Petroleum has announced its next well to be the Ninky prospect when a rig becomes available again in either March or April. Rockhopper Explorations Ocean Guardian semi-submersible is operating on an appraisal well at the Sea Lion discovery, after that programme the rig is going back to Desire.

Tight and Talk?

ABERDEEN based oilfield equipment specialist Titan Torque Services has secured a six-figure one-year contract to provide torquing facilities in support of the operation of the drilling rig Ocean Guardian off the Falklands.

Next Assembly

THE NEXT session of Legislative Assembly has been scheduled to take place at 9.30m on Friday February 25, in the Court and Council Chambers, Town Hall.

70 years SAR

THE stamp issue release of the 70th anniversary of the RAF Search and Rescue has been postponed from February 4 to 16.

Poor start to Falklands Illex season

VESSELS fishing for the squid species Illex argentinus in Falklands waters have been reporting poor catches of around two and five ton per day so far this season, confirmed Falkland Islands Fisheries Scientist Dr Alexander Arkhipkin.

The low catches are a disappointment after the 2010 season when catches returned to a more normal level after a poor season the year before.

Dr Arkhipkin said, "Our analysis of the oceanographic situation on the High Sea in January 2011 shows that the Falkland Current is less intensified. It has also shifted offshore and therefore does not create strong hydrological frontal zones between warm shelf wa-

ters (16-17C) and cold Sub-Antarctic waters of the Current.

"Illex tends to concentrate near these frontal zones in common years, which is not the case this year so far."

Dr Arkhipkin continued, "According to the data from reporting trawlers, catches of Illex are small, varying between two and five ton per day. About half of the catch is composed of small and immature winter-spawning squid, with the rest being larger and mature summer-spawning squid.

"Winter-spawning squid should come later to Falkland Islands zones to feed. Their abundance at the moment seems to be small. However, further migrations of winter-spawning squid on the

High Seas in February should tell us more about their total abundance."

Describing the Falkland Islands Government Fisheries Department programme of research activity planned for next month, Dr Arkhipkin said that the new research cruise would be done on Castelo, with the main aim to assess the total abundance of one of the most important commercial stocks - rock cod.

Another survey is planned on Venturer with the main goal to estimate the number of Loligo recruits for the next fishing season that will start on 24 February 2011. Ten scientists from the Department will participate in both surveys.

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January weather

JANUARY 2011 had slightly above average temperatures, was drier than normal and slightly less sunny. It also had the second highest fog days for January since MPA records began in 1986.

Temperature

The mean maximum temperature was 16.2 Celsius compared with an average for January of 15.3 Celsius. The highest temperature recorded was 22.1 Celsius on the 6th and the lowest maximum was 8.4 Celsius on the 17th.

The mean minimum temperature was 7.3 Celsius, compared with the 6.6 Celsius January average. The lowest minimum was 2.8 Celsius on the 14th and the highest minimum was 12.5 Celsius recorded on the 4th.

Rainfall

The total rainfall for the month was 39.5mm, compared with the January average of 60.6mm. The wettest day was on the 27th with a total of 9.8mm. More than 0.1mm fell on 17 days and 1.0 mm or more fell on 10 days.

Sunshine

There were 223.9 hours of sunshine, compared with the monthly average of 227.8 hours. The highest daily total was 15.7 hours on the 5th.

Snow/Hail/Thunder/Fog

There were 4 days when fog occurred in January, which is the second highest since records began. There were 2 days with hail and no days with thunder, snow or sleet.

Wind/Gales

The monthly mean wind speed was 15.1 knots, which compares to a January average of 15.4 knots. The highest hourly mean speed of 40 knots occurred on the 4th January and the highest recorded gust of 55 knots was also recorded on the 4th. Gales occurred on 3 days. There were 20 days with gusts in excess of 33 knots.

Triple sunshine celebration for Donna and Spurs



The Henrys leave the Cathedral with daughters and bridesmaids

DECEMBER 31 normally has a few reasons to be celebrated: the end of a year, and the beginning of a new, but for Donna and Spurs it was when they joined together in marriage. The ceremony took place at Christ Church Cathedral and was performed by Rev Richard Hines.

Donna looked absolutely exquisite in her ivory, full length dress, with detail beading around the bodice and a six metre train and was given away by her father Mike, who was wearing a dark blue suit and who, although famous for his hair had a small trim for the special occasion. The mother of the bride, who had not stopped rushing around all morning before, looked lovely in her sapphire blue full length dress.

Along the way Donna was accompanied by four of her close friends: Justine, Stacey, Sarah and Kerri, who all looked beautiful wearing matching turquoise full

length ruffle detail dresses with silver sequins around the front and white shrugs.

The couple's two children, Kierah and Kalista, had the important task of making sure the rings in matching silver rose ring boxes made it down the aisle to the best man. Both girls wore white full length dresses with a turquoise ribbon around the middle and had matching white furry shrugs and carried white butterfly satin bags.

Spurs looked dashing in his FIDE blues and was matched by his best man Paul, who also wore his blues.

An FIDE honour guard sent them on their way and the celebrations carried on with a meal and reception at the FIDE hall, till the early hours of the New Year.

It was a New Year's Eve no one will forget especially the groom as he was also celebrating his birthday. He has no excuses for forgetting any future anniversary.

ExCo Extracts

Wedding mint

Subject to the approval of HM the Queen, approval was given by Executive Council for the minting of four coins, The Life and Times of HM the Queen, The Diamond Jubilee of HM the Queen, the 70th Anniversary of RAF Search & Rescue and the Wedding of Prince William and Catherine Middleton.

Traffic Bill

The timetable for the implementation of the Road Traffic Bill was approved but members did request that safety issues such as mobile phone usage whilst driving and the licensing of taxis be looked into as a matter of urgency.

Island airstrip

Approval was given for the works needed to get the New Island airstrip back into use and it was noted that the assessment on the West Point airstrip to find out what will be required is to be undertaken this summer.

Money transfer

The Post Office received approval to pursue a partnership agreement with MoneyGram International to introduce an additional service for customers which would allow them to transfer money from within the Post Office.

Communications

The Telecommunications (Amendment) Bill 2011 was given approval to be gazetted and allow time for consultation before it goes to Legislative Assembly in May.

Container Park

Additional funding of £335,000 was approved for works needed to complete the container park near FIPASS. This will bring the total of this project to £1,320,200.

Ferry Terminal

Additional funding of £185,000 was also requested and approved to finish works on the Port Howard Ferry Terminal which will bring the cost of this project to £1,270,940.

Sea Lion status

The designation of Sea Lion Island as a National Nature Reserve and the Management Plan thereof was agreed in principle and legislation will now need to be drawn up to achieve this.

Immigration

The Immigration (Amendment) Bill 2011 was approved for publication and subsequent submission to Legislative Assembly.

New stamps in S. Georgia

SOME time in mid-March the South Georgia Fishery Patrol Vessel Pharos SG will carry to the island this set of stamps commemorating Sir Alister Clavering Hardy (1896-1985) the eminent marine biologist famous for his work on plankton and fisheries, but also an accomplished artist, inventor and writer of popular science.

From March, for the first time, Pharos SG will also be deploying Hardy's creation the Continuous Plankton Recorder on its voyages to and from South Georgia.



Standard Chartered Bank in Stanley welcomes new Chief Executive

STANDARD Chartered Bank Falkland Islands has recently appointed a new Chief Executive Officer.

Binoy Karia takes over from Rino Donosepoetro, better known as Donny, who has moved to a new role based in Singapore as Standard Chartered's Regional Head of Audit, Governance for South East Asia.

Mr Karia joined Standard Chartered in 2006 from Allen & Overy where he qualified as a solicitor and held senior roles in general banking and syndicated lending. His career at Standard Chartered began as legal counsel to Wholesale Banking on issues ranging from syndicated lending and acquisition finance.

Mr Karia was a leading advisor to Standard Chartered Bank during

the recent global financial crisis. In 2008 he assumed the role as Head of Lending, Wholesale Banking Legal and was previously based in London.

Binoy's appointment as CEO in the Islands took effect from January 1. His wife, Purvi, will be joining him later in the year following the delivery of their first child, due in March.

Silver tea service comes out for Sonia Arkhipkina

A VERY special tea was served at Government House on January 7 2011, when the Governor, Mr Hayward presented Duke of Edinburgh Award Certificates and Badges to Sonia Arkhipkina of Stanley.

Over the past three years Sonia has completed both the Bronze Award and the Silver Award. When the rest of her group received their Bronze Awards Sonia was not in the Islands, so the presentation was delayed.

The Governor very kindly held afternoon tea at Government house and made the presentations in the presence of committee members and instructors of the Duke of Edinburgh Award Scheme and Sonia's family.

The Governor commented how pleased he was to see that the Award Scheme was active in the Falklands.

The Chairman, Mr Ken Newton, said that Sonia's efforts were exemplary, and that she was a true



Sonia shows off her certificates

example of a young person who was determined to achieve highly. One of the main requirements was self-determination, and Sonia should be seen as an example of what can be achieved with hard work. He hoped that more of her peers would strive to follow her example.

Sonia intends to continue the Duke of Edinburgh Award Scheme while at Peter Symonds College in the UK and the Award Committee which administers the Duke of Edinburgh Award Scheme in the Falklands looks forward very much to her achieving the Gold Certificate.

(Further information on the scheme is available on email: Secretary@DofE.Falklands.org.fk but Students at the Falkland Islands Community School should ask at the Schools Office for the D of E Representative Teacher.)

Give us two minutes...



Pollyanna Lennie

1. What is your most prized possession?

Brody Rosel Maria Lennie

2. What is the best piece of advice you have ever been given?

"Always look on the bright side of life"

3. Who would you most like to have a tot with?

Marilyn Manson or Ozzy Osbourne with my rocking friends

4. There's a "Falklands" has got talent" competition, how would you audition?

Compete? Being a judge to have the power would be much more fun

5. What in your everyday life drives you crazy?

People with no manners (they cost nothing)

6. What is your nickname and why?

Lollyanna Pennie... long story!! ask Fandy Elton!

7. What is your favourite TV programme (and why)?

The Big Bang Theory...Sheldon explains it all

8. What is the best movie you have watched recently?

Queen of the Damned: the whole soundtrack is ace

9. What would your super-power be?

To fly! Flights are too pricey

10. What is the best decision you've ever made?

Naming my daughter Brody. She's so punk rock already flipping me off after just one day of having fingers in the outside world

Pollyanna Lennie (23), moved to the Falklands in 1997 from Brazil and is trilingual. Her life changed early Sunday afternoon when she gave birth to a beautiful girl! To make her world ideal she believes all wars should stop, as fighting for greed is pointless and endless. Otherwise she's looking forward to being able to have passion fruit and blue cheese again (though not together) after pregnancy threw her on the wagon.

Cable & Wireless leading the way with random acts of kindness

AS readers will be aware from their advertisement on page 8 of this edition of Penguin News, local telecommunications provider, Cable & Wireless, would like to encourage everyone to join in the National Random Act of Kindness week which runs this year from February 14 to February 21.

To help put a smile on faces Cable & Wireless, which has come in for some criticism for unfriendliness in the past, will be performing a series of 'Random Acts of Kindness' (RAKs) across the Islands during the week beginning on February 14 and is encouraging members of the public to get involved by performing RAKs on each other.

Random Acts of Kindness Week is celebrated in many coun-

tries across the world including Japan, New Zealand, USA and the UK, so Cable and Wireless is asking, why not the Falkland Islands?

Either spontaneous or planned in advance, RAKs are encouraged by various companies and individuals around the world as a way of spreading goodwill in the community.

There is a Random Acts of Kindness Foundation and a number of web-sites devoted to this concept.

They advise that RAKs need not cost a lot of money, if any at all as recent research from the University of British Columbia has found that spending as little as £2.50 on a friend will improve feelings of happiness.

Suggestions for RAKs include treating a friend to lunch or buying

a box of chocolates for members of your team at work. The size of the gesture isn't important. Small and even anonymous acts are perfect for putting a smile on someone's face.

Alison Thorogood, Head of Marketing and Customer Services is looking forward to seeing the positive effects of the initiative on the local community.

"Small thoughtful gestures can go a long way in making someone smile or improving the mood at work, and they don't have to cost you a penny," she said.

"Now that the excitement of Christmas period has past, the team here at C&W want to do something to put a smile on people's faces. We really hope that lots of you join in the event."

Your Letters

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Not Catch-22 says councillor

I REFER to the front page article in Penguin News of the 28th January entitled "New born baby in catch-22 trap."

A catch 22 trap is as you describe it, ie "a situation where rules are contradictory and impossible to comply with." In the circumstances that you detail, the rules are very clear and, frustrating as it may be, are relatively simple to comply with – something which in fact your article explains later on. I confess therefore that I do not understand the banner headline.

The Borquez family have not been disadvantaged by the 2009 Constitution. They would have been in the same circumstances under the old Constitution.

In common with many other countries, being born in the Falkland Islands to parents who are foreign nationals and temporarily resident here does not confer Falkland Island status or British citizenship on the child. Most countries have similar rules.

This had been patiently explained to Mr Borquez in both English and Spanish before the child was born. It had also been clearly explained that the correct documentation needed to be obtained from the Chilean authorities for the child, in order to allow the child to travel with either or both parents.

LAN seems to be the target in your article also regarding the strict rules regarding identity documents for the child. These rules, which LAN is obliged to follow, are set by the Chilean government and not LAN. The reasons for this are to protect children. Whilst a Chilean national may enter Chile without a passport, passengers will be fingerprinted on entry and their nationality verified by International police. This is clearly not possible in the case of a baby which is why identity documents have to be obtained in advance.

Mr Borquez has been given the same advice and assistance as would any other person in the same circumstances. The advice given was the same before the child was born and has been the same ever since. However, he has only just now completed the documentation to apply for an identity document for his child – it was dispatched last weekend by the quickest means possible that we could find for him. He is very firmly in the hands of the speed of the Chilean embassy in London and how fast they can deal with his request once they have received the documentation.

Interestingly, a child born in the Falkland Islands who is a British

citizen at birth has to obtain a full British passport from the UK Passport Agency in order to be able to travel. This process can take up to ten weeks.

All of the people who have dealt with Mr Borquez's repeated requests have given him the same consistent advice. His attitude towards some of them has at times been sadly lacking in both respect and politeness. What we will not be doing is contemplating any changes to the Constitution to accommodate his requests.

Dick Sawle MLA

Status never in black & white

REGARDING the Catch 22 Cover story the awarding of status was certainly not a black and white issue with the older constitution. What it arguably comes down to – previously and perhaps still – is a favourable response by those in charge of administering the said laws.

Perhaps the parents of the new born should be content with the healthy arrival of the child and the medical care afforded to them, which is awarded to those with work permits, yet obviously separate from status.

Waiting to travel may be an inconvenience – but as a Falkland Islander my partner some years ago was not granted permits or status under the previous constitution though we had been together for nearly two years. This resulted in a hasty plane flight at over eight months pregnant when we were suddenly told that we would have to pay all medical bills for the coming child, plus the emergency aircraft to South America if needed.

If we had stayed to have the child then the similarities would have been apparent.

With no apparent legislation to have the child put on my passport as a father – which seemed ludicrous – and Maria being Argentine (no Consul up the road there either ...) we were given written permission by the then Governor to leave with no travel documents.

No status then, no documents, no problem – hence the similarities.

Perhaps it's comforting to know that the new constitution is as much an ass as the previous one, though in my opinion all obstacles can be overcome if the intellectual capacity exists with those given the job of implementing it.

I have my permission from the Governor framed on my studio wall. To quote the 10cc song 'It hides a nasty stain that's lying there...'

James Peck
Stanley

Editor's Note:

Leaving personalities aside, having to apply for temporary residency for a baby which because of its lack of papers cannot be sent anywhere else if that residency is refused, seems to be a genuine Catch-22.

Penguin News Missing Links



It's been suggested that last weeks happy couple could be Christina Goss and Christoph Bender, only son of the original Chris Bender pictured far right. But the jury is still out... Please call 22709 or send your email response to editor@penguinnews.co.fk if you can help.

The long saga of the fire engine

I WOULD be grateful for the possibility to reply to the article in last weeks Penguin News with regard to the airport fire appliance. If I have inadvertently misled or misrepresented the situation then I must apologise. The saga has been a long and rather hideous one. I hope the following will help elucidate the situation.

It was decided back in 2007/8 that the existing airport fire appliance had passed its "best before" date and would not meet the new Overseas Territories Aviation Requirements and a decision was made to purchase a new Category 2 (Cat2) unit (the Firefox) plus another second hand refurbished unit to replace the Fire Services aging Bedford appliance.

The Cat2 was to provide fire cover for FIGAS aircraft only. At no time during the purchase of the Cat2 was BAS a consideration as the then EXCO decided that all other flights which require a higher grade of fire cover such as the Dash 7 would have to use MPA.

It was later decided that in order for Helicopters to use Stanley Airport a higher specification of appliance than that originally ordered was required. The Chief Fire Officer embarked upon a redesign of the Firefox Cat2 in order to allow this to happen.

After the realisation that the loss of the Dash 7 was having a very marked effect on the local economy, the Chief Fire Officer was tasked to do everything possible to get BAS Back. This required a redesign of the second unit as much as possible to raise its capabilities and capacities. One of the challenges faced by the Chief Fire Officer was that this had to be achieved within the £230K previously allocated.

When the Firefox Cat2 appliance arrived it was found that it was carrying a design defect and other minor issues. An engineer from the company was flown down (at no expense to the Falklands) arriving here on the 4th of December and both he and the Chief Fire Officer worked from that Saturday afternoon until Thursday (including a public holiday) to rectify the problem and it was duly handed over (and accepted) by the Airport General manager on the 10th of December.

The second unit is now nearing completion.

I understand that although it is not a Cat5 rated vehicle in its own right, which is the fire category of the BAS Dash 7, it has been designed with maximum capacities and flexibilities to provide a multi roll (Domestic & Aviation) appliance.

FIG and BAS have carried out considerable work to produce a safety case for the combined use of the new Cat2 and domestic appliances at Stanley Airport. This safety case, when approved, will demonstrate known risks and an appropriate level of mitigation.

When both vehicles are in service the final approval of the safety case will be to demonstrate to the local regulator the capability of the appliances in accordance with the methods described within the safety case. When this has taken place BAS can make use of Stanley Airport with the Dash 7 aircraft.

I would also like to take the opportunity to counter a couple of rumours that have been doing the rounds to the effect that Gardner is zooming up and down the Atlantic on jollies, at great expense to the taxpayer, looking at his fire engines.

After the first unit arrived here in a less than acceptable condition he was dispatched North to liaise with the company that is doing the refurbishment on the second unit to give it the once-over to make sure that all that we wish is being incorporated.

On that occasion FIG did pay for his flights but Gardner paid for his own accommodation and transport costs. He also undertook training at Draeger and also paid for Bulk Fuel Storage Tank Firefighter training himself.

As Gardener has told me, the situation with the second unit has become a personal matter to him and he will be returning to the UK to make sure that the vehicle is fully up to the standard that he expects. To do this he is taking annual leave and paying for the flights, accommodation and all other expenses himself. I don't think we can ask for much more than that.

If all goes according to plan the second unit will be here on the 16th of April.

Gavin Short MLA

Please email letters to
editor@penguinnews.co.fk or
fax 22238. Thank you.

This week PN Founding Editor Graham Bound enjoys a pleasant meeting with a fellow representative of Britain's old empire, just as the World Service of the BBC seems to be giving up on it.....

RIP BBC World Service

I DO not believe it is an exaggeration to say that, in the latter half of the 20th Century and the early part of this century, a single British radio station made life in the Falklands sustainable. The BBC World Service, for which I worked for some years, kept us in touch with what was going on across the globe and when we became the news in 1982, those of us in Stanley tuned in to it to find out what was happening in our own islands.

People visiting the Falklands would comment that they had not expected to come to one of the most remote places on earth to find people who knew more about international politics than they did.

That high level of awareness was thanks to the World Service, which we listened to every day. Perhaps we did so because we had no TV.

Radio Newsreel and News About Britain were entertainment, and relayed faithfully by FIBS when local radio was so much more than a top-40 station (the way it describes itself today).

The rot set into World Service some years ago. Strangely, the government in Stanley conspired with London and the BBC itself conspired to silence the World Service programme that was created especially for the Falklands. Yes, there really was one – and not that long ago.

Then the short wave transmissions became fewer; the arts and culture element of World Service was largely sacrificed for rolling news and the station's British cachet became less obvious. I do not even know if the "bongs" of Big Ben are broadcast these days. Probably not.

So it was not very surprising when the Government in London announced that a huge chunk of funding would be withdrawn from its flag carrying radio station. The result is that 600-plus jobs at Bush House will go, as will language services and some of the few remaining fine English language programmes, such as Outlook.

I presented Outlook from time to time ten years or so ago. I loved it; especially when we had Pakistani bands performing live in the studio or Vietnamese cooks whipping up fish dishes on the mixing desk. I don't know if I did such broadcast events full credit, but it was a remarkable experience. I still have friends who work on Outlook, and they are now staring at redundancy.

Millions of listeners around the world must be dumb-founded.

The World Service was a great ambassador for Britain; arguably our most respected and influential export. It did not concentrate uniquely on things British, and therefore demonstrated that post-colonial Britain fostered equality and mutual respect between countries.

Now, The Voice of America is the dominant world radio broadcaster and the Chinese, and Russians will be planning to scoop up the listeners Britain has abandoned.

Bound Ungagged



**Graham Bound,
founding editor of
the Penguin News,
looks at issues at
home and abroad**

So, farewell World Service. You've got the skids under you. They slashed your budget knowing that only people outside Britain's borders would really mourn and such people do not matter because they do not vote in British elections.

Some Falkland Islanders will mourn. When their only listening option is a banal mix of pop and inane chatter, they will remember the days when they could tune into a station that was informative, entertaining, sustaining and loyal.

Let's hope we do not face another crisis. In a re-run of 1982, (and these days, who would say that is an absurd thought?) local radio and the internet would be the first to go. With no World Service, we would feel truly alone.

Sikh and find

I accidentally drove into Southall, London's Indian suburb, recently. There was a Sikh festival going on, and consequently traffic was just crawling. As the car idled in a jam, I heard a knocking on the window. It was a little Indian lady indicating that I should wind down the window so she could talk to me.

I did so, and she beamed a smile. Was I going anywhere near the Sikh temple, which was apparently nearby? I had no idea. "Never mind," she said. "I'll show you the way." Before I could say I didn't need to know where the temple was because I wasn't go-

ing there, she was in, settled in the front seat and buckling up.

Two other Sikh ladies knocked on the rear windows and politely gestured that I should take them too. "Never mind about them," said my lady. She turned around, gave them a sweet smile and wagged her finger, as if to say, "I got here first, and he's mine."

As we inched off, she introduced herself to me as Jenny, "that's what my English friends call me." She firmly but pleasantly issued directions, and we navigated through the crowds and into the depths of this remarkable suburb. I was slightly put out at first. Whose car was this? But I quickly began to enjoy the unexpected company.

Jenny talked at me, mostly about her son who was a dentist and her daughter who had married a doctor and the trials and tribulations her family had faced since they arrived in the UK in the early 1970s.

The rhythm of her chatter was pleasant. But suddenly she broke off mid-train. "Stop!" she ordered. I am going to get us some food."

I obeyed orders, and Jenny was out of the car in a flash and engaging with a small crowd of fellow Sikhs on the roadside. I could see her gesturing at me, and the other sari-clad ladies leaned down to look at me and smile. No money changed hands, and Jenny was soon back in the car with plastic plates of rice and vegetables. We tucked in, and then drove on.

Ten minutes later, I was again ordered to stop. On this day Sikhs exemplify generosity, passing out food to anyone who is hungry or thirsty. Again, ladies from a roadside kitchen bent down to wave and smile at me, and Jenny accepted cups of a sweet yoghurt drink and plates of cake loaded with syrup and pistachio nuts.

We tucked in again, and she listened politely to my stories for a few minutes before becoming clearly bored and reverting to tales about her grandchildren, who were studying for A-levels and planning to become doctors and dentists. Or marry them.

Eventually this diminutive but authoritative lady told me to turn sharply left, negotiate my way around several buses full of Sikhs and then drop her at the imposing building which was her temple.

Jenny thanked me profusely, told me how to reach the nearby M25 and left the car. I leaned over and said, "But how are you going to get home?"

"Oh, don't worry about me, dear. I'll get a lift home." She waved again, smiled and was gone. I had no doubt at all that she would get a lift home, probably with someone who was not planning to go anywhere near her house in Southall. Afterwards, that person would, like me, be slightly stunned but strangely happy.

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(And on Facebook)**

Wine & working together

THE forty or so guests who took up an invitation to attend a wine-tasting at Government House on Thursday evening were met by the unusual sight of the normally nattily-dressed Governor, Mr Nigel Haywood, in shirt sleeves.

While such informality would normally seem unusual – and clearly was regarded as such by the number of male guests who came best be-suited – the occasion was also somewhat unusual and not the usual cocktail party or reception, where a certain standard of elegance is expected from the ladies and at least the formality of jacket and tie from the men.

As the Governor explained to his guests, this was an evening with a purpose. There had been, he explained, some critical comment about the quality of the wine normally served at Government House. The two-fold purpose of the evening was to find out firstly whether guests at Government House were capable of telling the difference between different kinds and qualities of wine and, secondly, the kind of wine they preferred.

Given such a serious purpose, Mr Haywood emphasised, the evening could be regarded as work, hence the informality of his appearance.

Some twenty-one different wines: 12 red, 7 white and 2 rosé were on offer for tasting, identified only by number. There were none of the normal canapés, but there was a supply of dry bread and water for the purposes of palate cleansing.

The wines were supplied for the event by Stanley Services and the Seafish Chandlery. Being asked to write names on their score card caused a certain nervousness among some representatives of those organisations in case they should inadvertently mark down their own best products on a scale ranging from 1 (This is not a good wine) to 5 (I really love this wine).

It was not compulsory to test each and every wine though many accomplished this in the two hours available.

By the end of session everybody had had an enjoyable time, though their critical faculties may have been somewhat blunted. Despite this, when the scores were totted up by Government House's Ralph Jones it emerged that the two most popular red wines had also been the most expensive at around £28 a bottle.

Governor Haywood said that popular approval would have to be tempered by financial considerations and guests should not expect to enjoy these wines at his table in the future.



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The three forty-foot containers containing a new house for Bleaker Island settlement safely ashore from Concordia Bay

Concordia Bay taking the old isolation out of islands

WHILE access by air continues to be a problem for some of the Falklands outer islands and the future of the use of sea trucks remains in doubt, Mike Rendell has sent us this story illustrating how the cross-sound ferry Concordia Bay has made a sea change at Bleaker Island.

ELEVEN years ago when two house kits arrived on the island, everything had to be off-loaded from MV Tamar into sea trucks, which then came ashore on the beach near the settlement and with the invaluable help of a military patrol (fortuitously visiting at the

time) was laboriously manhandled on to the foreshore.

The whole lot (we are talking roof joists right through to kitchen sinks here) was then shifted 500 metres by tractor and trailer to the settlement.

Sadly, no pictorial record was kept of the house-kits being unloaded.

Somewhat ironically, six months later the first occupants of the newly constructed Cobb's Cottage were the Morrison Jetty Gang who came to build a Seatruck ramp for the island.

Last November, with the arrival of another house-kit, a

similar logistical exercise was repeated, but using different delivery methods made possible due to the configuration of MV Concordia Bay and to the epic construction of Bleaker Island Ocean Terminal by Robert Short.

After lengthy deliberations it was deemed feasible to ship the three 40 foot containers containing the house-kit directly from Marchwood to Bleaker Island, transshipping at FIPASS. This time photographs were taken.

The first two containers were off-loaded at the newly opened Bleaker Island Ocean Terminal on 8 November, between 04.39 and

04.52 (just 13 minutes) whilst the third container arrived on 23 November.

After all this, on 25 January, it was relatively simple to bring in a further 20 ft container containing the kitchen sink, amongst other things. This time the Workboat Services side loader was utilised, another first for Bleaker Island Ocean Terminal.

Sincere thanks are due to Robert Short, Workboat Services, Neil McKay, Fortuna Ltd, Myles Lee and South Atlantic Trading in particular. None of this would have been possible without their goodwill and perseverance.

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Riders line up for the second mile trot

Pictures by Sharon Jaffray



Stanley House kids join in



Biker boys line up for the start



Coban Eriksen, Declan Bonner



Paul Peck on Impulse

Mini sports - a fun time for all

ONE thing that really makes the Stanley Sports Association Mini Sports is good weather and this year those that gathered at the Stanley Racecourse were not disappointed.

The first race of the day over 700 yards for senior jockeys set a precedent for some good runs as Denise McPhee on Owen Summer's Beagle looked set to beat Tim Bonner's Zafonic who appeared to have behaved fairly well at the start. Mid-way down the course Beagle was leading by several lengths, but Zafonic gained ground in the final stages to win by a whisker. Hayley Bonner on Tuscany took third place.

In the 500 yards Duane Evans on his gelding Destiny, chased Tim home on Ballachine while Hayley rode Thylinda into third.

Due to a shortage of horses for the gymkhana events only the Potato and Bending Races took place with Bobby Short on his wife Lyndsay's mare Charisma taking first in both events. Duane Evans gave him a good run for his money on Minnie Homer, also from the Short stables.

Trotting races have been gaining in popularity in recent years and with the lack of gymkhana events a second mile trot was added to the programme. Both gained good entries with Tim Bonner's Southern Dancer prancing well

ahead of the troupe to take first. Nancy Poole who is always working away behind the scenes in the tote hut, took to the course on Charisma to take second and Duane Evans on Minnie Homer was third.

Fun events for the children and the young at heart were taking place in between the flat races with sack races, wheel barrow races and bike races providing lots of laughs.

In the 400 yards Senior race Tim Bonner raced in on Thylinda to take first with Duane Evans on Destiny and Corrine Paice on Tuscany in second and third respectively.

The 300 yards also went to Tim on Spirit with Duane Evans on Wild Justice in second.

By the time the call came for the second trotting race more horses had made it to the racecourse including Paul Peck's Impulse which had proved his worth at the Christmas. Impulse maintained his reputation and Denise McPhee on Chelsea Spirit rode into second with Corrine Paice on Southern Dancer in third.

Denise's efforts on the day were rewarded in the final race over 600 yards when she raced to first on Beagle with Tim Bonner on Silver Bugle in second and Hayley Bonner on Tuscany in third.

Sharon Jaffray



Duane Evans, Hayley Bonner



Luke Thorsen knows to tip his hat to a lady...



... and Tyler Jordan wonders where his has gone



Max Smith and James Tyrrell



Denise McPhee on Beagle takes the lead but is pipped at the post by Tim Bonner on Zafonic in the 700 yards Senior Race



Nathan Lowe jumps into the lead in a children's foot event



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Information Pullout

4 - 10 February, 2011

TIDES AROUND THE ISLANDS

04 FRI	0100	0.58		1505	0.53	The times and heights of high and low tides (in metres) at Stanley. Time given is FMT. For Camp, make the following changes:	
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	1336	0.35					
	2000	1.47	08	0308	0.57		
05 SAT	0132	0.55	TUES	0929	1.48		
	0749	1.71		1530	0.61		
	1407	0.40		2139	1.45		
	2026	1.46					
06 SUN	0204	0.53	09 WED	0343	0.62		Fox Bay + 2 hr 30m
	0823	1.65		1007	1.38		Roy Cove + 3 hrs 30m
	1437	0.46		1557	0.70		Port Howard + 3hrs 19m
	2051	1.46		2208	1.43		Teal Inlet + 3 hrs 30m
07 MON	0237	0.54	10 THUR	0424	0.67	Sea Lion Is + 1 hr 15m	
	0855	1.57		1056	1.27	Port Stephens + 3hrs 15m	
				1626	0.79	Hill Cove + 4hrs	
				2246	1.40	Berkeley Sound + 1 hr 11m	
						Port San Carlos + 2 hr 55m	
						Darwin Harbour - 56m	

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Swimming Pool	Sports Hall / Squash Court	Exercise Suite
Friday 4th February 2011		
Lane Swimming	07:00-09:00	Members Only
Closed for School	09:00-12:00	
Lane Swimming	12:00-13:00	Public
Closed for School	13:00-15:00	
Public	15:00-16:00	
Stanley Swimming Club	16:00-17:00	Public
Public	17:00-19:00	
Lane Swimming	19:00-20:00	Public
Saturday 5th February 2011		
Closed for Swim School	10:00-12:00	Members Only
Public	12:00-13:00	
Lane Swimming	13:00-14:00	Public
Public	14:00-16:00	
Lane Swimming	16:00-18:00	
Sunday 6th February 2011		
Public	11:00-13:00	Members Only
Lane Swimming	13:00-14:00	
Public	14:00-16:00	Public
Lane Swimming	16:00-18:00	
Deep Water Aquatics	18:00-19:00	
Monday 7th February 2011		
Lane Swimming	07:00-09:00	
O.A.P. Adults, Parents & Toddlers	09:00-11:00	Public
Closed for Private Hire	11:00-12:00	
Lane Swimming	12:00-13:00	
Public	13:00-16:00	Members Only
Closed for Swim School	16:00-17:00	
Public	17:00-18:00	
Closed for Swim School	18:00-19:00	Public
Lane Swimming	19:00-21:00	
Badminton Club 7pm-9pm		
Tuesday 8th February 2011		
Lane Swimming	07:00-09:00	
O.A.P. Adults, Parents & Toddlers	09:00-10:00	Public
Closed for Swim School	10:00-11:00	
Closed for School	11:00-12:00	
Lane Swimming	12:00-13:00	
Closed for School	13:00-16:00	Members Only
Stanley Swimming Club	16:00-17:00	
Public	17:00-19:00	Public
Ladies Only	19:00-20:00	
Lane Swimming	20:00-21:00	
Netball Club 6pm-7pm		
Wednesday 9th February 2011		
Lane Swimming	07:00-09:00	
Closed for School	09:00-10:00	Public
O.A.P. Adults, Parents & Toddlers	10:00-12:00	
Lane Swimming	12:00-13:00	
Closed for School	13:00-15:00	Members Only
Public	15:00-16:00	
Closed for Swim School	16:00-17:00	
Public	17:00-18:00	Public
Aquatics	18:00-19:00	
Lane Swimming	19:00-21:00	
Thursday 10th February 2011		
Closed for Cleaning	09:00-16:00	Closed for Cleaning
Closed for Swim School	16:00-18:00	Members Only
Closed for Training	18:00-19:00	
Lane Swimming	19:00-21:00	Public
Badminton Club 7-9pm		
Friday 11th February 2011		
Lane Swimming	07:00-09:00	
Closed for School	09:00-12:00	Public
Lane Swimming	12:00-13:00	
Closed for School	13:00-16:00	Members Only
Stanley Swimming Club	16:00-17:00	
Public	17:00-19:00	Public
Lane Swimming	19:00-20:00	

Falkland Islands Defence Force Routine Orders

Thursday 10 February 2011

1900 Observation - field craft and map reading



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Any queries or information contact Stevie or Katie Burston phone/fax 21677
SHORT TENNIS CLUB - Sunday 3 - 4pm. Contact Gordon Lennie Tel. 21667
KARATE CLUB - New Training Schedule Tuesdays 5.15pm - 6.10pm (juniors) 6.15pm till 7.30pm (seniors) Friday's 5-5.55pm (junior grades) 6pm till 7.00pm/ 7.30pm (seniors). All sessions held at IJS Hall. Cost - £1.00
ALCOHOL SUPPORT Contact Health on 28082 or Social Services 27296
ACORN COMMUNITY GROUP, Day Centre, KEMH. Tuesday 9.30am - 11.30am, Thursday 9.30am - 11.30am and Thursday Evening, Drop-In 7pm - 9pm
HAND CHIME GROUP - Tuesday evenings from 8.00 to 9.30pm at 11 Nutt Cartmell Close. Anyone interested in joining should contact Eileen Davies on 22428 after working hours
BABY CLINIC - 3 - 5pm every Wednesday
LIGHTHOUSE SEAMEN'S MISSION CAFE NEW HOURS
The Lighthouse Seamen's Mission Cafe now opens an hour earlier on Sunday. Our new hours are: Wednesday through Friday 10am to 4pm, Saturday and Sunday 11am to 4pm. Last order for hot food at 3pm. The Mission remains open as usual for Seafarers, at times displayed in the Mission window or by arrangement with individual Vessels/Agents/Ship Owners
SAMA 82 FALKLAND ISLANDS TRUST Chairman - G Clement 52910 Treasurer K Ormond 52814 Secretary J Elliot 51765
FALKLAND ISLANDS STANLEY HASH (FISH) HOUSE HARRIERS welcomes new runners/walkers. Meets last Sunday of month at 1500 and also mid month
CHARITY SHOP Opening hours: Mon, Wed, Fri & Sat. 2-4pm. (Summer hours 2-5pm) Saturday morning. 10am - 12 noon.
FALKLAND ISLANDS FOOTBALL LEAGUE (FIFL): Contact the Committee for more information. Chairman - Ian Betts, Treasurer - Sharon Gilbert, Secretary - Andrew Newman
TEAM TRANQUIL (MENTAL HEALTH STRATEGY GROUP) c/o 16 John Street. Treasurer Ruth Taylor tel: 22169
LIBERTY LODGE email lodge.manager@cwimail.fk phone 22327 or 55327
FALKLAND OFF-ROADERS: email falklands-4x4@yahoo.com
FALKLAND ISLANDS YACHT CLUB - Chairman - Tony Blake 51684, Secretary - Janet McLeod 53566, website www.falklandsailing.com
FALKLANDS SEA CADETS: Contact the CO 52779 or XO 51111

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)... Mount Caroline repeater, covering the north of the West Falkland including the cross sound ferry main operational area
146.625... Stanley to Mount Alice
147.825 (Duplex - 0.6)... Mount Alice repeater, covering the south of West Falkland.

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

Friday 04th February

7:00 BREAKFAST
10:15 THE WEAKEST LINK
11:00 NIGEL SLATER'S SIMPLE SUPPERS
11:30 THIS MORNING
1:25 EMMERDALE
2:10 CHEETAH KINGDOM Series following the conservation work of David Houghton and his colleagues at the Africat Foundation in Namibia
2:35 ITV NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER
3:00 LOOSE WOMEN
3:45 DEAL OR NO DEAL
4:35 GREAT BRITISH RAILWAY JOURNEYS
5:05 LAST CHANCE TO SEE NORTHERN WHITE RHINO
6:05 CORONATION STREET
6:30 BRITISH FORCES NEWS
7:00 BBC NEWS
7:30 EASTENDERS
8:00 CHILDREN'S EMERGENCY
8:30 RBS SIX NATIONS Wales v England
11:00 BFBS WEATHER
11:05 ASK RHOD GILBERT Comedy entertainment panel show
11:40 THE GRAHAM NORTON SHOW Anarchic talk show
12:25 BBC NEWS

Saturday 05th February

8:30 AN ISLAND PARISH
9:00 JIMMY'S FOOD FACTORY SCIENCE SERIES
09:30 127 HOURS: T4 Movie Special
09:50 MERLIN Fantasy drama
10:35 MASTERCHEF
11:35 ZOO DAYS Documentary series based at Colchester Zoo
12:00 TEENSVILLE This short film follows AJ Odudu as she explores the growing popularity of teen witches, especially amongst girls
12:25 WONDERS OF THE SOLAR SYSTEM Dead or Alive: Professor Brian Cox describes how the laws of nature have carved natural wonders across the solar system
1:25 THE REAL VIKINGS: A Time Team Special
2:15 ROUGH GUIDE TO...
2:30 INSIDE SPORT: Super Bowl - The Greatest Show on Earth US Olympic icon Michael Johnson takes a look at the phenomenon that is the Super Bowl, capturing all the excitement of the build-up and revelling in a tour of this year's venue
3:00 RBS SIX NATIONS Italy v Ireland
5:30 BFBS WEATHER
5:35 RBS SIX NATIONS France v Scotland
8:00 THE MAGICIANS Lenny Henry hosts as three of the world's greatest magic acts team up with celebrities to bring us jaw-dropping illusions and classic tricks with a contemporary twist
9:00 AUSTRALIA Epic romantic drama
11:35 BFBS WEATHER
11:40 MATCH OF THE DAY
1:00 THE FOOTBALL LEAGUE SHOW
2:20 BBC NEWS

Sunday 06th February

8:35 MATCH OF THE DAY
10:00 THE ANDREW MARR SHOW
11:00 BRITISH FORCES NEWS: The Week in Afghanistan
11:20 MASTERCHEF
12:20 EXTREME UNIVERSE Documentary series
1:05 DINOSAUR SECRETS Documentary series
1:50 JAMES MAY'S 20TH CENTURY TAKE COVER! James May investigates some of the most ingenious ideas to emerge from 20th century warfare
2:20 AMERICA'S TOUGHEST JOBS Crab Fishing: Documentary

SEAFISH CHANDLERY

THIS WEEKEND IS Fresh FOODS FROM UK

Mon-Fri 8 00am-7 00pm Saturday 9 00am-6 00pm Sunday 10 00am to 5 00pm
For more information see our web page: www.chandlery.co.uk

3:05 CITIES OF THE UNDERWORLD Hitler's Underground Lair: Berlin. Series exploring the countless subterranean secrets concealed beneath the seemingly mundane streets of our modern cities.
3:50 ROUGH GUIDE TO... Island Retreats: Travel series
4:15 DEAL OR NO DEAL
5:05 SMALLVILLE Drama series
5:50 THE BOX OFFICE BOYS
6:15 SKI SUNDAY Austrian resort of Hinterstoder for the Men's World Cup Giant Slalom
7:00 WILD AT HEART
7:45 BFBS WEATHER
7:50 DANCING ON ICE
9:35 SILENT WITNESS Drama series about a team of forensic pathologists
10:35 DANCING ON ICE: The Results
11:00 BFBS WEATHER
11:05 QI Stephen Fry asks unanswerable questions about hypnosis, hallucinations and hysteria
11:35 THAT SUNDAY NIGHT SHOW
12:00 FILM 2011 with Claudia Winkleman
12:40 BBC NEWS

Monday 07th February

7:00 BREAKFAST
10:15 THE WEAKEST LINK
11:00 EGGHEADS
11:30 THIS MORNING
1:25 EMMERDALE
2:10 COOK YOURSELF THIN
2:35 ITV NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER
3:00 LOOSE WOMEN
3:45 DEAL OR NO DEAL
4:35 ON HANNIBAL'S TRAIL Series in which three Australian brothers set out cycling on the trail of Hannibal, the warrior who marched from Spain to Rome at the head of an invading army accompanied by elephant
5:05 THE BIG SILENCE Personal and spiritual revelation
6:05 CORONATION STREET
6:30 BRITISH FORCES NEWS
7:00 BBC NEWS
7:30 EASTENDERS
8:00 WHO DOES WHAT?
9:00 BFBS WEATHER
9:05 SILENT WITNESS Drama series about a team of forensic pathologists
10:05 NOT GOING OUT Dancing: Sitcom
10:35 BONES The Death of the Queen Bee: Scientific crime drama series

11:15 THE HOSPITAL Documentary series
12:05 PRISONERS OUT OF CONTROL Documentary revealing the brutal nature of prison life
12:45 BBC NEWS

Tuesday 08th February

7:00 Breakfast
10:15 The Weakest Link
11:00 Life in a Cottage Garden with Carol Klein
11:30 This Morning
1:25 House Gift
2:10 Emergency Animal Rescue Documentary series following RSPCA workers across England and Wales
2:35 ITV News and BFBS Weather
3:00 Loose Women
3:45 Deal or No Deal
4:35 Baking Made Easy
5:05 Alan Titchmarsh's Garden Secrets
6:05 Coronation Street
6:30 British Forces News
7:00 BBC News
7:30 EastEnders
8:00 Grand Designs Property series
8:45 BFBS Weather
8:50 Hugh's Fish Fight
9:35 The Event Fast-paced US conspiracy thriller
10:15 Undercover Boss High-flying company executives go undercover to ensure their businesses are in good shape
11:05 Dave Gorman in America Unchained
12:20 BBC News

Wednesday 09th February

7:00 BREAKFAST
10:15 THE WEAKEST LINK
11:00 EGGHEADS
11:30 THIS MORNING
1:25 EMMERDALE
2:10 STREET MARKET CHEFS
2:35 ITV NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER
3:00 LOOSE WOMEN
3:45 DEAL OR NO DEAL
4:35 GREAT BRITISH RAILWAY JOURNEYS Michael Portillo takes to the tracks with a copy of George Bradshaw's Victorian Railway Guidebook
5:05 ARE YOU FITTER THAN A PENSIONER?
6:05 CORONATION STREET
6:30 BRITISH FORCES NEWS
7:00 BBC NEWS
7:30 CASUALTY Medical drama
8:20 OIL RIGGERS Documentary series following life on the oil rigs of west Texas
9:05 BFBS WEATHER

9:10 ARCTIC WITH BRUCE Parry Bruce travels to Alaska, America's last great wilderness
10:10 MEN OF ROCK Geologist Iain Stewart retraces the steps of a band of maverick pioneers who made groundbreaking discoveries in the landscape of Scotland about how our planet work
11:10 MIRANDA
11:40 TRINNY AND SUSANNAH From Boom to Bust Documentary following the daily lives of Trinnie Woodall and Susannah Constantine, who were once the UK's favourite fashionistas, known for their no nonsense style
12:25 BBC NEWS

Thursday 10th February

7:00 BREAKFAST
10:15 THE WEAKEST LINK
11:00 SEASIDE RESCUE Documentary series
11:30 THIS MORNING
1:25 HOUSE GIFT
2:10 SUPER NURSES
2:35 ITV NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER
3:00 LOOSE WOMEN
3:45 DEAL OR NO DEAL
4:35 A HISTORY OF THE WORLD Adam Hart-Davis tells the story of the amazing 280-year-old wooden clock, made in Lincolnshire, that changed timekeeping for ever and helped solve the problem of how to navigate round the world
5:05 MICHEL ROUX'S SERVICE
6:05 CORONATION STREET
6:30 BRITISH FORCES NEWS
7:00 BBC NEWS
7:30 EASTENDERS
8:00 HOLBY CITY Medical drama series
8:55 BFBS Weather
9:00 Kidnap and Ransom
9:50 Fast and Loose Improvised games and sketches
10:20 One Born Every Minute Fly-on-the-wall documentary
11:10 The Impressions Show with Culshaw and Stephenson Comedy sketch show
11:40 Question Time
12:40 BBC News

Friday 11th February

7:00 BREAKFAST
10:15 THE WEAKEST LINK
11:00 NIGEL SLATER'S SIMPLE SUPPERS
11:30 THIS MORNING
1:25 EMMERDALE
2:10 CHEETAH KINGDOM Documentary series
2:35 ITV NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER
3:00 LOOSE WOMEN
3:45 DEAL OR NO DEAL
4:35 GREAT BRITISH RAILWAY JOURNEYS
5:05 LAST CHANCE TO SEE Aye-Aye: Stephen Fry and zoologist Mark Carwardine head to the ends of the earth in search of animals on the edge of extinction
6:05 CORONATION STREET
6:30 BRITISH FORCES NEWS
7:00 BBC NEWS
7:30 EASTENDERS
8:00 THE SECRET MEDITERRANEAN with Trevor McDonald
8:45 BFBS WEATHER
8:50 CHILDREN'S EMERGENCY
9:20 THE GOOD WIFE Legal drama series
10:05 YOUNG, DUMB AND LIVING OFF MUM
11:05 ASK RHOD GILBERT Comedy entertainment panel show
11:40 THE GRAHAM NORTON SHOW
12:25 BBC NEWS

Billings correct at time of going to press but subject to change until actual transmission. Tune into BFBS Radio/Television for up-dates.



Falklands Radio Programmes Schedule

Friday 4th February

07:00 Breakfast Show with Trina Bernsten
09:00 The Morning Experience with Ailie Biggs
10:00 News & Lifestyle with Liz Elliot to include: 12.15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
12:30 Spotlight
13:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM
4:00 News & Jukebox with Scott Betts
6:00 News & Repeat of Spotlight
6:15 Weather, Flights, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
6:30 The Fabulous 50's with Paul Peters and Geoff Kemp
7:30 The Non Stop Country Hour with Liz Elliot

8:30 Weather & Flights and Leather & Lace with Layla Crowie
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM

Saturday 5th February

9:00 - 12:00 The Saturday Morning Show with Lise Gill
5:00 Children's Corner with Monica
6:15 Weather, Flights, Anno's, Job Shop & What's on Guide
6:30 News Review
7:00 In Concert
8:00 The Fusion with Stacy Bragger
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM

Sunday 6th February

5:00 Music & All That Jazz with Norman Clark
5:30 Desert Island Discs - Professor of Theoretical Physics - Jim Al-Khalili
6:15 Weather, Flights, Announcements, Job Shop & What's on Guide
6:30 Feature Presentation
7:00 Sunday Evening Service - Christ Church Cathedral
8:00 Slow Jams with Jock Elliot including weather & flights at 8:30
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM

Monday 7th February

07:00 Breakfast Show with Trina Bernsten
09:00 The Morning Experience with Ailie Biggs
10:00 News and Lifestyle with Liz Elliot to include: 12.15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
12:30 Spotlight
13:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM
4:00 News & Jukebox with Scott Betts
6:00 News & Repeat of Spotlight
6:15 Weather, Flights, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
6:30 Music presentation
7:30 Comedy Presentation - Claire in the Community
8:00 Vinyl Frontier with Myriam Booth including Weather & Flights at 8:30
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM

Tuesday 8th February

07:00 Breakfast Show with Trina Bernsten
09:00 The Morning Experience with Ailie

Biggs

10:00 News and Lifestyle with Liz Elliot to include: 12.15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
12:30 One to One

1:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM

4:00 News & Jukebox with Scott Betts
6:00 News & Repeat of One to One
6:15 Weather, Flights, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop

6:30 Tuesday's Theme with Monica Limburn

6:45 Simply Classical with Karen Neely
7:45 Folk Music Show with Jock Elliot
8:30 Weather, Flights & Hits of the 80's & 90's with Liz Roberts

10:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM

Wednesday 9th February

07:00 Breakfast Show with Trina Bernsten
09:00 The Morning Experience with Ailie Biggs

10:00 News and Lifestyle with Liz Elliot to include:

12.15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
12:30 Spotlight

1:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM

4:00 News & Jukebox with Scott Betts
6:00 News & Repeat of Spotlight

6:15 Weather, Flights, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
6:30 The Best of... with Lise Gill

7:30 Drama Presentation

8:30 Weather & Flights followed by The Chart Show with Jason Lewis

10:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM

Thursday 10th February

07:00 Breakfast Show with Trina Bernsten
09:00 The Morning Experience with Ailie Biggs

10:00 News and Lifestyle with Liz Elliot to include: 12.15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop

1:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM

4:00 News & Jukebox with Scott Betts
6:00 News & A Brief History of Mathematics

6:15 Weather, Flights, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop

6:30 Soul, Blues & Rock 'n' Roll with Liz Elliot

7:30 Feature Presentation

8:00 Pot Luck with Mynam Booth including Weather & Flights at 8:30

10:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM

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BFBS radio

96.5FM

Friday 12.00am Ops Breakfast from Afghanistan 3.00am Simon Guettier 4.00am UK Breakfast 7.00am Paul Wisdom 10.00am Mark Humphries 2.00pm Glen Mansell 5.00pm Mike Howarth 7.00pm Jessie Aru 10.00pm The Vibe

Saturday 12.00am Chill Out Room - Mark Humphries 2.00am Forces Shuffle 3.00am UK Breakfast Show 7.00am Falkland's Breakfast Show 9.00am The Vault 11.00am Vicky & Adam's Saturday Show 3.00pm Andy Pearman 6.00pm Club Culture Live 9.00pm Groove Collective - Mario 11.00pm BFBS Hosts

Sunday 12.00am BFBS Hosts 1.00am The Vault 3.00am UK Breakfast Show 7.00am Access all Areas 11am UK Sunday Afternoon Show 3.00pm Lee Dunn 6.00pm Music First 8.00pm Elevation 10.00pm Chill out room

BFBS radio

550 MW:

FRIDAY 0200 Morning reports 0230 Wake up to money 0300 Today from BBC Radio 4 0600 Simon Marlow 0900 BFBS gold with Dave Windsor 1000 World at One 1030 Richard Hutchinson 1400 PM from BBC Radio 4 1500 6 O'Clock News 1530 Five Live Sport 1930 Late Night Live 2200 BFBS Up all night from BBC Radio Five Live

SATURDAY 0200 Morning reports 0300 Weekend breakfast 0400 Today from BBC Radio 4 0600 BFBS News 0600 BFBS Radio 2 Saturday Show with Dusty Miller 0800 BFBS News 0803 Nigel Rennie Country 0900 Five Live Sport 1700 Saturday Edition 1900 Late night live from BBC Radio Five Live 2200 Up all night

SUNDAY 0200 Morning reports 0300 Weekend Breakfast Five live 0500 BFBS News 0503 The BFBS Radio 2 Sunday Show 0600 Broadcasting House from BBC Radio 4 0700 BFBS News 0703 A Taste of Cyprus 0900 BFBS Radio Greatest hits 1000 Five live sport 1600 Pienaar's Politics BBC Five Live 1700 On the money 1800 Five Investigates 1900 Late night live 2200 BFBS Radio News 2203 BFBS Gold with Dave Windsor 2300 Up All Night

MONDAY 0200 Morning Reports 0230 Wake Up to Money 0300 Today from BBC

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Tuesday 12.00am Ops Breakfast from Afghanistan 3.00am Simon Guettier 4.00am UK Breakfast 7.00am Paul Wisdom 10.00am Mark Humphries 2.00pm Glen Mansell 5.00pm Mike Howarth 7.00pm Jessie Aru 10.00pm The Vault

Wednesday 12.00am Ops Breakfast from Afghanistan 3.00am Simon Guettier 4.00am UK Breakfast 7.00am Paul Wisdom 10.00am Mark Humphries 2.00pm Glen Mansell 5.00pm Mike Howarth 7.00pm Jessie Aru 10.00pm BFBS Rocks

Thursday 12.00am Ops Breakfast from Afghanistan 3.00am Simon Guettier 4.00am UK Breakfast 7.00am Paul Wisdom 10.00am Mark Humphries 2.00pm Glen Mansell 5.00pm Mike Howarth 7.00pm Jessie Aru 10.00pm Heaven's Gate

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- ☐ FIRS 88.3 FM Stanley (Town only), 530 MW Island Wide
- ☐ KTV Radio BBC World Service on 106.5 FM, 88.3 FM, 530 MW Island Wide
- ☐ BFBS/FIRS 96.5MHz Sapper Hill (Stanley Area)
- ☐ BFBS/FIRS 96.5MHz BFBS Radio 91.1 MHz BFBS Radio 2 94.5MHz New Sapper Hill Transmitter Site (Stanley Area)
- ☐ BFBS/FIRS 102.0 MHz Mount Maria (West Falkland)
- ☐ BFBS Radio 98.5MHz BFBS Radio 2 93.8MHz BFBS Gurkha Radio 96.0MHz MPA
- ☐ BFBS/FIRS 90.0MHz March Ridge (East Falkland)
- ☐ BFBS/FIRS 88.0MHz Sussex Mountains/San Carlos
- ☐ BFBS/FIRS 90.0MHz Byron Heights (NW of West Falkland)
- ☐ BFBS Radio 102.4MHz BFBS Radio 2 104.2MHz BFBS Gurkha Radio 106.0MHz New Mt Alice Transmitter (SW of West Falklands)

MPA Phoenix Cinema Schedule

Weekday show starts - 1st Performance 19:30

Saturday & Sunday shows start - 1st Performance 14:00 2nd Performance 19:30

Seat Prices: Adult (18 and over) £4 / 3D £5 Child (3-17) £3 / 3D £4 Students £3 / 3D £4 Seniors (60 and over) £3 / 3D £4 Family Ticket £11.00 / 3D £15.00 Visit website: www.ssvc.com/cinemas

Fri 4 February	Sat 5 February	Sun 6 February	Mon 7 February	Tues 8 February	Weds 9 February	Thurs 10 February
	TANGLED 3D	ANIMALS UNITED				
Show starts 19:30	Show starts 19:30	Show starts 19:30	Show starts 19:30	Show starts 19:30	Show starts 19:30	Show starts 19:30
LITTLE FOCKERS	THE GREEN HORNET	THE DILEMMA	THE KING'S SPEECH	HEREAFTER	THE GREEN HORNET	LITTLE FOCKERS

THE GREEN HORNET 3D (12A) 118 mins. Action. Britt Reid teams up with his late dad's assistant Kato to become a masked crime fighting team. Seth Rogen, Cameron Diaz

THE DILEMMA (12A) 111 mins. Comedy. Ronny and Nick are trying to land a job that will see their auto design business really take off. But then Ronny spots Nick's wife with another man and decides to find out what's going on. Vince Vaughn, Kevin James

LITTLE FOCKERS (12A) 97 mins. Comedy. After ten years and the arrival of two Little Fockers, Greg is finally getting along with his father-in-law. Robert De Niro, Ben Stiller

TANGLED (PG) 100 mins. The long-haired Princess Rapunzel has spent her entire life in a tower, but when she falls in love with a bandit she must venture into the outside world for the first time to find him. Mandy Moore, Zachary Levi
ANIMALS UNITED (U) 87 mins. Animation. The adventures of Bill, a mischievous meerkat. Jim Broadbent, James Cordon
HEREAFTER (12A) 129 mins. Drama. Matt Damon stars as an ordinary American guy who has an extraordinary connection to the afterlife. Matt Damon, Cecile De France
THE KING'S SPEECH (12A) 118 mins. Drama. Based on the true story of Queen Elizabeth II's father and his remarkable friendship with maverick speech therapist Lionel Logue. Colin Firth, Helena Bonham Carter

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CONCORDIA BAY Ferry Schedule

Friday 4th	West Islands
Saturday 5th	West Islands
Sunday 6th	1200 East—West 1400 West—East
Monday 7th	
Tuesday 8th	
Wednesday 9th	1800 East—West
Thursday 10th	0800 West—East 1000 East—West 1200 West—East
Friday 11th	0800 East—West 1000 West—East 1800 East—West
Saturday 12th	0800 West—East
Sunday 13th	1200 East—West 1400 West - East
Monday 14th	SE Islands & FXB
Tuesday 15th	SE Islands & FXB
Wednesday 16th	SE Islands & FXB
Thursday 17th	SE Islands & FXB
Friday 18th	SE Islands & FXB

Receiving cargo for SE Islands and Fox Bay from 9th February. Cargo closes 1200 on 11th February.

Please ensure that you check your departure time with the office the day before you are due to travel. On busy days timings may differ to those shown on the schedule. While every attempt will be made to run a replacement ferry as soon as possible in the event of weather cancellation, on occasion operational and safety requirements may mean further delays.

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**Fisheries Department
Catch for period 20-26 January 2011
Number of Licenses**

Licence Type	Eligible for Period	Fishing During Period
Total	20	6
A	4	0
F/R	1	0
L	1	1
S	1	0
W/Z	13	5

A= All Finfish
 F/R =Skate/Ray
 L=Longliner
 S=Surimi

W/Z Restricted Finfish (no Hake)

Catch by Species (tonnes)

Species	Total catch
Loligo	0
Illex	0
Hakes	3
Blue Whiting	8
Hoki	168
Kingclip	50
Toothfish	28
Red Cod	23
Ray	37
Rock Cod	726
Others	4
Total	1047

**Department of Agriculture Wool Market Report
28th January, 2011**

Ian Campbell, Department of Agriculture, Falkland Islands

The Australian wool market has increased again, the pound dropped again, and a new record EMI has been reached again of 752 pence per kg. It is thought to be driven by a shortage of wool supply, due to floods in Australia, and disease in South Africa. The market is still very volatile with rapid unplanned fluctuations making it an exciting time to make selling decisions. This is my final wool report and it is great to sign out on a very strong market.

Week ending	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	28	30	32
15/12/2009	642	587	522	508	494	478	442	379	319	251	215	185
14/01/2010	682	626	566	559	538	520	479	390	341	269	230	196
02/09/2010	718	625	541	528	517	509	480	421	359	270	237	211
07/10/2010	759	659	586	572	552	530	486	448	386	277	241	219
04/11/2010	903	765	647	617	591	560	518	472	416	299	262	247
02/12/2010	990	787	630	616	584	560	516	472	414	302	275	258
16/12/2010	1028	822	655	638	607	576	519	441	399	305	278	258
13/01/2011	1160	964	727	707	670	639	565	478	432	330	294	266
20/01/2011	1203	967	725	688	666	633	591	507	467	356	316	279
27/01/2011	1216	970	724	699	672	637	597	515	477	363	319	284
Market Change	13	3	-1	11	6	4	6	8	10	7	3	5
Price year ago	650	597	544	535	520	504	467	383	335	259	221	193
Change from last year	87%	62%	33%	31%	29%	26%	28%	34%	42%	40%	44%	47%

Coffee break Sudoku and quiz

Sudoku by Colin Lang

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- In the UK, who was elected president of the National Union of Mineworkers in 1981?
- Which famous concert venue is located at 881, Seventh Avenue, New York?
- What is the device in a car which mixes petrol with air in correct proportions before it enters the engine?
- Referring to a mountain range, derived from the Spanish word for saw, what word represents the letter 'S' in the NATO phonetic alphabet?
- What is the basic monetary unit of Australia?
- The Dettifoss Waterfalls are in which country?
- Which city, whose name means 'fortification at Eidy', was the first to host the Commonwealth Games twice?
- Valletta is the capital of which European country?
- In the game of Scrabble, how many points is a 'V' tile worth?
- In the Bible's Old Testament Book of Proverbs, what is stated to be more precious than rubies, better than silver and gold, and "...all the things thou canst desire are not to be compared unto her..."?

Answers to last week's quiz:

- London Heathrow
- Mrs Gaskell
- Rhubarb
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- Argentina
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Jay Moffatt works hard to catch up with the pack



Nathan Gemmill leaves a shield of water behind him

Riders reach for the sky on Lorenzo's motocross track

REFLECTING on the motocross whilst washing down on Sunday, I realised I had created a new potato patch in the back garden, and I had only hosed my race pants down!

Jan Clarke and Wayne Clasen had created a course with as many obstacles as the Falklands can offer: water crossings, jumps, water blisters, peat bogs, fast straights, twists and turns. With a keen eye to safety it can be argued that it was our best course this year, but Arthur and Elaine wouldn't say that! The track last month at Rincon was every bit as good, but maybe a bit daunting for some!

The sun was scorching the grass as we decided on the format of the days racing. It was to be two half hour races for the Juniors and Ladies and two one hour races for the Clubman and Experts. The Juniors and Ladies were first off. A hard charging Sian Ferguson and Angeline Clarke represented the ladies, Sian leading the way until tasting mother earth, letting Angeline take the lead. By the time Sian had her bike going Angeline was long gone. This happened in both races. I can only think that Sian must have taken to having a worm snack during the half hour long race.

Roger Shillitoe was dominant in the Juniors on his 250KTM, but he had to work for it as Nathan Lowe was right on his back wheel for a while, having to work his Suzuki trial bike extra hard to keep up with the KTM. James Tyrell brought up the rear on his small wheeled Suzuki putting in a great performance on this very demanding course.

With an eagerly anticipated Experts and Clubman's race, the question going through the spec-

tators minds was, who could land on the moon first on the steep jump that Jan and Wayne had created. Truly spectacular is the most honest way to describe it. The riders did not disappoint. Jan, Stefan and Jay took the first steps in planting a Falklands flag on Jupiter. Well away from any Argentine influence!

Jan Clarke set a blistering pace on his super fast 250 Honda with Stefan and Jay in hot pursuit. Jamie Peck on his two stroke Honda made a welcome return to racing bringing up the rear. Dylan Stephenson and Nathan Gemmill took a win each in the Clubman class with Alastair Wilkinson coming home in third place.

Many thanks to our lap girls, marshals, medical team, Jan and Tanya, the spectators and all the people who help to make such a popular event possible.

Juniors

- 1st Roger Shillitoe
- 2nd Nathan Lowe
- 3rd James Tyrell

Clubman

- 1st Dylan Stephenson
- 2nd Nathan Gemmill
- 3rd Alistair Wilkinson

Experts

- 1st Jan Clarke
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Nathan Lowe, Roger Shillitoe



Experts champion Jan Clarke reaches for the sky



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Ref No.	Address	Description	Developer
01/11	Dairy Paddock Road/Sappers Hill, Stanley	Outline application for housing development	FIC Ltd
02/11	1 Fitzroy Road East, Stanley	Erection of building for domestic storage	Mr P Short
03/11	FIG Computer Section, Lookout Industrial Estate, Stanley	Extension to office building	FIG Computer Section
04/11	KTV Site, Dairy Paddock Road, Stanley	Outline application for erection of 1 1/4 storey house	Mr K M Zuvic-Bulic
05/11	10 Dairy Paddock Road, Stanley	Outline application for erection of 2 storey dwelling and full planning permission for siting of 2 containers for storage	Mr & Mrs R Harris
06/11	Beauchene Complex, John Street, Stanley	Change of use from retail outlet to family entertainment centre	Mr G Budd & Mrs J Ellick
07/11	West edge of Bertha's Beach, East Falkland	Relocate Foxtro 4 memorial from Lively Island	CBFSAI
08/11	25 Ross Road West, Stanley	Demolition of existing sun room and replacement with larger sun room	Mr & Mrs J Parke

The next Planning and Building Committee meeting at which the above applications will be considered is due to be held on 3 March 2011 in the Liberation Room, Secretariat, starting at 8.30 a.m. Members of the public may attend to observe the workings of the Committee.

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Boules for Bens?

A GAME normally associated with France, dappled sunshine through plane trees and old men in berets smoking Gaulouises has brought international success to two teams representing the Falklands this year. Perhaps the time has come for boules or petanque to take its place alongside, rifle shooting, badminton, darts, soccer and even cricket as a Falkland Islands sport.

In 1996, while visiting his dad, Don, Alistair Jacobsen of the Victory Bar in Stanley and wife Cathy played the first of what was to become an annual series of boules matches between the Falkland Islands and a team from Portland in Dorset, where Don has a summer-time chalet, over which the Falklands flag flies when he and wife Audrey are in residence.

The Falklands team won the first match 2-0 after what Don describes as a "great fun afternoon" during which "some cans were cracked open." This year Ally and Cathy were again on hand to take part and once again the Falklands triumphed, this time by 2-1.

The event trophy is a block of Portland stone, to which have been attached Falkland Islands pebbles collected by Roy Murphy from beaches around Port Howard, including Mount Rosalie where Don was shepherd in 1953.

No trophy yet exists for the other Falklands boules success though its consequences in terms of international relations may yet prove more serious. In September Penguin News Deputy Editor John Fowler and former FIG Internal Auditor, Frank Jackson accepted a challenge from Frank's neighbour Jacques and a large Frenchman of Tahitian origin, before two packed benches of ancient experts, on the sun-drenched gravel of the Petanque Club of Carcassonne in Southern France. They won two-one.

Unlike the Portland matches which play to 7 points per set, in France where such things are taken seriously, each of the three sets of this international contest consisted of the first to 13. After narrowly losing the first set, the FI fought back in the second to a 13-1 near "fanny" or whitewash, an unexpected turn of events which brought exclamations of horror, mingled with cries of "Bravo Les Isles Malouines! (Falkland Islands) "from the benches.

In the third and final set, the French rallied somewhat with the high throws of the large Tahitian "tireur" (shooter) finding their mark and hitting the Falkland boules. The end result was in doubt until Fowler clinched victory with the last throw of the match, which snaked past the opposition to end alongside the jack or "cochonnet."

Slaking their thirst with several glasses of locally produced Muscat later in the bar of the Carcassonne Petanque Club at the expense of the losers, Fowler and Jackson readily agreed to the suggestion that this should become an annual event.

Boules is a game which could be well-suited to the Falklands being playable on a any stretch of relatively level earth, gravel or grass. Alistair Jacobsen says he has a set of the required metal spheres "in a shed somewhere" but has at the moment no plans to introduce the game at the Victory bar. What a pity! Or should that be, "Quelle dommage!"

Bread Shop Tournament no 'pain' for Stuart Haines

THE 2011 Bread Shop Golf Tournament was played on the 23 January. The Bread Shop have been loyal supporters of the golf club for a number of years now and once more they surpassed themselves with a fine array of prizes and a tasty buffet.

Conditions were not ideal with a strong westerly wind dominating. Some very good scores were returned despite the wind with Stuart Haines scoring best of all to take the victory. It was a well deserved win for Stuart and his score of 38 gave him a comfortable 3 shot margin over second place.

Glenn Ross was second with 35 points, edging out Kevin Clapp on a count back. Best front nine was won by Tony McMullen and best back was Bob Gilbert. Tim Bonner was nearest the pin on the

4th hole and Glenn Ross added to his personal haul of prizes with nearest the pin on the 17th and longest drive on the 18th.

All of the members of the Golf Club wish to thank the Bread Shop for their continued sponsorship of this event.

Doubles Tournament

Last Sunday Stanley Golf Club held a club sponsored doubles tournament. Six teams took part and the team of Glenn Ross and junior member Ieuan Ford ran out winners with a combined stableford score of 74 points.

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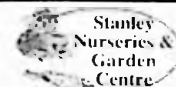
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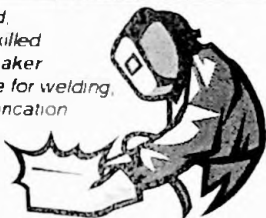
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Sunday, 6th February - bring along your instruments at 2.30pm and join Andi Neate and friends for an Acoustic session... Playing is not compulsory - you can just come along and enjoy the music!!

The Pushers will be back next weekend - tickets will be available shortly and can be purchased/reserved through us and band members. Andi Neate will have a farewell session with us on the 19th - details to follow. Myriam will be back with some Country music on the 26th - so there is lots to look forward to.....

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The Falkland Islands Government invites tenders from parties interested in the provision of the inspection and maintenance of minefields in the Port Howard area. Further details of the frequency of inspections and the required maintenance can be obtained from the FIDF, Stanley, on telephone 55477. Tenderers are asked to tender on the basis of cost per annum, for an initial period of two years. Materials will be provided. Tenders endorsed 'Maintenance of Minefield Fencing - Port Howard' should be returned to Major Peter Biggs, FIDF, to reach him no later than 1630 hours on Thursday 17th February 2011. The Falkland Islands Government reserves the right to reject any tender received and the right to publish the names of those who tendered and the amounts tendered.



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NOTICES/VACANCIES

The Falkland Islands Company - Vacancies

Full-time and Part-time Customer Service Assistants are required for the West Store Retail Complex. Applicants must be aged 18 years and over and be willing to work flexible hours, including weekends, evenings and public holidays. You should be pleasant, confident and will need to be versatile and happy to undertake any aspect of work within the West Store Complex. Cafe and new Peacocks clothing section. The position will include the operation of computerised tills and organising of new stock. For further information, please contact Leanne Henry on 27661. Application forms are available from the West Store Foodhall.

The Falkland Islands Company Accounts Department is seeking to employ a full time Retail Accountant. The successful applicant will have extensive accounts experience and some knowledge of EPOS Stock control systems will be an advantage, although training can be given. The position requires a person with good communication skills, initiative and high level of computer literacy. For further information about this position please contact Ana Crowie on 27609.

SHACKLETON SCHOLARSHIP FUND

The Shackleton Scholarship Fund takes this opportunity to remind applicants for both Academic and Quality of Life scholarships that the closing date for receipt of applications to be considered this year is 31 March 2011. Application forms can be downloaded from www.shackletonfund.com. Details of where and how to submit completed applications can be found on the website. Any queries should be addressed to Sally Ellis, Secretary, Shackleton Scholarship Fund (Stanley Committee) on paul.sally@horizon.co.fk or P O Box 307, Stanley.



FOR SALE

The Falkland Islands Development Corporation (FIDC) has for sale by means of public tender, the property known as Reflections Building on Dean Street, Stanley.

This centrally located property is a one and half storey timber framed building that has a floor area of approximately 208.36m². It has two retail outlets on the ground floor and a two bedroom furnished flat above. FIDC would like to inform interested parties that it is unable to provide mortgage funding to facilitate the purchase. As such, interested parties are advised to have an alternative source of finance available to them, if required, to complete the purchase, should their tender be successful.

FIDC is not bound to accept the highest offer and reserves the right to reject any tender received. For further information and inspection, please contact Susana Faria on telephone 27211 or email sfaria@fide.co.fk. Tenders marked "Reflections Building" should be sent to FIDC no later than 12 noon on Friday 11 February 2011.



Iveco 75E17 2004 Model, 7.5 tonne box van with 1 Tonne tailift, in excellent condition, for sale by tender. Vehicle available end of March/April. All tenders should be received by the (15th Feb 2011) and sent to stevetoolan@fsmail.net. For viewing or more information contact Steve on 52727. The seller does not bind himself to accept the highest or any tender.



Bayliner 2556, Mercruiser engine with some spares, length 8m, beam 3m, draft 1m. 6 berths, heads to starboard with toilet, wash basin and shower facilities. Helm station and galley to starboard, elevated dinette seating around the table to port. This is a versatile boat, with good accommodation, practical leisure space and a flybridge. Electronics onboard are GPS/Chart plotter and fish finder. Asking price £13,000 ono, for further information please contact Mike on 41019 evenings or leave a message.



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Falkland Islands Branch

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Job Descriptions and application forms for the above positions can be obtained from the Human Resources Department - telephone 28420, fax 27212 or e-mail HRclerk@sec.gov.fk

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For further information, application form and terms of reference please contact Comd Sec, HQ BFSAI Tel Ext: 6797

Completed application forms should be returned to HR Section, Comd Sec, HQ BFSAI by 1600 hrs on 28 February 2011.

Consultancy Services Falklands Limited has a vacancy for the position of Bookkeeper/Administrative Assistant. Although prior knowledge and experience is not essential, as training will be given, candidates must be numerate and able to work with minimum supervision. Remuneration is commensurate with experience and ability.

For further details please phone Alison Baker on 22666. All applications to be received in writing no later than Monday 7 February 2011.

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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:

Environmental Committee - Monday 7th February at 1.00pm in Gilbert House

Falkland Islands Development Board - Tuesday 8th February at 9.00am 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.



To Auntie Polly: Thank you for my lovely cousin, I love her to bits. She looks just like you Auntie Polly. Loads of love and cuddles and sloppy kisses Jake
xx



To Polly, - Congratulations on the birth of Brody Rosel Maria Lennie. We are so proud to be her auntie and uncle. She's gorgeous.

Love Elaine and John
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To Lins
Happy 30th birthday for next week. Love Mum, Dad, Cher, Bosie and Ella



Happy 18th birthday Bob. With lots of love from Auntie Gina, Uncle Garry, Tasmin and James
xxxxxxx

Dick Whittington meets the X Factor! FIODA will be presenting a modern day version of the famous pantomime on 7, 8 and 9 April. Actors, singers and backstage helpers all needed! Find out more at the Town Hall at 7pm on Monday 7th February. See you then!

We would like to thank all those people who came to our wedding and made it so special. Big thanks to those people that helped before, during and afterwards. And another big thanks for all the lovely cards and awesome presents.
Come again soon.
Mrs & Mr Knight

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Plot of Land for Sale by Tender - with full planning permission, at the rear of 2 Ross Road West, Stanley. Offers in the region of £10,000. Bids to be submitted to Anya Harris, C/o Interserve, MPA, by Monday 21st February 2011. The tenderer does not bind herself to accept highest or any tender. For further details, please contact Anya Harris on 525436 or email anya.harris@yahoo.com.

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During the last storm we experienced the loss of a false roof from a Port-a-Cabin. We are replacing the building with a purpose built all steel building, hopefully end march April time. The Port Cabin will be available free to anyone who wishes to remove it and replace the roof. Contact Peter Short on 21297 or 21849 for viewing.

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88 Davis Street

Consisting of 3 bedrooms, 2 reception rooms, kitchen, bathroom, and front & back porches. The property sits on a large parcel of land extending to Callaghan Road and has outlined conditional planning permission for the erection of a second dwelling. The property has undergone renovation of 5 of its rooms but is still a work in progress. For further information or viewing please contact David & Carol Thorsen on telephone 55666/55404 or 22404 in evenings

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The Falkland Shears competition scheduled for this Saturday has been cancelled

The next Flea Market will be held on Sunday 13th at 2pm
Call John on 21443 to book a table or for more details

The AGM for 2010 of the Cancer Support and Awareness Trust will be held on Monday 28th February 2011 at 28 Goss Road, starting at 12noon
A sandwich lunch will be available and to assist in catering could those intending to attend contact Theresa on 21235.

Notice from the FIDF - the FIDF Club will hold its Annual General Meeting in the Club on Thursday 10 February 2011. All members are encouraged to attend

Falklands Conservation invites you to a talk by Alpine Specialist Kit Strange from RBG Kew Gardens. Kit has been growing native Falklands plants from seed over the past year, following her last visit to the Islands. Come along for an update on the FI collection and hear how your flora is doing at Kew. All welcome to attend at the FICS Geography Room 5.15pm to 6.15pm Tuesday 8th February

Falklands Radio will next week be broadcasting a live phone-in programme to discuss recent concerns about off-road driving in the Cape Pembroke area. From 7.30pm next Wednesday (9th Feb), Falklands Radio will be taking calls on the issue. You can phone on 27277, fax 27279 or email sbragger@firs.co.fk with comments. Phone calls on the night will take priority.

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Saturday 5th February - Mixed music with DJ Bonzo. The bar will be closed from 2pm to 4pm for a private function, apologies for any inconvenience caused.
Sunday 6th February - Games afternoon including darts, pool and cards - Beef curry and rice will be served from 2pm at £5.00 per head
Tuesday 8th February - Bingo - Eyes down at 8pm
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They'd like to teach the world to sign: students and teachers at IJS embark on a Guinness World Record attempt. See page 4

Waterfront masterplan to be submitted to ExCo

LONG-STANDING efforts to revitalise Stanley waterfront this week edged a little closer, with news that a paper on the proposals is to be submitted to the next meeting of Executive Council.

While discussions on the regeneration of the historic dockyard and improvements to the East Jetty have been ongoing for some years, together with proposed relocation of both the Museum and the Public Works Department offices, it is only recently that a masterplan for the entirety of the waterfront has been mooted.

David Waugh, General Manager of Falkland Islands Development Corporation, told the Penguin News he believed the existing waterfront "leaves something to be desired," but it presented "a huge opportunity for both tourism and Stanley residents alike."

FIDC and PWD, as part of the FIG Major Projects Board, have been asked to bring forward a pro-

posal for a gradual development of the entire waterfront for government to consider.

Mr Waugh said such a masterplan should include early provision of improved arrival and departure of cruise ship passengers and better public facilities.

"Any such phased development would require a strong partnership between the private and public sectors," he said, adding that any development of a coherent masterplan would require extensive public consultation.

Mr Waugh, presenting an overview of FIDC activities to the FIDC board on Tuesday, said FIG was keen to see the relocation of the Museum and PWD offices as quickly and as cost-effectively as possible.

FIG and PWD are working on the proposed PWD relocation and another group is working on a plan and a programme for the proposed relocation of the Museum.

The Major Projects Board has been asked to consider incorporating the changes at the dockyard into a larger proposal for the redevelopment of Stanley waterfront, making maximum effective use of the historic dockyard area and working with the private sector to seek an attractive and welcoming waterfront, from the East Jetty to Gilbert House.

The Penguin News revealed 12 months ago that informal talks had begun on an offer from the British Antarctic Survey to supply exhibits and artefacts – "from sledges to science posters" – for a visitor centre which could help market the Falklands to tourists as the "Gateway to Antarctica."

They suggested they could provide free content for such a centre if the Falkland Islands government was able to provide an appropriate venue.

BAS Deputy Director Robert Culshaw said at the time: "We've

discussed it with several people and there is considerable interest in the idea. The existing museum has of course Antarctic content, so we've already got a beginning there. And there's no doubt a lot of your cruise passengers have an interest in the Antarctic."

A proposed outline project plan for development of the waterfront is expected to be ready for submission to Executive Council on February 24.

Museum Manager Leona Roberts told the Penguin News yesterday: "Everybody knows our plans for the dockyard and the difference it would make, not only for the Museum but for the town as a whole, and this time we are really hopeful we will see some results."

PWD Director Manfred Keenleyside said: "There is still a lot of detail being worked on, and it is at a very early stage."

Tony Curran

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It may be because the opinion makers are all still on holiday in Punte del Este that the publication of Pepper and Pascoe's excellent "Unilateral Facts" article in the Buenos Aires Herald (see opposite) seems to have caused few ripples in Argentina.

More likely it is because no amount of logic and facts about a disputed and increasingly distant history are ever going to make a difference to entrenched attitudes in what is essentially a two-sided argument about who "owns" the Falkland Islands.

For Charles Darwin, who arrived in South America on HMS Beagle, 1833 was quite an eventful year, as it was for Prudence Crandall, a white woman, arrested for founding an academy for black females in Connecticut.

In 1833 Czar Nicholas banned the public sale of serfs, John Deere made the first steel plough, Britain freed 700,000 slaves in its colonies, while a census of Curacao in the Caribbean indicated that the population consisted of 2,602 whites, 6,531 free people and 5,894 slaves. Chicago Illinois had just been incorporated as a village of around 200 souls.

Some of these events are remembered by those for whom they had consequences, but the majority are forgotten, useful only as fodder for quiz shows and as quirky reminders of how far we have come in the 178 years since 1833, when the world was very different.

Sadly for children growing up in this country in 2011, especially those whose families have lived here for generations, a disputed event in 1833, which should by now have been consigned to the dustbin of historical irrelevancy, still seems to have more impact on their future than the passage of 178 years of peaceful voluntary settlement.

Peter Pepper was disappointed at the response to his article by former Argentine Deputy Foreign Minister Andrés Cisneros. I too am disappointed by his abandonment of the position of his old boss in the Argentine Foreign Ministry, the late Dr Guido Di Tella.

Di Tella stated on record that the Islanders had to be part of any solution to the sovereignty dispute.

It maybe wasn't much, but at least it gave us the right to a voice in an argument that now seems to go on over our head, ignores our existence and gets lost in the mist of time.

John Fowler

Falklands Brasserie

**What's on at the 'Falklands Brasserie'
Wine Bar & Restaurant**

**Valentine's Special Dinner
Monday 14th February 2011**

**Glass of Champagne and Canapés
Followed by Starter**

Antipasti Platter to share
Selection of seafood, cold meats, olives, roast vegetables
and cheeses

Main Courses

Tournedo Steak with Chocolate & Peppercorn Sauce
or
Chicken & Prawns Roulade with Champagne Sauce
or
Grilled Chilean Seabass with Almonds Crust

Dessert

Strawberry Cheesecake
Crème Brûlée

Coffee or Tea and Chocolate Truffles

Price per person £25.00

First Sitting 6.30pm

Second Sitting 8.30pm

To book your table or make enquiries, please call 21159 or email
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Talking to an Argentine wall

THE publication in the Buenos Aires Herald of an article which first saw the light of day in the Penguin News has been described by former Falkland Islands Governor David Tatham as "a very substantial achievement".

But it seems not to have lived up to his expectation that it would provoke interest in the Spanish language press.

Internet searches by the Penguin News revealed no mention of the article's publication in either of Argentina's principal dailies, La Nación or Clarín.

Written by historians Peter Pepper and Graham Pascoe, the article in the Penguin News was entitled "Argentina's flagrant acts of absurdity and shame".

It was first republished by Mercopress under the title "Unilateral Facts," before appearing last Sunday in the Buenos Aires English language daily, along with a reply by Andres Cisneros, who

was a junior minister to Guido Di Tella in the Argentine Foreign Ministry in the 1990s.

The hope expressed by Mr Pepper to the Penguin News prior to the publication of this bilateral feature was that Cisneros might not feel obliged to defend the policies of the present Argentine Government.

However, this hope was dashed when Cisneros's article came out full of what Peter Pepper described as "time-honoured rhetoric and misinformation."

The former minister also made no reference to the jettisoned 1995 oil agreement which was signed during his period in office.

Expressing his disappointment at the refusal of Cisneros to deal adequately with the points raised in the original article, Mr Pepper concluded that perhaps this episode "illustrates more than anything else how impossible it is to argue with Argentines."

Undeniable evidence in stabbing at MPA

ALENA Dawn Scott (30) was on Wednesday found guilty of maliciously wounding her partner Delroy Leo with a kitchen knife.

In the early hours of November 20 she telephoned the emergency services at MPA, requesting an ambulance to her block and room after admitting "I've stabbed my boyfriend" to the operator.

Trial evidence was given all day on Tuesday in the Magistrate's Court after Ms Scott had entered a plea of not guilty to the charge.

She said she simply "did not know how she came to stab him," in what started as a relationship squabble and ended in her arrest.

Mr Delroy Leo sustained a 3.4cm long wound to his upper left abdomen, the direction inwards and downwards.

His voice cracked in court as his temper shortened when he was forced to relive his experience.

He admitted in an account to Police Officer Kim Bone that he

grabbed her, describing the situation as "you know, scuffle."

Senior Magistrate John Trevaskis said he was sure the defendant did wound Mr Leo based on the "unchallenged medical evidence as to the nature of the injury and through admission of the defendant" to witnesses.

The fight between the couple escalated violently when Mr Leo punched and slapped the defendant. It was determined, however, that the "degree of force used by the defendant in stabbing with a knife was out of all proportion to the actual attack upon her," Mr Trevaskis said in his closing statement.

He was also sure she knew the harm that picking up the knife could cause by the lack of any assertion on her part that she could not "foresee the consequences of thrusting a knife at the victim." Ms Scott was released on conditional bail until March 16.

Ships in Stanley harbour for the week ending February 10



Vessel	Type	Vessel agent	Departed
John Cheek	Trawler	FIC	Feb 7
Maersk Traveller	AHTS	Byron Holdings	
Fenny	Chase Boat	Stanley Services	Feb 9
Argos Georgia	Longliner	Sullivan Shipping	
Toisa Invincible	P Supply	Byron Holdings	Feb 4
Bravo Supporter	Supply	Stanley Services	Feb 5
New Polar	Trawler	Seaview	Feb 9
Ventura	Trawler	FIC	Feb 7
Golden Chicha	Trawler	FIC	Feb 8

Stanley Common to be next clearance target

THE next phase of minefield clearance in the Falklands will cost less, be less environmentally intrusive, but will greatly increase Stanley's recreational area. That was the message from Government House last week by the visiting scoping team headed by Richard Lindsay of the British Foreign and Commonwealth Office.

The accomplished intention of the three-man team, which also includes consultant Alistair Craib and Lt Colonel Peter Sonnex of the Ministry of Defence, was to find a site for the next phase in the process which began last year with the clearance of four areas, two in Camp and two around Stanley.

A first target for the group was the Murrell Peninsula but, after consultation with MLAs, the decision has been taken to work on the Stanley Common as an area of greater interest and more likely public use.



Alistair Craib, Richard Lindsay and Lt Colonel Peter Sonnex

It is hoped that the completion of the next phase will return much of Stanley Common to public use, including giving access to the stone corral, the coastal ponds and the area known as Goose Green, all of which were popular for recreation in the days before the 1982 war.

What is planned was described by Mr Lindsay as "land relief." This basically involves pushing back the fences around areas which were designated as minefields and

might contain some unexploded ordnance, but are not expected to contain mines.

As mine-lifting is not anticipated, there will be less environmental impact on the areas searched and a reduced requirement for both personnel and funding, said Mr Lindsay, who added that resources for this phase of the project were "finite."

On the team's return to the UK an invitation to tender will be put together. Until a successful tender has been accepted it is not possible to know the nationality of the personnel involved, nor the exact technology that they will use.

Legislative Assembly Member Sharon Halford said she was delighted Stanley Common had been chosen over the Murrell Peninsula. Stanley had been growing greatly in recent years but the available recreational space for its population had not.

For auction on eBay: one Harrier Jump Jet, used, engine missing

FOR sale on eBay alongside mouse mats and badges is an ex RAF 4 Squadron Harrier Jump Jet, described as "rare" by its current owner Chris Wilson, 33, from Bradford, West Yorkshire, who promises delivery within 15 days of a cleared payment.

The jet's auction this week had attracted 79 bids from 59 interested parties. From its starting price of £69,999 it is currently selling for £94,000 with the auction due to close on Monday.

The aircraft itself was decommissioned in 1997 and saved from the scrapyard by an aircraft restoration company. Mr Wilson served as a mechanic in the RAF, and is sure it would be possible to make the Harrier airworthy.

Even though it has been stripped of its Rolls Royce engine it still has both cannon and missile storage pods.

"Without the Harrier we would never have been able to retake the Falkland Islands," the Daily Mail quoted him as saying.

Open for bids: the eBay listing of the decommissioned Harrier

"It's an awesome piece of equipment - a truly classic British engineering feat." The wholly serious sale is being marketed as the "ultimate business promotional tool, garden feature, gate guardian or museum aircraft."

In the pursuit of every boy's dream, a seven-year-old nearly

bought the Harrier when he hit the "buy it now" button while online shopping. His father quickly called the sellers, Jet Art Aviation, saying his son was not able to buy the aircraft out of his pocket money. A spokeswoman from the British company said the boy's dad profusely apologised to them.

Show time

THE Horticultural Society's annual show will be held in the Falkland Islands Community School on Sunday February 20. The show will be open to the public from 2pm, with prizegiving at 4pm and the auction 4.30pm. Entries can be taken to FICS between 5-8pm on the day prior. Camp entries, clearly marked for the Horticultural Show, c/o Tim Miller, will fly free on FIGAS. Any people still holding trophies from previous years is asked to return them to Nikki Buxton as soon as possible.

Sold for scrap

THE aircraft carrier HMS Invincible is to be sold for scrap, after a Chinese businessman's £5m bid for the ship was turned down in case China put her back into service with its navy. Invincible's Sea Harrier Jump Jets played a major role in recapturing the Falklands after the 1982 invasion by Argentina. She has been laid up at Portsmouth since 2005.

Gardens comp

THE Flower Gardens and Polytunnels Competition will be held on Saturday February 19. Call Siân on 21977 (evenings) to enter. For more information, please call Nikki on 52051 or Tim Miller on 21498 (evenings). For a copy of the programme, please email skippy@cwimail.tk or go to www.facebook.com/fi.horticulture.

Trial begins

MR Claudio Briones Sepulveda (48), of Stanley, appeared before a Summary Court yesterday, denying two of the four assault charges against him. Trial and sentencing is to continue on the two other charges of assault by beating, a charge of breach of a 12 month conditional discharge and a breach of bail agreements.

Great Scott!

ONE hundred years since Captain Robert Falcon Scott's fateful expedition, Dafila Scott, granddaughter of the explorer, is en-route to the continent as artist-in-residence on behalf of the Friends of the Scott Polar Research Institute (SPRI). She joined the ship in the Falklands last week.

Leeds new life

HMS Leeds Castle, a former patrol ship in the Falklands, has begun a new lease of life as BNS Dhaleshwari in the Bangladesh Navy. The ship was handed to Portsmouth in May last year and this month arrived at Chittagong Area Naval Command.



Luxury in Stanley Harbour

THE Big Fish super yacht turned more than a few heads when it gracefully floated into Stanley Harbour last week.

Agent Sullivan Shipping revealed it contained ten crew members resting up before rejoining passengers in Brazil.

The 149-foot five-cabin luxury charter yacht comes complete with dining hall, Wii and granite decking.

The crew of the multi-million pound vessel last year helped out with the relief effort following the Chilean earthquake, delivering donations to the tsunami-ravaged village of Juan Bautista on Robinson Crusoe Island.

The yacht is available for charter from Aquos Yachts in Patagonia from US\$195,000 to US\$350,000 per week.

Legislative Assembly Diary

Jan Cheek shares a glimpse into the work of a member of the Legislative Assembly

I CONGRATULATE the Deputy Editor on his comprehensive grovelling apology of January 28 and must follow suit on behalf of MLAs this week. Answers given in good faith regarding Stanley Airport fire cover upgrade unfortunately seem to have been inadequate and possibly inaccurate. I believe that a more comprehensive answer should be available soon. I claim no expertise in that field and therefore have to rely on advice and answers from others.

ONE of the things that make an apparently sometimes thankless job rewarding is the huge variety of subjects covered in an average week. Meetings last week included one with the manager of SCB, another with the Marine Officer/Harbour Master and one with the Deputy Command Secretary from PJHQ making a welcome familiarisation visit.

THIS week began with an interesting meeting with the group investigating the possibility of more land release next summer. Two of those involved were here in the '80s with EOD so have a sound knowledge of what went before. Work continues this week so we should have information of what area clearance may be proposed shortly.

MEETINGS with visiting oil company representatives this week and last bring the committee up to date with progress thus far. It is reassuring to note the careful adherence to safety standards and increasing acceptance of the need to monitor interactions with wildlife. I believe that the proposed forum can only enhance the credibility of our regime.

A BIG concern for many of us last week was the glitch in loading wool for shipment. Thanks to a huge effort by a whole range of people the shipment left as planned, but much work needs to be done to ensure that there is no repetition of the frankly silly situation that arose.

MY previous discussion of the undesirability of multiple large cruise ship visits on the same day will be amplified and, I fear, vindicated if all arrive as scheduled on Wednesday.

IJS students sign on for a record

STUDENTS of the Infant and Junior School took part in a Guinness World Record attempt this Wednesday at precisely 11.45am local time to link up with the UK in a global effort to help spread awareness of sign language.

The school assembled in its hall to simultaneously sign the lyrics of the New Seekers '70s hit single "I'd like to teach the world to sing," under the projected instruction of Olli the Signing Monkey.

Overall 292 people at the school joined a predicted 70,000 globally for the record-breaking event organised through sign2sing.org.uk. The official result of the world record attempt will be announced when the numbers are crunched by Guinness officials.

Mrs Jane Evans, the school expert in sign language, explained how the event was monitored.

"Raffle tickets were distributed to students and adults to count the number taking part, with each 50 kids watched by an adult as they performed to ensure the count is accurate," she said.

The event was witnessed officially by Governor Nigel Haywood who, after the musical



An unmistakable sign that the students are enjoying the day

treat, happily gave his hand to sign the letter documenting their part in the achievement.

With some time before calling lunch at 12pm to the crowd of youngsters, Mrs Steen read a story to the children explaining the im-

portant things to consider when communicating through another language, such as facial expression and eye contact. She also reminded them of the virtues of patience and compassion needed when learning a new language.

Bonniers application for taxi parking is rejected

ONLY two of the seven applications for planning permission considered by the Planning and Building Committee on Friday were granted consent.

Three were for retrospective consent, the development having already been carried out, of which two were refused.

The first two of these three were submissions by Keith and Avril Bonner, for car parking areas for use by a taxi fleet, and for the change of use from domestic garage to commercial, each at premises located at 4 Felton Court where, in 2007, retrospective conditional planning permission was granted to site taxis with one condition stating that no more than three taxis would operate from the premises.

In both current cases one of the recommendations for refusal drafted by Environmental Planning Officer Antony Payne stated that the proposal was contrary to three policies of the adopted Stanley Town Plan in that it failed to safeguard the amenity of the area and had a significant adverse impact on the residential area that the proposal would generate.

Two signed petitions objecting to the applications were noted and, after much discussion, members of the committee agreed to refuse consents. The third retrospective submission, for a phone

box installed at the Museum on Holdfast Road by Cable and Wireless, was granted unconditional planning permission.

Conditional planning permission was granted in principle to Gilberto Castro for the erection of a dwelling and provision of off-street parking, with the creation of access to four existing parking spaces to be relocated, on land at the rear of 92 and 94 Davis Street fronting Eliza Crescent.

The Falkland Islands Yacht Club applied for planning permission to site a Portakabin for use as clubrooms on the north side of the mooring area at the Canache, Stanley. Members were unhappy to give approval both in view of the proposed building design and its siting, pending public consultation on the forthcoming Canache management plan. They therefore agreed to refuse permission for this development.

The remaining two submissions were both deferred: for the demolition of a garage and storage building with creation of new access to serve a new parking area at the Tax Office car park at St Mary's Walk for Stanley Services Limited (this to allow for statutory public consultation of amended plans), and Joe Newell's proposal for a single-storey dwelling and garage with off-street parking on land to the rear of 3 Villiers Street with front-

age to Davis Street (in this case for discussions to take place on the possibility of deleting the side porch to allow improved siting).

Building Adviser Nick Stephens then spoke briefly on the nine listed applications for a building permit, including a report on his visit to a site in Camp where an extension to a dwelling was proposed, and his decision that a proposed domestic storage building at 1 Fitzroy Road East was in fact an "exempt" structure which did not therefore require a permit.

Before concluding the "open" part of the meeting, members reviewed the statement prepared by the EPO following the submission of an appeal by Juanita Brock against the refusal of permission for the replacement of wooden windows with uPVC windows at 20 Drury Street. Following their agreement with what had been written, this is to be shown to Ms Brock then forwarded to Executive Council for decision.

The near-complete committee was chaired by Councillor Sharon Halford, who was supported by fellow MLA member Jan Cheek, with four of the five elected lay members attending.

The next meeting of the committee will take place on March 3 at 8.30am in the Liberation Room of the Secretariat.

Graham France

Poignant day looms for HMS Glamorgan vets

HMS Glamorgan veterans and their families have begun arriving in the Falklands ahead of next week's programme of ceremonies, including the poignant dedication of a memorial monument at Hooker's Point.

The ship was hit by a deadly Exocet missile just two days before the Argentine surrender, killing 14 crew.

When the ship's former Navigating Officer, Commander Ian Inskip, visited the Falklands with his wife Marianne in 2003, they saw memorials on the Islands for all other ships lost and all units which had suffered significant casualties, except for HMS Glamorgan.

Having presented the case for a memorial to HMS Glamorgan Falklands Association Committee, about £12,000 was raised for it to be carved from Welsh granite.

Glamorgan, whose Welsh-language motto translates as "I Give Way To None," had been in the thick of fighting from the war's beginning.

She led HMS Arrow and Alacrity inshore to bombard Stanley Airport in broad daylight, designed to send a message to the enemy that the Royal Navy meant business.

On June 12 1982, when the ship strayed too close to shore, the missile body penetrated Glamorgan's hangar door, hitting a fully fuelled and fully armed Wessex III helicopter which blew apart, killing and injuring those in the hangar and galley below.



Meryl Streep

Maggie Streep

THE first image of actress Meryl Streep portraying Margaret Thatcher in the film *The Iron Lady* has been released this week.

The movie, which is currently in production and set for release later this year, tells the story of the British Prime Minister's role in the lead up to the Falklands War.

Streep's supporting cast includes Jim Broadbent as Maggie's husband Dennis, Anthony Head as Geoffrey Howe, Richard E Grant as Michael Heseltine and Roger Allam as Gordon Reece.



HMS Glamorgan to be officially remembered at last

Stoker John Whitton, then aged 19 and at sea for less than a year, swam through flooded corridors to reach bilge pumps.

Still holding his breath underwater, he opened the valves allowing water in the upper levels of the Glamorgan to drain out, steadying the ship.

Mr Inskip said: "Without Taff Whitton's help there is every possibility the ship would have gone with much greater loss of life."

But Mr Whitton did not get a medal for his brave action.

Mr Inskip said: "In the confusion of the rest of the war and the subsequent euphoria at coming home it never came out exactly who did the rescue act."

"I witnessed someone swimming through the dirty, flooded corridors myself, so I knew that one of the crew was the hero."

"When I wrote a book about it later I found out from many mem-

bers of the crew that it was definitely Taff Whitton who did it, but the captain was never informed at the time."

The ship had more than 300 crew on board when the Exocet struck, but a Sea Cat anti-missile device launched by the crew failed to bring it down.

The ship was ordered to turn into the missile path in the hope it would bounce off the angled hull.

If not for that turn, the missile would have caused far more damage and the loss of life would have been "catastrophic," Mr Inskip said.

The dedication ceremony for the memorial will take place at Hookers Point at 5.30pm on Tuesday, followed by a Glamorgan and SAMA Fl reception at the FIDF Hall.

Visitors and guests will embark in HMS Clyde on Wednesday for wreath laying at sea.

Clyde crew donation to Cancer Research

HMS CLYDE'S Warrant Officer Mike French welcomed Andrew Brownlee on board last Friday morning to accept a donation of £409 to the Cancer Support and Awareness Trust.

WO French explained that he was recently appointed Charity Officer which meant organising fund raising as well as the task of choosing a charity to donate to.

Having supported the Sea Cadets and Stephen Jaffray Memorial Trust in the past, the decision to affiliate with Cancer Support and Awareness was a "personal charity, one that affects most people and indeed the crew."

A majority of the money was raised through a sponsored hypothetical "row to Rio." The crew rowed the equivalent of 3,500 km in shifts on two rowing machines on board.

Mr Brownlee expressed a "sincere and heartfelt thank you"



WO Mike French with CSAT Trustee Andrew Brownlee

to the crew and WO Mike French for their efforts and for choosing CSAT as their charity.

"Unfortunately cancer touches most people's lives directly or indirectly," said Mr Brownlee. "The princely sum will be put to good use but we hope we don't slip off the radar for future donations."

Give us two minutes...



Winston Whyte

1. What is your most prized possession?

My son, he's 20 months old

2. What is the best piece of advice you have ever been given?

"Don't give up"

3. Who would you most like to have a cup of tea/tot with?

A tot of McAllans whisky with Alec Ferguson

4. What is your happiest moment?

The birth of my son Fletcher

5. What in your everyday life drives you crazy?

Sometimes work. The endless travel and cheap seats are a drain but the good guys you travel with make up for it

6. Who would you make Governor of the Falklands?

My mate Steve Meade, his personality would suit it perfectly

7. What is your nickname and why?

"Winnie" just because of my name

8. If you could travel anywhere in the world, where would it be?

Home. My job means all I do is travel but home is where I'd choose to be

9. What's the best book or movie you have read/watched recently?

Rock 'n' Rolla. But all Guy Ritchie's films get better every time you watch them

10. What would your Superpower be (and would you use it for Good or Evil)?

Invisibility, and of course I'd use it for good

Winston Whyte travelled to the remoteness of these Islands from Banff in Scotland. His home town of 8000 people is small itself and he doesn't miss the hustle and bustle of bigger cities. He works as part of the Corporal Coring team here in the Falklands on the hunt for oil and spends his non-working time at the Malvina House Hotel.

The Wanderer

An occasionally sardonic sideswipe at our country's current affairs

Hi Peat,

I told you I would be back after a rest over Christmas. I know what you are thinking but at least it wasn't six months!

There's been so much going on. Everything from the banning of Christmas crackers on FIGAS - it must be true 'cos I read about it on BennyLeaks - to the lack of seasonal lights on Vic Green. Must be the fun police that a LegAss member keeps on about!

By the way, when you next fly into Town look down and check out the doggy corner conpark. I hear it's got the outline of a heffalump. I don't know... but it's the right colour anyway.

Someone told me the con park reminded them of a three over cricket match - over optimistic, over engineered and over budget!

I recall you asking whose project it was and I told you to ask the chair of FIDC - your old mate Tango Bill. I believe there's a bloke here sorting out the Dairy papers for the Public Accounts Committee - do you think he's on the proposed minimum wage? But at least when the inquiry is finished next year and the cows come home, we'll get to see what it's all cost. Do you remember the game of pass the parcel?

Talking of the Development Corporation, did you see the ad for the "Reflections" building? They're selling it, but don't ask for finance 'cos they say they won't lend any on that. I thought that's what they did? Maybe it could be that they're saving the pennies to build old Shiny Shoes' dream of a luxury lodge at a prime site. I believe there's a nice big farm for sale that happens to have a colony of sovereign penguins.

It's also a big week for the boats, wow! Over 5000 ashore in one day! If only we could stagger the buggers. I think what's needed is a scoping study which would enable a committee to be formed which would then create a task group to write a report on the way forward with tick boxes (don't forget them) and a timeline, at the end of which a report would be produced telling us that we need a strategy.

Surely though the big news is the faggy ban - will we see any faggy martyrs like the anti-metric mob in GB? Personally I think they chose the wrong day to do it - it should have been March 9th which is of course Ash Wednesday...

BFN, JW

PR girls thanks for the memory

WE write to thank the hospitable people of the Falkland Islands and our great hosts - the FITB.

Last week we had the pleasure of experiencing your fantastic tourism product.

As the overseas public relations representatives for the FITB, we are even more enthused and passionate about increasing land-based and cruise tourism. It has been invaluable, equipping us with stories and knowledge to better sell the destination to our media contacts, trade partners and consumers.

Special thanks to the FITB team: Arlette Betts; the Kilmartins, Nobby, Elaine and Robert; Jacqui and Allan, Louise and John, our FIGAS pilots and everyone who made us feel welcome.

We look forward to gaining more international media exposure for the Islands and sending more consumers to enjoy the wildlife and hospitality that you have to offer.

Suzanne Holiday, UK
Kylie Robertson, USA

Grand Knights to remember

WE write to congratulate and convey our thanks to the Falkland Islands community who embraced us so warmly and sincerely during our recent trip to the West Island for the Knight wedding (as the McKay family).

Before we had even landed the FIGAS staff showed professionalism, courtesy and kindness by rearranging our Falkland flights after delays in travelling from the Ascension Islands. This was particularly challenging as there were already an unprecedented number of flight bookings to Fox Bay that day!

The airstrip welcome with 20 cars and many of the island community gathered was such an astonishing and humbling sight from the air, and our first taste of the community spirit and life so apparent and thriving in Camp! This warmth and hospitality extended throughout our stay where we were thrilled and amazed with local produce underpinning the ardent self-sufficiency, as we feasted on fresh mussels, mullet, lamb, wild mint and fresh eggs.

We enjoyed the vastness and beauty of the landscape and our trip to Saunders Island was a highlight, with penguins, albatross and skuas all in their perfect and stunning natural habitat. Those who shared their own Falkland Islands passion, experience and history gave us a rare insight, and it was a privilege to meet such hard working resourceful people.

If ever a Scottish family sought reassurance that their precious child and sister was in safe hands, then we certainly found it in Nuala's Falkland Is-



Penguin News Missing Links

This week's mystery photo features seven bygone characters with one or two extremely dodgy haircuts. As always, if you can identify the who, where and when, please send an email to editor@penguinnews.co.fk or call Fran on 22709.

Your Letters

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lands family in general, and in the Knight family in particular. Many thanks and congratulations to you all!

The McKay Family
Scotland

Dismayed to read comments

ASSI, the regulatory authority for aviation in the Islands, has received much local criticism since its introduction.

Flight safety, quite rightly, is of paramount importance, and many of the rules and regulations overseen by ASSI have been introduced as a result of countless incidents worldwide over the years.

The majority of these unfortunate events have been due to human factors, usually malpractice, error of judgment or an ignorance of the very regulations introduced to minimise the risk associated with flying operations.

I was therefore dismayed to read Cllr Cheek's comments last week that a Category 2 fire vehicle was required to satisfy operations involving the British Antarctic Survey Dash-7.

The vehicle to which she referred has a Cat 2 capability and, indeed, has a Cat 2 helicopter rating as well, so why is it that BAS can't operate from Stanley?

The reason is that her statement was inaccurate, as the Dash-7 requires more than that suggested by the learned councillor. Whether she was briefed incorrectly, probably by the DOPE (FIG acronym, not mine), or chose to comment on a subject with which she lacks

the required information, either way it demonstrated a lack of flight safety awareness and knowledge. This highlights the very reason why ASSI was introduced, to prevent flawed and perilous decision making becoming common operating procedure, which has happened in the past.

By the way, the category required is 5, which will not be satisfied by the newly purchased vehicle. This figure is taken from a very simple table, available online, which I would be willing to print off and make available to the DOPE and councillor without charging any of the consultation fees they are used to.

Neil Russell
Stanley

Fostering links to S Georgia

I GREATLY enjoyed Tony Curran's account of his trip to South Georgia on board HMS Gloucester, which you published on December 24.

It was unfortunate that you did not include the South Georgia Association among the useful links which you listed. The Association, which celebrates its tenth birthday this year, was set up to encourage interest in the island itself and to foster links among those who have visited it and care for its unique history and environment.

A visit to the SGA website - www.southgeorgiaassociation.org - will bring you and your readers up-to-date with our activities in the UK and with developments in South Georgia, which are described and discussed in our Forum.

It will also keep you in touch with the small but dedicated band whom you describe in your supplement, who live and work at King Edward Point and Grytviken. With best wishes to all at PN.

David Tatham
UK

Support and advice is always on hand for victims of sexual abuse

Three weeks ago the Penguin News published a letter from a victim of sexual abuse. In response to the issues raised in this letter, the team at Social Services has submitted the following article...

MOST people are fortunate enough to live in a happy and safe environment.

However, some people aren't so lucky and experience abuse.

Statistics show that abuse is usually carried out by someone you know, for example a family friend or relative, although it's important to know that this is not always the case.

There are four different kinds of abuse, and these are physical, emotional, sexual and neglect.

Quite often one type of abuse overlaps with another; for example, people experiencing sexual and/or physical abuse will often also experience emotional abuse.

In layman's terms, sexual abuse is when you are forced to have sex, or someone touches you in a sexual way that makes you feel uncomfortable, or makes you touch them.

It's also when you are made to look at sexual pictures and videos,

or anything else that makes you feel uncomfortable.

Often the person carrying out the abuse will tell you to keep it a secret or make threats of what will happen if you tell.

It's important to remember that sexual abuse can happen to adults as well as children and can start at any age.

When someone is being abused they usually go through a torrent of emotions.

It is normal to feel frightened, angry, dirty, alone, guilty, unloved, ashamed and unimportant.

It's also normal to still have strong feelings for the abuser, whether it is loathing, love or a mixture of both, especially if the abuser is threatening you and making you keep it a secret or if you know the abuser.

If you are being abused, try and remember that it's not your fault. The person who has abused you is to blame.

If you or someone you know is being abused it can be very difficult

deciding what to do. You may be embarrassed to talk about it or worried others won't take you seriously, but some problems just won't go away if you try to ignore them. It's OK to ask for help and you have a right to say what you think and be listened to and respected.

Everybody has a right to be

protected from harm, abuse and violence. If the abuse is something that happened weeks, months or even years ago it doesn't matter; you can still tell

someone about it and, if you wish, take it further by reporting the matter to the police.

If you tell someone about what has happened to you, it doesn't mean that you have to take the matter to police, although there are certain instances when some matters have to be investigated by professionals.

For example, if you told a professional about a historic case of child sexual abuse and the abuser still has contact with children,

In some cases, people choose not to report the matter to the police but receive support from other professionals, for example Social Services and King Edward Memorial Hospital.

In this instance the professionals may be able to help the abuse to stop, but you may need to take it further (ie to the police).

If something of this nature has happened to you and you choose to report the matter to the police it is highly likely that you will be asked to participate in a recorded video interview.

This means that you will talk about what happened to a trained professional on video.

At this point the professional will be able to talk to you about your specific circumstances and how the case may be progressed.

Remember, there are people that can help you, and you do have choices about what you do.

If you have been affected by this article or fear someone you know is being abused, please contact either Charlotte Davey at Social Services on 27296, or Dave Street from the Police on 28100, who will speak to you in strictest confidence.



Victims need not feel helpless



The latest Falklands stamps feature RAF Search and Rescue

In honour of Sea Kings

RAF Search and Rescue this year celebrates its 70th anniversary, and Pobjoy Mint has marked the occasion with a commemorative stamp release.

The RAF SAR's involvement with the Falklands began in 1982 when an RAF Sea King helicopter from 202 Squadron was deployed to Ascension Island. Although the crew did take the opportunity to medevac a casualty from the submarine HMS Spartan, their role was mainly one of support for the Task Force that was assembling at Ascension.

After the conflict three Sea King Mk 3s from C Flight 202 Squadron were deployed to the

Falklands to provide SAR support. Nicknamed the Grey Whales, these craft were initially based on SS Rangatira and then at Stanley Airfield. Flight 1564, as they were now known, moved to Navy Point in 1983. In 1999 the Grey Whales were gradually replaced with the more familiar yellow aircraft.

Currently 1564 Flight comprises two Sea King Mk 3s based at Mount Pleasant. Their primary role is to provide cover for the Typhoons, but they also devote considerable time towards supplying the more remote communications stations on the West.

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Rat eradication team sets out to restore island's precious wildlife

ANY readers startled at seeing bright red and yellow helicopters flying around Stanley early this week will have witnessed a sight to gladden the heart of Professor Tony Martin, leader of the South Georgia rat eradication project, which is due to begin on March 1.

The helicopters, two twin-engined Bolkow 105s, which are specially equipped for rat eradication, were being checked out before being flown on Wednesday onto the cruise ship *Marina Svetaeva* which will take them to South Georgia.

The basic procedure of what is the pilot stage of a four-phase project involves the dropping of some 56 tonnes of poisonous bait pellets – one for each rat – over five areas: Grytviken, Green Peninsula, Mercer Peninsula, Thatcher Peninsula and Saddle Island; amounting to some ten per cent of the island's total area and including many areas virtually inaccessible on foot.

Baiting too early could involve an unacceptable risk to some of the island's other wildlife, such as the South Georgia penguin or the South Georgia pipit, which the project is designed to protect and



An artist's impression of a Bolkow 105 flying over Grytviken

foster. Baiting too late, on the other hand, runs the risk of winter setting in. Deep snow prevents the rats reaching the bait pellets, which are designed to disintegrate and disappear within a week or two.

Even baiting in late summer leaves certain species such as gulls and skuas at some risk from picking up the bait but, says Professor Martin, their populations will be



The scourge of South Georgia

quick to recover and the loss of individuals can be afforded if whole species can be brought back from extinction.

The retreating of the glaciers in South Georgia, which currently keeps rat populations separate, also adds urgency to the project, which employs technology developed over 20 years in New Zealand and has total eradication as its target.

Besides two rat eradication experts, two pilots, one flight engineer, a doctor and a loader, Professor Martin's team includes local South Georgia experts Sally and Dion Poncet, who are both experienced in rat eradication, and Ken Passfield, who will be the accommodation manager and cook.

The team will be accommodated at King Edward Point and the old whaling station engineers' shed at Grytviken will accommodate the helicopters.

Eight full flying days have been allocated to complete this first phase, which is costing some £2.7 million, but Professor Martin is adamant the team will stay in South Georgia until they have either accomplished what they set out to do or have been defeated by bad weather.

Should anyone feel sorry for the rats, which were brought to South Georgia 200 years ago, Professor Martin has on his laptop film of one eating a seabird chick alive, starting with its brain.

The eradication of this plague will, it is estimated, restore South Georgia's rightful place as one of the world's great sea bird sanctuaries.

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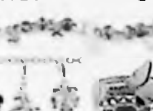
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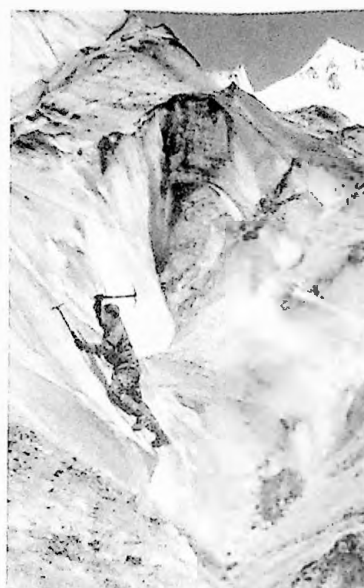
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Kevin Ross, Nick Rendell and Sam Cockwell on the steep ascent of Mt Hodges overlooking Grytviken



Zoran ascends the glacier via axe



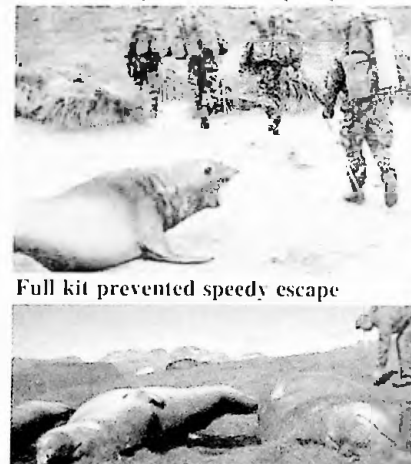
Sam, Zoran and Geoff at the receding Cook Glacier



Major Biggs and Cpl Loftus at Shackleton's Memorial with the Gloucester at anchor



Nick and Sam with full kit en route to Ocean Harbour



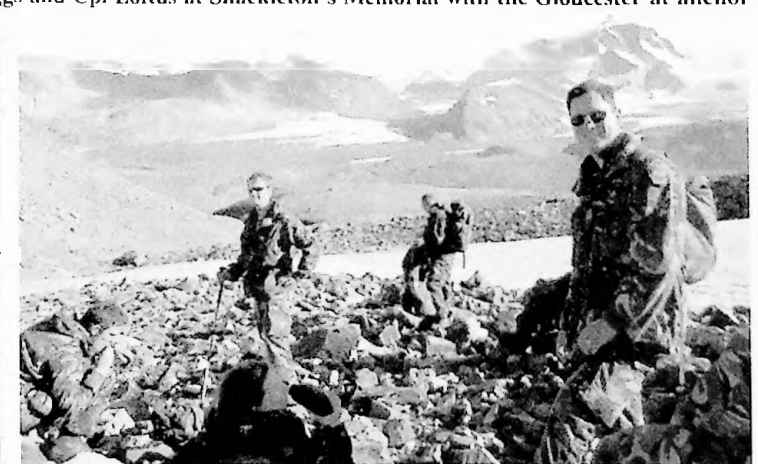
Full kit prevented speedy escape



FIDF Maj Biggs, Pt Barkman, Pt Rendell, Cpl Ross, Pt Cockwell, Lt McPhee, Cpl Loftus and LCpl Zuvic-Bulic ready to tackle ice



Sam compares wingspan with a wanderer



Kevin and Geoff hurdling fur seals

Once upon a time in spectacular South Georgia's Barff Peninsula



Zoran on top of an Ocean Bay waterfall



The team heads back to Cumberland Bay

PLEASE forgive me, but in order to fit in as many pictures of this beautiful landscape as I can, I have to be brief. Nothing could have prepared us for a perfect combination of sunshine, scenery, hard work and great company in which to recount old stories and create new ones.

The expedition started on January 17 as eight members of the Falkland Islands Defence Force - Major Peter Biggs, Lieutenant Justin McPhee, Corporals Kevin Ross and Geoffrey Loftus, Lance Corporal Zoran Zuvic-Bulic and Privates Sam Cockwell, Nick Rendell and myself - arrived at Mare Harbour with sea sickness patches applied and eager to board HMS Gloucester to depart for South Georgia.

The messes Two Romeo and Two Quebec were the welcoming hosts to the lads, and I was tucked away in a "snug" ventilation cupboard. Referred to as Team Green by the crew of the Gloucester, we conducted our patrol alongside the Royal Marines, with Captain Ian McGill as route leader to explore the Barff Peninsula.

We landed by Lynx Helicopter and, after a few tumbles shaking out our newly established sea legs, we made good ground arriving at Hound Bay, first camp, soon after midday.

Leaving our full kit, up to 75 pounds for those with extra radio and climbing gear, we continued with day sacks to scale Mt Skittle, traversing tentatively down to St Andrews Bay where the largest colony of King Penguins in the world lined the glacial river from the retreating Cook Glacier running from the dramatic Allardice Range beyond.

The summer defrost had uncovered a landscape of endless shale that provided loose support to large mountains of rock threatening to fall on us or from underneath us. This caused difficulty on the second day when scaling over 1000 feet, nearly vertically, with our full rucksacks threatening to pull us back down again.

Ocean Harbour was the reward for our efforts; almost unanimously agreed by FIDF and the RMR to be the most beautiful sight of the trip, and possibly the world.

A brilliant sun lit up the arena of effortlessly cascading waterfalls inviting us to the remains of a whaling station and ship that had been over-worked by nature. Up from the crystal sea, layers of seals, penguins and herds of reindeer were reduced to specks against the fairytale backdrop of mountain ranges, perfection unrivalled by any

computer's CGI brain or the greatest fantasy novels. Unexpected dangers came from the tussac too, with the small stature fur seals punching above their weight, and even the pups causing a few sprints on the coast. Welcoming sights were the laid-back elephant seals, especially now that the pastime of surprise seal rodeo is no longer pursued.

We reached the shore by the Nordenskjold Glacier by 4pm on Friday, but were unable to continue to the colony of Macaroni penguins at Rookery Bay when a rising tide blocked our route. Realising the ambitiousness of the original route and failing accuracy of the maps to note the summer's terrain, it was decided that the second camp, by the glacier, should be our last.

Accomplishing over 50 kilometres of ascents, descents and traverses through shale and bogs, South Georgia proved itself a land not to be underestimated, but predicting its next move was as impossible as the good weather we enjoyed.

Day three standing by a glacier in a t-shirt was not expected. We ascended a glacial wall using our crampons and ice axes under the tutelage of the marine leaders, accompanied by the occasional thunderous roar of a football pitch sized

chunk of ice cracking off to meet the sea and join the flotilla of icebergs we were to keep watch for at 2am on the Gloucester.

Reluctant to leave, but gratefully informed we had a chance to explore Grytviken and Mt Hodges, we were treated to another Lynx cab ride, buzzing the Marines in their boat as we flew.

Thanks to Zoran for signing us up immediately, we were able to spend a day exploring Shackleton's memorial and grave as well as the museum and whaling station.

On leaving Grytviken we caught an FIDF member on a bicycle balancing a huge box of washing powder and various supplies off his handlebars: local running terrier Hugh Marsden.

The next day Hugh proved experience reigns over unwitting youth when he guided me around the murderous South Georgia Half Marathon course while the FIDF lads took the direct route to the summit of the infamous Mt Hodges.

I could talk for hours on what we did and have done to those who have dared to ask, but it is agreed we have fuelled the Canopus Bar at the FIDF Hall with enough escapades for years.

Teslyn Barkman



Second day climb with emergency rations



Nick startles an Ocean Harbour seal

The Nordenskjold Glacier with Mount Paget as backdrop, our tent's view on nights two and three

Pictures courtesy of Zoran Zuvic-Bulic and Sam Cockwell



Penguin News

Information Pullout

11 - 17 February, 2011

TIDES AROUND THE ISLANDS

11 FRI	0520 1204 1703 2337	0.72 1.18 0.88 1.37	15 TUES	0332 1038 1724 2222	0.96 0.43 1.28 0.85
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The times and heights of high and low tides (in metres) at Stanley. Time given is FMT. 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

STANLEY LEISURE CENTRE - OPENING SCHEDULE

Telephone: 2729 127285 Fax: 27284 e-mail: kate@stleisure.co.uk for bookings and enquiries

Swimming Pool	Sports Hall / Squash Court	Exercise Suite
Friday 11th February 2011		
Lane Swimming Closed for School Closed for School Public Stanley Swimming Club Public Lane Swimming	07:00-09:00 09:00-12:00 12:00-13:00 13:00-15:00 15:00-16:00 16:00-17:00 17:00-19:00 19:00-20:00	Members Only Public Public Public
Saturday 12th February 2011		
Closed for Swim School Public Lane Swimming Public Lane Swimming	10:00-12:00 12:00-13:00 13:00-14:00 14:00-16:00 16:00-18:00	Members Only Public Public
Sunday 13th February 2011		
Public Lane Swimming Public Lane Swimming Deep Water Aquatics	11:00-11:00 12:00-14:00 14:00-16:00 16:00-18:00 18:00-19:00	Members Only Public Public Public
Cricket Club 2-4pm & Hockey Club 4-6 pm Monday 14th February 2011		
Lane Swimming O A P Adults Parents & Toddlers Closed for Private Hire Lane Swimming Public Closed for Swim School Public Closed for Swim School Lane Swimming	07:00-09:00 09:00-11:00 11:00-12:00 12:00-13:00 13:00-16:00 16:00-17:00 17:00-18:00 18:00-19:00 19:00-21:00	Public Public Public Members Only Public
Badminton Club 7pm-9pm Tuesday 15th February 2011		
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Netball Club 6pm-7pm Wednesday 16th February 2011		
Lane Swimming Closed for School O A P Adults Parents & Toddlers Lane Swimming Closed for School Public Closed for Swim School Public Aquatics Lane Swimming	07:00-09:00 09:00-10:00 10:00-12:00 12:00-13:00 13:00-15:00 15:00-16:00 16:00-17:00 17:00-19:00 18:00-19:00 19:00-21:00	Public Public Public Members Only Public
Thursday 17th February 2011		
Closed For Cleaning Closed for Swim School Closed For Training Lane Swimming	09:00-16:00 16:00-18:00 18:00-19:00 19:00-21:00	Closed For Cleaning Members Only Public
Badminton Club 7-9pm Friday 18th February 2011		
Lane Swimming Closed for School Lane Swimming Closed for School Stanley Swimming Club Closed For Private Hire Public Lane Swimming	07:00-09:00 09:00-12:00 12:00-13:00 13:00-16:00 16:00-17:00 17:00-18:00 18:00-19:00 19:00-20:00	Public Public Members Only Public

Falkland Islands Defence Force Routine Orders

Thursday 17th February 2011

18:30 Map reading and orienteering



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Sunday Services
8am - Holy Communion
10am - Morning Service and Sunday Club
7pm - Evening Service

Further details for each week, please Notice Board inside Cathedral, or contact the Deaconery, 17 Ross Road, Stanley
Tel/Fax: 21100 christchurch@horizon.co.fk

TABERNACLE - Barrack Street (free church)

Sunday Services 10.00am and 7.00pm.
Family Service is now held on the 3rd Sunday of every month at 10am.

On the 4th Sunday of every month there is a Service in the Day Centre at 1pm. Everyone is welcome to all services

Communion first Sunday morning and third Sunday evening of the month

Midweek Bible Study Tuesday 7.30pm at 11 Drury Street

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BADMINTON CLUB Mondays and Thursdays 7 - 9pm. Rosemarie King Tel: 21451

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

NETBALL CLUB Tuesdays 6-7pm. All are welcome. Contact Zoe Luxton 21441

THE FI GUN CLUB New members welcome Contact: Steve Dent on 55632.

F.I. RIFLE ASSOCIATION Contact Secretary Derek Goodwin 22357

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

STANLEY GOLF CLUB Contact Glenn Ross (Captain) on 27149 (work) or Tony Roche (Secretary) on 28000 (work) for information regarding membership and forthcoming competitions. Normally competitions are held every Sunday morning from October through to April and the first Sunday of each month during winter. Draw at 9am and tee off time 9.15am. New members welcome.

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

FALKLAND ISLANDS RED CROSS New members welcome. Contact Keith Biles, Tel: 21897 (Chairman), Jean Diggle 21716 (Treasurer)

GUILD OF SPINNERS, WEAVERS & HANDICRAFTS Meetings Mon. evening from 7.30pm, Thurs. afternoon from 1.30pm. 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 - Lidda Luxton Tel: 21717 Secretary - Geoff Pring tel. 21785 Treasurer - Chris Bell, tel. 21078

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

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

STANLEY SUB-AQUA CLUB - Contact David McLeod Phone: 20836 (d), 20843 (h)

THE ROYAL BRITISH LEGION - FALKLAND ISLANDS BRANCH Meets on the first Monday of every month at the Hillside Mess at 7.45pm. Contacts: Chairman Marvin Clarke, Secretary Keith Biles (51897) Treasurer David Lewis (51527) website www.britishlegionfalklands.co.fk

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

JELLY TOTS CLUB Jellytots will now be held on Tuesdays from 1.45 - 3.30 and Thursday from 10.00 - 11.30 in the Parish Hall. All under fives welcome, along with an adult. We have lots of toys and space to play in. Contact Wendy on 21179 or Rosie 22759

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 - 4pm. Contact Gordon Lennie Tel. 21667

KARATE CLUB - New Training Schedule Tuesday's 5.15pm - 6.10pm (juniors) 6.15pm till 7.30pm (seniors) Friday's 5.55pm (junior grades) 6pm till 7.00pm/ 7.30pm (seniors). All sessions held at IJS Hall. Cost: £1.00

ALCOHOL SUPPORT Contact Health on 28082 or Social Services 27296

ACORN COMMUNITY GROUP, Day Centre, KEMH, Tuesday 9.30am - 11.30am, Thursday 9.30am - 11.30am and Thursday Evening, Drop-In 7pm - 9pm

HAND CHIME GROUP - Tuesday evenings from 8.00 to 9.30pm at 11 Nutt Cartmill Close. Anyone interested in joining should contact Eileen Davies on 22428 after working hours

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146.625.....Stanley to Mount Alice

147.825 (Duplex - 0.6).....Mount Alice repeater, covering the south of West Falkland.

Marine Band

156.800.....Channel 16 (Stanley area)

2.182 MHz HF

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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

Friday 11th February
 7:00 BREAKFAST
 10:15 THE WEAKEST LINK
 11:00 NIGEL SLATER'S SIMPLE SUPPERS
 11:30 THIS MORNING
 1:25 EMMERDALE
 2:10 CHEETAH KINGDOM Documentary series
 2:35 ITV NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER
 3:00 LOOSE WOMEN
 3:45 DEAL OR NO DEAL
 4:35 GREAT BRITISH RAILWAY JOURNEYS
 5:05 LAST CHANCE TO SEE Aye-Aye: Stephen Fry and zoologist Mark Carwardine head to the ends of the earth in search of animals on the edge of extinction
 6:05 CORONATION STREET
 6:30 BRITISH FORCES NEWS
 7:00 BBC NEWS
 7:30 EASTENDERS
 8:00 THE SECRET MEDITERRANEAN with Trevor McDonald
 8:45 BFBS WEATHER
 8:50 CHILDREN'S EMERGENCY
 9:20 THE GOOD WIFE Legal drama series
 10:05 YOUNG, DUMB AND LIVING OFF MUM
 11:05 ASK RHOD GILBERT Comedy entertainment panel show
 11:40 THE GRAHAM NORTON SHOW
 12:25 BBC NEWS

Saturday 12th February
 8:30 AN ISLAND PARISH
 9:00 JIMMY'S FOOD FACTORY Science series
 9:30 WILDLIFE Documentary about the extraordinary breeding behaviour of 120,000 elephant seals who arrive on the beaches of California every year
 10:00 MERLIN Fantasy drama
 10:45 CELEBRITY MASTERCHEF
 11:45 ZOO DAYS Documentary series based at Colchester Zoo
 12:05 TOP TRUMPS Robert Llewellyn and Ashley Hames test their knowledge of extreme machines
 12:30 WONDERS OF THE SOLAR SYSTEM Professor Brian Cox describes how the laws of nature have carved natural wonders across the solar system
 1:30 GREAT OCEAN ADVENTURES The White Whale
 2:10 50 THINGS YOU NEED TO KNOW ABOUT BRITISH HISTORY
 3:00 RBS SIX NATIONS England v Italy
 5:30 BFBS WEATHER
 5:35 RBS SIX NATIONS Scotland v Wales
 8:00 JUST GO WITH IT: T4 Movie Special Edith Bowman chats to Adam Sandler and Jennifer Aniston about their new romantic comedy Just Go With It
 8:20 ANT & DEC'S PUSH THE BUTTON
 9:35 THE BRAVE ONE Vigilante thriller
 11:30 MATCH OF THE DAY Highlights from the day's Premier League matches, including Manchester United v Manchester City, Liverpool v Wigan, Tottenham v Sunderland and West Bromwich Albion v West Ham
 12:55 THE FOOTBALL LEAGUE SHOW Leeds United head to Ashton Gate for a clash with Bristol City, and Derby County faces off against fellow Midland rivals Leicester City
 2:15 BBC NEWS

Sunday 13th February
 8:35 MATCH OF THE DAY Highlights from the Saturday's Premier League matches, including Manchester United v Manchester City, Liverpool v Wigan, Tottenham v Sunderland and West Bromwich Albion v West Ham

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 12:20 EXTREME UNIVERSE Collision Course: Documentary series
 1:05 DINOSAUR SECRETS Documentary series
 1:50 JAMES MAY'S 20TH CENTURY
 2:20 AMERICA'S TOUGHEST JOBS Trucking: Documentary in which thirteen contestants take a break from their careers to try their hand at some of America's toughest jobs
 3:05 127 HOURS: T4 Movie Special
 3:30 RBS SIX NATIONS Ireland v France
 6:00 THE SIMPSONS
 6:25 SKI SUNDAY Highlights of the men's and women's downhill from the 2011 World Ski Championships
 7:10 WILD AT HEART
 8:00 DANCING ON ICE
 9:40 BURIED ALIVE: The Chilean Mine Rescue Documentary about the miraculous rescue of the 33 Chilean miners
 10:30 DANCING ON ICE: The Skate Off
 11:00 THE BAFTA AWARDS 2011
 1:00 BBC NEWS

Monday 14th February
 7:00 BREAKFAST
 10:15 THE WEAKEST LINK
 11:00 EGGHEADS
 11:30 THIS MORNING
 1:25 EMMERDALE
 2:10 COOK YOURSELF THIN
 2:35 ITV NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER
 3:00 LOOSE WOMEN
 3:45 DEAL OR NO DEAL
 4:35 ON HANNIBAL'S TRAIL Series in which three Australian brothers set out cycling on the trail of Hannibal, the warrior who marched from Spain to Rome at the head of an invading army accompanied by elephants
 5:05 THE BIG SILENCE Abbot Christopher Jamison, a Benedictine monk, believes that he can teach five ordinary people the value of silent meditation - as practised by monks in monasteries
 6:05 CORONATION STREET
 6:30 BRITISH FORCES NEWS
 7:00 BBC NEWS
 7:30 IN BED WITH BFBS
 7:35 EASTENDERS

8:05 IN BED WITH BFBS
 8:10 WATERLOO ROAD School-based drama
 9:10 IN BED WITH BFBS
 9:20 THE PROPOSAL Romantic comedy
 11:05 IN BED WITH BFBS
 11:10 NOT GOING OUT Sitcom
 11:40 IN BED WITH BFBS
 11:45 WAITRESS Romantic comedy set in America's Deep South
 1:30 BBC NEWS

Tuesday 15th February
 7:00 BREAKFAST
 10:15 THE WEAKEST LINK
 11:00 LIFE IN A COTTAGE GARDEN with Carol Klein
 11:30 THIS MORNING
 1:25 HOUSE GIFT
 2:10 EMERGENCY ANIMAL RESCUE Documentary series
 2:35 ITV NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER
 3:00 LOOSE WOMEN
 3:45 DEAL OR NO DEAL
 4:35 BAKING MADE EASY
 5:05 ALAN TITCHMARSH'S GARDEN SECRETS
 6:05 CORONATION STREET
 6:30 BRITISH FORCES NEWS
 7:00 BBC NEWS
 7:30 EASTENDERS
 8:00 TOP GEAR
 9:00 BFBS WEATHER
 9:05 THE BRIT AWARDS 2011
 11:05 SECRET DIARY OF A CALL GIRL Brand new series of the controversial drama
 11:30 WORLD RALLY CHAMPIONSHIP 2011 Sweden: Action from the Power Stage at the Uddeholm Swedish Rally in Varmland
 12:25 BBC NEWS

Wednesday 16th February
 7:00 BREAKFAST
 10:15 THE WEAKEST LINK
 11:00 EGGHEADS
 11:30 THIS MORNING
 1:25 EMMERDALE
 2:10 STREET MARKET CHEFS
 2:35 ITV NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER
 3:00 LOOSE WOMEN
 3:45 DEAL OR NO DEAL
 4:35 GREAT BRITISH RAILWAY JOURNEYS
 5:05 ARE YOU FITTER THAN A PENSIONER?

6:05 CORONATION STREET
 6:30 BRITISH FORCES NEWS
 7:00 BBC NEWS
 7:30 CASUALTY Medical drama

8:20 OIL RIGGERS Documentary series following life on the oil rigs of west Texas
 9:05 BFBS WEATHER
 9:10 ARCTIC Canada: Bruce Parry travels to the far north of Canada to live with the Caribou people and witness their annual spring hunt
 10:10 MEN OF ROCK Geologist Iain Stewart retraces the steps of a band of maverick pioneers who made groundbreaking discoveries in the landscape of Scotland about how our planet works
 11:10 MIRANDA Sitcom
 11:40 TRUE STORIES: Romania's evolution from communism to capitalism
 12:55 BBC NEWS

Thursday 17th February
 7:00 BREAKFAST
 10:15 THE WEAKEST LINK
 11:00 SEASIDE RESCUE Documentary series
 11:30 THIS MORNING
 1:25 HOUSE GIFT
 2:10 SUPER NURSES
 2:35 ITV NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER
 3:00 LOOSE WOMEN
 3:45 DEAL OR NO DEAL
 4:35 A HISTORY OF THE WORLD Chris Tarrant discovers how one simple invention revolutionised the industrial heart of Britain
 5:05 MICHEL ROUX'S SERVICE
 6:05 CORONATION STREET
 6:30 BRITISH FORCES NEWS
 7:00 BBC NEWS
 7:30 EASTENDERS
 8:00 HOLBY CITY Medical drama series
 8:55 BFBS WEATHER
 9:00 KIDNAP AND RANSOM Last in the gripping three-part drama
 9:50 FAST AND LOOSE
 10:20 ONE BORN EVERY MINUTE Fly-on-the-wall documentary series filmed in a busy maternity ward in Southampton
 11:10 TIMOTHY SPALL: Somewhere at Sea Actor Timothy Spall and his wife Shane sail around Britain
 11:40 QUESTION TIME Topical debate
 00:40 BBC News

Friday 18th February
 7:00 BREAKFAST
 10:15 THE WEAKEST LINK
 11:00 NIGEL SLATER'S SIMPLE SUPPERS
 11:30 THIS MORNING
 1:25 EMMERDALE
 2:10 CHEETAH KINGDOM Documentary series
 2:35 ITV NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER
 3:00 LOOSE WOMEN
 3:45 DEAL OR NO DEAL
 4:35 GREAT BRITISH RAILWAY JOURNEYS
 5:05 LAST CHANCE TO SEE In search of animals on the edge of extinction
 6:05 CORONATION STREET
 6:30 BRITISH FORCES NEWS
 7:00 BBC NEWS
 7:30 EASTENDERS
 8:00 THE SECRET MEDITERRANEAN with Trevor McDonald
 8:45 BFBS WEATHER
 8:50 CHILDREN'S EMERGENCY
 9:20 THE GOOD WIFE Legal drama series
 10:05 YOUNG, DUMB AND LIVING OFF MUM
 11:05 ASK RHOD GILBERT Comedy entertainment panel show
 11:40 THE GRAHAM NORTON SHOW Anarchic talk show
 12:25 BBC NEWS

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Falklands Radio Programmes Schedule

Friday 11th February
 07:00 Breakfast Show with Trina Bernsen
 09:00 The Morning Experience with Allie Biggs
 10:00 News & Lifestyle with Liz Elliot to include: 12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
 12:30 Spotlight
 13:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM
 4:00 News & Jukebox with Scott Betts
 6:00 News & Repeat of Spotlight
 6:15 Weather, Flights, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
 6:30 The Fabulous 50's with Paul Peters and Geoff Kemp
 7:30 The Non Stop Country Hour with Liz Elliot
 8:30 Weather & Flights and Leather & Lace with Layla Crowie
 10:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM
Saturday 12th February
 9:00 - 12:00 The Saturday Morning Show with Lise Gill
 5:00 Children's Corner with Monica
 6:15 Weather, Flights, Anno's, Job Shop & What's on Guide
 6:30 News Review
 7:00 In Concert
 8:00 The Fusion with Stacy Bragger
 10:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM
Sunday 13th February
 5:00 Accordingly Yours with Derek Howat
 5:30 Desert Island Discs - Violinist - Gyorgy Pauk
 6:15 Weather, Flights, Announcements, Job Shop & What's on Guide
 6:30 Feature Presentation
 7:00 Sunday Evening Service - The Tabernacle
 8:00 Slow Jams with Jock Elliot including weather & flights at 8:30
 10:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM
Monday 14th February
 07:00 Breakfast Show with Trina Bernsen
 09:00 The Morning Experience with Allie Biggs
 10:00 News and 'Valentines Special' Lifestyle with Liz Elliot to include: 12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
 12:30 Spotlight
 13:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM
 4:00 News & Jukebox with Scott Betts
 6:00 News & Repeat of Spotlight
 6:15 Weather, Flights, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
 6:30 Music presentation
 7:30 Comedy Presentation - Claire in the Community
 8:00 Vinyl Frontier with Myriam Booth including Weather & Flights at 8:30
 10:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM
Tuesday 15th February
 07:00 Breakfast Show with Trina Bernsen

09:00 The Morning Experience with Allie Biggs
 10:00 News and Lifestyle with Liz Elliot to include: 12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
 12:30 One to One
 1:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM
 4:00 News & Jukebox with Scott Betts
 6:00 News & Repeat of One to One
 6:15 Weather, Flights, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
 6:30 Tuesday's Theme with Monica Limburn
 6:45 Simply Classical
 7:45 Folk Music Show with Jock Elliot
 8:30 Weather, Flights & Hits of the 80's & 90's with Liz Roberts
 10:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM
Wednesday 16th February
 07:00 Breakfast Show with Trina Bernsen
 09:00 The Morning Experience with Allie Biggs
 10:00 News and Lifestyle with Liz Elliot to include: 12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
 12:30 Spotlight
 1:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM
 4:00 News & Jukebox with Scott Betts
 6:00 News & Repeat of Spotlight
 6:15 Weather, Flights, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
 6:30 The Best of... with Lise Gill
 7:30 Drama Presentation
 8:30 Weather & Flights followed by The Chart Show with Jason Lewis
 10:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM
Thursday 17th February
 07:00 Breakfast Show with Trina Bernsen
 09:00 The Morning Experience with Allie Biggs
 10:00 News and Lifestyle with Liz Elliot to include: 12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
 1:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM
 4:00 News & Jukebox with Scott Betts
 6:00 News & A Brief History of Mathematics
 6:15 Weather, Flights, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
 6:30 Soul, Blues & Rock 'n' Roll with Liz Elliot
 7:30 Feature Presentation
 8:00 Pot Luck with Myriam Booth including Weather & Flights at 8:30
 10:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM

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BFBS radio

96.5FM

Friday 12.00am Ops Breakfast from Afghanistan 3.00am Simon Guettier 4.00am UK Breakfast 7.00am Paul Wisdom 10.00am Mark Humphries 2.00pm Glen Mansell 5.00pm Mike Howarth 7.00pm Jessie Aru 10.00pm BFBS Indie
Tuesday 12.00am Ops Breakfast from Afghanistan 3.00am Simon Guettier 4.00am UK Breakfast 7.00am Paul Wisdom 10.00am Mark Humphries 2.00pm Glen Mansell 5.00pm Mike Howarth 7.00pm Jessie Aru 10.00pm The Vibe
Saturday 12.00am Chill Out Room - Mark Humphries 2.00am Forces Shuffle 3.00am UK Breakfast Show 7.00am Falkland's Breakfast Show 9.00am The Vault 11.00am Vicky & Adam's Saturday Show 3.00pm Andy Pearman 6.00pm Club Culture Live 9.00pm Groove Collective - Mario 11.00pm BFBS Hosts
Sunday 12.00am BFBS Hosts 1.00am The Vault 3.00am UK Breakfast Show 7.00am Access all Areas 11am UK Sunday Afternoon Show 3.00pm Lee Dunn 6.00pm Music First 8.00pm Elevation 10.00pm Chill out room

BFBS radio 2

550 MW

FRIDAY 0200 Morning reports 0230 Wake up to money 0300 Today from BBC Radio 4 0600 Simon Marlow 0900 BFBS gold with Dave Windsor 1000 World at One 1030 Richard Hutchinson 1400 PM from BBC Radio 4 1500 6 O'Clock News 1530 Five live sport 1930 Late night live 2200 BBC Radio News 2203 BFBS Gold with Dave Windsor 2300 Up all night
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 □ BFBS Radio 98.5MHz BFBS Radio 2 93.8MHz BFBS Gurkha Radio 96.0MHz MPA
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 □ BFBS/FIRS 88.0MHz Sussex Mountains/San Carlos
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 □ BFBS Radio 102.4MHz BFBS Radio 2 104.2MHz BFBS Gurkha Radio 106.0MHz New Mt Alice Transmitter (SW of West Falklands)

MPA Phoenix Cinema Schedule

Weekday show starts - 1st Performance 19:30

Saturday & Sunday shows start - 1st Performance 14:00 2nd Performance 19:30

Seat Prices: Adult (18 and over) £4 / 3D £5 Child (3-17) £3 / 3D £4 Students £3 / 3D £4 Seniors (60 and over) £3 / 3D £4 Family Ticket £11.00 / 3D £15.00 Visit website: www.ssvc.com/cinemas

Fri 11 February	Sat 12 February	Sun 13 February	Mon 14 February	Tues 15 February	Weds 16 February	Thurs 17 February
	MEGAMIND 3D	TANGLED 3D				
Show starts 19:30	Show starts 19:30	Show starts 19:30	Show starts 19:30	Show starts 19:30	Show starts 19:30	Show starts 19:30
TANGLED 3D	HEREAFTER	THE MECHANIC	THE KING'S SPEECH	THE DILEMMA	HEREAFTER	THE MECHANIC

MEGAMIND 3D (PG) 95 mins. Animation. Will Ferrell stars as Megamind, the world's most brilliant super villain. Brad Pitt, Will Ferrell
 THE MECHANIC (15) 92 mins. Action. Arthur Bishop is a 'mechanic' an elite assassin with a strict code and unique talent for cleanly eliminating targets. Jason Statham, Ben Foster
 THE DILEMMA (12A) 111 mins. Comedy. Ronny and Nick are trying to land a job that will see their auto design business really take off. But then Ronny spots Nick's wife with another man and decides to find out what's going on. Vince Vaughn, Kevin James

TANGLED (PG) 100 mins. The long-haired Princess Rapunzel has spent her entire life in a tower, but when she falls in love with a bandit she must venture into the outside world for the first time to find him. Mandy Moore, Zachary Levi
 HEREAFTER (12A) 129 mins. Drama. Matt Damon stars as an ordinary American guy who has an extraordinary connection to the afterlife. Matt Damon, Cecile De France
 THE KING'S SPEECH (12A) 118 mins. Drama. Based on the true story of Queen Elizabeth II's father and his remarkable friendship with maverick speech therapist Lionel Logue. Colin Firth, Helena Bonham Carter

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CONCORDIA BAY Ferry Schedule

Friday 11th	0800 East—West 1000 West—East 1800 East—West
Saturday 12th	0800 West—East
Sunday 13th	1200 East—West 1400 West—East
Monday 14th	SE Islands & FXB
Tuesday 15th	SE Islands & FXB
Wednesday 16th	SE Islands & FXB
Thursday 17th	SE Islands & FXB
Friday 18th	SE Islands & FXB
Saturday 19th	SE Islands & FXB
Sunday 20th	1200 East—West 1400 West - East
Monday 21st	
Tuesday 22nd	
Wednesday 23rd	1800 East—West
Thursday 24th	0800 West—East 1000 East—West 1200 West—East
Friday 25th	0800 East—West 1000 West—East 1800 East—West

Receiving cargo for SE Islands and Fox Bay from 9th February. Cargo closes 1200 on 11th February.

Please ensure that you check your departure time with the office the day before you are due to travel. On busy days timings may differ to those shown on the schedule. While every attempt will be made to run a replacement ferry as soon as possible in the event of weather cancellation, on occasion operational and safety requirements may mean further delays.

Please check www.workboat.co.fk for more information. Email admin@workboat.co.fk, Phone 22300, Fax 22301, out of hours mobile 55299

Fisheries Department Catch for period 27 Jan to 2 Feb 2011 Number of Licences

Licence Type	Eligible for Period	Fishing During Period
Total	31	16
A	8	3
E	1	1
F/R	4	1
L	1	1
S	1	0
W/Z	16	10

A= All Finfish
 E= Experimental (Rock Cod)
 F/R = Skate/Ray
 L= Longliner
 S= Surfscum
 W/Z Restricted Finfish (no Hake)

Catch by Species (tonnes)

Species	Total catch
Loligo	0
Illex	0
Hake	14
Blue Whiting	11
Hoki	433
Kingclip	67
Toothfish	38
Red Cod	9
Ray	96
Rock Cod	1241
Others	10
Total	1919

Department of Agriculture Wool Market Report 3rd February, 2011

Tony Mills, Department of Agriculture, Falkland Islands
 The Australian wool market is continuing its strong run and a new record EMI has been reached of 784 pence per kg.
 Market analysts state that there is very good evidence to show the strong wool prices are a result of the really tight global supplies of the fibre meeting with strong demand in key markets.
 Dr Paul Swan, market intelligence and trade reporting manager for Australian Wool Innovation notes that these positive fundamentals are medium to long term meaning two years plus.
 However anecdotal evidence suggests that while prices are high there is some resistance from buyers. Time will tell if positive sentiment results in a healthy wool cheque!

Week ending	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	28	30	32
14/01/2010	682	626	566	559	538	520	479	390	341	269	230	196
02/09/2010	718	625	541	528	517	509	480	421	359	270	237	211
07/10/2010	759	659	586	572	552	530	486	448	386	277	241	219
04/11/2010	903	765	647	617	591	560	518	472	416	299	262	247
02/12/2010	990	787	630	616	584	560	516	472	414	302	275	258
16/12/2010	1028	822	655	638	607	576	519	441	399	305	278	258
13/01/2011	1160	964	727	707	670	639	565	478	432	330	294	266
20/01/2011	1203	967	728	688	666	633	591	507	467	356	316	279
27/01/2011	1216	976	724	699	672	637	597	515	477	363	319	284
03/02/2011	1297	1014	751	723	692	662	604	522	478	359	317	283
Market Change	81	44	27	24	20	25	7	7	1	-4	-2	-1
Price next year	654	606	549	545	530	509	471	388	339	261	223	194
Change from last year	98%	67%	37%	33%	31%	30%	28%	35%	41%	38%	42%	46%

Coffee break Sudoku and quiz

Sudoku by Colin Laug

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9			4		8			3
		3				2		

1. What is the process in which hair and small blemishes are removed from the body by the application of heat using electric current?
2. What is the Japanese martial art, similar to judo, which uses grappling, throws, and non-resistance, to debilitate opponents?
3. What is the edible sea snail of the genus *Helix*, which has an ear-shaped shell with a pearly interior?
4. The fundamental philosophical and devotional epic stories Mahabharata and Ramayana originated in Sanskrit in which ancient country?
5. What was the tribe of ancient Britons of Eastern England whose queen was Boudica (Boadicea)?
6. What is the capital of Ghana?
7. What is the African antelope whose male of the species have lyre-shaped horns?
8. What is the Roman numeral LXXXVIII?
9. What is the Southern India savoury steamed cake made of rice and served with chutney?
10. The River Amazon flows into which ocean?

Answers to last week's quiz:

1. Arthur Scargill
2. Carnegie Hall
3. Carburettor R
4. Sierra
5. Australian Dollar
6. Iceland
7. Edinburgh
8. Malta
9. Four
10. Wisdom

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For most residents of the Falkland Islands, Consolidated Fisheries, or CFL as it is better known, is one of the many local fishing companies operating out of the Islands. Most will recognize that it is the company which sponsors the annual Falklands Conservation Ball and the Half-marathon. Many will know that the toothfish at the Chandlery and on the menus in the restaurants comes from CFL and will recognize the logo when they see it. Others may recognize the longliner, *CFL Gambler*, when she makes her regular visits to FIPASS.



What they may not know, however, is that 23 years after the declaration of the Fisheries Conservation Zones and 2



Julie Halliday

years after the implementation of an ITQ system, CFL remains in the unique position of being the only wholly locally owned fishing company where all its activities are actively driven and managed by Falkland Islanders.

CFL contributes millions of pounds to the local economy each year through licence fees, wages, crew travel, harbour dues, berthing, storage and agency fees, engineering and freight services, fuel, company tax and donations to charity. The *CFL Gambler* counts Stanley as its home port which means that its core activities - other than dry docking and specialist surveys - are all carried out in the fishing grounds and at FIPASS. This important contribution to vessel activity in the Islands represents significant business opportunities for local companies and individuals.



CFL's sole income is the sale of fish. Unlike most other fishing companies that have licences for a variety of species, CFL targets and sells only one, Patagonian Toothfish, also known as *Chilean Seabass*. It is a high value species and as restrictions on unregulated and unlicensed fisheries have grown over the years it has been in increasing demand in both the US and the Far East. The fish is sold mainly as Headed, Gutted and Tailed (HGT) although there is consistent demand for sub-products such as Collars, Cheeks and Heads which are sold into Asia. Even

tails can be occasionally popular making the yield from a single fish one of the most efficient on the market

CFL packs a fairly big punch for a small company. Although it owns only one vessel its fishery represents around 7% of the world's legal catches of toothfish and its brand name is recognizable to most importers and distribu-



tors around the world. Whilst most other toothfish fisheries are restricted to seasonal activity, the Falkland Island Fishery is year-round, a boon to importers needing to achieve a regular supply to their customers. Over the years CFL has developed a reputation for high quality and environmentally friendly product available regularly throughout the year.

The reputation of any fishing company is partially dependent on the reputation of the fishery in which it operates. CFL is fortunate in this regard: the Islands have an excellent record for sound fisheries management where protection of the resource is valued highly at both scientific and political levels. The principle of sustainability, the main tenet of fisheries management, does not just extend to the fishing resources but to other species that can be affected by fishing activity, such as albatrosses and petrels. The Falkland Islands was one of the first countries to develop National Plans of Action to mitigate incidental mortality of seabirds and as a result of years of investment and co-operation between the Fisheries Department, Falklands Conservation and CFL, the Islands can now be proud of negligible seabird mortality rates in the longline fishery



Paul Sutherland

In 2008 CFL began funding a postgraduate position at the

Fisheries Department to study the growth, ageing, reproductive processes, geographical distribution and feeding habits of toothfish in the Falkland Islands. This is a significant benefit to the development of local scientific knowledge and reflects the co-operative approach between the industry and the Fisheries Department in the Falklands.

The Falkland Island fishery has come a long way since 1987. Emerging from a new and inexperienced industry, local companies are now notable players in a competitive global industry. As the industry continues to develop, CFL will remain at the heart of investment in new and pioneering business activities to the ultimate benefit of all.

Talk of the Town

Penguin News Vox Pop
What does Valentine's Day mean to you?



Giel Janssen

It's about sending a loved one an anonymous card, but if she doesn't know who it's from then you failed 364 days of the year



Jane Goss

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Scott PJ Betts

It's OK when I'm in love, but I'm not at the moment so it doesn't mean much



I just turned 35. As many of you know I've had tremendous success using the Leimo system (www.leimo.com) to replenish bald spots on my head. I am going to organise a bulk buy of Leimo systems for other baldies in Stanley, so please join me to celebrate my birthday and for a Leimo-party, at The Vic, 12 Feb 2011, from 7pm. Another fan of Leimo (Dr Kristian Peters, also a former baldy) will be in Stanley, and has agreed to answer questions based on his experience with Leimo! All welcome, particularly baldies and lovers of bald men! Hope to see you there. Cheers Dr Alastair Baylis

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Q HOW many people are eligible to receive benefit or special payments from the Government in the following categories: unemployed, training schemes, the disabled or special needs, or other? How much is paid per week per person? What is the total amount paid out each week? How do you qualify to be in receipt of this payment?

Sharon Kelly provided this answer as Acting Team Leader of Social Services:

A THIS is not an easy question to answer briefly, as the eligibility criteria for each programme varies and the criteria can be quite lengthy. A brief summary of each of the three major schemes we believe the question relates to is as follows:

1. Entry-to-Employment (E2E) or the Employment Programme: this provides training and work placements specifically for school leavers who are unable to access employment or further education immediately on leaving school. Placements are for one year and are targeted at an area in which the young person wishes to pursue a career.

The Employment Programme is for people over the age of 17 who are experiencing difficulty finding employment or who have special needs and require assisted employment.

Eligibility is dependent on being an FI status or PRP holder, though others may be considered in exceptional circumstances.

The person needs to have been unemployed for at least six weeks or earning less than £39.80 per week.

Members of the scheme capable of unsupported work may only be on the scheme for a maximum of 12 months.

For full details please contact Jock Elliot at the Training Centre.

2. Welfare Allowances: to be eligible for welfare payments, in-

dividuals must have Falkland Island Status or hold a PRP. In exceptional circumstances, other residents can be considered for financial assistance.

Individuals also need to be out of work for a minimum of two weeks.

Individuals must also be one of (a) a single parent, (b) not eligible for the employment programme, (c) in special circumstances or (d) unable to work due to ill health.

The amounts payable under the scheme are as follows: single Adult (18+) £99, married couple £145, dependants/first child £30.50, and each subsequent child £19.70.

3. Attendance Allowance: to be eligible for attendance allowance a person must need help with personal care, washing and dressing, going to the toilet or something similar.

The person needs someone to keep an eye on them and/or is suffering from a terminal illness and is not expected to live more than six months, or the person cannot walk at all or has difficulty in walking that requires someone to help them.

The applicable rates for attendance allowance are categorised into three areas: low rate £29.75, medium rate £57, high rate £86.25.

For full details of the exact eligibility criteria for welfare and attendance allowance payments please contact Sharon Kelly at Social Services.

The financial details as of December 24 2010 are as follows: there are 22 people on the employment programme receiving £101 per week each, to a total cost of £2,226 per week.

There are currently no persons on the E2E programme. If there were they would be receiving £30 maintenance per week.

Welfare allowances and attendance allowances are paid to 39 people. They receive £71 per week to a total cost of £2,750 each week.

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Glenn wins fifth Open in a record

GLENN Ross won his fifth Stanley Open last weekend and at the same time broke the course record in his second round.



Glenn Ross awarded by sponsor reps Alison Baker and Marilyn Martin

Twenty players completed the two-day competition, co-sponsored by Consultancy Services and new sponsors, accountancy firm PKF.

The course was in excellent condition and was played on the Saturday in a southeasterly wind while the Sunday round reverted to the usual prevailing westerly, making considerably different playing conditions over the two days.

Saturday's round was the usual shotgun start, ending with Glenn Ross shooting an excellent 72 to leave him four shots ahead of second placed Troyd Bowles.

Carol Lee, Sarah Bowles and Tony McMullen were grouped together in third place on 78 while defending champion Kevin Clapp joined Tony Roche on 79. There were eight birdies on the first day.

Sunday's second round followed the traditional format of the leaders going out last, and it would take a really low score to catch Glenn who was not about to let this happen.

Steady golf meant Glenn had extended his lead after the first nine, which he completed in one under par. He then eagled the tenth

to extend his lead even further and, despite dropping three shots on the way back in, he carded a new course record of level par 67, beating Troyd's record of 68. Glenn's winning total of 139 bettered the Stanley Open record of 143 by four shots. Troyd did his best to stay in touch, adding an excellent 69 to his first round 76.

Sarah Bowles overhauled Carol with a second round 75 to take third place in the gross competition, leaving Carol to win the net competition on 130. Ian Stewart was second in the net competition on 136, counting out Darren Wade for third.

The best front nine on day two was by Nick Stevens while the best back nine was won by Tim Bonner. Nearest the pin on the fourth was won by Steve Vincent while nearest the pin on the 17th was won by Bob Gilbert. The longest drive was won by Tony McMullen. Glenn and Tony Roche, who also had an eagle on the tenth, agreed to donate the birdie money to the Alex Smith Collection to be donated to Cancer Research UK. Glenn's fifth Open win matched Troyd and Robert Titterton.

This coming Sunday will see the hosting of the Ian Stewart Construction competition with the usual check-in time.



The 13 mile route to the Cape and finishing at Victory Green

Run, run as fast as you can

CAPE Pembroke is being marked out for Stanley Running Club's annual Half Marathon on Sunday March 20.

It is hoped to attract more entries than last year, in particular from students, who are welcome to enter teams of four for the relay, and for whom medals have been arranged.

Registration is on the day from 9.45-10.30am at Stanley Leisure Centre for runners, or at 9.15am 200 metres west of the Seamen's Mission turnoff on Stanley By-

pass for walkers. Entry forms are available at MPA Gym, Hillside Gym and Stanley Leisure Centre. The fee is £7 for adults or £3.50 for each youth relay team member, to be made payable to Stanley Running Club. Each finisher will receive a commemorative t-shirt and a post-run snack for their efforts. Local competitors are reminded this is also a race to determine qualifying for the Island Games in the Isle of Wight in June. More details are available from Fran Biggs on 51068.

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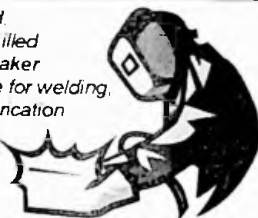
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09/11	34A Davis Street, Stanley	Erection of sunporch	Mr G Momson & Miss E Crabbe
10/11	12 Pioneer Row and adjacent land, Stanley	Demolition of 3 sheds and erection of 1½ & 1¼ storey single dwelling	Mr & Mrs M Summers

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To Katrice

Happy 10th Birthday babe for the 14th February. Hope you have a great day. Loads of love from Mummy, Daddy and Dylan XXX



To Brooke, happy 5th birthday, have a great birthday and a lovely party. Lots of love from Mum, Dad and big sis Nikita XXXX

Stephen Jaffray Memorial Fund

On behalf of Stephen's family and the Trustees we would like to thank the following for the recent generous donations received. Your continue support is greatly appreciated: Paid to SCB 1/12/10 Byron Holding/P & R King £10, 21/12/10 J & J Parke £20, 23/12/10 A L Taylor £5, 30/12/10 Bargains Galore £600, 18/1/11 Lifestyles Ltd £50, 19/1/11 FIC Charity Tokens £295

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The Falkland Islands Government invites tenders from parties interested in the provision of the inspection and maintenance of minefields in the Port Howard area. Further details of the frequency of inspections and the required maintenance can be obtained from the FIDF, Stanley, on telephone 55477. Tenderers are asked to tender on the basis of cost per annum, for an initial period of two years. Materials will be provided. Tenders endorsed 'Maintenance of Minefield Fencing – Port Howard' should be returned to Major Peter Biggs, FIDF, to reach him no later than 1630 hours on Thursday 17th February 2011.

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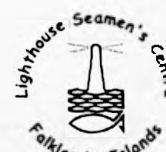
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21755

Alex Smith Collection

Most members of Stanley Golf Club will be aware that former Club Captain and Secretary Alex Smith recently passed away in the United Kingdom. Even after Alex left the Islands he continued to sponsor an annual golf tournament under his name and the Club recently named one of the golf courses' holes after him. Club members have decided to send a card of condolences to his wife Jean and to make a collection which will be donated to Cancer Research UK. If you wish to sign the card it will be with Club Treasurer Sharon Gilbert at Wilkins Kennedy and at the Club this Sunday. Any donation to the collection can also be made to Sharon.

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FOR SALE BY TENDER

Stanley Services Ltd of for sale by Tender year 2000 Toyota Prado 5 door 3.0TD Manual transmission. Speedo reading 83000km (52000miles). This vehicle is drivable but has suffered roof and bonnet damage in shipment. Sold as seen and Stanley Services Ltd do NOT undertake to accept the highest or any tender received. Sealed offers marked Toyota sale to General Manager, Stanley Services Ltd By 17.00 hrs Tuesday 22nd February. To view please telephone 22622.

88 Davis Street

Consisting of 3 bedrooms, 2 reception rooms, kitchen, bathroom, and front & back porches. The property sits on a large parcel of land extending to Callaghan Road and has outlined conditional planning permission for the erection of a second dwelling. The property has undergone renovation of 5 of its rooms but is still a work in progress. For further information or viewing please contact David & Carol Thorsen on telephone 55666/55404 daytime or 22404 in evenings. Offers in writing by 23rd February 2011.

Every Wednesday the Narrows Bar are holding Salsa Dance classes From 7.30-9.00pm with Rafael and Ailie, followed by Latin American dance music from 9.00-10.30pm. £1 per person donated to the Stanley Football Club's overseas games fund. Beginners always welcome!

FORSALE/NOTICES



Bayliner 2556, Mercruiser engine with some spares, length 8m, beam 3m, draft 1m, 6 berths, heads to starboard with toilet, wash basin and shower facilities. Helm station and galley to starboard, elevated dinette seating around the table to port. This is a versatile boat, with good accommodation, practical leisure space and a flybridge. Electronics onboard are GPS Chart plotter and fish finder. Asking price £13,000 ono. For further information please contact Mike on 41019 evenings or leave a message.



Iveco 75E17 2004 Model, 7.5 tonne box van with 1 Tonne tailift, in excellent condition, for sale by tender. Vehicle available end of March/April. All tenders should be received by the (15th Feb 2011) and sent to stevetoolan@fsmail.net. For viewing or more information contact Steve on 52727. The seller does not bind himself to accept the highest or any tender.



Mitsubishi L200 2.5 DI-D Animal Double Cab Diesel 4x4, 2006 model Automatic in Black Leather interior, 17inch Alloys, multi ed player, Aircon, fully alarmed with hardtop. Comes with new Mitsubishi roof rack and spare roll bar and spot lights. Excellent condition £13,500 ono. Contact Steve on 52727.

The **HORTICULTURAL SHOW** will be happening on **Sunday 20th February** in the FICS School Street at 2pm, followed by the prize giving at 4pm and then the auction. Entries to FICS between 5-8pm on Saturday 19th. The garden competitions will be on **Saturday 19th February**. For more information or to enter, contact Nikki 52051, Siân 21977 or skippy@cwimail.fk

NOTICES

Available for rent until December. The 4 bedroom house known as Hambledon situated on the front road beside the Cathedral. Contact jyellowleesbound@btinternet.com or Megrigors LLP 22690

Available for Rent. Fully furnished house at 33 Ross Road West, 3 bedrooms (master has en-suite), bathroom, large sitting room and large Kitchen/Dining room. For more information or to view contact Ella on 51012

The next session of **Legislative Assembly** has been scheduled to take place at 09.30 on Friday 25 February 2011 in the Court and Council Chambers, Town Hall.

Members of the **Legislative Assembly** will be holding a public meeting on Tuesday 22 February 2011, 5pm in the Court & Assembly Chamber, Town Hall. This will be an open meeting. Should you have any questions that would require research please could they be sent to Gilbert House on email assembly@sec.gov.fk by 4.30pm on Thursday 17 February.

Falkland Gun Club AGM. The Annual General Meeting of the Falkland Gun Club will take place on Monday 28th February at 7.00pm in the Geography Room of the Community School. All are welcome, this will be an important meeting where some key decisions will be made regarding the clubs future so please make the effort to attend. All items for the agenda need to be sent to the Club Secretary, Caren Middleton by 5.00pm on Friday 25th February.

The AGM of the **Falkland Island Guide Association** will be held on Thursday 17th February at 5.30pm at Guide HQ. All are welcome.

NOTICE FROM THE DARWIN HARBOUR SPORTS ASSOCIATION - The DHSA would like to announce that the Sports Meeting for 2011 will be held at Goose Green starting on the 26th February to the 1st March, the programmes are now on sale. Can everybody wishing to enter the Dog Trials contact Diana on 22917 or 32296 evenings before the 18 February, late entries will be run first. All jockeys holding Challenge Trophies please return them to Diana @ 17 James Street before the 18 February. Please book your accommodation with your hosts before the 18th. We look forward to seeing you all there.

The next **Flea Market** will be held on Sunday 13th at the Town Hall at 2pm. Call John on 21443 to book a table or for more details.

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See page 17 for 'Narrows News'

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All classified advertisements must be submitted to Penguin News by Wednesday midday

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The aerial approach to Stanley rarely looks this dramatic, as dozens of jiggers line the harbour. Picture courtesy of Andrew Alazia

Business counting the cost of food shortages

BUSINESSES in the Falklands are growing increasingly agitated as Argentina's shipping restrictions continue to mimic an economic blockade in all but name.

While major food retailers such as the West Store and Seafish Chandlery have been able to divert their orders from Chile to the UK, with minimal effect on actual stock, others have no alternative but to take it on the chin.

Among the worst hit by the fresh food shortages is Stanley Growers, which has lost upwards of £15,000 in orders in the past fortnight alone.

Even though the Islands' largest nursery was able to supplement its home grown produce by strengthening links with partners in Brazil and Uruguay, delays in those supplies reaching the Falklands have led to acute shortages.

Stanley Growers boss Tim Miller admits he has been badly hit: "Overall we are currently at zero stock levels for most products other than our own grown salads.

"That means everything that comes by sea – apples, oranges, pears, lemons and melons, what I call the durable fruits, and all the durable vegetables, such as cab-

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bage, carrots, onions and beetroot," he told the Penguin News. "We are turning away orders to all those ships in the harbour, left, right and centre.

"With lost business with the oil industry and the fishing fleet as well, within the past ten days we have had to turn down £10,000 in orders. On the local front it is a similar situation – we haven't been able to buy it and people haven't been able to eat it.

"This week has cost us £5,000 worth of sales in Stanley alone."

Paul Lewis of the West Store said while his business had not lost any money since imports from Chile became problematic, his main challenge had been the logistics of supply.

"We need to get goods on the shelves and to be reliable we have to use the military boats," he said.

"Our main supply chain now is through the UK, and if we run out of something we have to wait for the next boat.

"We have maintained supply of the basics but we appreciate

some of our competitors have struggled."

Neville Hayward at Seafish Chandlery said he too was satisfied with his importing arrangements, having secured alternative supplies via the military, and the fortnightly flights carrying oil workers to and from the UK.

"We seem to be doing fine thanks to the oil flight which has been made available to us," he said.

"They have chilled space available for yoghurt and the like, so at least the customers have something to look forward to.

But he admitted: "If it wasn't for that we'd be buggered."

Argentina effectively turned the screw on imports from Chile when it announced last year a decree requiring all shipping bound for the Falklands to seek permission from the Argentine Government.

South American Atlantic Service Ltd (SAAS), which chartered the main supply vessel, responded by establishing a new route between Stanley and Rio Grande in Brazil.

But last month SAAS announced it would suspend operations from June, citing "operational reasons."

Mr Lewis said: "It makes sense to restore those links to Chile if we can, but it's really complicated. I wouldn't want to put money on it either way. The other thing is, if the SAAS route stops it puts the whole of South America out of the picture."

While air carrier LAN has continued to provide freight space for eggs and limited other perishables, peak tourist season also has impacted on supplies.

Mr Miller said: "LAN do everything they can to carry as much as possible, but the plane does not have elastic sides. Argentina's actions are having a major impact on this business, and have been since they started with the second LAN flight ban and the charter flights bans in 2003."

Meanwhile, amid the uncertainty over future imports of fresh produce, come predictions from Chile that their fruit and vegetable prices are set to soar by up to 20 per cent because of the country's water shortage.

"My supplier hasn't been looking at the markets yet," said Mr Miller.

"But if things shoot up over there, so will his prices to me."

Tony Curran

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EVEN for a relatively recent arrival to the Falklands such as me, the economic pressure being exerted on the food front by way of Argentina's beligerence is becoming more than bothersome. What were once novelties – the occasional potato shortage or the disappearance of a favourite line from the supermarket shelves – are now real nuisances. And, as Tim Miller emphasises in this week's lead story on fruit and vegetable shortages, the prognosis is not good.

Zero stock levels for most products other than home grown salads would spell disaster for many food importers, and Tim deserves much credit for gritting his teeth throughout these tedious and trying times. Further reports that some of those foodstuffs that he does import from Chile are now forecast to soar in price because of water shortages in the country are hardly likely to wipe the grimace from his face, or ours.

Meanwhile, grumblings of growing unrest are apparent from within the business community (page 5), where some are urging Falkland Islanders to wrestle more control over their own air and sea links because "we are at the whim of bureaucrats overseas who have little regard for human rights or our self-determination."

Suggesting that "confidence in our future is being rapidly eroded by the actions of our hostile neighbours," they go on to say Islanders should take a proactive stance "instead of having to react to a situation dictated by the actions of others."

This call to arms, as it were, is stirring stuff. Borne out of a combination of passion and frustration, the writers argue: "Let's take the initiative and not be outflanked; do it now before it's too late. Doing nothing is not really an option."

We know discreet moves are afoot (they have been ever since 1982, to be honest) in an effort to resolve this country's latest imbroglio, as I touched upon in another recent opinion piece.

At that time I also wrote: "If there is deep and angry indignation, it appears not to be being broadcast beyond these shores."

It is good, therefore, to see Tim Miller and our anonymous business friend bucking that trend, echoing sentiments which are slowly growing louder across these Islands.

But there is no need for the vegetable thief among us to exacerbate the situation by half-inching a couple of cabbages from one of his neighbours. We can do without idiots making life even harder for those who are struggling to cope with the current shortages.

Tony Curran



Alison Thorogood and Sara Loftus RAK PN editor Tony Curran

Random Acts of Kindness week

ALISON Thorogood and Sara Loftus were out first thing Monday morning leaving a trail of smiling faces in the wake of their "bee happy" tee-shirts.

Penguin News staff were surprised to see the pair as they dropped off a large tub of chocolates to brighten our morning.

They informed us that even though Random Acts of Kindness week had just started, the response so far had been great, and that Standard Chartered Bank staff were already joining in, enjoying an anonymous passion cake left in their kitchen addressed to its "favourite ladies."

We caught up with the pair again on Tuesday when they dropped in on Acorns, to deliver a luxury tin of biscuits.

Alison explained that it was a Cable and Wireless initiative being taken up in Guernsey and the Isle of Man, but those companies de-

cided to do it for only one day. Alison thought "why not the whole week?"

"What's been good is that apart from one person, everyone had heard about RAK week, so the message had got out," she said.

Alison said she enjoyed all the RAKs, but the best ones were due to the "response of the person or where we felt the person had benefited from the gift."

And she said she had been almost overcome by staff at Government House and the South Georgia Government office when they "flooded in once they knew chocolates had been delivered."

The acts ranged from delivering treats to offices and the public, to choosing people at random for money off meals, shopping and, being Cable and Wireless, money off phone calls, a free modem installation and mobile top up cards for lucky FICS students.

Three months sentence

CLAUDIO Briones Sepulveda appeared before the Magistrate's Court on Tuesday and was sentenced to three months imprisonment after admitting two charges of common assault on his wife.

A previous conditional discharge for 12 months, imposed for an assault on his wife last year, was revoked, and replaced with a conditional discharge for 18 months.

Mr Sepulveda was told that the sentences were inevitable, since he

had failed to respond to an earlier non-custodial sentence, and had shown a disregard for the orders of the court, including a condition of his bail, which he had admitted breaching at a hearing last week.

Following his release from custody, he will remain subject to a conditional discharge to ensure he does not re-offend.

In the Summary Court on Thursday Mr Sepulveda was acquitted of two other allegations of assault by beating.

Ships in Stanley harbour

for the week ending February 17



Due to the arrivals and departures of some 57 Korean and Taiwanese jiggers in Stanley harbour this week, Fish Ops and Customs and Immigration, the government departments upon which we rely to bring you this information, have been very busy and were consequently unable to come up with reliable data in time for publication. We are assured normal service will be resumed next week and take this opportunity to thank them for their help in the past.

Falklands
Brasserie

What's on at the 'Falklands Brasserie'
Wine Bar & Restaurant

Sunday 20th February

Sunday Family Roast Special

Roast Falklands Lamb and Mint Sauce

Or

Roast Beef and Yorkshire Pudding

Or

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Shipmate honoured

VETERANS and families of the HMS Glamorgan Association were welcomed to the Memorial Wood on Sunday by the Cub Scouts to dedicate a new tree to their 14th shipmate, David McCann, who died as a result of the injuries he sustained when the ship was hit in 1982.

Cubs were standing by the Glamorgan trees, and laid memorial crosses with the veterans by each.

Later MPA visitors WO2 Dave Pope, Sgt Neil Shelley and Sgt Guy Livingstone presented a cheque for £200 to Scout leaders Phil Middleton and Jan Miller.

Jan said the funds would go towards the "badly needed renewing of the Scout Hut floor."



1982 Glamorgan Capt Michael Barrow with Cubs and leaders

New Illex season makes 'reasonable' beginning

THE Falklands Illex season began this week and by Wednesday afternoon 57 jiggers, mostly from Taiwan and Korea, had called in to Stanley for licences.

Director of Natural Resources John Barton called the level of interest in licences "reasonable," adding that it was unusual to have the vessels coming in this early, which might reflect reports from Argentina that recent catches on the high seas had been poor.

The Illex season of 2010 brought a total catch of 12,105 tonnes, which was the fourth lowest catch of this squid since the beginning of the fishery in 1987.

While acknowledging many factors could affect the abundance of Illex for the 2011 season, Alexander Arkhipkin, Senior Fisheries Scientist with the Falkland Islands Fisheries Department, did not rule out a partial recovery of the South Patagonian Stock, as happened in 2006 after the poor year of 2005.

Dr Arkhipkin said: "Forecast-

ing the Illex catch in the Falklands Economic Exclusion Zone (EEZ) is complicated. It is one of the straddling stocks in the Southern Atlantic which migrates through the Exclusive Economic Zones of Brazil, Uruguay and Argentina and, on the high seas at 42°S and 45-47°S beyond the Argentinean EEZ, before it gets to us.

"Effective management and conservation of this important resource is therefore only possible by some kind of regional fisheries management organisation (RFMO) that should include all countries whose fleets are participating in exploitation of Illex stocks. So far, such an organisation does not exist, and this makes the squid stocks vulnerable to over-exploitation, especially in years of low abundance.

"In the past, Illex stocks were monitored during their migrations in Argentinean and Falkland waters by the bilateral Argentine-UK South Atlantic Fisheries Commission (SAFC). The SAFC organised

joint research surveys of Illex recruitment before the fishing season, supervised the exchange of commercial and biological information between the respective fisheries authorities, and subsequent joint estimation of the spawning stock biomass (SSB).

"If the SSB was calculated as falling below the threshold of 40,000 tonnes for the Southwest Atlantic, the SAFC recommended early closure of the Illex fisheries in Argentina and the Falklands, with early closures being implemented in a number of years.

"The SAFC also organised joint meetings between Argentinean and UK/Falklands scientists to exchange opinions on the fisheries.

"Unfortunately, since 2005, the SAFC has been largely moribund as the Argentine Government reduced co-operation, declining to continue the routine joint meeting process and suspending joint scientific activities. This has undoubtedly increased the vulnerability of Illex squid stocks."

PN / Alexander Arkhipkin

Rockhopper well poses questions

ROCKHOPPER Exploration's declaration on Friday of the results of its second well to target the Sea Lion Prospect in the North Falkland Basin was followed immediately by a 17 per cent drop in the company's share price.

While the well was not a water-filled disaster like Desire Petroleum's Rachel well, it clearly fell short of market expectations.

The well was drilled to 2,830 metres, 8km away from the original Sea Lion well, hitting four separate sections with 64 gross metres of "good quality" reservoirs.

Oil was recovered to the surface, but further testing revealed three of the four reservoirs were found to have high water saturation (above 90 per cent).

The remaining reservoir had 64 per cent water saturation.

While there were signs some investors had anticipated a less than positive result and had begun selling Rockhopper shares before the announcement, leading to a drop of over 100p per share in four days, some oil industry analysts seem to have taken a more positive view of the recent

Rockhopper findings, one saying that although the result did not provide much oil it did provide plenty of encouragement.

Respected Fox-Davies analyst Lionel Therond said: "The large 8km out-step from the initial discovery well was always more exploratory in nature than pure appraisal.

"Accordingly, the results of this second well on the Sea Lion complex are difficult to interpret in the context of the first well, and more questions seem to have been raised than answered."

Bumper raffle

TRUSTEES of the Alex McGhie Fund - Charlene Rowland, Wendy Reynolds and Jodie McGhie - are launching a major raffle this month. The fund is the only registered charity in the Falklands which is specifically aimed at supporting children with special needs, and their families here in the Islands, by providing assistance to purchase items which cannot be supplied from health, education or other authorities.

Brown trout

CURRENT legislation designed to make the sale of brown trout illegal is so poorly written that it cannot be enforced, the Environmental Committee was told at its last meeting on February 7. Members agreed that the sale of brown trout should be illegal and that a paper should be submitted to ExCo recommending a change to the current law.

Vandalised

A UK memorial to the men who died in the Falklands War has been vandalised. The plaque next to the Square Tower in Old Portsmouth has had the words "God Bless You David" etched into it. It is hoped the plaque can be restored before the city's annual Falkland Islands service and parade on June 19.

Gypsy Cove

IMPROVEMENTS planned for Gypsy Cove, including increasing the size of the car park, construction of toilets, a refreshments area and a bus shelter, are estimated to cost approximately £20,000. A further £15,000 will be required to cover the costs of wardens and maintenance.

Six to fish SG

TOOTHFISH licences have been offered to six vessels to fish in the South Georgia Maritime Zone in the 2011 season, with a total quota of 1,800 tonnes. The 2011 season will start on April 21 and end on August 31.

Island Plan

THE Management Plan and the principle of designating Sea Lion Island as a National Nature Reserve have been approved by ExCo. The Attorney General is now working towards putting relevant legislation in place.

Seals jump

THE annual report of the long-running study of the Elephant Seal population on Sea Lion Island shows a three per cent increase in numbers this year.

Legislative Assembly Diary

Jan Cheek shares a glimpse into the work of a member of the Legislative Assembly

CAREFUL readers may have been confused by some of the timings alluded to in last week's diary, for the good reason that it was the previous week's "lost" by Penguin News. I duly sent in an updated one which was also "lost" and the previous one printed in its place.

AN important reason for presenting questions for oral reply in Legislative Assembly is to air issues publicly. The Assembly Member normally knows the answer but wants it to be a matter of public record. Questions for written reply serve a similar purpose but may not get the same coverage. Of course we now have many other methods of promulgating information, including this column. I would again urge anyone thinking of standing in the next general election to study things like Assembly Standing Rules and Orders, the Constitution and FIG structure generally. If elected they will then be able to do the job for which they have been chosen. It is something with which some members occasionally wrestle; decisions can be made on a simple majority, not on the basis of he or she who shouts loudest and last.

I'VE received a number of interesting suggestions on parking around Stanley, including possible one-way systems which would also ease the traffic flow in the busiest times. These times could hardly be described as rush hours as the lunchtime one begins with traffic from various remoter FIG departments heading up the bypass and into Stanley before 12pm, to be joined by office, business and schools traffic at 12pm. By ten past all is quiet. I've been amused several times recently by have a speed gun pointed at me around midday while driving slowly past the Police Station in a line of vehicles doing barely 20mph. I did suggest at the last Police Committee meeting that the longer straights on Ross Road East and West may be a better target as even heavy vehicles reach some alarming speeds on occasions. I'm sometimes tempted to park my Land Rover on the road as a traffic calming measure when the boy racers are doing circuits.

Grytviken greets helicopters' arrival

IT is with a feeling of great relief that Professor Tony Martin reports in the South Georgia Heritage Trust's newsletter this week that the two Bolkow 105 helicopters, to be used in SGHT's rat eradication programme, arrived safely in Grytviken on Sunday aboard the cruise ship Marina Svetaeva.

Our picture, courtesy of the SGHT newsletter, shows the staff, crew and passengers of MV Marina Svetaeva celebrating the arrival in front of the boat shed at the British Antarctic Survey's base at King Edward Point.



Islanders urged to combat aggression from Argentina

A LOCAL business is urging fellow Falkland Islanders to take a more proactive stance to deal with the continuing aggression shown by the Argentine Government towards the country through its trade and communications blockade.

Representatives of the business suggest efforts are required to break the "stranglehold of third parties" and explore options for Islanders to play a greater role in determining their future business and commercial interests.

"Our sea and air links are continuously under threat from outside influences, it can be argued, creating a climate of uncertainty, poor decision making and under development," they say.

"We are at the whim of bureaucrats overseas who have

little regard for human rights or our self-determination.

"Since 1982 our nation has changed out of all recognition, from our once monopolistic society we have matured into a vibrant, mature and modern community, confident in our future, with a willingness to embrace development.

"Alas that confidence in our future is being rapidly eroded by the actions of our hostile neighbours."

One particular opportunity for investment, the business people say, are the country's air and sea links, which should be controlled and run by Falkland Islanders.

"Yes, it would cost money. But it will be sound investment, taking a proactive stance instead of having to react to a situation dictated by the actions of others. We are confident that we would

see long-term gains, such as business confidence and development, potential inward investment and, best of all, a controlling share in our own vital communication links.

"It is time for change," the business argues.

"No longer should we rely on air and sea links we have no control over. Our future should be in our own hands.

"We should be positive, working together to make it so, not be forced into making knee-jerk decisions further down the line.

"Let's take the initiative and not be outflanked, do it now before it's too late. Doing nothing is not really an option."

The manager of the business declined to be identified, but was happy for their comments to be reported by the Penguin News.

Rumble in the cabbage patch

AN announcement sent to the Penguin News and local radio by the Thain family this week caused more than a few ripples among Stanley's vegetable patches.

They wrote: "The vegetable thief currently operating in our town, who was caught red-handed in the early hours of Saturday but unfortunately escaped, is invited to 8 Davis Street to collect "his" wheel barrow.

"Two of the stolen cabbages are from someone else's garden. These have been replanted and are doing fine. The owner of these can collect in approximately eight weeks when they will be ready for harvesting."

The radio announcement was probably the first intimation most people had that Stanley had been prey to a nocturnal vegetable thief. Craig Thain had grappled with the

vagabond, but had been unable to detain him,

Possible pseudonyms such as Radish Raider, Vegetable Villain or Cabbage Crim soon abounded, as did speculation about the identity of the suspect on social networking sites.

There were also conflicting theories about possible motivation and method, with some claiming the fact that young cabbages had been taken from the ground with roots intact instead of being cropped, indicated the thief was a gardener intent on replanting rather than a hungry vegetarian.

With the Horticultural Society's annual show fast approaching, there were those also who saw jealousy or competitiveness as a possible motive.

Political protest at the currently impossibly high cost of eat-

ing the recommended "five a day" was largely ruled out by the thief's decision to steal from the people, rather than commercial organisations like Stanley Growers or institutions like Government House.

It is believed the police have conducted at least one house search and examined the footwear of at least one suspect, who was taken into custody for a period of some five hours on Tuesday before being released. There also are as yet unconfirmed reports of an identity parade being arranged.

The police have confirmed that the owner of the wheelbarrow which was abandoned when the thief was surprised has been found, but would not confirm that it was the one posted as missing on facebook by former art teacher and gardening enthusiast Mrs Mirabel (Tim) Simpson.

The men who gave their todays for our tomorrow

TUESDAY evening saw Reverend Dr Richard Hines welcome a large crowd who had respectfully gathered to unveil the HMS Glamorgan Memorial at Hookers Point.

HMS Clyde was off the coast to mark HMS Glamorgan's position when it was bombed in 1982, and the RAF surprised the crowd with a Typhoon flypast.

Captain Michael Barrow reflected on what had happened on that fateful day on June 12 when, so near to the liberation of the Islands, the ship was struck by an Argentine Exocet missile.

Shirley Chapman, sister of fallen crewman Brian Easton, read Psalm 46, and Stanley's Cub Scouts unveiled the Welsh granite monument from beneath HMS Glamorgan's own 1982 ensign.

The last post was followed by the haunting words of the Kohima epitaph, read by Commander Ian Inskip: "When you go home, tell of us and say, for your tomorrow we gave our today." The last line adorns the stone memorial.

Speeches and appreciations continued at the reception held in the Falkland Islands Defence Force bar afterwards. Captain Barrow thanked the SAMA Falk-



Falklands Cub Scouts unveil the monument at Hookers Point

lands Trust, the Falkland Islands Government, FIDE, the Cubs and Morrisons Falklands for the monument's erection and alignment with "great skill and care."

Governor Nigel Haywood also was thanked for the warmth and sincere welcome offered to the veterans and families from people of the Falklands.

"After visiting the Islands I have a better understanding of the culture and beauty of the scenery, but what is most striking is the people," said Captain Barrow. "And I have no doubt that the

monument will be maintained." At the risk of singling people out, he also recognised the efforts of "Mr and Mrs Glamorgan/Falklands," Jan and Tim Miller, for their years of help.

Later Alan Watt, Chairman of the Glamorgan Association, announced that Morrisons Falklands had been made an honourable member of the Civil Engineers of Scotland. Governor Haywood hosted a reception in honour of HMS Glamorgan at Government House on Wednesday evening.

Teslyn Barkman

Horrors of fire fight continue to haunt surviving crewmen

THANKS to reading about the SS Great Britain, John "Bungy" Williams at least knew where the Falkland Islands were when it was announced HMS Glamorgan was to be deployed to the South Atlantic.

But the electrical mechanic, whose only prior experience of conflict was protecting British trawlers in the "Cod War" of 1975, was soon to be caught up in a deadly fire fight.

Up until May 1 1982, when the Glamorgan was on exercise in Gibraltar, he expected her deployment to the Falklands to be "a bit of flag waving, then home for a cup of tea."

But despite finding herself on a war footing, the ship was well prepared. "We knew what were doing as a fighting platform," said Mr Williams. "We actually had a lot of people who could improvise, and we developed tactics throughout the time here," he said.

The saving of the Glamorgan was in its efficiency, and everyone knowing their jobs. He explained how it was within the ambit of the "greenies" and stokers, the engineers and electricians to undertake damage control. The seamen would fight the ship, while



John Williams

others tended to be in support. We were, as weapons electrical, the primary fire fighters and damage control, and our training was shown by the events of the 12th."

An Argentine Exocet hit the Glamorgan some 15 feet from John. He remembers a lot of the fear that should have been present did not get an opportunity to show itself. The training kicked in and automatic response took over.

Glamorgan was ready to fight again on the 13th and came closer to shore to repair and do the usual safety procedures when the Argentines surrendered on the 14th. This was the setting for one of his most poignant memories.

"In preparation for us going home to dry dock an advance party

had to be sent. The party would be on leave and when the ship came back alongside in Portsmouth, they would take over and the rest of us would go on leave.

"There were very few volunteers. In fact I don't think there were any, so we had to draw lots and the losers went home early.

"We wanted to go alongside as Glamorgan. We were Glamorgan."

He continued: "We were all quite young and beaten up mentally, but the other half of us was saying 'All right, I've done a job.' It's something we were trained to do, and there's a certain amount of pride in a job well done.

"There were a lot of funny times and there were a lot of very sad times. I spend personally far too much time fighting the fire in my mind. I still fight it because I think I could have done things differently. Intellectually it challenges the heart, which is always telling you you should have been better."

Survivors' guilt is dealt with on a daily basis by many, but John is grateful that Glamorgan now has an association bound strong through their shared experiences.

"This monument is gorgeous, thank you," he asked us to tell the people of the Falklands.

Give us two minutes...



Dahiana Burucua

1. What is your most prized possession?

My family and friends – I don't know how they put up with me!

2. What is the best piece of advice you have ever been given?

It's nice to be important but it is important to be nice

3. Who would you most like to have a cup of tea/tot with?

It would be a combination of my friends here, in Uruguay and the UK, along with Muse for Music with Harry Hill, Jimmy Carr and Lee Evans for laughs

4. If you had a motto, what would it be?

Everyday is a new opportunity

5. What is your most embarrassing moment?

On Boxing Day I went flat on my bottom after I slipped on a puddle of beer in the bar. I hoped everyone was too drunk to notice... it was not the case

6. What in your everyday life drives you crazy?

At the moment the smoking ban! Most complained about the smell before, but now the pubs smell horrendous

7. What is your nickname and why?

Dee – my college classmates decided that they couldn't be bothered to spell my name

8. If you could travel anywhere in the world, where would it be?

At the moment I want to save pennies to go to Thailand

9. What would people be surprised to learn about you?

I'm a geek for computer games

10. What would your super-power be?

The ability to fly where I want to go to, and control time so I could enjoy the places longer

Dee (19), originally from Montevideo, Uruguay, moved to the Islands seven years ago. She went to Chichester College and now works at ITT, which suits her ambition to travel to as much of the world as possible

The Wanderer

An occasionally sardonic sideswipe at our country's current affairs

Dear Peat,

Hope everything is OK over there and that you managed to discreetly put out of the way those things you have liberated over the years before the jam sandwich rolled over the hill!

The first time ever a marked patrol vehicle has been over there I believe. Did they have a tape measure to mark out the site for the new HQ?

I had a dream the other night, about a small country that had some major mineral exploration going on. The person who was responsible for that, who had been in the post for many years, respected by those in the industry and who had previously indicated that they would see the exploration phase through, interestingly had decided to retire.

I must have turned over 'cos then the dream continued with low key local advertising for the post. Then the dream got better with a local politician applying for the job, getting it, and there had to be a by-election.

Then I felt a pain in the back - I believe it's called a Gilbert Cottage - it seems I had been making noises in my sleep!

A well aimed knee woke me up in a sweat. Do you ever have strange dreams Peat?

Lots of people getting excited about the new waterfront development, especially the private companies.

I hear there are loads waiting to pour money in. I especially like the idea of having a Sand Bay demonstration area.

If it was situated next to the café it could be the equivalent to the Shearing to Sweater exhibits that I have seen. With a bit of luck the public might be able to have a look soon.

Did you hear on the radio about the changes up at the FICS? Everything is on hold for the new head person. Seems it's to do with new tables - do you think it's the twelve times tables? Anyway, as you always tell me, we can't let things go stale, it's good to change.

I also hear there are big developments coming up on the second flight. Pan American Airways are apparently interested in partnership with BOAC.

JW

Work, rest and play for kids at Kid-ney Island

KIDNEY Island at the mouth of Berkeley Sound is rat-free and covered in dense tussac, making it one of the Falklands' top sites for Cobb's Wrens as well as huge numbers of sooty shearwaters and other seabirds that are only present on rat-free islands.

As such it is of major interest to the Cobb's Wren Conservation Project (CWCP), run by Sally Poncet and administered by Nick Rendell of the FIG's Environmental Planning Department.

Among the project's various activities over the past two years of its existence have been rat eradication, surveying islands for Cobb's Wrens, rats and wildlife in general and organising trips for the public to Kidney Island.

Earlier this month it was the turn of Year 2 of the Stanley Infant and Junior School to visit the island with CWCP. This was one of the Project's last activities and, according to Sally Poncet, one of its most enjoyable.

Sally writes: "The 44 children who came out were full of fun and enthusiasm and keen to learn. For some, it was their first time on a



Year 2 children from IJS on the shore of the tussac island

tussac island, first time to see sea lions, Cobb's Wrens and even jumping jacks."

Karen Neely, from Falklands Conservation's WATCH Group, was the main guide for the day and kept everyone entertained and listening (most of the time), along with Sally, class teachers Alison Short and Dorinda Rowlands, and learning support assistants Rose Toolan, Priscilla Betts, Stephanie Thain and Karen Marsh.

Ken Passfield, who has been involved in all of CWCP's activities, kept an eye out for sea lions and helped with the landings

as children arrived and departed on the Sullivan launches.

The Cobb's Wren Project ends in March this year, but it is planned to make the Kidney Island trip for Year 2 IJS students an annual event as part of their coursework about Falklands wildlife and environment.

Most of the funding for CWCP comes from the UK Government's Overseas Territories Environment Programme (OTEP). The Antarctic Research Trust, Falklands Conservation and Beaver Island LandCare are also supporting the project.



Missing Links

This fine upstanding young chap clearly rose to the occasion when he was called upon to take the stage at an official function. But that's about all we can say about this photo. If you can fill in the missing links, please send an email to editor@penguinnews.co.fk

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Police partnership works for civilians and military

STEPHEN Lapham and Jill Roberts are the faces of a joint services-civilian police partnership which is working wonders for communities both in Stanley and at MPA.

Royal Navy Police Officer Stephen, a member of the Joint Service Police and Security Unit, and Royal Falkland Islands Police Officer Jill have to an extent switched roles.

Stephen has established a Service Police Office at Hillside Camp providing a reassuring presence and point of military focus for the local community.

He works most Saturday nights alongside RFLP Officers but describes his role as flexible, dependent on current requirements: "Myself and my unit look at what's going on and target the anticipated busier periods when service personnel are most likely to be present in Stanley," he says.

Jill works as a part-time civilian police officer at MPA. She is used to community policing, and all that it entails, such as visiting people in sheltered housing, shops and pubs.

"Since moving up to MPA I've seen that there is an absolute civilian community there," she says.

"Any people that know I'm still a reserve police officer do approach me with their little problems and say they do need a police officer up here.

"No disrespect to the military, but often I think they prefer speaking to a civilian police officer. Working alongside JSPSU is good for me, and it's good for them."

Both officers agreed that the police duties are basically the same in both locations.

Stephen and Jill have in the past worked at their respective locations, Stephen during a previous tour in the Islands between 2003 and 2005, and Jill when she was a full-time police officer.

Stephen says service police have been stationed in Stanley in the past, but it was the choice of individual OCs and unit commanders to decide on the best allocation of resources, and the role was disestablished.

After returning to the Falklands in May 2009 he spent a year working at the Service Police Station at Mount Pleasant: "During this time I highlighted the importance of reviving a more community based policing role and fortunately that's now come to fruition."

Chief Police Officer Gary Finchett says service police are only requested when they are needed: "They have never been used to cover staff shortages, they have always been used to supplement existing staff.



Stephen Lapham and Jill Roberts join forces to fight crime

"For example, when a whole ship's company is coming down to Stanley, it's extremely beneficial to have Stephen or JSPSU here, to be honest, to relate to those service personnel."

Describing the RFLP's relationship with the JSPSU as excellent, Mr Finchett says he is always keen to have a reserve officer working within the MPC community.

"Jill has lots of skills, in terms of the manner in which you police communities here, and she has brought particular expertise in terms of helping the JSPSU and working alongside the JSPSU, to police what is not just a military community, but quite a large civilian community."

He describes it as a community with similar issues to those faced in Stanley or elsewhere, and any such community will benefit from having a more permanent face in their midst.

"Jill is there for the longer term," he says. "They can build relationships with her and, on occasions, there may well be a very good reason why they would want to speak to a civil officer, rather than a service police officer. It really has been a valuable partnership."

In comparison, Stephen's experience is a bonus in Stanley: "You have to remember that some of the service personnel that come down to us have just finished tours in Afghanistan, for example."

"So, while they are on tour in the Falklands, it is important they have the opportunity for some R&R in Stanley. Stephen understands that, he understands the military psyche."

Mr Finchett says the civilian population in Stanley and the military have always had an excellent relationship: "Because the boundaries between the military community and civilians can be so blurred, it makes perfect sense to have a joint team on patrol."

"I think we've always had an excellent relationship with JSPSU, but I think we went to the next level when we started this formal agreement. And it's got to be, I think, for the long term. I don't see this as a temporary arrangement."

"You can't deliver community policing unless you are within the heart of that community."

"Jill is in the heart of the MPA community, Stephen is at the very heart of our community. I think that's fantastic."

Chilean journalist reflects on sovereignty

THE benefit of encouraging opinion makers to visit the Falklands was demonstrated when an article translated as "Petrol sets the Falklands on fire" appeared on the website lanacion.cl, written by recent visitor and Chilean writer and journalist, Raúl Sohr.

More than 2,000 words in length, and with headings such as Petroleum, The Military Situation and The Diplomatic Front, the article gives a very reasonable and balanced account of a number of aspects of our existence, beginning with the Argentine Government's attempts to interfere with shipping to and from the Islands and the loss of up to \$11 million annually suffered by businesses in Punta Arenas.

Reflecting that there appears to be no obvious solution to the sovereignty debate, Raúl says the discovery of oil will add to the intransigence of both sides, with countries in the region like Chile being forced to take sides, at least in some aspects. He says: "It is the nature of such conflicts that they rarely benefit anyone, but can harm many."

The comments from his Chilean readers which follow also are of interest, with one writer claiming 89 per cent of Chileans supported the British in 1982, because they knew that if successful in the Falklands, General Galtieri's next step would have been to invade Chile.

One Chilean who says he is convinced it is both right and much better for us to be British, goes back in time to mention that the Argentine Government took advantage of Chile being engaged in defending its borders to the north to take Patagonia from Chile, and adds that to those who believe Argentina has always owned all the territory it currently claims, it should be pointed out that Mendoza was founded by the Chileans, who also formed a large portion of San Martín's army of liberation.

The tendency in South America for historical disputes over territory to live on well past their sell-by date is also demonstrated by one obviously Argentinean writer who urges: "It should not be forgotten that the British tried to take the whole of Argentina by force in 1806 and 1807," and goes on to claim that it was because of this failure that "the dirty British" took the Falklands in 1833.

John Fowler



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Craig's name is engraved on the plaque at Mount Longdon



Pam Jones, whose son was the last to die in the Falklands War

Family donates island in honour of last soldier to be killed in '82

THE Phillips family of Hope Cottage Farm have handed ownership of a small island over to the parents of the last British serviceman killed in action before the end of the Falklands War.

Private Craig Jones, of the 3rd Parachute Regiment, who was aged 20, was hit by shrapnel during the Battle for Mount Longdon on June 13 1982, just before British troops entered Stanley.

His family, including father Richard, mother Pam and brother Gareth, had prepared a welcome home party after hearing of the Argentine surrender, only to discover Craig had died in the war's final minutes.

Now, thanks to the generosity of Carol and Terence Philips, and their son and daughter-in-law Paul and Shula, Craig's parents have realised their dream of naming the island after their son.

Deeds were this week exchanged and the six-acre island in Salvador Waters is now officially renamed Craig Island.

"Pam and I thought it was a lovely idea to buy some land and name it after Craig," said Mr Jones,



Private Craig Jones of 3 Para

of Tenbury Wells. "It has taken about two years to sort out all the legal issues but now we have the deeds and it feels very special to have an island named after our son."

"The Falkland Islands are a long way away, but they are extremely important to us and other families who lost loved ones in the war."

About two years ago the Jones family had contacted Gary Clement, of the Falklands branch of veterans organisation SAMA82, with a request to honour their son's name by buying some land in the Falklands.



Crosses at Mount Longdon

Gary passed on their request to Carol and, although they later had handed the farm over to Paul and Shula, the family decided to hand over the island as a gift.

"They didn't want to do anything with it," Carol told the Penguin News. "They just wanted a piece of land."

"Paul left it to me to sort everything out. We now have copies of the deeds and the Jones family have theirs in the post, so it is now their island."

"I speak to them quite often over the phone. They just can't

seem to thank us enough. They are over the moon. But if we can help anyone who helped liberate us in '82 we will."

Mr Jones hopes to visit Craig Island later this year with his son Gareth, 47, and grandson Alexander Craig, 17.

"The family from whom we acquired the land have been farmers in the Falklands for many years," said Richard, 74.

"During the conflict, they used their tractor and trailer to carry supplies for the Parachute Regiment during their attack on Mount Longdon and, after the fighting, they helped with the evacuation of the dead and wounded."

Carol said she was especially grateful to Keith Watson and John Rowland for helping sort out the legal requirements, and she hoped at some stage in the future a small sign could be placed on the island.

Craig was laid to rest in a temporary grave at Teal Inlet, just across the water from Craig Island, and is now buried at Aldershot Military Cemetery in Hampshire.

Tony Curran

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Seabirds wiped out during worst summer storm in living memory

THE UNUSUALLY severe storm on December 13-14 not only caused structural damage across the Islands, but also significant damage at some of the Falklands' most important seabird colonies.

Seabirds are generally well adapted to "bad" weather conditions, especially at sea, and indeed albatross colonies are by necessity located in windy areas. However, while breeding on land, extreme weather can - in the case of December's storm - cause significant damage at their colonies.

Two small teams from Falklands Conservation were working at Steeple Jason (owned by the Wildlife Conservation Society) and Beauchêne Island (FIG owned) during the storm event.

Steeple Jason holds about 170,000 pairs of black-browed albatross, the largest breeding colony in the world, and Beauchêne Island the second largest with around 100,000 pairs. Large numbers of rockhopper penguins also nest within these colonies.

Dr Anton Wolfaardt (ACAP co-ordinator, UK South Atlantic Overseas Territories), assisting with the FC work at Beauchêne, described the event: "By the evening of December 13 the wind speed had increased to 60-80 knots, resulting in open ocean swells in excess of ten metres. The south and west coasts of the island, where the majority of the seabirds nest, were especially exposed. As the wind increased in strength, we saw nesting albatrosses hunkered down on their nests and many using their wings to anchor themselves down to protect their eggs or small chicks.

We observed a single wave breaking over an area with several hundred alba-



South-westerly waves hit seabird colonies at Beauchêne Island



Weary and waterlogged albatrosses

tross, penguin and imperial shag nests, pulling out to sea many of the adult birds in the process. The storm continued to intensify through the night."

In the aftermath, it was evident that many albatross and rockhopper penguin nests had directly suffered from the storm.

One area of 13,000 albatross pairs lost 100 per cent of their nests, and initial estimates suggest that across the island as many as 20,000 albatross nests failed due to the exposure from prolonged sea spray and breaking waves.

About 10,000 rockhopper penguin nests in the south of the island were also lost, with many more likely. Several hundred adult albatross deaths were recorded, with many tangled in kelp and debris and washed up high into the tussac.

The storm had similar impacts at a number of other islands in the Falklands. At Steeple Jason, Dr Al Baylis (FC Conservation Officer), reported that one colony in the region of 12,000 breeding albatross pairs and 3,500 rockhoppers, suffered near 100 per cent breed-

ing failure. At Sea Lion Island the rockhopper penguin colony at Rockhopper Point lost all its 300 nests, with only one chick remaining. These natural events are beyond our control and difficult to predict. Such events need to be considered in the context of other threats that we can control. Mitigation of seabird by-catch in fisheries, habitat management at breeding sites and removal of invasive species are vital in preventing further losses of seabirds. These types of measures are already in action across the Falklands and it is im-

perative we keep these up well into the future to help buffer against population losses caused by other unforeseeable natural disasters.

The South Atlantic is no stranger to storm events. However, none until now have been recorded causing large numbers of adult albatross deaths or such significant breeding failure.

With predicted increases of strong storms due to climate change the frequency of these events may increase. As well as the immediate loss of hundreds of breeding birds, a longer-term consequence will be lower numbers of successfully fledged juveniles recruiting into the population as breeding adults in about ten years time.



Buoys wash up among the colonies



An albatross pinned by debris



Pale Maiden

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Taking action for nature in the Falklands

The Threatened Yellow Pale Maiden (right), not to be confused with the National flower - the Pale Maiden (left)



Yellow Pale Maiden



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Public	15:00-16:00	Public
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Public	18:00-19:00	
Lane Swimming	19:00-20:00	Public
Saturday 19 th February 2011		
Closed for School	10:00-12:00	Members Only
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Lane Swimming	13:00-14:00	Public
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Lane Swimming	16:00-18:00	
Sunday 20 th February 2011		
Public	11:00-13:00	Members Only
Lane Swimming	13:00-14:00	
Private Hire	14:00-15:00	Public
Public	15:00-16:00	
Lane Swimming	16:00-18:00	
Deep Water Aerobics	18:00-19:00	
Monday 21 st February 2011		
Lane Swimming	07:00-09:00	
O.A.P. Adults, Parents & Toddlers	09:00-11:00	Public
Closed for Private Hire	11:00-12:00	
Lane Swimming	12:00-13:00	
Public	13:00-18:00	
Closed for School	18:00-17:00	Members Only
Public	17:00-18:00	
Closed for School	18:00-19:00	
Lane Swimming	19:00-21:00	Public
Tuesday 22 nd February 2011		
Lane Swimming	07:00-09:00	
O.A.P. Adults, Parents & Toddlers	09:00-10:00	Public
Closed for School	10:00-11:00	
Closed for School	11:00-12:00	
Lane Swimming	12:00-13:00	
Closed for School	13:00-18:00	Public
Stanley Swimming Club	16:00-17:00	Members Only
Public	17:00-18:00	
Ladies Only	19:00-20:00	Public
Lane Swimming	20:00-21:00	
Wednesday 23 rd February 2011		
Lane Swimming	07:00-09:00	
Closed for School	09:00-10:00	Public
O.A.P. Adults, Parents & Toddlers	10:00-12:00	
Lane Swimming	12:00-13:00	
Closed for School	13:00-15:00	Public
Public	15:00-16:00	
Closed for School	16:00-17:00	Members Only
Public	17:00-18:00	
Aerobics	18:00-19:00	Public
Lane Swimming	19:00-21:00	
Thursday 24 th February 2011		
Closed for Cleaning	09:00-16:00	Closed for Cleaning
Closed for School	16:00-18:00	Public
Closed for Training	18:00-19:00	Members Only
Lane Swimming	19:00-21:00	Public
Friday 25 th February 2011		
Lane Swimming	07:00-09:00	
Closed for School	09:00-12:00	Public
Lane Swimming	12:00-13:00	
Closed for School	13:00-16:00	
Stanley Swimming Club	16:00-17:00	Members Only
Closed for Private Hire	17:00-18:00	
Public	18:00-19:00	Public
Lane Swimming	19:00-20:00	

CLUBS AND CONTACTS

CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL, ROSS ROAD
Sunday Services
8am - Holy Communion
10am - Morning Service and Sunday Club
7pm - Evening Service
Further details for each week, please Notice Board inside Cathedral, or contact the Deanery, 17 Ross Road, Stanley
Tel/Fax: 21100 christchurch@horizon.co.fk

TABERNACLE - Barrack Street (free church)
Sunday Services 10.00am and 7.00pm
Family Service is now held on the 3rd Sunday of every month at 10am
On the 4th Sunday of every month there is a Service in the Day Centre at 1pm. Everyone is welcome to all services
Communion first Sunday morning and third Sunday evening of the month
Midweek Bible Study Tuesday 7.30pm at 11 Drury Street
St. MARY'S SUNDAY 10am (Transport from MPA provided for Service and related personnel)
Week days 9am
St. CUTHBERT'S (MPA)
10.30 Station Sunday Service - open to all denominations and faiths

BAHAI FAITH
For information on meetings please ring Margo Smallwood, Secretary, on 21031 or check our website: www.bahai.fk

HOSPITAL PHARMACY
Monday to Friday mornings 11.00am - 12.15pm
Mon, Tue, Thu and Fri afternoons 14.30 - 17.00. Weds afternoons - Closed

MUSEUM
Monday - Friday 09.30 - 12.00 & 13.30 to 16.00, Saturday & Sunday 14.00 - 16.00. During the Summer/Cruise Ship Season we are open 09.30 - 16.00. Tel: 27428

TREASURY
Monday to Friday Tel: 27143
Cash desk opening times: 9am - 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
Phone 27366 Consultation hours: Mon, Wed, Fri 8.30am-9.30am; 1pm-2pm; 4pm-4.30pm; Tues, Thurs 1pm-2pm. Consultations by appointment only.

BADMINTON CLUB Mondays and Thursdays 7 - 9pm. Rosemarie King Tel: 21451

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

NETBALL CLUB Tuesdays 6-7pm. All are welcome. Contact Zoe Luxton 21441

THE FI GUN CLUB New members welcome Contact: Steve Dent on 55632.

F.I. RIFLE ASSOCIATION Contact Secretary Derek Goodwin 22357

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

STANLEY GOLF CLUB Contact Glenn Ross (Captain) on 27149 (work) or Tony Roake (Secretary) on 28000 (work) for information regarding membership and forthcoming competitions. Normally competitions are held every Sunday morning from October through to April and the first Sunday of each month during winter. Draw at 9am and tee off time 9.15am. New members welcome.

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

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

GUILD OF SPINNERS, WEAVERS & HANDICRAFTS Meetings Mon. evening from 7.30pm, Thurs. afternoon from 1.30pm. 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 - Lidda Luxton Tel: 21717 Secretary - Geoff Pring tel. 21785 Treasurer - Chris Bell, tel. 21078

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

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

STANLEY SUB-AQUA CLUB - Contact David McLeod Phone: 20836 (d), 20843 (h)

THE ROYAL BRITISH LEGION - FALKLAND ISLANDS BRANCH Meets on the first Monday of every month at the Hillside Mess at 7.45pm. Contacts: Chairman Marvin Clarke, Secretary Keith Biles (51897) Treasurer David Lewis (51527) website www.britishlegionfalklands.co.fk

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

JELLY TOTS CLUB Jellytots will now be held on Tuesdays from 1.45 - 3.30 and Thursday from 10.00 - 11.30 in the Parish Hall. All under fives welcome, along with an adult. We have lots of toys and space to play in. Contact Wendy on 21179 or Rosie 22759

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 - 4pm. Contact Gordon Lennie Tel. 21667

KARATE CLUB - New Training Schedule Tuesday's 5.15pm - 6.10pm (juniors) 6.15pm till 7.30pm (seniors) Friday's 5-5.55pm (junior grades) 6pm till 7.00pm/ 7.30pm (seniors). All sessions held at IJS Hall. Cost: £1.00

ALCOHOL SUPPORT Contact Health on 28082 or Social Services 27296

ACORNS COMMUNITY GROUP, Day Centre, KEMH. Tuesday 9.30am - 11.30am, Thursday 9.30am - 11.30am and Thursday Evening. Drop-In 7pm - 9pm

HAND CHIME GROUP - Tuesday evenings from 8.00 to 9.30pm at 11 Nutt Cartmell Close. Anyone interested in joining should contact Eileen Davies on 22428 after working hours

BABY CLINIC - 3 - 5pm every Wednesday

LIGHTHOUSE SEAMEN'S MISSION CAFE NEW HOURS
The Lighthouse Seamen's Mission Cafe now opens an hour earlier on Sunday. Our new hours are: Wednesday through Friday 10am to 4pm, Saturday and Sunday 11am to 4pm. Last order for hot food at 3pm. The Mission remains open as usual for Seafarers, at times displayed in the Mission window or by arrangement with individual - Vessels/Agents/Ship Owners

SAMA 82 FALKLAND ISLANDS TRUST Chairman - G Clement 52910 Treasurer K Ommond 52814 Secretary J Elliot 51765

FALKLAND ISLANDS STANLEY HASH (FISH) HOUSE HARRIERS welcomes new runners/walkers. Meets last Sunday of month at 1500 and also mid month

CHARITY SHOP Opening hours: Mon. Wed. Fri. & Sat. 2-4pm. (Summer hours 2-5pm) Saturday morning. 10am - 12 noon.

FALKLAND ISLANDS FOOTBALL LEAGUE (FIFL) Contact the Committee for more information. Chairman - Ian Betts, Treasurer - Sharon Gilbert, Secretary - Andrew Newman

TEAM TRANQUIL (MENTAL HEALTH STRATEGY GROUP) c/o 16 John Street. Treasurer Ruth Taylor tel: 22169

LIBERTY LODGE email lodge.manager@cwimail.fk phone 22327 or 55327

FALKLAND OFF-ROADERS email falklands4x4@yahoo.com

FALKLAND ISLANDS YACHT CLUB - Chairman - Tony Blake 51684, Secretary - Janet McLeod 53566, website www.falklandsailing.com

FALKLANDS SEA CADETS Contact the CO 52779 or XO 51111

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).....Mount Caroline repeater, covering the north of the West Falkland including the cross sound ferry main operational area

146.625.....Stanley to Mount Alice

147.825 (Duplex - 0.6).....Mount Alice repeater, covering the south of West Falkland.

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



Falkland Islands Defence Force Routine Orders

Thursday 24th February 2011

00:00 Landing craft drills & quad bike break -

contact drills

Confidential, secure and safe. Got a question, need info or help?

Email: safe@police.gov.fk Answer machine +500 28111

The CID Confidential line is not operating at the moment.

If someone wishes to contact the station then use the safe line 28111 or email safe@police.gov.fk

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 7:00 BREAKFAST
 10:15 THE WEAKEST LINK
 11:00 NIGEL SLATER'S SIMPLE SUPPERS
 11:30 THIS MORNING
 1:25 EMMERDALE
 2:10 CHEETAH KINGDOM Documentary series
 2:35 ITV NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER
 3:00 LOOSE WOMEN
 3:45 DEAL OR NO DEAL
 4:35 GREAT BRITISH RAILWAY JOURNEYS 5:05 LAST CHANCE TO SEE In search of animals on the edge of extinction
 6:05 CORONATION STREET
 6:30 BRITISH FORCES NEWS
 7:00 BBC NEWS
 7:30 EASTENDERS
 8:00 THE SECRET MEDITERRANEAN with Trevor McDonald
 8:45 BFBS WEATHER
 8:50 CHILDREN'S EMERGENCY
 9:20 THE GOOD WIFE Legal drama series
 10:05 YOUNG, DUMB AND LIVING OFF MUM
 11:05 ASK RHOD GILBERT Comedy entertainment panel show
 11:40 THE GRAHAM NORTON SHOW Anarchic talk show
 12:25 BBC NEWS

Saturday 19th February
 8:30 AN ISLAND PARISH
 9:00 JIMMY'S FOOD FACTORY
 9:30 WILDLIFE A documentary about wildlife around the Falkland Islands, narrated by David Attenborough
 10:00 MERLIN Fantasy drama
 10:45 CELEBRITY MASTERCHEF The fifth series of Britain's favourite celebrity cooking contest continues
 11:15 CELEBRITY MASTERCHEF
 12:15 ZOO DAYS Documentary series based at Colchester Zoo
 12:35 TOP TRUMPS Robert Llewellyn and Ashley Hames test their knowledge of extreme machines
 1:00 NATURAL WORLD Wildlife documentary
 2:00 BBC SPORT Jonathan Edwards hosts live coverage of the Aviva Grand Prix from Birmingham
 5:30 FINAL SCORE Coverage of the latest results, reports and reaction from the Premiership, Football League, Non-League and Scottish League's
 6:10 THE SIMPSONS
 6:30 BFBS WEATHER
 6:35 THE GREEN HORNET: T4 Movie Special
 7:00 TAKE ME OUT Matchmaker Paddy McGuinness attempts to find dates for 30 flirty single ladies
 8:00 PRIMEVAL New series of the science fiction drama
 8:45 ANT & DEC'S PUSH THE BUTTON 22:00 BATTLESTAR GALACTICA: The Plan An added installment to the sci-fi series
 11:45 BFBS WEATHER
 11:50 Live at the Apollo
 12:20 LIVE AT THE APOLLO Stand-up comedy
 12:50 THE FOOTBALL LEAGUE SHOW
 2:10 BBC NEWS

Sunday 20th February
 9:10 FA CUP HIGHLIGHTS Matt Smith presents FA Cup fifth round highlights, including Manchester United taking on non-league Crawley. Plus action from the fourth round replay between Chelsea and Everton
 10:00 THE ANDREW MARR SHOW
 11:00 BRITISH FORCES NEWS: The Week in Afghanistan
 11:20 CELEBRITY MASTERCHEF
 12:20 EXTREME UNIVERSE Documentary series uncovering the secrets of the universe

SEAFISH CHANDLERY

THIS WEEKEND

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Fresh

FOODS FROM UK

Mon-Fri 8 00am-7 00pm Saturday 9 00am-6 00pm Sunday 10 00am to 5 00pm
 For more information see our web page: www.chandlery.co.uk

1:05 DINOSAUR SECRETS Documentary series using CGI footage
 1:50 JAMES MAY'S 20TH CENTURY Inventing the Teenager
 2:20 RIVER COTTAGE Bites Tasty recipes and kitchen tips
 2:30 FA CUP 4TH ROUND Replay Manchester City v Notts County
 5:10 SMALLVILLE Drama series following the formative years of Clark Kent
 5:50 THE SIMPSONS
 6:10 BFBS WEATHER
 6:15 SKI SUNDAY Highlights of the men's giant slalom from the 2011 World Ski Championships in Garmisch-Partenkirchen
 7:00 WILD AT HEART
 7:50 DANCING ON ICE
 9:30 OUTCASTS Science-fiction drama series
 10:30 DANCING ON ICE: The Skate Off
 11:00 QI
 11:30 THAT SUNDAY NIGHT SHOW
 12:00 FILM 2011 with Claudia Winkleman
 12:40 BBC NEWS

Monday 21st February
 7:00 BREAKFAST
 10:15 THE WEAKEST LINK
 11:00 EGGHEADS
 11:30 THIS MORNING
 1:25 EMMERDALE
 2:10 COOK YOURSELF THIN
 2:35 ITV NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER
 3:00 LOOSE WOMEN
 3:45 DEAL OR NO DEAL
 4:35 ON HANNIBAL'S TRAIL Over the Alps
 5:05 DOMESDAY Medieval historian Dr Stephen Baxter reveals the human and political drama that lies within the parchment of England's earliest surviving public record
 6:05 CORONATION STREET
 6:30 BRITISH FORCES NEWS
 7:00 BBC NEWS
 7:30 EASTENDERS
 8:00 WATERLOO ROAD School-based drama
 9:00 BFBS WEATHER
 9:05 OUTCASTS Science-fiction drama series
 10:05 NOT GOING OUT Sitcom
 10:35 FORGOTTEN HEROES In a Panorama Special, Collins meets veterans who struggle to find work and housing
 11:35 TEA PARTY AMERICA: This World Documentary
 12:35 BBC NEWS

Tuesday 22nd February
 7:00 BREAKFAST
 10:15 THE WEAKEST LINK
 11:00 LIFE IN A COTTAGE GARDEN with Carol Klein
 11:30 THIS MORNING
 1:25 HOUSE GIFT
 2:10 RIVER MONSTERS Demon Fish: New series of the programme in which extreme angler Jeremy Wade goes in search of some of the most frightening freshwater fish on the planet
 2:35 ITV NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER
 3:00 LOOSE WOMEN
 3:45 DEAL OR NO DEAL
 4:35 BAKING MADE EASY
 5:05 THE PRIVATE LIFE OF... Jimmy Doherty visits a farm in Devon to find out about cows
 6:05 CORONATION STREET
 6:30 BRITISH FORCES NEWS
 7:00 BBC NEWS
 7:30 EASTENDERS
 8:00 TOP GEAR
 9:00 BFBS WEATHER
 9:05 BIG FAT GYPSY WEDDINGS Documentary series
 9:55 THE EVENT Fast-paced US conspiracy thriller
 10:35 UNDERCOVER BOSS High-flying company executives go undercover to ensure their businesses are in good shape
 11:25 SECRET DIARY OF A CALL GIRL Controversial drama
 11:50 GORDON RAMSAY: Shark Bait
 12:40 BBC NEWS

Wednesday 23rd February
 7:00 BREAKFAST
 10:15 THE WEAKEST LINK
 11:00 EGGHEADS
 11:30 THIS MORNING
 1:25 EMMERDALE
 2:10 STREET MARKET CHEFS Celebrating fresh, seasonal produce
 2:35 ITV NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER
 3:00 LOOSE WOMEN
 3:45 DEAL OR NO DEAL
 4:35 GREAT BRITISH RAILWAY JOURNEYS
 5:05 ARE YOU FITTER THAN A PENSIONER?
 6:05 CORONATION STREET
 6:30 BRITISH FORCES NEWS
 7:00 BBC NEWS
 7:30 CASUALTY Medical drama
 20:20 OIL RIGGERS Documentary series
 9:05 BFBS WEATHER
 9:10 ARCTIC WITH BRUCE PARRY The final stage of Bruce

Parry's six-month journey is through Arctic Europe
 10:10 ROYAL NAVY: Caribbean Patrol This exciting documentary series follows Royal Navy warship HMS Manchester on her final deployment - a seven-month tour of duty hunting drug smugglers in the Caribbean
 10:55 MIRANDA Sitcom
 11:25 CANNABIS: What's the Harm? Ex-EastEnders star James Alexandrou finds out the truth about the most popular illegal drug in Britain
 12:25 BBC NEWS

Thursday 24th February
 7:00 BREAKFAST
 10:15 THE WEAKEST LINK
 11:00 WAINWRIGHT WALKS: Coast to Coast
 11:30 THIS MORNING
 1:25 HOUSE GIFT
 2:10 SUPER NURSES Series providing an intimate look at the daily lives of cancer sufferers and the nurses that care for them at the Macmillan, Marie Curie and Christie hospitals.
 2:35 ITV NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER
 3:00 LOOSE WOMEN
 3:45 DEAL OR NO DEAL
 4:35 A HISTORY OF THE WORLD Professor Mark Horton celebrates the achievements of Edward Jenner, the Gloucestershire doctor who developed a vaccination for smallpox
 5:05 MICHEL ROUX'S SERVICE
 6:05 CORONATION STREET
 6:30 BRITISH FORCES NEWS
 7:00 BBC NEWS
 7:30 EASTENDERS
 8:00 HOLBY CITY Medical drama series
 8:55 BFBS WEATHER
 9:00 THE TUDORS Historical drama series
 9:55 FAST AND LOOSE
 10:25 ONE BORN EVERY MINUTE Fly-on-the-wall documentary
 11:15 TIMOTHY SPALL Actor Timothy Spall and his wife Shane sail from Cornwall to south Wales in their Dutch barge
 11:45 QUESTION TIME Topical debate
 12:45 BBC NEWS

Friday 25th February
 7:00 BREAKFAST
 10:15 THE WEAKEST LINK
 11:00 NIGEL SLATER'S SIMPLE SUPPERS
 11:30 THIS MORNING
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 2:10 CHEETAH KINGDOM Documentary series
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 4:35 GREAT BRITISH RAILWAY JOURNEYS
 5:05 LAST CHANCE TO SEE KAKAPO: Stephen Fry and zoologist Mark Carwardine head to New Zealand in search of animals on the edge of extinction
 6:05 CORONATION STREET
 6:30 BRITISH FORCES NEWS
 7:00 BBC NEWS
 7:30 EASTENDERS
 8:00 GLEE Musical comedy series
 8:45 BFBS WEATHER
 8:50 CHILDREN'S EMERGENCY SERIES
 9:20 THE GOOD WIFE Legal drama series
 10:05 YOUNG, DUMB AND LIVING OFF MUM
 11:05 ASK RHOD GILBERT Comedy entertainment panel show
 11:40 THE GRAHAM NORTON SHOW
 12:25 BBC NEWS

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Falklands Radio Programmes Schedule

Friday 18th February

07:00 Breakfast Show with Trina Bernitsen
09:00 The Morning Experience with Ailie Biggs
10:00 News & Lifestyle with Liz Elliot to include 12.15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
12:30 Spotlight
13:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM
4:00 News & Jukebox with Scott Betts
6:00 News & Repeat of Spotlight
6:15 Weather, Flights, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
6:30 The Fabulous 50's with Paul Peters and Geoff Kemp
7:30 The Non Stop Country Hour with Liz Elliot
8:30 Weather & Flights and Leather & Lace
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM

Saturday 19th February

9:00 - 12:00 The Saturday Morning Show with Jock Elliot
5:00 Children's Corner with Monica
6:15 Weather, Flights, Anno's, Job Shop & What's on Guide
6:30 News Review
7:00 In Concert
8:00 The Fusion with Stacy Bragger
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM

Sunday 20th February

10:00 - 13:00 Coverage of the Cape Pembroke Hall Marathon
5:00 Music, Music & All That Jazz with Norman Clark
5:30 Desert Island Discs - Oscar Winning Actor & Director - Tim Robbins
6:15 Weather, Flights, Announcements, Job Shop & What's on Guide
6:30 Feature Presentation
7:00 Sunday Evening Service - Christ Church Cathedral
8:00 Slow Jams with Jock Elliot including weather & flights at 8:30
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM

Monday 21st February

07:00 Breakfast Show with Trina Bernitsen
09:00 The Morning Experience with Ailie Biggs
10:00 News and Lifestyle with Liz Elliot to include 12.15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
12:30 Spotlight
13:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM
4:00 News & Jukebox with Scott Betts
6:00 News & Repeat of Spotlight
6:15 Weather, Flights, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
6:30 Music presentation
7:30 Comedy Presentation - Claire in the Community
8:00 Vinyl Frontier with Myriam Booth including Weather & Flights at 8:30
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM

Tuesday 22nd February

07:00 Breakfast Show with Trina Bernitsen

09:00 The Morning Experience with Ailie Biggs
10:00 News and Lifestyle with Liz Elliot to include 12.15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
12:30 One to One
1:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM
4:00 News & Jukebox with Scott Betts
6:00 News & Repeat of One to One
6:15 Weather, Flights, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
6:30 Tuesday's Theme with Monica Limbun
6:45 Choir Production from Christ Church Cathedral
7:45 Folk Music Show with Jock Elliot
8:30 Weather, Flights & Hits of the 80's & 90's with Liz Roberts
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM

Wednesday 23rd February

07:00 Breakfast Show with Trina Bernitsen
09:00 The Morning Experience with Ailie Biggs
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1:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM
4:00 News & Jukebox with Scott Betts
6:00 News & Repeat of Spotlight
6:15 Weather, Flights, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
6:30 The Best of... with Ailie Biggs
7:30 Recording of Public Meeting
8:30 Weather & Flights followed by The Chart Show with Jason Lewis
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM

Thursday 24th February

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4:00 News & Jukebox with Scott Betts
6:00 News & A Brief History of Mathematics
6:15 Weather, Flights, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
6:30 Soul, Blues & Rock 'n' Roll with Liz Elliot
7:30 Feature Presentation
8:00 Pot Luck with Myriam Booth including Weather & Flights at 8:30
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM

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BFBS radio

96.5FM

Friday 12.00am Ops Breakfast from Afghanistan 3.00am Simon Guettier 4.00am UK Breakfast 7.00am Paul Wisdom 10.00am Mark Humphries 2.00pm Glen Mansell 5.00pm Mike Howarth 7.00pm Jessie Aru 10.00pm BFBS Indie

Saturday 12.00am Chill Out Room - Mark Humphries 2.00am Forces Shuffle 3.00am UK Breakfast Show 7.00am Falkland's Breakfast Show 9.00am The Vault 11.00am Vicky & Adam's Saturday Show 3.00pm Andy Pearman 6.00pm Club Culture Live 9.00pm Groove Collective - Mario 11.00pm BFBS Hosts

Sunday 12.00am BFBS Hosts 1.00am The Vault 3.00am UK Breakfast Show 7.00am Access all Areas 11am UK Sunday Afternoon Show 3.00pm Lee Dunn 6.00pm Music First 8.00pm Elevation 10.00pm Chill out room

BFBS radio

550 MW:

FRIDAY 0200 Morning reports 0230 Wake up to money 0300 Today from BBC Radio 4 0600 Simon Marlow 0900 BFBS gold with Dave Windsor 1000 World at One 1030 Richard Hutchinson 1400 PM from BBC Radio 4 1500 6 O'Clock News 1530 Five Live Sport 1930 Late Night Live 2200 BFBS Up all night from BBC Radio Five Live
SATURDAY 0200 Morning reports 0300 Weekend breakfast 0400 Today from BBC Radio 4 0600 BFBS News 0600 BFBS Radio 2 Saturday Show with Dusty Miller 0800 BFBS News 0803 Nigel Rennie Country 0900 Five Live Sport 1700 Saturday Edition 1900 Late night live from BBC Radio Five Live 2200 Up all night
SUNDAY 0200 Morning reports 0300 Weekend Breakfast Five live 0500 BFBS News 0503 The BFBS Radio 2 Sunday Show 0600 Broadcasting House from BBC Radio 4 0700 BFBS News 0703 A Taste of Cyprus 0900 BFBS Radio Greatest hits 1000 Five live sport 1600 Pienaar's Politics BBC Five Live 1700 On the money 1800 Five Investigates 1900 Late night live 2200 BFBS Radio News 2203 BFBS Gold with Dave Windsor 2300 Up All Night

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Friday 25th	0800 East—West 1000 West—East 1800 East—West
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**Fisheries Department
Catch for period 3 to 9 Feb 2011
Number of Licenses**

Licence Type	Eligible for Period	Fishing During Period
Total	36	21
A	9	4
E	2	2
F/R	4	1
L	1	1
S	1	0
W/Z	19	13

A = All Finfish
E = Experimental (Rock Cod/Loligo)
F/R = Skate/Ray
L = Longliner
S = Surimi
W/Z Restricted Finfish (no Hake)

Catch by Species (tonnes)

Species	Total catch
Loligo	5
Illex	8
Hakes	66
Blue Whiting	22
Hoki	622
Kingclip	121
Toothfish	39
Red Cod	58
Ray	177
Rock Cod	2419
Others	7
Total	3544

**Department of Agriculture Wool Market Report
11th February, 2011**

Tony Mills, Department of Agriculture, Falkland Islands

The Australian wool market has eased a little since bursting to record highs. It is now running at 78.1 pence per kg down 4 pence from last week. Exchange rate volatility is masking the full extent of the drop which in AUD was 19 cents or 1.5%.

China plays a strong role in the world wool market and analysts suggest that the easing was mainly on the back of lower levels of interest from Chinese buyers.

Further analysis of this week's offering shows a higher proportion of crossbred wools and buyers critical of the quality of the offering.

Fundamentals are still quite strong but the resistance from buyers to higher prices may well be starting to have some influence.

Week ending	Pence per kilogram clean for each micron category											
	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	28	30	32
02/09/2010	718	625	541	528	517	509	480	421	359	270	237	211
07/10/2010	759	659	586	572	552	530	486	448	386	277	241	219
04/11/2010	903	765	647	617	591	560	518	472	416	299	262	247
02/12/2010	990	787	630	616	584	560	516		414	302	275	258
16/12/2010	1028	822	655	638	607	576	519	441	399	305	278	258
13/01/2011	1160	964	727	707	670	639	565	478	432	330	294	266
20/01/2011	1203	967	725	688	666	633	591	507	467	356	316	279
27/01/2011	1216	970	724	699	672	637	597	515	477	363	319	284
03/02/2011	1297	1014	751	723	692	662	604	522	478	359	317	283
10/02/2011	1301	995	747	718	689	650	596	526	481	351	313	280
Market Change	4	-19	-4	-5	-3	-12	-8	4	3	-8	-4	-3
Price year ago	652	606	549	543	531	511	458	392	341	261	224	198
Change from last year	100%	64%	36%	32%	30%	27%	30%	34%	41%	34%	40%	41%

Coffee break Sudoku and quiz

Sudoku by Colin Lang

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	1	3			2
8			7		9
7					4
		9			3
	3			1	5
	2				8 4
		1	9		

- What is the code of silence which prohibits speaking about, or divulging information about, criminal activities, used by the Mafia?
- What is a bottomless pit or chasm, a very deep gorge, or a reference to something unfathomable and usually threatening or chaotic, such as hell?
- What is a three-dimensional figure with eight plane faces?
- What is the flat round cake made from flaky pastry and filled with currants, named after a town in Greater Manchester, England?
- What was the title given to the daughters of the Kings of Spain and Portugal who were not the heir to the throne?
- What is the inner and larger of the two bones in the human forearm?
- What food has the varieties Elstar, Ailmata and Cortland?
- What is the scarlet banner of Saint Dennis used by early French kings when setting out for war?
- What is a dish sprinkled with breadcrumbs or grated cheese and browned?
- Before the Euro, what was the basic monetary unit of Portugal?

- Electrolysis
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RMA swings into action to send Falklands rock to 45 Commando

JUST before Christmas, Captain Stevie Lewis of 45 Commando Royal Marines based at Royal Marines Condor in Arbroath, Scotland, made a request to the Royal Marines' Association Falkland Islands (RMA) for assistance in sourcing a piece of Falkland's rock.

The rock was needed as part of the Woodlands Garden Project that 45 Commando plans to have installed in its RM Condor base as a focal point for remembrance and reflection in the Commando.

Thirteen men of the Commando have been killed in action since 2006, and many more seriously wounded. The unit is soon to deploy to Afghanistan for the fourth time since 2002, during which time it also took part in operations in Iraq.

It is intended that Woodlands Garden will provide a tranquil site in which the families and serving men of 45 Commando can find solace. One metre tall stone globes, from every country the unit has fought in since moving to its Arbroath base in 1971, will be positioned within a walled garden, tastefully surrounded with shrubs, trees, pathways and a pavilion. In early January, with the help of Stuart Haines, Materials Manager



PWD's Materials Manager Stuart Haines with the RMA's rock

at Pony's Pass Quarry, a suitable piece of Falkland's quartzite rock was sourced, weighing in at 4.14 tonnes. Appropriately, the quarry is itself located just 5.5 kms from 45 Commando's 1982 battle objective, Two Sisters.

All that then remained was the weighty problem of how to get the rock back to Arbroath.

Everything started to happen when on Saturday February 5 it was made known to the RMA that the Falklands rock could be shipped back to Marchwood on

the FIRS vessel currently loading, but that it would have to be at Mare Harbour on Sunday to be loaded at 8am on Monday, provided that the Chief Officer was satisfied it was a safe load.

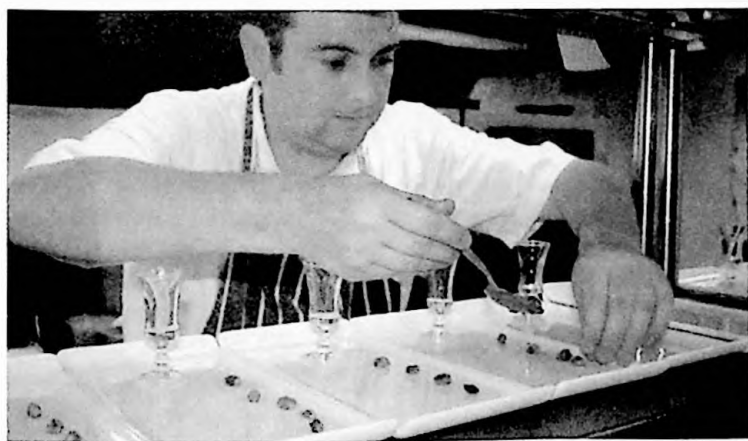
A couple of swift phone calls ascertained that Neil McKay was fortuitously just about to set off to Mare Harbour with a low loader and had room for the rock, also that Quarry Foreman Lard McLeod could arrange for the positioning of the rock on a forklift ready for lifting on to Neil's low

loader. The rock was delivered in good time and it was now down to 460 Port Troop to find suitable packaging for it and to load it on the FIRS, which they duly did. 45 Commando still has to get the rock from Marchwood to Arbroath of course, but Royal Marines are very resourceful! This whole episode must surely qualify as a Random Act of Kindness, except that it happened in the wrong week!

The Falklands Royal Marine Association would like to thank the following for their assistance in making this happen: Manfred Keenleyside, Director of Public Works; Stuart Haines, Materials Manager PWD; Neil McKay; Lard McLeod and the quarry gang; WO2 Tony Sims (Quay Foreman), Sgt Paul Harvey (Port Ops SNCO/Ganger) and Cpl Sol Campbell (Plant Operator), all from 460 Port Troop; Paul McVey, STO(N)FI; the Chief Officer of the FIRS; and last but not least, Simon Cole, Command Secretary.

Full details are available on line at: www.bmycharity.com.wgt and at 45 Commando Woodlands Garden Trust on facebook. All donations gratefully received.

Mike Rendell



Malvina House Hotel Head Chef Matt Clarke prepares the feast

Diners tuck in for a 16 course charity banquet

A SIXTEEN course meal has raised £900 for Falklands Conservation, courtesy of the Malvina House Hotel.

FC Executive Officer Craig Dockrill, who purchased the "Menu Gourmond" or chef's tasting menu at the Conservation Ball, and attended with nine others, said: "The banquet was incredible and far surpassed anyone's expectations. All of the dishes were delicious and beautifully presented."

"I can't imagine a better way to spend an afternoon than enjoying the company of good friends

and great food. We are hopeful that Matt will consider putting together a tasting menu once every couple months so that we can enjoy more of his delicious dishes in the future."

Malvina House Hotel Head Chef Matt Clarke said he was very pleased with the meal, which took approximately three days to prepare.

The menu included such dishes as spider crab benedict, 24-hour marinated loin of venison and fresh lime and ginger crème brulee, as well as seven different wines.

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Ryan Buckett

It's meant to be random so I'll decide what I'm going to do when it comes to me



Garry Tyrrell

I turned up to work this morning, I thought that was pretty kind. But I suppose I should wash the dishes at home or something too



Robin Luxton

As long as the sweets keep coming I'm planning to be very nice

Jeanette Miller

I RAK'd my daughter on the 14th by paying for her mobile phone to be unlocked

... and how does it feel to be RAK'd?



Sybie Summers

It was absolutely wonderful. I was totally surprised by the girls at my door with a lovely box of chocolates



Maud McKenzie

Lovely. I took Hilda out for lunch, but it doesn't have to be a kindness week for us to be kind

Charlene Rowland

It was amazing to be RAK'd. We were given a £10 note. I happened to be guiding a blind stranger around Stanley at the time so that was my act of kindness too



Bethan Halliday

I'm planning to pass it on by being extra caring

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January 15
Wayne Ian Summers James Clasen
& Donna Monica May
in Christ Church Cathedral
January 23
Keith Anthony Knight
& Nuala Elizabeth McKay
at Carcass Bay, West Falkland Islands
February 5
Dereck Charles Jaffray & Anika Doreen Clarke
in Christ Church Cathedral



Brody Rosel Maria Lennie



Travis, Anika, Dereck and Molly Jaffray

A romantic purple theme added a picturesque air to the wedding of Dereck Jaffray (39) and Anika Clarke (28) at Christ Church Cathedral on February 5.

Close family and friends then moved on to the Malvina House Hotel to enjoy a meal, before making their way to the Town Hall for the reception. The hall was resplendent in purple and white, with two statement gothic arches and gazebos, decorated by NCB Solutions. Music was courtesy of Robert Rowlands, and the three-tier cake was made by Michele Evans and proved very popular with guests.

The bride wore a white fairytale gown with a full skirt and a boned bodice laced at the back, which was detailed with light-reflecting sequins creating a glittery, graceful vision. The groom and best man Christian Berntsen (40) wore dashing black suits with dark purple ties and pocket squares, all complementing the theme of the day. The bride was accompanied by her maid of honour Karin Sanchez (28) who wore a purple empire line dress, and two bridesmaids, the daughter of the couple Molly (9) and Amy Kultschar (5), the daughter of Karin, who both wore adorable white princess dresses in a classic style with a daisy detail sash and fake fur shrugs. The couple's son Travis (6) was a handsome addition to the train as the pageboy, wearing a dark suit and matching tie.

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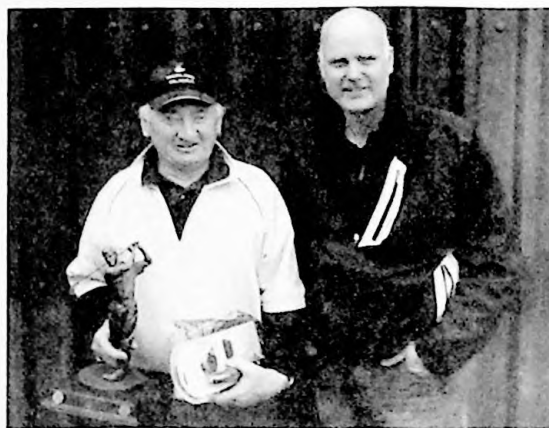
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Tony McMullen collects his trophy from Ian Stewart

Tony Mac wins the IS Construction Trophy

LAST Sunday saw the playing of the Ian Stewart Construction Trophy. Sixteen players signed in to play in a blustery northerly wind making interesting and different playing conditions from the previous weekend.

Played using the stableford format, Tony McMullen won on 38 points two shots better than his handicap. On a countback Rodney Lee was placed second on 37 points. Also on 37 points were Troyd Bowles in 3rd place with Carole Lee counted out into 4th.

Carole, however, won the best front nine while Sarah Bowles won the best back nine. Carole also won

the nearest the pin on the 4th while the nearest the pin on the 17th was won by Drew Irvine. Tim Bonner won the longest drive. There were six birdies.

Many thanks again to Ian Stewart for sponsoring the competition and the magnificent trophy. After second places on Sunday and the week before Troyd Bowles now leads the League table five points clear of Tony McMullen.

This coming Sunday will see the February Monthly Medal being played with the usual check in time.

Tony Rocke

Actual Experience Ltd

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17:00 Andrew Newman: FIG's objectives in relation to Falkland Islands telecoms, specifically Perception Quality.

17:10 Chris Gare, Actual Experience: Overview of the Broadband services performance observation programme.

18:00 Justin McPhee, CWSA: CWSA's perspective

18:20 Dick Sawle: Political summary and view on Perception Quality.

18:40 Questions.

19:00 Close.

You really can't afford to miss this, so I look forward to meeting you on the 25th.

Chris Gare

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Falkland and Mount Pleasant cricketers enjoy the sunshine

MPA triumph in a well contested series

THE FIRST of the three South Atlantic Ashes matches was held on January 29.

The Falkland Islands won the toss and elected to send Mount Pleasant Airport in to bat first. In their allotted 25 overs, they managed to put together a score of 119.

Tony Mills was the pick of the bowlers by taking four wickets. Pollitt also scored well with a respectable tally of 32.

After a quick change around the Falkland Islands batsmen were ready. It only took until the fourth over for the first wicket to fall.

Tony Mills also put on a good score with the bat by ending the game with 34 runs. Andrew Brownlee scored the winning runs with plenty of overs to go.

The next game was played at MPA Oval the following Saturday. Once again Martin Collins won the toss and decided to field first.

It did not take long for Mills to strike by claiming his first wicket of the day with Nick Francis holding on to a catch at short fine leg.

Tom Chave was top scorer with 63 as the Falklands bowled MPA out for 141 runs. This was a tall order for the Falklands batsmen who could not quite manage to make the runs needed for victory. They eventually lost by 20 runs, leaving the series wide open.



Tom Chave celebrates

The final one day match on Saturday was to be an exciting game. Once again, Falklands won the toss and chose to bat second.

MPA put a total of 166 runs on the board, with Tom Chave coming to the crease at number three with a magnificent batting display leaving him 97 not out.

After their 25 overs the Falklands went in to bat and conceded a few early wickets leaving the opponents sensing victory.

A brave stand from Tony Mills and Craig Paice made the score look a bit more respectable with Paice scoring a career best of 34.

The Falkland Islands had lost the match by 62 runs and the series 2-1.

David Hewitt
Cricket Development Officer

Cape Pembroke Half Marathon - Sunday 20th February

Walk it or Run it - £7
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Runners - Stanley Leisure Centre 9.45 - 10.30 am
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Football - Saturday 19th February 3 - 5pm

Under 7s

Matt Francis (Capt) Malachi Budd, Daniel Ross, Alfie Evans,
Lane McKay, Travis Jaffray, Liam Jaffray, Nick Rowlands, Theo Duncan

8s and over

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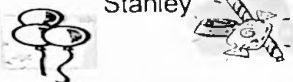
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IMPORTANT PUBLIC NOTICE

SUPPLY OF WREATHS OF POPPIES for 2011

The General Public are advised that the Royal British Legion (FI Branch) has taken on the role of coordinating the ordering of wreaths of poppies for the Falkland Islands.

As an efficiency and cost saving measure, there will also be a change in how wreaths of poppies are supplied by the Royal British Legion (FI Branch). There will no longer be a large stock of wreaths held in the Falkland Islands. (A small quantity of Type 'B' wreaths will be held in stock for visiting Veterans/Families)

The aspiration is to get all units, associations, groups, individuals and anyone else that might require wreaths of poppies for 2011 to submit their order to the Royal British Legion (FI Branch) on or before Friday 04 March 2011.

Those wishing to purchase wreaths of poppies for 2011 are asked to submit their requirements to one of the officers of the RBL named below. Please note that orders placed should cover requirements for the whole of 2011 as wreaths will not be ordered on an individual basis. Invoices will be issued on receipt of wreaths in the Falkland Islands.

Chairman - M T Clarke - email: tac@horizon.co.fk - phone 21131
Secretary - K Biles - email: sec.rblfi@gmail.com - phone 21897/51897
Treasurer - D Lewis - email: newhouse1970@hotmail.com - phone 51527



Invitation to Tender

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Stanley Services Limited invite tenders to supply and construct a pair of semi-detached houses at 76-78 Davis Street, Stanley.

Applications for tender information should be submitted before 18th February 2011 to Steve Fowmes, Stanley Services Limited, Airport Road, P.O Box 117, Stanley, Falkland Islands
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Stanley Services Scholarship

The Stanley Services Scholarship is aimed at candidates who are age 21 or above, and may be used as a contribution to post graduate studies or awarded to mature students or individuals who wish to retrain or gain specialist/additional training to further their career within the Falkland Islands. This could take the form of paying course fees, helping with accommodation and/or travel costs.

No formal qualifications are required, however, the driving factor behind the award must be of relevance to the future development of the individual and to the Falkland Islands.

Interested persons can obtain an application form and additional information from Steve Fowmes at Stanley Services Ltd. on telephone 22622 or sfowmes@stanley-services.co.fk

Closing date for applications is April 15, 2011

Application forms should be returned Steve Fowmes, Stanley Services Ltd. Stanley, Falkland Islands.

At close of business
February 17, 2011

Change over
previous week

Falkland Oil and Gas Ltd	92.75	no change
Falkland Islands Holdings	292.50	-10.00
Desire Petroleum	36.50	-0.25
Rockhopper Petroleum	282.00	-56.75
Borders & Southern Petroleum	67.25	+0.25
Cable & Wireless	46.38	-0.69
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NOTICES/VACANCIES

The Falkland Islands Company - Vacancies

Full-time and Part-time Customer Service Assistants are required for the West Store Retail Complex.

Applicants must be aged 18 years and over and be willing to work flexible hours, including weekends, evenings and public holidays. You should be pleasant, confident and will need to be versatile and happy to undertake any aspect of work within the West Store Complex, Café and new Peacocks clothing section. The position will include the operation of computerised tills and organising of new stock.

For further information, please contact Leeanne Henry on 27661. Application forms are available from the West Store Foodhall.

The Falkland Islands Company Ltd has vacancies for **Handymen**. A good knowledge of carpentry, roofing, plumbing and general building work is required, together with the ability to work unsupervised and at heights. Candidates must also have experience in masonry work, painting and decorating. For further details please contact Roger Spink on 27600 or write in with a CV to our Crozier Place offices. The closing date for applications is 18th February 2011.

The Falkland Islands Company Ltd is looking for staff to assist with stock taking in Homeliving, Homebuilder, Electrical, Warehouse, Capstan and Foodhall Departments from the 26th February 2011 until 27th March 2011. For further information please contact Tara Francis on telephone number 27635.

SUPPLY TEACHING ASSISTANTS/LUNCHTIME SUPERVISORS
MOUNT PLEASANT SCHOOL

The Ministry of Defence invites applications for locally engaged civilians to work during term time at Mount Pleasant School.

We are seeking to increase the pool of Supply Teaching Assistants available to support the school.

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This Post requires a satisfactory enhanced disclosure from the Criminal Records Bureau (CRB) which will be arranged for the successful candidate, also the successful candidate will be expected to undergo UK Security clearance checks prior to appointment.

For further information, application forms and terms of reference please contact Comd Sec. HQ BFSAL. Tel Ext: 6797

Completed application forms should be returned to HR Section, Comd Sec. HQ BFSAL by 1600 hrs on 28 February 2011.



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The office of JP is an unpaid, voluntary position and JPs will be required to make themselves available for about 1 - 2 Court sittings each month (other work commitments will be honoured and a rota agreed in advance).

For further information and an application form please contact:

Val Padgett Courts Administrator

PO Box 602

Town Hall

Stanley

Telephone: 27271

e-mail:

courtadministrator@townhall.gov.fk

If you would like to nominate a suitable person, rather than apply yourself, we would be very pleased to hear from you.

Applications close on 18th March 2011

VACANCIES/PERSONAL/NOTICES pnews.adverts@horizon.co.fk



FALKLAND ISLANDS GOVERNMENT VACANCIES

Human Resources Department Payroll Manager

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Further Information: Contact Jenny Smith, Personnel Officer on 28420 during normal working hours.
Closing Date: 4th March 2011

Post Office Cashier / Clerk – Maternity Cover Approximately 10 Weeks

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For Information: Contact Moria Eccles on telephone number 27180 during normal working hours
Closing Date: 25th February 2011

Department of Health & Social Services Chief Medical Officer

Hours: 37.5 hours per week
Salary: Grade A2, commencing at £73,854 per annum
For Information: Contact David Jenkins, Director of Health & Social Services on telephone number 28000 during normal working hours
Closing Date: 4th March 2011

Education Department – Falkland Islands Community School School Secretary – Job Share 1 Year Initially

Hours: 18.75 hours per week
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Further Information: Contact Mrs Helen Bell, Acting Deputy Head, on 27147 during normal working hours
Closing Date: 21st February 2011

Taxation Department Temporary Taxation Assistant 6 Months Initially

Hours: 37.5 hours per week
Salary: Grade G, commencing at £14,346 per annum
Further Information: Contact Karen Drysdale, Taxation Officer, on 28470 during normal working hours.
Closing Date: Monday 28th February 2011

Job Descriptions and application forms for the above positions can be obtained from the Human Resources Department – telephone 28420, fax 27212 or e-mail HRclerk@sec.gov.fk

Assistant Manager Full time permanent position

Kelper Stores Limited are seeking an individual who has previous management experience, preferably within a food retail environment. This person will be actively involved in all aspects of managing a busy retail business. For more information and a job description please contact Mhari on 22270 or email kelper@horizon.co.fk
Closing date for applications: 25th February 2011.

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Falkland Landholdings have a full time vacancy at Goose Green Farm for a general farm worker to start work in May. A valid driving licence is essential also must be able to ride a bike, be prepared to keep working dogs and work extra hours and weekends when required. Preference would be given to a family to support the full time school at Goose Green. Please apply in writing to Keith Alazia, Goose Green or Owen Summers General Manager Stanley on or before 4.30pm the 18th February

Shorty's Diner has the following vacancies:

Cashier/General Kitchen Assistant to work on a shift basis. Main role is to operate the cash register and serve customers, then to assist in the kitchen where necessary and take control of stock ordering. The successful applicant must have a polite and pleasant nature with previous experience in customer service relations, and be able to work unsupervised as part of a professional team. Shifts will include weekends and public holidays.
Pastry Chef – to work unsupervised and be reliable and have a polite and pleasant nature. In the first instance to produce home baked cakes and desserts, and also to assist the chefs in general cooking thereafter.
For further information, please call Marlene Short, or send CV and application to Shorty's Diner.

The Print Shop

The Print Shop currently has a vacancy for an Assistant Printer. No previous experience is required as training will be provided; they must be physically fit and willing take on a wide variety of tasks within the day to day running of the Print Shop. The closing date for applications is Friday 25th February. Please contact Donna Clasen on 22061 or email: info@printshop.co.fk for more information, or come to the office for a full job description.

FALKLAND ISLANDS GOVERNMENT COMMITTEES ACCESS TO INFORMATION

Please note that the following committee meeting will be open for public attendance during the forthcoming week:
Standing Finance Committee – Friday 25th February 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.



To our darling son Liam Williams. Happy 5th Birthday for Thursday love you loads Mum and Dad xxx



Happy 30th birthday Godfather Brian love Theo xx

A group of small kids went to the West this last weekend, and had a fab time. It was all down to the following people, and so they would like to say a very big THANK YOU to you all. Thank you so much to Teena for offering her house to us and for Kevin, Steph and John for agreeing. It was amazing – and we hope we left it in one piece. Thank you to Colleen for the cabin too – we would have been seriously stuck without you all. Thanks to the police for agreeing to move houses, and for allowing the kids to look at the police car. Thanks to Critta for allowing all of us into the shed, they had loads of fun. Thanks to the shearers, rousies, table hands, and Simon for putting up with us all. Thanks to Abigail for inviting us to your amazing party and Helen and Leon for allowing us ALL to come! Thanks to Ben and Claire for being amazing pirates – you did a great job! Thanks to Nigel for the bouncy castle. Thanks to Shirley and Port Howard Lodge for having the overspill. Thanks to Granny for her amazing driving. Thanks to the mad assistants (Sue, Sharon, Angie, John and Hannah) for agreeing to come with us – they thought I was mad for arranging it, but you are even madder for saying you would come too! A huge thanks to FTT for the bus – it was invaluable, and we are so very very grateful. A massive TOOT TOOT to all on the Concordia Bay, the kids loved the crossings, and your enthusiasm and assistance was amazing. Thanks again – see you all next year!!!!

Narrows Bar

Andi Neate will have a farewell session with us this Saturday - 19th February - tickets can be reserved - £4pp. Myriam will be back with Country music on the 26th.

Anyone interested in taking over the St Helena Emergency Relief Fund is asked to contact the Chairperson, Mr John Clifford, as soon as possible. Failing hearing from some interested persons an EGM will be held shortly with the intent of winding the fund up.

Every Wednesday the Narrows Bar

Are holding Salsa Dance classes From 7.30-9.00pm with Rafael and Ailie, followed by Latin American dance music from 9.00-10.30pm. £1 per person donated to the Stanley Football Club's overseas games fund. Beginners always welcome!

Bridge results for Wednesday 9th February – 1st Rene Duncan & Nancy Jennings
 2nd Bob Alazia, Booby Joan Middleton & Ally Ford

Bridge results for Wednesday 16/02/11
 1st. Elsie Chapman and Bob Alazia
 2nd. Bumerd Peck and helpers
 Booby Joan Middleton and Rene Duncan



Lighthouse Seamen's Centre Cafe
Opening times: Wednesday to Friday 10am to 4pm
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 Last orders for hot food at 3pm.

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Public Accounts Committee

The Committee's programme will be finalised and published in the next month or so.
The programme will include fixed matters provided for in the Constitution and in the PAC Ordinance, and a number of other areas of expenditure of public funds which the Committee plan to scrutinise, resources permitting.
The Committee intend that the programme is flexible and responsive to changing circumstances and we would like to hear your views on areas of public spending you think we should look at.
Please remember that the Committee does not examine policies decided by Government, or estimates of expenditure, but is concerned with whether the public resources utilised to achieve policy aims are used effectively, efficiently and economically.
Visit our website at *www.pac.org.fk* for an update on Committee business.
Contact details: Secretary, Leeann Harris on 22905 mornings or email pacsecretary@cwimail.fk

FORSALE/NOTICES

Isuzu Sports MU £2,750. Call Steve 55632

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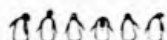
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Don't forget the Horticultural Show this weekend! Take your entries to the FICS School Street between 5-8pm on Saturday 19th (not the Parish Hall as advertised in the printed programmes). The Show will be open at 2pm on Sunday 20th at the FICS School Street so we look forward to seeing you there!



Falkland Islands
TOURIST BOARD

Office Space for lease

An opportunity exists to lease office space located above the Pod Gift Shop. The office space would ideally suit a small sized business.

The initial lease period will be for 12 months and is available immediately.

For viewing or enquiries please contact Paul Trowell, gm.fib@horizon.co.fk or by phone 27019.

The next meeting of the Public Accounts Committee is due to be held on Thursday 24th February commencing at 3pm in the Court and Council Chamber. The Agenda for the meeting can be found on their website www.pac.org.fk or from the Secretary by contacting her on pacsecretary@cwimail.fk. Members of the public can attend but not speak at the meeting.

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NOTICES

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For more information or to view contact Ella on 51012

The next session of Legislative Assembly has been scheduled to take place at 09.30 on Friday 25 February 2011 in the Court and Council Chambers, Town Hall.

Rockhopper Exploration, in partnership with the Department of Mineral Resources, AGR and Diamond Offshore, invites members of the public to a presentation entitled 'What is Oilfield Appraisal?' The presentation will take place on Tuesday 1st March at 5.30pm in the Court and Council Chamber, Town Hall. All are welcome to attend. For further information, please contact the Department of Mineral Resources on 27322

Government House Gardens Open Day

The Government House gardens will be open to the public from 1pm - 4pm on Saturday 5th March.
Refreshments will be served by members of the Girl Guides in exchange for a small donation

Grass Cutting - SLC

Due to staff illness Stanley Leisure Centre are seeking casual workers to undergo grass cutting and garden maintenance work in and around the site. All equipment will be supplied and a good rate of pay is offered. For further details contact the Recreation Manager, Steve Dent on 27285 or 55632 as soon as possible. Applications will close on Wednesday 23rd February.

A polite reminder to all members of the general public, access gates within the Stanley Airport boundary fence are for use by emergency services only. Public access is strictly prohibited unless prior permission has been given by the Aerodrome Manager.

Narrows Bar

Andi Neate will have a farewell session with us this Saturday - 19th February - tickets can be reserved - £4pp. Myriam will be back with Country music on the 26th.

NOTICE FROM THE DARWIN HARBOUR SPORTS ASSOCIATION

The DHSA would like to announce that the Sports Meeting for 2011 will be held at Goose Green starting on the 26th February to the 1st March, the programmes are now on sale.
Can everybody wishing to enter the Dog Trials contact Diana on 22917 or 32296 evenings before the 18 February, late entries will be run first. All jockeys holding Challenge Trophies please return them to Diana @ 17 James Street before the 18 February. Please book your accommodation with your hosts before the 18th. We look forward to seeing you all there.

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Manager, Sea Lion Lodge
Falkland Islands FIQQ 1ZZ
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Fax: + 500 32003
sealion.lodge@horizon.co.fk
www.sealionisland.com

Members of the Legislative Assembly will be holding a public meeting on Tuesday 22 February 2011, 5pm in the Court & Assembly Chamber, Town Hall. This will be an open meeting

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Chief of Police, Gary Finchett

Surprising statement

IN a surprise statement, Governor Haywood announced last Friday that Chief Superintendent Gary Finchett would be leaving his post as Director of Community Safety and Chief Police Officer at the end of March, due to what were described as "personal family reasons which require him to return to the UK."

The Governor described Chief Superintendent Finchett as "an excellent Director and Chief Police Officer" who would be missed. He had done much to reinstall public confidence in the Police and to improve morale. Also mentioned in the statement was the leading role that Mr Finchett had played in reviews of immigration policy.

Following these personal tributes, the Governor announced that Executive Council would be advised this week that the opportunity would be taken to redesignate Chief Superintendent Finchett's post as Chief Police Officer and Director of Emergency Services.

The redesignation would be pending an independent review of FIG's management structure to be undertaken in September.

This reference to an independent review seemed to have surprised councillors at Tuesday's public meeting.

Details of how such a review would be carried out and by whom were "still up for discussion" according to chairman Cllr Bill Luxton.

Legal wrangles hold back ships

CONSOLIDATED Fisheries vessel Baffin Bay has been detained in Montevideo since Friday February 11, caught up in a situation which, according to Uruguayan press sources has caused fifteen Spanish vessels to boycott the port altogether and has attracted the "close attention" of that country's embassy in Uruguay.

The problem has been caused by courts in Montevideo seizing vessels and prohibiting their sailing in response to what is described as a "wave" of damages claims brought against vessels by crew members, usually of Peruvian origin, who have been encouraged by dock side lawyers to seek exorbitant amounts of money in compensation.

During 2010 courts in Uruguay seized ten fishing vessels, most of which were banned from leaving the port of Montevideo until an out of court agreement was reached with the plaintiff crew member, or following the presentation of a hefty bond as collateral.

In many instances the claims were for sums in excess of \$US100,000 and in one recent case a crew member was demanding \$US420,000.

Offers by ship owners to pay bonds to the court so that their vessels can return to the fishing grounds may be accepted, but are also not without complications and delays.

Such has been the case with Baffin Bay, which is facing two separate claims by two Peruvian brothers who had worked on the vessel for years until 2008 and 2009 respectively, when they failed to turn up for the new season without notification.

Before being detained, the vessel had been expected in Stanley on Wednesday to pick up its lolligo licence.

Consolidated Fisheries has lodged two separate bonds with

the court for amounts described by Company Director Cheryl Roberts as "substantial" in order to free their vessel to resume fishing.

Unfortunately difficulties with transfers between international banks, together with time differences and the very restricted opening hours of the institutions concerned have all combined to add a further week of delay and frustration.

sage through Argentine waters when on its way to Montevideo to discharge catch from Falklands waters.

An increase in such cases is causing the Uruguayan authorities to seek solutions rather than run the risk of losing business estimated by Uruguayan union sources to represent some 1,000 tonnes of fish a year, or the equivalent in money terms of some \$US200 million.



Infant & Junior School Sports Day: full coverage next week

As some compensation for the loss of revenue that the detention of the Baffin Bay represents, Mrs Roberts told Penguin News that her company had made a day-by-day arrangement with Seafish Ltd to allow their vessel Playa Pesmar Uno to use the Baffin Bay's catch entitlement until such time that the Baffin Bay is released and back in Falklands waters.

Similar problems have been faced by the Cabo do Cavo, another fishing vessel bound for the Falklands, but currently detained in Montevideo. The vessel's Falklands agent, Elvio Cofré says that he believes the case against the vessel was made by a Peruvian fisherman who was sent home because his mother was ill and never heard from again until the detention order was made. In September 2010 this vessel made the headlines when it was denied free pas-

However this is clearly not a new problem. Laurie Butler, of local fishing company Argos told the Penguin News that the Argos Vigo was detained in Montevideo two years ago, after two Peruvian crew men complained of bad treatment. The ship was only released after paying \$US40,000 bail and when the case eventually got to court this was converted to a fine, out of which the two complainants received only \$US5,000 each.

Mike Summers of Quark Fishing Ltd said that after investigating reports that his company's long-liner Jacqueline had been detained as a result of a legal claim being made against it, he was convinced this was not the case. Mr Summers said that his company's vessel is in Montevideo, but for work to be done in connection with safety certification.

John Fowler

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FALKLAND ISLANDS

AT a time when all across the Middle East ordinary people have been finding their voices and using them to challenge repressive regimes, last Tuesday's public meeting in Stanley's Town Hall presented a strange contrast. As Councillor Dick Sawle quipped when the meeting seemed to be about to die after half an hour of somewhat desultory questions, "This must be the quietest you've been all day. It's certainly the quietest we've been."

Though well-attended, the meeting finally expired with fifteen minutes of its allotted hour still to go. The only time when - again to borrow Cllr Sawle's phrase - "the blood quickened for a little while" was during a debate which he instigated on the plethora of signs prohibiting smoking adorning every table top and wall in Stanley. This, of course, gave him and fellow smokers in the Assembly the opportunity to score a few points against their banning brethren. It all went to prove, said Cllr Ross, that "smokers are a very tolerant lot, much more so than non-smokers."

All good fun, then, but it left me wondering why so many of the subjects that I had expected to be raised and hotly debated, like the proposals to amend the Telecommunications Bill about which my ears had been assailed earlier in the week, were left unmentioned.

In the middle of some collective amnesia resulting from a question about old tourism signs, I found I had written the following:

"How much can councillors say? How much do they know? Is the reluctance to ask due to a feeling that there is no point in asking?"

The most complete answer of the meeting, possibly prepared in advance by some member of the Civil Service, was given to a previously presented written question. This, coupled with the number of times when councillors had to admit that they did not have the full facts, the numbers, or the necessary documents before them to give a full answer, did make me question once again both the usefulness of this kind of meeting and, more importantly, whether our current parliamentary arrangements do not place an impossible burden of expected on-the-spot omniscience on our elected representatives.

When it was first mooted that FIG was to have eight "superheads" I had immediately and naively assumed that these would be the eight elected MLAs, full-time and given ministerial responsibility, who would work with secretarial support from adequate offices within the departments where they would spend the majority of their time and about which they would become expert. Given the sheer indigestible bulk of the information we ask our MLAs to command, is it any wonder that they sometimes appear to be mere spectators peering out together through the rose-tinted windows of Gilbert House at the chaos beyond?

John Fowler

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Married women in legislation oversight

GOVERNMENT invests in individuals to study but it appears current legislation will not allow all of them to work with the status that qualified them for their education.

Our country clearly needs more home-grown professionals, but during a return home to the Islands, a fully-qualified former teacher in the Education Department (who prefers not to be named) was told when she offered her services to cover a temporary shortage that she could not work because her husband did not have Falkland Islands Status.

The woman, whose parents are status holders and live in the Falklands, arrived here aged nine and had status before leaving for further education. She had been told by councillors that her status would be reinstated once she landed in the islands, but instead Customs realised she needed a visitors permit.

"It's ridiculous, I offered my services as a primary teacher because I'm here for a while and the school was short-staffed. But I was told I can't work because I got married" she told the Penguin News.

Understandably concerned, the locally-funded trained professional will be meeting with customs officials to discuss her options, but as the Constitution stands she will have to apply for a work permit, putting her at the bottom of the pile for recruitment in any job.

The 2009 Constitution brought about changes to the definition of an Islander, as well as defining how to become one. You can no longer become an Islander through marriage, but what many are unaware of is how easily marriage can strip you of your status.

Chief Customs and Immigration Officer Robert King empathises with the problem, agreeing that loss of status would

not normally be expected as a result of your vows.

"Domicile is a complex matter" Mr King told the Penguin News referring to the term used to describe a person's place of permanent or legal residence. What is clear is that at present if a female who enjoyed Falklands Status before the constitutional change chooses to marry a man who is domiciled to another country, then she absorbs his domicile and loses affiliation to this country.

This regulation used to apply in the UK before the Domicile and Matrimonial Proceedings act of 1973 was introduced to give married women the same capacity as anyone else to independently choose their domicile.

Mr King believed that the present anomaly occurred "possibly because it wasn't thought of at the time and provisions were not made to amend the old constitution" but he assures that everything is being done to remedy the situation. However, Cllr Gavin Short said "it was not tracking high in the work stream" and isn't likely to be changed before they have dealt with more pressing matters.

When asked whether females who were born here would lose their domicile to the Falklands Mr King said "if someone has status from birth, in virtually all cases, provisions will be made to reacquire status." The problem affects those who were not born here, but enjoyed Falkland Islands status before the Constitution changed and it does not affect holders of permanent residence permits.

Another concern all status holders should be aware of is that after absence from the country for two or more years, government can investigate and in the absence of valid grounds for absence, like education or medical treatment, he or she will be domiciled to their present country of residence.

Teslyn Barkman

Ships in Stanley harbour

for the week ending February 24



Vessel	Type	Vessel Agent	Departed
Maersk Traveller	AHTS	Byron Holdings	Feb 23
Scout	Cargo	SAAS	
Concordia Bay	Cargo	Workboat Services	Feb 17
Argos Froyanes	Longliner	Sullivan	Feb 19
Protegit	Patrol	RB Consultants	
Toisa Invincible	Supply	Byron Holdings	Feb 20
Bravo Supporter	Supply	Stanley Services	Feb 20
Ocean Endeavour	Survey	Stanley Services	Feb 21
Castelo	Trawler	RB Consultants	Feb 23
Kalatxori	Trawler	RB Consultants	Feb 18
New Polar	Trawler	Seaview	Feb 23
Sil	Trawler	Seaview	Feb 23
Robin M Lee	Trawler	Seaview	Feb 22
Argos Vigo	Trawler	Sullivan	Feb 23
Paradanta Primero	Trawler	Sullivan	Feb 23
Argos Pereira	Trawler	Sullivan	Feb 22

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Meeting Matters

SOME twenty or so members of the public attended this month's public meeting with Legislative Assembly Members held in the Court and Council Chamber of the Town Hall on Tuesday evening. All the members of the Assembly were present with the exception of Roger Edwards who is out of the country and Emma Edwards whose duties at the Community School prevented her attendance. Here are some of the subjects raised:

Autopilots

IN response to a question from Tim Miller about what safety criteria made necessary the installation of autopilots in some FIGAS planes, councillors gave an assurance that they had asked the same question. Cllr Luxton said that while the autopilots could not land the plane in an emergency they would help prevent the kind of pilot disorientation sometimes caused by flying into clouds.

Recruitment

THE situation regarding the hold-up in the recruitment of a new headteacher for the Community School which was described by Philip Middleton as "a mess," was admitted to be "unsatisfactory" by Cllr Jan Check.

Cllr Check said that she believed the decision had been to postpone recruitment to give time to make the post appear more attractive in what was a very competitive and expensive market.

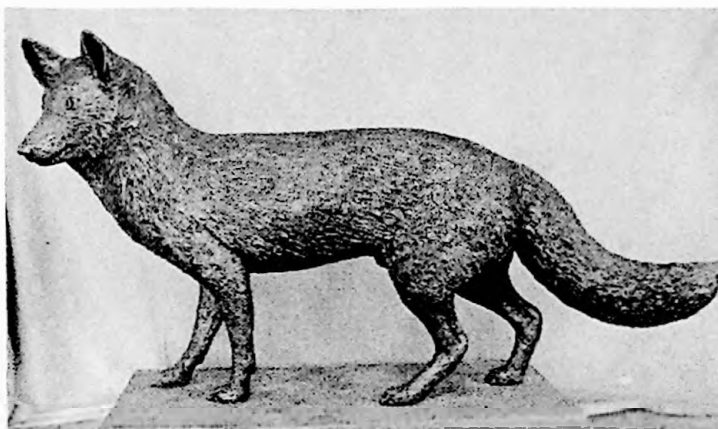
None of the councillors were aware how far the recruitment process had gone before it was halted and suggested that the facts might be available from the Human Resources Department.

Dangerous wool

ASKED by farmer Ricky Evans if future shipments of wool were likely to be regarded as dangerous cargo, Cllr Check said that the hope was that the Falklands could be given a long-term exemption, as had clearly been achieved by other wool-shipping countries. A decision was expected this week.

FIG as swan

THE Assembly was compared to a swan by Bill Luxton, who assured the audience that although the effort was not apparent, much work was being done to restore shipping links. Cllr Jan Check said that she and her colleagues were aware that action was needed within a few weeks.



Steve Massam's reconstruction of what the Warrah looked like

Investigation plan for Warrah find site

FOLLOWING 13 year old Dale Evans finding of what is believed to be the skull of a Warrah at Spring Point last year, archaeologists Dr Rob Philpott and Dr David Barker are in the Islands to carry out further investigation of the site.

Drs Philpott and Barker, have been coming to the Falklands regularly since 1992, studying the early archaeological sites in the Islands, from Port Egmont and Port Louis to Keppel Island and the early FIC settlements.

Their visit this time to explore the site of last year's discovery for the Museum & National Trust, is with the assistance of a grant from the Shackleton Scholarship Fund.

The Warrah, the only Falkland

Islands land mammal, was once very common in the Islands and also very tame, a feature which led to its eradication over 160 years ago.

Only six specimens of the animal exist in European museums and the remains found by Dale Evans are the only ones belonging to an animal thought to have died naturally.

In a talk at the Chamber of Commerce next Thursday (March 3rd) Dr Philpott will give an overview of archaeology in the Falklands, explaining how he and his colleague undertake survey work, mapping the archaeological remains and using documents to make sense of the physical remains.

Readers should listen to FIRS or contact the Museum for timings.



Public Consultation: Proposals for a Telecommunications (Amendment) Bill 2011

The proposed Bill would establish a new regime for satellite telecommunications services, including the use of VSAT systems.

The Consultation Paper contains a detailed analysis of the Bill and it poses a number of specific questions about the Bill and the proposals in it. However, the consultation exercise is not limited to those questions and anyone who wants to comment on the Bill may raise anything in their response.

Copies of the Consultation Document and the draft Bill are available from Gilbert House.

All comments must reach **Andrew Newman, Head of Regulatory Services** via post to **PO Box 705**, via phone on **27305** or via e-mail to **anewman.civilaviation@sec.gov.fk** by **Friday 4th March 2011**.

King recovery

JENNY Luxton of Sea Lion Lodge reports that some 2000 of the King cormorants whose nests were devastated by storms some weeks ago have re-grouped and re-built nests about a quarter of a mile West South West and now have fledgling chicks. Also contrary to reports of a complete wipe-out of rockhopper penguins from the same site, two chicks have survived and appear to be healthy.

New Rockie

ROCKHOPPER Exploration have begun drilling an appraisal well 2.3km from the Sea Lion well drilled last September which was found to contain commercially viable quantities of hydrocarbons. The company will take about 38 days to drill to a depth of 3,000 m to investigate the possible existence of deeper oil-bearing sands than those found in the Sea Lion well.

Cathedral call

AMONG the many casualties of the recent severe earthquake in Christchurch New Zealand was the tower of the cathedral of the same name. The Reverend Richard Hines sent a brief message of condolence from Christchurch Cathedral in Stanley to the Reverend Peter J. Beck, Dean of Christchurch Cathedral in New Zealand.

Really a record

ALONG with youngsters from the UK, USA, Nigeria and Uganda, children from the Falkland Islands Infant and Junior School, MPA School and Goose Green School are now recognised world record holders after being among more than 102,000 students across the globe to take part in this month's charity signing event.

Roger at OCTF

MLA Roger Edwards will be representing the Falklands at the EU-sponsored annual European Union and Overseas Countries and Territories Forum in the French Overseas Territory of New Caledonia, Southwest Pacific) from 28th February to 4th March.

Atlantic York

RECENTLY re-furbished Type 42 destroyer, HMS York is on her way to the Falklands to replace HMS Gloucester as patrol vessel for the British South Atlantic Islands. The ship is due to arrive at Mare Harbour in mid-March.

Delayed rescue

THE Pobjoy Mint advises that the release of the planned RAF Search and Rescue stamp issue has been delayed and is unlikely to take place this month.

Legislative Assembly Diary

Jan Cheek shares a glimpse into the work of a member of the Legislative Assembly

A TELECONFERENCE with representatives from South Atlantic Overseas Territories was a diversion, albeit a technically fraught one, from normal business. We have recognised for years that we have some common interests and problems. The aim of the meeting was to identify and prioritise a few areas on which to start work.

I did not make the government restructure a big part of my election manifesto, merely commenting on the loss of some corporate memory, doubting whether predicted savings would be made and confirming from published papers that every detail had gone to Executive Council for approval. I was under no illusion that all was well under the old structure. Pre-election there was clear evidence of management problems in the secondary school and the hospital to name just two areas of which I have some knowledge. No-one can honestly claim that FIG was running like a well oiled machine then, or that it is now. Any structure is reliant on all the individuals manning it at every level. Just one weak link in the chain of responsibility can hinder and stall work and progress no matter how well everyone else is working. A two year review has merit but will not be the answer to all our problems. It cannot affect existing contracts and may have an unsettling effect on some of the very good people we have working for us. I take the, some would say, simplistic view that less time measuring and ticking boxes and more time devoted to getting on with the job would benefit all.

The MLA/officer groups working on the various pressing practical and political issues which concern us all have reported progress and are due to present firm proposals in the next few weeks. Some actions are already underway. I wish I could say more, but at this stage I think it better if you approach your representatives off the record. I do not think we help ourselves as a country by 'going public' too soon or by knee jerk reactions to every Argentine threat. I've no intention of allowing them to lead our policies.



High achievers celebrate their success at Government House with His Excellency

Signed, certified, collected

THE Training Centre showed off its efforts on Wednesday night at a certificate presentation at Government House. Visiting City and Guilds representative Rhys Hughes presented NVQ's to those who attended the reception.

Shirley Betts received her Level 2 NVQ in Health and Social Care and Trudi Betts gained a Level 2 NVQ in Health – Clinical Support.

Sue Goss, Henry Guala, Merrill Leo, Michelle Evans, Sandra Henry and Sharon Johnson received Level 2 NVQ's in Professional Cookery.

Ingrid Jaffray, Stephanie Thain, Murray Middleton, Lindsay Bonner, Robyn Berntsen and Ryan Shillitoe all received Level 1 and 2

Key Skills, Chloe Ford 2 Key Skills and Kirsty Livenmore Level 2 NVQ in Customer Service.

Mim Newton, Elane Hawksworth and Lucinda Lowe received their Level 2 NVQ's in Business and Administration.

Kerry McRae, Roxanne King and Wendy Luxton all achieved Level 3 NVQ's in Business and Administration.

Nichola Summers gained Level 2 NVQ in Travel and Tourism Services (Tourist Information Services), Priscilla Halliday Level 3 NVQ in Health and Social Care – children and Young People and Gene Berntsen Level 2 IVQ Diploma in Timber Vocations.

Marcus Morrison received his

Level 4 NVQ in Management of Learning and Development Provision and Jock Elliot collected a Level 5 CMI Diploma in Management.

HE Governor Haywood presented Andrew Potter, James Bates, Andrea Benjamin, Colin Benjamin and Robert French with qualifications in IOSH Managing Safety.

Training and Development manager Eileen Davies also made two surprise presentations to Jean Diggle and Mandy McLeod for their part in training students.

They were both totally overwhelmed and agreed it's "the great students that makes the job so fulfilling."

A visiting Welsh Choir and solo violinist tour the town



The Comrades Choir led by Conductor Dr Haydn James

THE visiting Comrades Choir had their first concert at Christchurch Cathedral last Tuesday, as part of their tour of South America. Entrance was free and was broadcast live on FIRS radio instead of the usual classical hour.

There are 24 members visiting, the choir itself often varies in size from 15 to over 100 singers but collectively they have performed

in New York's Carnegie Hall, Sydney Opera House, Royal Albert Hall, Cardiff's St. Davids Hall. Many of the singers are also part of the Lions Choir which involves travelling and performing Anthems on the pitch at Rugby Test matches for the British and Irish Lions Rugby Team.

Conductor of the group is Dr Haydn James, who is also



violin soloist Jamie Hutchinson in action

conductor for the London Welsh Male Choir.

Their visiting soloist performer Ms Jamie Hutchinson is one of the best in her field. She performs with the BBC Concert Orchestra and the City of Birmingham Symphony Orchestra as well as freelancing to orchestras in London and recording film scores for EMI at Abbey Road Studios.

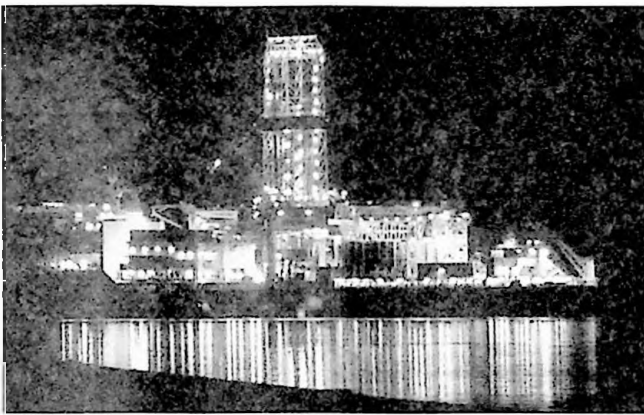
Red faces in Argentina over red duster oil ships

ARGENTINA'S planned exploration for hydrocarbons off Tierra del Fuego by the Repsol-YPF companies has suffered a major public relations setback.

This followed a revelation in the Buenos Aires press that the two vessels contracted for the job not only are British flagged but also have links with the current oil exploration round in Falkland Islands' waters.

When a few weeks ago the Spanish company Repsol with the former Argentine nationalised oil company YPF announced its intentions to drill, it came as no surprise for the industry that the Spanish corporation would contract the Stena Drillmax deep water drilling vessel as it had done off the coast of Brazil.

The Stena Drill Max is the world's largest drill ship, with a displacement of 97,000 tonnes, an overall length of 228m and breadth of 42m. Capable of drilling to a depth of 11,000m, it was built by Samsung Heavy Industries Co Ltd



The world's biggest deep water drill ship lights up the night

in Korea, and has been designed to operate in harsh environments such as the Norwegian and Barents Seas.

The catch for the Argentine government which recently put in place measures to punish shipping companies connected with oil exploration around the Falklands is that the Stena DrillMax belongs to an Aberdeen company of the same, which is one of the leaders in the industry for this kind of task. Similarly the Isle of Man-flagged support vessel, Normand Baltic belongs to the Norwegian company Solstad Offshore ASA, which according to the Argentine

press is also involved in Falklands' oil exploration logistics activities.

The two vessels have called into Mar del Plata where the claims first surfaced.

In an article published on Sunday in Buenos Aires main daily Clarin, former Congress member Mario Cafiero published a column asking President Cristina Fernandez de Kirchner if 'this is how we are de-

fending our sovereignty?'

The quote paraphrases last week's controversy with Washington over the seizure of the cargo of a US Air Force cargo plane when Mrs Kirchner, during a political rally, called on all Argentines to defend the country's sovereignty.

Cafiero asked how is it possible if the Argentine government alleges it has taken all the necessary maritime controls regarding vessels involved in the current Falkland Islands exploration round that these two vessels flying the red ensign managed to arrive in Mar del Plata.

PN & Mercopress

Give us two minutes...



Christy Jefferson

- 1. What is your most prized possession?** A small scrap book photo album that my sister made me, with photos of my family, fun memories and captions
 - 2. What is the best piece of advice you've ever been given?** Don't worry, be happy, follow your bliss
 - 3. Who would you most like to have a cup of tea with?** Of all the world my best friend Meghan
 - 4. What is your most embarrassing moment?** I just finished a gig and bent over with my rear to the audience and my pants split full down the back...I was wearing a thong that day
 - 5. If you could set up a business in the Falklands what would it be?** Teaching voice lessons
 - 6. What in your everyday life drives you crazy?** losing pens
 - 7. What is your nickname (and why)?** My mom calls me Chrissy Nina to break up Christina and add some endearment. Every one else calls me Christy, or Chris if they know me very well
 - 8. If you could travel anywhere in the world where would it be?** Venice, Italy (and I'm going in April)
 - 9. What song makes you feel happy when you hear it?** Current fav song - Paris (oh-la-la) by Grace Potter and the Nocturnals
 - 10. What would people be surprised to learn about you?** I learned to multitask at an early age. This was noticed by my sister in my favourite pic in my prized possession; I'm playing the guitar while picking my nose
- Christy is a visiting singer songwriter from Pennsylvania USA, near Philly (Philadelphia). She arrived in the Islands on Saturday and after an hours kip, and a quick unpack, sped off to the Trough for her first gig. Christy is here for two weeks on an adventure to share her music and learn about the people and culture of the Falklands.

DNA proves gentoos may be more mobile than previously thought

RESEARCH into penguin DNA which we reported on last year (PN May 21) has produced some interesting results regarding the mobility of the Falkland Islands population of gentoo penguins.

Back in May, Hila Levy from Oxford University and Tom Hart from the Institute of Zoology in London, were in the Falklands visiting gentoo penguin colonies, not to catch, tag or otherwise molest the birds, but to pick up Tom Hart and colleague Hila Levy gathering feathers



information about gentoo population structures and movements. It appears that contrary to the popular belief that gentoos always return to the same colony, there is a considerable amount of movement between colonies within the Islands. Tom cited as an example the gentoo colony at Shallow Harbour which was decimated by a red tide incident five years ago, but was slowly filling up again with gentoos from surrounding colonies.

Recently, in between a trip to the South Sandwich Islands with Jerome Poncet and an expedition to Antarctica to set what he called 'camera traps' in penguin colonies, Tom Hart popped into Penguin News to bring us up to date with his findings, which he said had been very successful in providing

One negative aspect of this unexpected mobility may be the spread of disease over time, but this is possibly compensated for by the fact that a decimated colony can be supported in its recovery by penguins from other areas.

The great advantage of this type of research is that it involves identification without molestation and can be carried out using feathers gathered from around colonies at any time of year.

With his methodology developed and working, Tom is interested in extending the work done on gentoos to rockhoppers, whose populations are regarded as more threatened.

Anyone interested in helping Tom to collect penguin feathers in the future should contact him at the following email address: tom.hart@zoo.ox.ac.uk.

The Wanderer

An occasionally sardonic sideswipe at our country's current affairs

Dear Peat.

Another fine week of weather: things in the garden looking so good they grew legs! I even saw a Swede walking down Ross Rd - seems he was off a visiting boat!!

Half Marathon went off ok: Sherlock from the Big House did well (for his age)! King Charlie St will be pleased. I thought Mr Pickmeup would have done it before he goes to retire in Burma - watch the fenestration when you kill flies in future Mr Pickmetoes!

I can't wait for the post this week: the invites are out for Billy and Katie's wedding. I wonder if any of her relatives over here will be going. I hear the rogue Chicken Platter isn't on the list. That will teach him to give the Cup to Russia!

How are you doing over there for fooodd? I believe there's a shortage? I know 'cos we're really suffering here. Just to give you a few examples - it's nearly impossible to get Cato Negro anymore unless you know the right people!! Balsamic vinegar is a bit hard to get, but worst of all is the shortage of Tahini and Hummus!! Really turning the screw aren't they? but we can take it. I say two digits to the old Biddy in BA.

You asked me about the £1 million loan (grant?) to that company? Is it all at sea? Seems a bit of a mystery but as things are more open now I'm sure the public will be told by someone - though not sure who as they are so quiet down at Giblet Cottage. don't you think?

Do you remember when I last wrote to you I mentioned tables? This time I was thinking of a chair. The Chair of the UN C24 that is and I recall he was invited down here for a look at us poor down-trodden servants of the imperialists to see the sorry state we're in. The truth will out!!

Remember a couple of years ago I told you about Petronius and what he said in AD 66? Well now we are getting the review of the review of the review!!! What's interesting is the search for an independent person to do the review. How about reversing roles - think about who did the FIDC review. Life's never boring is it?

TaTa, JW

MPA thanks Goose Green

I AM writing to thank Jackie Adams and the children of Goose Green School for making the journey over to Mount Pleasant School on MPC Wednesday February 9 so that they could join together with Caracara Class for the Guinness World Record Signing Attempt.

The children joined thousands of children across the world, including the schools in Stanley, to sign actions to the popular song 'I'd Like To Teach The World To Sing'.

As well as adding an extra 42 people to the World Record attempt total, the two schools enjoyed lunch together and then a game of rounders in the afternoon - this is a rare treat for Goose Green School because team sports are tricky when you only have 3 pupils!

All the children enjoyed seeing each other and we look forward to the next time both schools can join up.

Kim Adams
Head Mount Pleasant School

A familiar story

WE are the very thankful two UK tourists who unfortunately arrived at Mount Pleasant on Saturday January 29 with all three of our bags lost by LAN. We did get all three bags back, but only after a three hour wait until after midnight at Santiago Airport on Saturday February 5.

To date the derisory compensation from LAN is US\$140 which equals US\$6.6 per bag per day for both of us, is not acceptable. We have received no communications actually from LAN direct, not even an apology, despite our arrival problems almost three weeks ago now.

We wish to thank the following residents, all of whom did far more than could be reasonably expected in these disastrous circumstances:

Abbie Heathman was truly exceptional, taking us to meet Dr Roger Diggle and hospital staff to get urgent prescribed medications and shopping for some clothes and toiletries. Abbie even gave us her Nike holdall. The lady in Falklands Farmers kindly stayed open and assisted us.

Charlotte (the Keith Bonner Taxi Lady) took us to Darwin House, where she had never been before, so we invited her in to also meet our hosts Graham and Fiona Didlick, who kindly kept a hot meal for us. Unfortunately it is only snacks all day on LAN from Santiago.

Ken who was supposed to be our driver and tour guide, but had to go home without his two tourists who were going to Stanley urgently instead.

Michael and his family, with Patrick on West Point. Rob and

Penguin News Missing Links



This week's mystery photo of a smiling lady was found under floor boards in the loft of 9 James Street. The clothes and hair style suggest the forties or fifties.

As always, if you can identify her please send an email to editor@penguinnews.co.fk or call Fran on 22709.

Lorraine McGill, Jenny Luxton, and a special thanks to Arlette Betts who very kindly lent Linda some items. Sybella in The Pod Gift Shop who was very kind and assisted us too.

Richard and Jen Hines, Gerald and Nobbie Clarke our drivers; sorry we could not come to the wedding service Nobbie!

We truly hope to come back to the Falklands soon and say thank you personally to all who looked after us so well.

Linda & Malcolm Flanagan
Sutton Coldfield

Your Letters

Write to Penguin News
Fax 22238 or email:
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Earn your wages call

EVERY week now, we are reading about something that the Argentines are doing or saying, yet according to a friend who used to be in Uruguay, but is now in Buenos Aires, the politicians are still preaching that the war with Britain over the ownership of the Falklands, is still on and that although Britain have withdrawn a lot of their forces, they still heavily defend the islands. That is the reason why Argentina have enforced that shipping going to and from the islands, have got to notify the Argentine Authorities, which is still being done through the British Embassy.

Now Councillors, or whatever you want to call yourselves now, it's time you took a stance on behalf of the people who got you elected, to represent them.

It's been advertised that there are just four seats remaining on the plane that will be carrying the next of kin from Argentina to Mount Pleasant on the 2nd April; that coaches will transport them to the Argentine cemetery and that after 3½ hours, they will be returned to the aircraft at Mount Pleasant.

This should be stopped, regardless of what the Red Cross say or whoever else takes a stance.

No Argentine aircraft, ships or people should be permitted entry into the Falkland Islands. If they consider we are still at war, then so be it.

So Councillors, let's hear from you, that you no longer wish to receive money under false pre-

tences, and that you intend on representing the people who elected you to represent them.

B. Peck
Stanley

Shocking fruit

I WAS astounded to see whole oranges and lemons floating in the harbour by the seafront on Ross Road East yesterday, in the face of our fruit shortage. Not only does it look a mess, but with the shortage of such luxuries you would think if they had to be discarded they would be discarded in a bin and not in the sea for the tourist to view or for us to drool at. Or is it the cruise ships which have too much who are throwing good food over the side?

Christine Bentley
Stanley

Get priorities in better order

AS one of the hosts to the visiting 1982 veterans in the Islands to commemorate the new memorial to those who lost their lives on or after June 12 on HMS Glamorgan I had looked forward to buying my copy of the paper on Friday, sure that their visit would be appropriately covered and placed in the paper.

By the time I reached page 5, I was beginning to wonder if it had been covered at all. But no, there it was tucked away apparently less important than Argentina's shenanigans with our shipping links (which have been ongoing for the best part of a year) and your receiving a box of chocolates as a random act of kindness from Cable and Wireless.

Even as a relatively new arrival to the Islands as you refer to yourself in the opinion column, which incidentally practically repeated the front page story and the further repetition on page 4, you must surely be aware of how important these visits are, not only to those who make the pilgrimage but also to those of us who hope in some small way to make their return to the Islands as pleasant as possible.

Perhaps you should get out and about a bit more if you really want to find out what makes your readers tick, because at the end of the day they are the ones that buy the paper which in turn pays your wages.

Jenny Macaskill
Stanley

Q WHAT is the policy on government housing rental to persons who have recently owned or part owned property?

The following answer is as is laid out in the Management Code...

A PRIORITIES for the allocation of Government Housing and eligibility for addition to the "List of Applications for Government Housing" are as follows...

For the purposes of this policy section 'resident' is defined as people with Falkland Islands Status or those holding a Permanent Residence Permit (PRP). However Executive Council agreed on 22 September 2005 (paper 236/05 refers) that as applicants for permanent residence are required to demonstrate they have long-term accommodation arrangements in place before a PRP is granted, then unless there are extenuating circumstances a PRP holder will not be accepted onto the Government Housing List for a period of four years from the date of the permit.

Priority One is FIG contract personnel recruited/seconded from overseas, who by the nature of their employment conditions are entitled to, and must be provided with, accommodation for the duration of their contract of service.

Priority Two is for those who have special needs. For the avoidance of doubt, 'special needs' refers to an applicant whose housing need is particularly acute due to additional factors which may include, but are not restricted to, disability, ill-health or dependant children. Residents with special needs may not be required to satisfy all the criteria in Priority Three below.

Priority Three is for residents in the Falkland Islands, or who are normally resident but are temporarily absent overseas on education or training for medical reasons who are serving in HM Armed Forces, or who are resident overseas but are intending to return to the Islands within the next 12 months.

Eligibility for priority three requires them not to be property (home) owners in the Falkland Islands or overseas. They have not sold a property (home) within 12 months of date of application and are not on the Government debtors list. They do not have the financial means to buy or build a house or rent privately in the private sector and are over the age of 18.

Q WE have had a number of tourism directors in the past, I would like to ask the newly established director this question... You have been away on behalf of Falkland tourism to tell the world what we have to offer here, but how many tour destinations of the Falklands has he seen?

Your Questions Answered

Please send your questions to
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The answer to this and the following question were from Paul Trowell Director of Falkland Islands Tourist Board...

A I ACTUALLY started my position by visiting Sea Trade in Miami in March 2010, even before coming to the Falkland Islands. Since then I have been to the UK on transit to the IAATO conference in Turin Italy in June in which I had various meetings with our contract public relations company and media representatives with the outcome of getting high profile media to visit the Falkland Islands.

Whilst being in the UK I also had meetings with FITB's research company. In October I was in the USA meeting key trade contacts to raise the profile of the Falkland Islands with the long term outcome of getting more brochures/media content on the Falkland Islands and more travel sellers featuring the destination.

In regards to your second part of the question I arrived at the beginning of winter and managed to get to Sea Lion Island and have since been to Carcass Island and Bleaker whilst spending most of my weekends exploring the East Island and the key tourism destinations. I have booked a week on the West in the next three weeks and intend to explore as much as I can in that week. In the New Year the office has a plan to get out and refresh the staff with the destination as budget and time allows.

As the General Manager of FITB it is impossible to get to all destinations and I rely on my key staff, who are locals, to provide me with informed and factual insights about destinations within the Falkland Islands.

Q WE do seem to have a wealth of experienced people coming down but they in turn bring experts down to tell us on how we can do it better. My second question is... We should surely have the expert here as the director of FITB, so why bring another person in to give us numbers we already know?

A I am confused about this question regarding "expert coming down on promotion" FITB has both PR agencies, Keene PR, who represent our interests in the UK and Robertson Solutions, who represent our interest in North America.

FITB have been investing in these PR representatives for some time and FITB believe it is essential for us to get them to have first-hand product knowledge of the

destination they are contracted to promote.

We also have invited Acorn Tourism Research to visit in the New Year for training on the Tourism Satellite account software and statistical analysis.

This is essential for future forecasting and measurement of tourism contribution to the Falkland Islands economy. Without this analysis we would not be able to go to government with facts on tourism contribution and forecasts to seek future funding for tourism growth.

All of the above are not charging FITB for their time and we are only covering flight costs. In an ideal world most National Tourism Organisations would have their own PR and Research departments so FITB rely heavily on external organisations to provide this resource and I believe in the long term this should be brought in-house as budgets and skill levels grow in the organisation.

Q AT the time that the CE's contract was renewed after the initial 3 year contract period, have the terms of the contract for the

following 2 years remained the same as for the original 3 years or were they re-negotiated to provide an increased level of remuneration?"

The reason I ask this is because there appears to be a freeze on the salaries of most employees within FIG, but there is a perception that contract officers take the opportunity of increasing their salary package when they renew or extend their contract.

I would like to know whether this was the case when the CE extended his initial contract?

The following answer was provided by Carolyn Montgomery Head of Human Resources...

A THE Chief Executive originally received a contract which covered the period from 3rd January 2008 to 2nd January 2011 at a fixed rate i.e. no additional pay rises were applied during this period therefore he did not benefit during this contract period from any pay rise.

Other FIG employees had a 2.5 per cent pay rise in October 2008, backdated to 1st July 2008 and a 1 per cent pay rise on 1st July 2010.

The Chief Executive's salary was increased by 1 per cent as a cost of living rise with effect from the new contract only i.e. 3rd Jan 2011.

Technically therefore over the entire period of his employment the Chief Executive has received a lesser percentage pay rise compared to other FIG employees.



FIG vets Steve Pointing and Zoe Luxton with the EU inspectors

Inspecting the inspectors

IN the Falklands last week were two veterinary inspectors from the European Commission (EU): Hungarian Agnes Kerti, who is based in Dublin and Andre Evers, who commutes to Brussels from his home in Belgium.

Working with FIG's veterinary officers and the local 'competent authorities' Steve Pointing and Zoe Luxton, the two EU officers have been evaluating all aspects of the

licensing of meat for export in the Falkland Islands. This work has involved visits to farms and the Agricultural Department's laboratory as well as to the abattoir.

The result of the visit will be a report which will be presented to the local authorities for comment before being presented to the EU's Health and Consumer Protection Directorate, who will decide whether any action is required.

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It really was that big, Tim Miller tells Joan and Terry Spruce



The silverware on offer for winners at the horticultural show

Keenleysides pot Haskard Cup at show

THE many visitors to the annual show of the Stanley Horticultural Society, held last Sunday in the Community School 'street' were treated to a blaze of colour, beautifully presented fruit and vegetables and a mouth-watering range of baking, which must have pleased the organisers and justified all the effort put in by those displaying, quite literally, the fruits of their labours.

Both the day of the week and the date were different this year and while most exhibitors seemed to have appreciated the opportunity to get their offerings ready on Saturday rather than Friday evening, there were still those - mainly vegetable rather than flower growers - who complained that the earlier date left their potential prize winners in a state of unreadiness.

This may simply prove that you can never please everybody, but organisers Tim and Jan Miller would be glad to receive your views on the event's timing. What was clearer, however, was that while the 'street' in the Community School provided a very light exhibition space, with the sun shining through the glass roof, it was not only the flowers that were

beginning to wilt. While the organisers were keen to express their thanks to the Education Committee for the use of the school, it seems likely that another venue will be sought next year.

The winners of the Haskard Challenge Cup for the most points gained overall were Barbara and Manfred Keenleyside.

Chelsea Middleton won the Simon Summers Challenge Cup for the best child exhibitor and the prize for the best flower garden went to Paul and Bunny Bonner. Brian Aldridge was the Camp exhibitor with the most points.

Horticultural Society Chairman Tim Miller reported that the numbers of exhibitors were slightly up, following a gently rising trend over the last three shows. The garden and polytunnel competition had also shown an amazing 300 per cent increase.

Against expectations, given the earlier date of the show, vegetable entries up and the cut flower entries slightly down.

A pleasing first pleasing, according to the Society's Chairman was that a childrens' section entrant had achieved second place overall in the competition for most points gained over all.

(Full list of cup winners on Page 14)



Cabbage scrutiny by Bob Alazia



Frequent prize winner Ali Dodd



Pot plants ablaze with colour



Government House display shows what can be achieved



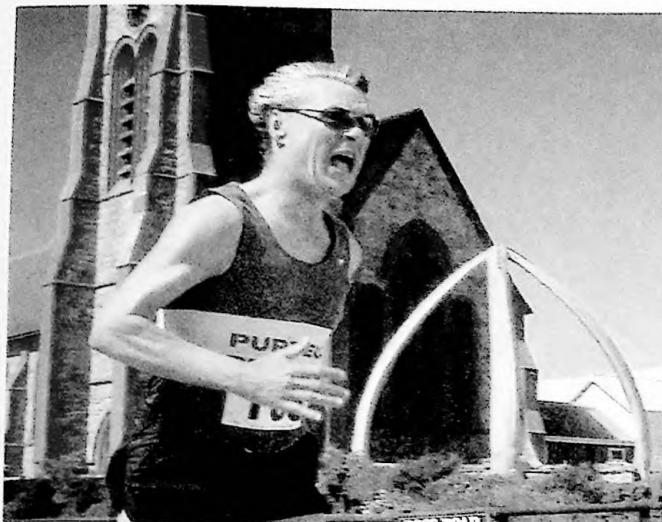
Prize winning cut flowers from Alison Dodd & Keenleysides



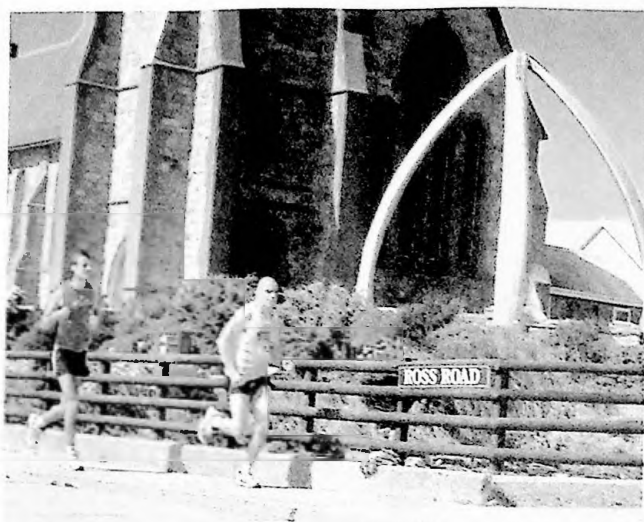
Andrew Newman with family surely not regulating the biscuits



FIC's architecture allows an unusual bird's eye view of the veg



Governor Haywood showing the strain as he nears the finish line



Robert Slater leads Phil Wolstanholme past the whalebone arch



Rex Eagle hard on the heels of the winner Nirmal Rana



Just settling into their stride, the early leaders still have the wind behind them

Running like the wind and against it

THE annual Cape Pembroke half-marathon held on Sunday proved once again that it is not a race for the faint-hearted, though it attracted 64 runners, including a five part childrens' relay team and 15 walkers, which was considered by organisers Fran and Peter Biggs to be a good field.

The thirteen and a bit miles is run over a variety of different surfaces from tarmac to mud, going through the whole gamut of possibilities in

between: loose gravel, deep sand, ankle-twisting rocks and grass.

This being the Falklands, and the summer, weather conditions for the race have often been less than ideal. Last year's race was run in icy rain, but this year by contrast a strong sun was out, which would have baked the runners had it not been for the cooling effect of a ferocious wind.

Starting off rather northerly but swinging westwards as the race pro-

gressed, the wind, estimated at between 25 and 40 knots gave the runners a bit of a lift on their first stretch from the start down to Surf Bay, but then began to attack them on the climb up to the airport, whipping sand in their eyes before attacking them again during the long haul back from the Lighthouse to the turn-off to FIPASS.

In consequence of this possibly, the time of this year's winner, Hong Kong-born Nepalese Nirmal Rana of

the Parachute Regiment was over a quarter of an hour slower than the record set by last year's winner, Steve Frear of the RAF.

If the times of the first and second mens' runners were somewhat slower than usual, the competition between them was fierce with Rex Eagle pushing hard over the final miles to come home just 22 seconds behind the winner.

This magnificent effort gained

Rex the coveted wooden lighthouse which is awarded each year to the first Falkland Islands resident home.

Second Falklands resident home was KEMH pharmacist, Juan Suarez, a veteran of last year's full marathon. Third was first-time entrant Governor Nigel Haywood, who may be the first governor to run the race, though Governor Richard Ralph walked it some years ago.

When last year's womens' winner

Teslyn Barkman retired from the race at the half-way mark with compounded injuries, she was already behind this year's fastest female, RAF Flight Sergeant Harrie Allerston.

Fastest walker was Gina Smith, who led the fifteen-strong walkers' field from the start and had the distinction of breaking the finishing tape before any of the runners, possibly the first time that this has happened.

John Fowler

Results

RUNNERS

1st Nirmal Rana	1.32.19	41st David Hennesy	2.02.55
2nd Rex Eagle	1.32.41	42nd James Eyles	2.02.59
3rd Chris Leahy	1.33.58	43rd Kimberley Lawton	2.07.55
4th Alan Healy	1.35.45	44th Claire Neville	2.07.56
5th Richard Thompson	1.36.38	45th Kyle Jeffries	2.07.58
6th David Clarke	1.36.39	46th John Proffitt	2.08.20
7th Keith Bryson	1.36.54	47th Wil Wilson	2.12.52
8th Robert Slater	1.38.16	48th Emily T-Glover	2.13.33
9th Phil Wolstanholme	1.38.19	49th Louise Lupo	2.14.08
10th Neal Harding	1.38.33	50th Maryanna Ryan	2.16.00
11th Richard Harrison	1.39.19	51st John Chree	2.20.15
12th Reg Swallow	1.39.48	52nd Ros Cheek	2.20.20
13th Andrew O'Connor	1.40.26	53rd G Jamieson	2.20.29
14th Adam Morris	1.40.54	54th Steve Jackman	2.22.18
15th Neil Shelley	1.43.24	55th Simon Ingledew	2.25.46
16th Colin Feeney	1.44.02	56th Kyle Hobman	2.34.34
17th Craig John	1.45.02	57th M Harrison	2.43.16
18th Rich Wright	1.45.57	58th Jane Horner	2.43.16

WALKERS

1st Gina Smith	2.51.98
2nd Sally Robertson	3.10.46
3rd Tracy Clarke	3.10.48
4th Sharon Gilbert & Anagret Goss	3.12.38
6th Karen Rimican & Wendy Luxton	3.16.44
8th Susan Stevens	3.22.08
9th Anna Stenning & Ellen Morgan	3.28.52
11th Debbi Ferriby	3.45.16
12th Jenny Smith	3.45.22
13th Carol Thorsen	3.45.31
14th Cat Catton & Ann Lanaghan	4.09.34

CHILDREN'S RELAY

Natasya Rickman, Amirah Rickman, Amanda McGhie, Callum Boyce & Echo Goodwin	2.31.45
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The runners leaving the starting line to begin thirteen hard and windswept miles over a variety of surfaces



Still with enough energy to give a thumbs-up, this group embody the spirit of the event



Hard going in soft sand



Above, women's winner: Flt Sgt Harrie Allerston. Far left: the final push, Left Centre: walk winner Gina Smith, Immediate left: one competitor spurns the bus and chooses to make his own way to the starting line.



The children's relay team receive their medals from the Governor



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Information Pullout

25 February - 3 March, 2011

TIDES AROUND THE ISLANDS

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STANLEY LEISURE CENTRE - OPENING SCHEDULE

Telephone: 2729 1/2785 Fax: 27284 e-mail: kroyce@leisure.soc.gov.fk for bookings and enquiries

Swimming Pool	Sports Hall / Squash Court	Exercise Suite
Friday 25th February 2011		
Lane Swimming Closed for School Lane Swimming Closed for School Public Stanley Swimming Club Public Public Lane Swimming	07:00-09:00 09:00-12:00 12:00-13:00 13:00-15:00 15:00-16:00 16:00-17:00 17:00-18:00 18:00-19:00 19:00-20:00	Members Only Public Public Public
Saturday 26th February 2011		
Closed for Swim School Public Lane Swimming Public Public Lane Swimming	10:00-12:00 12:00-13:00 13:00-14:00 14:00-15:00 15:00-16:00 16:00-18:00	Members Only Public Public
Sunday 27th February 2011		
Public Lane Swimming Public Public Lane Swimming Deep Water Aerobics	11:00-13:00 13:00-14:00 14:00-15:00 15:00-16:00 16:00-18:00 18:00-19:00	Members Only Public Public
Monday 28th February 2011		
Lane Swimming O A P, Adults, Parents & Toddlers Closed for Private Hire Lane Swimming Public Public Lane Swimming	07:00-09:00 09:00-11:00 11:00-12:00 12:00-13:00 13:00-17:00 17:00-18:00 18:00-21:00	Public Public Public
Badminton Club 7pm-9pm		
Tuesday 1st March 2011		
Lane Swimming O A P, Adults, Parents & Toddlers O A P, Adults, Parents & Toddlers O A P, Adults, Parents & Toddlers Lane Swimming Public Closed for Private Hire Public Ladies Only Lane Swimming	07:00-09:00 09:00-10:00 10:00-11:00 11:00-12:00 12:00-13:00 13:00-14:00 14:00-16:00 16:00-19:00 19:00-20:00 20:00-21:00	Public Public Public
Netball Club 6pm-7pm		
Wednesday 2nd March 2011		
Lane Swimming O A P, Adults, Parents & Toddlers O A P, Adults, Parents & Toddlers Lane Swimming Public Aerobics Lane Swimming	07:00-09:00 09:00-10:00 10:00-12:00 12:00-13:00 13:00-18:00 18:00-19:00 19:00-21:00	Public Public
Thursday 3rd March 2011		
Closed for Cleaning Public Public Lane Swimming	09:00-16:00 16:00-18:00 18:00-19:00 19:00-21:00	Closed for Cleaning Public Members Only Public
Badminton Club 7-9pm		
Friday 4th March 2011		
Lane Swimming O A P, Adults, Parents & Toddlers Lane Swimming Closed for Holiday Programme Public Lane Swimming	07:00-09:00 09:00-12:00 12:00-13:00 13:00-14:00 14:00-19:00 18:00-20:00	Public Public

Falkland Islands Defence Force Routine Orders

Tuesday 1 March 2011

1800hrs PT

Thursday 3 March

1830hrs Section SOP's and break contact drills. Please note this is an important training session - maximum attendance please.



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Sunday Services

8am - Holy Communion

10am - Morning Service and Sunday Club

7pm - Evening Service

Further details for each week, please Notice

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17 Ross Road, Stanley

Tel/Fax: 21100 christchurch@horizon.co.fk

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(free church)

Sunday Services 10.00am and 7.00pm.

Family Service is now held on the 3rd Sunday

of every month at 10am.

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Sunday evening of the month.

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

NETBALL CLUB Tuesdays 6-7pm. All are welcome. Contact Zoe Luxton 21441

THE FALKLAND ISLANDS NEW MEMBERS WELCOME CONTACT: Steve Dent on 55632

F.I. RIFLE ASSOCIATION Contact Secretary Derek Goodwin 22357

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

STANLEY GOLF CLUB Contact Glenn Ross (Captain) on 27149 (work) or Tony Locke

(Secretary) on 28000 (work) for information regarding membership and forthcoming

competitions. Normally competitions are held every Sunday morning from October through

to April and the first Sunday of each month during winter. Draw at 9am and tee off time

9.15am. New members welcome.

ASTHMA SUPPORT GROUP - Meets second Tuesday of every third month in the Day

Centre at 5pm. Contact G. France on 21624

FALKLAND ISLANDS RED CROSS New members welcome. Contact Keith Biles, Tel.

21897 (Chairman); Jean Diggle 21716 (Treasurer)

GUILD OF SPINNERS, WEAVERS & HANDICRAFTS. Meetings Mon. evening from

7.30pm, Thurs. afternoon from 1.30pm. Contact: M. Smallwood 21031

CANCER SUPPORT & AWARENESS TRUST - Contact Theresa Lang (Chairman) 21235

Alison Ward (Secretary) 21851, Derek Howatt (Trustee) 21385, Shiralee Collins 21579

HODA - Chairman - Lidda Luxton Tel: 21717 Secretary - Geoff Pring tel. 21785 Treasurer

- Chris Bell, tel. 21078

DIABETES SUPPORT GROUP Holds meetings quarterly - for further details contact the

Chairman Sharon Middleton on 21393

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

STANLEY SUB-AQUA CLUB - Contact David McLeod Phone: 20836 (d), 20843 (h)

THE ROYAL BRITISH LEGION - FALKLAND ISLANDS BRANCH Meets on the first

Monday of every month at the Hillside Mess at 7.45pm. Contacts: Chairman Marvin

Clarke, Secretary Keith Biles (51897) Treasurer David Lewis (51527) website

www.britishlegionfalklands.co.fk

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

JELLY TOTS CLUB Jellytots will now be held on Tuesdays from 1.45 - 3.30 and

Thursdays from 10.00 - 11.30 in the Parish Hall. All under fives welcome, along with an

adult. We have lots of toys and space to play in. Contact Wendy on 21179 or Rosie 22759

TIE 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 - 4pm. Contact Gordon Lennie Tel. 21667

KARATE CLUB - New Training Schedule Tuesday's 5.15pm - 6.10pm (juniors) 6.15pm

till 7.30pm (seniors) Friday's 5.55pm (junior grades) 6pm till 7.00pm/ 7.30pm (seniors).

All sessions held at JHS Hall. Cost: £1.00

ALCOHOL SUPPORT Contact Health on 28082 or Social Services 27296

ACORN COMMUNITY GROUP, Day Centre, KEMH. Tuesday 9.30am - 11.30am,

Thursday 9.30am - 11.30am and Thursday Evening, Drop-In 7pm - 9pm

HAND CHIME GROUP - Tuesday evenings from 8.00 to 9.30pm at 11 Nutt Cartmill

Close. Anyone interested in joining should contact Eileen Davies on 22428 after

working hours

BABY CLINIC - 3 - 5pm every Wednesday

LIGHTHOUSE SEAMEN'S MISSION CAFE NEW HOURS

The Lighthouse Seamen's Mission Cafe now opens an hour earlier on Sunday. Our new

hours are: Wednesday through Friday 10am to 4pm. Saturday and Sunday 11am to 4pm.

Last order for hot food at 3pm. The Mission remains open as usual for Seafarers, at times

displayed in the Mission window or by arrangement with individual - Vessels/Agents/

Ship Owners

SAMA 82 FALKLAND ISLANDS TRUST Chairman - G Clement 52910 Treasurer K

Ormond 52814 Secretary J Elliot 51765

FALKLAND ISLANDS STANLEY HASH (FISH) HOUSE HARRIERS welcomes new

runners/walkers. Meets last Sunday of month at 1500 and also mid month

CHARITY SHOP Opening hours: Mon, Wed, Fri. & Sat. 2-4pm. (Summer hours 2-5pm)

Saturday morning. 10am - 12 noon.

FALKLAND ISLANDS FOOTBALL LEAGUE (FIFL): Contact the Committee for more

information. Chairman - Ian Betts, Treasurer - Sharon Gilbert, Secretary - Andrew Newman

TEAM TRANQUIL (MENTAL HEALTH STRATEGY GROUP) c/o 16 John Street,

Treasurer Ruth Taylor tel: 22169

LIBERTY LODGE email lodge.manager@cwimail.fk phone 22327 or 55327

FALKLAND OFF-ROADERS: email falklandsx4@yahoo.com

FALKLAND ISLANDS YACHT CLUB - Chairman - Tony Blake 51684, Secretary - Janet

McLeod 53566, website www.falklandsailing.com

FALKLANDS SEA CADETS: Contact the CO 52779 or XO 51111

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).....Mount Caroline repeater, covering the north of the West

Falkland including the cross sound ferry main operational area

146.625.....Stanley to Mount Alice

147.825 (Duplex - 0.6).....Mount Alice repeater, covering the south of West Falkland.

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

BFBS 1

BFBS Television programmes

Friday 25th February
7:00 BREAKFAST
10:15 THE WEAKEST LINK
11:00 NIGEL SLATER'S SIMPLE SUPPERS
11:30 THIS MORNING
1:25 EMMERDALE
2:10 CHEETAH KINGDOM Documentary series
2:35 ITV NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER
3:00 LOOSE WOMEN
3:45 DEAL OR NO DEAL
4:35 GREAT BRITISH RAILWAY JOURNEYS
5:05 LAST CHANCE TO SEE KAKAPO
6:05 CORONATION STREET
6:30 BRITISH FORCES NEWS
7:00 BBC NEWS
7:30 EASTENDERS
8:00 GLEE Musical comedy series
8:45 BFBS WEATHER
8:50 CHILDREN'S EMERGENCY SERIES
9:20 THE GOOD WIFE Legal drama series
10:05 YOUNG, DUMB AND LIVING OFF MUM
11:05 ASK RHOD GILBERT Comedy entertainment panel show
11:40 THE GRAHAM NORTON SHOW
12:25 BBC NEWS

**23 days training left for the
STANDARD CHARTERED BANK
STANLEY MARATHON
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6:00 The Simpsons
6:20 BFBS WEATHER
6:25 OUTTAKE TV
6:55 RIVER COTTAGE Bites Tasty recipes and kitchen tips
7:00 WILD AT HEART
7:50 DANCING ON ICE
9:30 OUTCASTS Science-fiction drama series
10:30 DANCING ON ICE: The Skate Off
11:00 LIVE AT THE APOLLO Stand-up comedy
11:30 THAT SUNDAY NIGHT SHOW
12:00 FILM 2011 with Claudia Winkleman
12:40 BBC News

Monday 28th February
7:00 BREAKFAST
10:15 THE WEAKEST LINK
11:00 EGGHEADS
11:30 THIS MORNING
1:25 EMMERDALE
2:10 COOK YOURSELF THIN Expert Gizzi Erskine helps consumers lose weight without giving up their favourite food
2:35 ITV NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER
3:00 LOOSE WOMEN
3:45 DEAL OR NO DEAL
4:35 ON HANNIBAL'S TRAIL Series in which three Australian brothers - Danny, Ben and Sam Wood - cycle on the trail of Hannibal, the warrior who marched from Spain to Rome at the head of an invading army
5:05 A FARMER'S LIFE FOR ME Couples with a dream of leaving the rat-race compete to run their very own farm in Suffolk
6:05 CORONATION STREET
6:30 BRITISH FORCES NEWS
7:00 BBC NEWS
7:30 EASTENDERS
8:00 WATERLOO ROAD School-based drama
9:00 BFBS WEATHER
9:05 OUTCASTS Science-fiction drama series
10:05 BETTER OFF TED US comedy
10:45 BONES Scientific crime drama series
11:25 THE DARJEELING LIMITED Drama about three brothers who embark on a train journey across India
12:55 BBC NEWS

Sunday 27th February
8:50 MATCH OF THE DAY
10:00 THE ANDREW MARR SHOW
11:00 BRITISH FORCES NEWS: The Week in Afghanistan
11:20 CELEBRITY MASTERCHEF
12:20 EXTREME UNIVERSE Documentary series
1:05 DINOSAUR SECRETS Documentary series using CGI footage to tell the story of the dinosaurs
1:50 JAMES MAY'S 20TH CENTURY Big City, Bright Lights
2:20 AMERICA'S TOUGHEST JOBS Trucking: Documentary in which thirteen contestants take a break from their careers to try their hand at some of America's toughest jobs
3:05 I AM NUMBER FOUR: T4 Movie Special
3:30 RBS SIX NATIONS Scotland v Ireland

Tuesday 01st March
7:00 BREAKFAST
10:15 THE WEAKEST LINK

11:00 LIFE IN A COTTAGE GARDEN with Carol Klein
11:30 THIS MORNING
1:25 HOUSE GIFT Three interior designers, each with a different budget, compete to buy a gift for a home
2:10 RIVER MONSTERS Series in which extreme angler Jeremy Wade goes in search of some of the most frightening freshwater fish on the planet
2:35 ITV NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER
3:00 LOOSE WOMEN
3:45 DEAL OR NO DEAL
4:35 BAKING MADE EASY
5:05 THE PRIVATE LIFE OF... Jimmy Doherty embarks on a quest to reveal the hidden lives of farmyard animals
6:05 CORONATION STREET
6:30 BRITISH FORCES NEWS
7:00 BBC NEWS
7:30 EASTENDERS
8:00 TOP GEAR
9:00 BFBS WEATHER
9:05 BIG FAT GYPSY WEDDINGS Documentary series
9:55 THE EVENT Fast-paced US conspiracy thriller
10:35 UNDERCOVER BOSS High-flying company executives go undercover to ensure their businesses are in good shape
11:25 SECRET DIARY OF A CALL GIRL Controversial drama series
11:50 ROSSLYN CHAPEL: A Treasure in Stone A journey of discovery around the exquisite Rosslyn Chapel
12:50 BBC NEWS

Wednesday 02nd March
7:00 BREAKFAST
10:15 THE WEAKEST LINK
11:00 EGGHEADS
11:30 THIS MORNING
1:25 EMMERDALE
2:10 STREET MARKET CHEFS
2:35 ITV NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER
3:00 LOOSE WOMEN
3:45 DEAL OR NO DEAL
4:35 GREAT BRITISH RAILWAY JOURNEYS Michael Portillo takes to the tracks with a copy of George Bradshaw's Victorian Railway Guidebook
5:05 SHEILA HANCOCK BRUSHES UP: The Art of Watercolours
6:05 CORONATION STREET
6:30 BRITISH FORCES NEWS
7:00 BBC NEWS
7:30 CASUALTY
8:20 OIL RIGGERS Documentary series following life on the oil rigs of west Texas

9:05 BFBS WEATHER
9:10 MARCHLANDS New chilling drama about three families who live in the same remote house in different time periods
10:00 ROYAL NAVY: Caribbean Patrol Old Lady of the Seas: This exciting documentary series follows Royal Navy warship HMS Manchester on her final deployment
0:45 MIRANDA
11:15 CANNABIS: What's the Harm? Ex-EastEnders star James Alexandrou finds out the truth about the most popular illegal drug in Britain
12:15 BBC NEWS

Thursday 03rd March
7:00 BREAKFAST
10:15 THE WEAKEST LINK
11:00 WAINWRIGHT WALKS: Coast to Coast
11:30 THIS MORNING
1:25 HOUSE GIFT
2:10 SUPER NURSES
2:35 ITV NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER
3:00 LOOSE WOMEN
3:45 DEAL OR NO DEAL
4:35 A HISTORY OF THE WORLD Suffragette City: It was the campaign that changed the lives of British women forever
5:05 MICHEL ROUX'S SERVICE
6:05 CORONATION STREET
6:30 BRITISH FORCES NEWS
7:00 BBC NEWS
7:30 EASTENDERS
8:00 HOLBY CITY Medical drama series
8:55 BFBS WEATHER
9:00 THE TUDORS Historical drama series
9:55 FAST AND LOOSE
10:25 ONE BORN EVERY MINUTE Fly-on-the-wall documentary series filmed in a busy maternity ward in Southampton
11:15 TIMOTHY SPALL: Somewhere at Sea
11:45 QUESTION TIME
12:45 BBC NEWS

Friday 04th March
7:00 BREAKFAST
10:15 THE WEAKEST LINK
11:00 NIGEL SLATER'S SIMPLE SUPPERS Cookery series
11:30 THIS MORNING
1:25 EMMERDALE
2:10 CHEETAH KINGDOM Documentary series
2:35 ITV NEWS AND BFBS WEATHER
3:00 LOOSE WOMEN
3:45 DEAL OR NO DEAL
4:35 GREAT BRITISH RAILWAY JOURNEYS
5:05 LAST CHANCE TO SEE BLUE WHALE: Stephen Fry and zoologist Mark Carwardine continue their journeys to the ends of the Earth
6:05 CORONATION STREET
6:30 BRITISH FORCES NEWS
7:00 BBC NEWS
7:30 EASTENDERS
8:00 GLEE MUSICAL COMEDY SERIES
8:45 BFBS WEATHER
8:50 CHILDREN'S EMERGENCY SERIES following the life-saving work of the medics of a mobile intensive care service for children
21:20 THE GOOD WIFE Drama series
22:05 YOUNG, DUMB AND LIVING OFF MUM
11:05 ASK RHOD GILBERT Comedy entertainment panel show
11:40 THE GRAHAM NORTON SHOW
12:25 BBC News

Billings correct at time of going to press but subject to change until actual transmission. Tune into BFBS Radio/Television for up-dates.



Falklands Radio Programmes Schedule

Friday 25th February
07:00 Breakfast Show with Trina Berntsen
09:00 The Morning Experience with Allie
09:30 Coverage of Legislative Assembly
Followed by Lifestyle with Liz Elliot to include: 12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
12:30 Spotlight
13:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM
4:00 News & Jukebox with Scott Betts
6:00 News & Repeat of Spotlight
6:15 Weather, Flights, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
6:30 The Fabulous 50's with Paul Peters and Geoff Kemp
7:30 The Non Stop Country Hour with Liz Elliot
8:30 Weather & Flights and Leather & Lace with Layla
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM
(programming from 6:30 onwards may be subject to change due to repeat of Legislative Assembly)
Saturday 26th February
09:00 - 12:00 The Saturday Morning Show with Jock Elliot to include: coverage of East Falkland Sports with Patrick Watts commentating (continuing throughout the day)
5:00 Children's Corner with Monica
6:15 Weather, Flights, Anno's, Job Shop & What's on Guide
6:30 News Review
7:00 In Concert
8:00 The Fusion with Stacy Bragger
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM
Sunday 27th February
9:00 Coverage of East Falkland Sports with Patrick Watts commentating
5:00 Accordingly Yours with Derek Howatt
5:30 The Lebrecht Interviews - Riccardo Chailly
6:15 Weather, Flights, Announcements, Job Shop & What's on Guide
6:30 Feature Presentation
7:00 Sunday Evening Service - St Mary's
8:00 Slow Jams with Liz Roberts including weather & flights at 8:30
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM
Monday 28th February
07:00 Breakfast Show with Trina Berntsen
09:00 The Morning Experience with Allie
10:00 News and Lifestyle with Liz Elliot to include: 12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
12:30 Spotlight
13:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM
4:00 News & Jukebox with Scott Betts
6:00 News & Repeat of Spotlight
6:15 Weather, Flights, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
6:30 Soul, Blues & Rock 'n' Roll with Liz Elliot
7:30 Feature Presentation
8:00 Pot Luck with Myriam Booth including Weather & Flights at 8:30
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM
Tuesday 29th February
07:00 Breakfast Show with Trina Berntsen
09:00 The Morning Experience with Allie
10:00 News and Lifestyle with Liz Elliot to include: 12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
12:30 One to One
1:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM
4:00 News & Jukebox with Scott Betts
6:00 News & Repeat of One to One
6:15 Weather, Flights, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
6:30 Tuesday's Theme with Monica Limburn
6:45 Simply Classical
7:45 Folk Music Show with Jock Elliot
8:30 Weather, Flights & Hits of the 80's & 90's with Liz Roberts
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM
Wednesday 30th February
07:00 Breakfast Show with Trina Berntsen
09:00 The Morning Experience with Allie
10:00 News and Lifestyle with Liz Elliot to include: 12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
12:30 Spotlight
1:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM
4:00 News & Jukebox with Scott Betts
6:00 News & Repeat of Spotlight
6:15 Weather, Flights, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
6:30 The Best of... with Allie Biggs
7:30 Drama Presentation
8:30 Weather & Flights followed by The Chart Show with Jason Lewis
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM
Thursday 31st February
07:00 Breakfast Show with Trina Berntsen
09:00 The Morning Experience with Allie
10:00 News and Lifestyle with Liz Elliot to include: 12:15 Weather, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
1:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM
4:00 News & Jukebox with Scott Betts
6:00 News & A Brief History of Maths
6:15 Weather, Flights, News Direct, Announcements & Job Shop
6:30 Soul, Blues & Rock 'n' Roll with Liz Elliot
7:30 Feature Presentation
8:00 Pot Luck with Myriam Booth including Weather & Flights at 8:30
10:00 BFBS/96.5 & The Network and BBC World Service c/o KTV Radio Nova 530MW & 88.3FM
Contact us Telephone 27277 Fax: 27279 Email: www.firs.co.fk Acting Station Manager abiggs@firs.co.fk Head of Programmes lic@firs.co.fk Adverts adverts@firs.co.fk Requests requests@firs.co.fk These scheds are subject to change and any changes will be announced on Falklands Radio.

BFBS radio

96.5FM

Friday 12.00am Ops Breakfast from Afghanistan 3.00am Simon Guettier 4.00am UK Breakfast 7.00am Paul Wisdom 10.00am Mark Humphries 2.00pm Glen Mansell 5.00pm Mike Howarth
Tuesday 12.00am Ops Breakfast from Afghanistan 3.00am Simon Guettier 4.00am UK Breakfast 7.00am Paul Wisdom 10.00am Mark Humphries 2.00pm Glen Mansell 5.00pm Mike Howarth 7.00pm Jessie Aru 10.00pm The Vibe
Saturday 12.00am Chill Out Room - Mark Humphries 2.00am Forces Shuffle 3.00am UK Breakfast Show 7.00am Falkland's Breakfast Show 9.00am The Vault 11.00am Vicky & Adam's Saturday Show 3.00pm Andy Pearman 6.00pm Club Culture Live 9.00pm Groove Collective - Mario 11.00pm BFBS Hosts
Sunday 12.00am BFBS Hosts 1.00am The Vault 3.00am UK Breakfast Show 7.00am Accessall Areas 11am UK Sunday Afternoon Show 3.00pm Lee Dunn 6.00pm Music First 8.00pm Elevation 10.00pm Chill out room

BFBS radio

550 MW:

FRIDAY 0200 Morning reports 0230 Wake up to money 0300 Today from BBC Radio 4 0600 Simon Marlow 0900 BFBS Gold with Dave Windsor 1000 World at One 1030 Richard Hutchinson 1400 PM from BBC Radio 4 1500 6 o'clock News 1530 Five Live Sport 1930 Late Night Live 2200 BFBS Up all night from BBC Radio Five Live
SATURDAY 0000 BFBS News 0003 Nigel Rennie Country 0100 BFBS News 0103 The Gentle Breeze 0200 Morning reports 0300 Weekend breakfast 0400 Today from BBC Radio 4 0600 BFBS News 0600 BFBS Radio 2 Saturday Show with Dusty Miller 0800 BFBS News 0803 Nigel Rennie Country 0900 Five Live Sport 1700 Saturday Edition 1900 Late night live from BBC Radio Five Live 2200 BFBS News 2203 The BFBS Radio 2 Sunday Show 2300 BFBS News 2303 A Taste of Cyprus
SUNDAY 0100 BFBS News 0103 The Gentle Breeze 0200 Morning reports 0300 Weekend Breakfast 0500 BFBS News 0503 The BFBS Radio 2 Sunday Show 0600 Broadcasting House from BBC Radio 4 0700 BFBS News 0703 A Taste of Cyprus 0900 Five live sport 1600 Pienaar's Politics 1700 On the money 1800 Five Investigates 1900 Late night live 2200 BFBS Radio News 2203 BFBS Gold with Dave Windsor 2300 Up All Night



□ FIRS 88.3 FM Stanley (Town only). 530 MW Island Wide
□ KTV Radio BBC World Service on 106.5 FM. 88.3 FM, 530 MW Island Wide
□ BFBS/FIRS 96.5MHz Sapper Hill (Stanley Area)
□ BFBS/FIRS 96.5MHz BFBS Radio 91.1 MHz BFBS Radio 2 94.5MHz New Sapper Hill Transmitter Site (Stanley Area)
□ BFBS/FIRS 102.0 MHz Mount Maria (West Falkland)
□ BFBS Radio 98.5MHz BFBS Radio 2 93.8MHz BFBS Gurkha Radio 96.0MHz MPA
□ BFBS/FIRS 90.0MHz March Ridge (East Falkland)
□ BFBS/FIRS 88.0MHz Sussex Mountains/San Carlos
□ BFBS/FIRS 90.0MHz Byron Heights (NW of West Falkland)
□ BFBS Radio 102.4MHz BFBS Radio 2 104.2MHz BFBS Gurkha Radio 106.0MHz New Mt Alice Transmitter (SW of West Falklands)

MPA Phoenix Cinema Schedule

Weekday show starts - 1st Performance 19:30

Saturday & Sunday shows start - 1st Performance 14:00 2nd Performance 19:30

Seat Prices: Adult (18 and over) £4 / 3D £5 Child (3-17) £3 / 3D £4 Students £3 / 3D £4 Seniors (60 and over) £3 / 3D £4
Family Ticket £11.00 / 3D £15.00 Visit website: www.ssvc.com/cinemas

Fri 25 February	Sat 26 February	Sun 27 February	Mon 28 February	Tues 1 March	Weds 2 March	Thurs 3 March
	TANGLED 3D	YOGI BEAR			TANGLED 3D (PG)	
Show starts 19:30	Show starts 19:30	Show starts 19:30	Show starts 19:30	Show starts 19:30	Show starts 19:30	Show starts 19:30
SANCTUM 3D	BLACKSWAN	PAUL	SANCTUM 3D	GULLIVER'S TRAVELS 3D	THE MECHANIC	PAUL

BLACKSWAN (15) 108 mins. Drama. Nina is a ballerina and obsessed with dance. Natalie Portman, Mila Kunis
YOGI BEAR 3D (U) 81 mins. Animation. Dan Aykroyd, Justin Timberlake
SANCTUM 3D (15) 109 mins. Adventure. Sanctum takes us deep underwater as we follow a team of cave divers on a dangerous expedition. Rhys Wakefield, Richard Roxburgh
PAUL (15) 103 mins. Comedy. An alien named Paul decides it's time to escape. Simon Pegg, Nick Frost
THE MECHANIC (15) 92 mins. Action. Arthur Bishop is an elite assassin

with a strict code and unique talent for cleanly eliminating targets. Jason Statham, Ben Foster
TANGLED 3D (PG) 100 mins. The long-haired Princess Rapunzel has spent her entire life in a tower, but when she falls in love with a bandit she must venture into the outside world for the first time to find him. Mandy Moore, Zachary Levi
GULLIVER'S TRAVELS 3D (PG) 87 mins. Comedy. Gulliver is mistakenly assigned a travel piece on the Bermuda Triangle. Jack Black, Emily Blunt

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY PORTFOLIO SYSTEM & CONTACT DETAILS

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Further details and public papers are available on www.falklands.gov.fk/assembly

CONCORDIA BAY Ferry Schedule

Friday 25th	0800 East-West 1000 West-East 1800 East-West
Saturday 26th	0800 West-East 1000 East-West 1200 West-East
Sunday 27th	SPORTS WEEK COMMENCES 1200 East-West 1400 West-East
Monday 28th	
Tuesday 1st	0800 East-West 1000 West-East
Wednesday 2nd	1800 East-West
Thursday 3rd	0800 West-East 1000 East-West 1200 West-East
Friday 4th	0800 East-West 1000 West-East 1800 East-West
Saturday 5th	0800 West-East
Sunday 6th	1200 East-West 1400 West-East
Monday 7th	West Islands
Tuesday 8th	West Islands
Wednesday 9th	West Islands
Thursday 10th	West Islands
Friday 11th	West Islands

Receiving cargo for Western Islands from 2nd March. Cargo closed 1200 on 4th March

Please ensure that you check your departure time with the office the day before you are due to travel. On busy days timings may differ to those shown on the schedule. While every attempt will be made to run a replacement ferry as soon as possible in the event of weather cancellation, on occasion operational and safety requirements may mean further delays. Please check www.workboat.co.fk for more information. Email admin@workboat.co.fk, Phone 22300, Fax 22301, out of hours mobile 55299

Fisheries Department Catch for period 10 to 16 Feb 2011 Number of Licenses

Licence Type	Eligible for Period	Fishing During Period
Total	96	33
A	9	3
B	60	18
E	2	2
F/R	4	0
L	1	1
S	1	0
W/Z	19	9

A = All Finfish
B = Illex
E = Experimental (Rock Cod/Loligo)
F/R = Skate/Ray
L = Longliner
S = Surimi

Catch by Species (tonnes)

Species	Total catch
Loligo	10
Illex	55
Hakes	60
Blue Whiting	99
Hoki	244
Kongelip	54
Toothfish	31
Red Cod	70
Ray	57
Rock Cod	1,378
Others	20
Total	2078

Department of Agriculture Wool Market Report 18th February, 2011

Tony Mills, Department of Agriculture, Falkland Islands.
The Australian wool market is showing signs of a little volatility. In Australian dollar (AUD) terms the BMI eased before bouncing back to 1342 cents. I cut off the previous week. Exchange rate volatility is masking the underlying price trend as the AUD depreciated against the pound to finish at \$1.62 per £1. This has the effect of showing price decreases across all micron categories after converting from AUD to pounds when in fact the majority of categories show an increase.
Chinese buyers are still dominant however good competition is being seen from Indian and Taiwanese buyers as well as Europeans especially in the mid micron categories (19.5 - 21.5).
The competition for finer wools is flowing through to higher prices for broader wools such as 25 - 30 microns. A larger offering is expected next week and I think this will test the resilience of the market.

Week ending	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	28	30	32
07/02/2010	759	659	586	572	552	530	486	448	386	277	241	219
04/11/2010	903	765	647	617	591	560	518	472	416	299	262	247
02/12/2010	990	787	630	616	584	560	516		414	302	275	258
16/12/2010	1028	822	655	638	607	576	519	441	399	305	278	258
13/01/2011	1160	964	727	707	670	639	565	478	432	330	294	266
30/01/2011	1203	967	725	688	666	633	591	507	467	356	316	279
27/01/2011	1216	970	724	699	672	637	597	515	477	363	319	284
03/02/2011	1297	1014	751	723	692	662	604	522	478	359	317	283
10/02/2011	1301	995	747	718	689	650	596	526	481	351	313	280
16/02/2011	1278	981	736	700	677	640	589	525	470	349	312	277
Market Change	-23	-14	-11	-18	-12	-10	-7	-1	-11	-2	-1	-3
Price year ago	671	619	563	554	528	473	401	345	263	224	195	
Change from last year	90%	58%	31%	26%	24%	21%	25%	31%	36%	33%	39%	39%

Coffee break Sudoku and quiz

Sudoku by Colin Lang

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All answers start with a vowel...

1. What is the process in which hair and small blemishes are removed from the body by the application of heat using electric current?
2. What is the Japanese martial art, similar to judo, which uses grappling, throws, and non-resistance, to debilitate opponents?
3. What is the edible sea snail of the genus *Helix*, which has an ear-shaped shell with a pearly interior?
4. The fundamental philosophical and devotional epic stories Mahabharata and Ramayana originated in Sanskrit in which ancient country?
5. What was the tribe of ancient Britons of Eastern England whose queen was Boudica (Boadicea)?
6. What is the capital of Ghana?
7. What is the African antelope whose male of the species have lyre-shaped horns?
8. What is the Roman numeral LXXXVIII?
9. What is the Southern India savoury steamed cake made of rice and served with chutney?
10. The River Amazon flows into which ocean?

Answers to last week's quiz:

1. Omerta
2. Abyss
3. Octohedron
4. Eccles
5. Infanta
6. Ulua W
7. Apple W
8. Onitlamme
9. Au Gratin
10. Escudo

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Catching up with Andi Neate at a farewell Narrows Bar session



Toby shows his dancing skills in a private gig



Andi and Maggie Goss entertain at Bluff Cove



Tim and Andi at the Narrows

ANDI Neate performed a few favourites and plenty of new material at the Narrows Bar on Saturday evening to an appreciative crowd with barely a seat in the bar left unclaimed.

Matthew McMullen opened the evening for her on the intimate carpet stage with a solo vocal and guitar performance.

Andi introduced her set in the same format and after the acoustic introductions she was joined by Tim Cotter on the bass, and later by Pete King (Drums) and Shirley Adams-Leech (Flute).

Known for her talented voice,

and intolerance of poor crowd etiquette, the experienced performer captivated the crowds attention, armed only with a guitar, a microphone and stripy socks.

Shirley proved Andi wasn't the only singer on full form when she vocally supported the singer/songwriter in her closing number.

As Andi hurriedly packed her equipment up she donated a minute of her time to explain why she chooses to spend so much of it in a land so far from her home:

"It's simple really, inspiration. I came here to write my sixth

album because these lands inspire me" Andi explained. She is reminded of her Scottish home by the similarities in landscape, but chooses to come here because of the freedom she can enjoy as well.

So Andi is leaving our shores with a good collection of songs in the bag. Her work is in the singer songwriter genre but varies and the insular lyrics of her material often reflect the isolated locations in which they were written.

Always enjoying her time here, Andi directed me to her website www.andineate.co.uk for more in depth analysis and describes the

Falklands as "by far one of my favourite places on the planet." This isn't her first trip to the Islands; she was here as recent as last year and enjoys strong connections with The Fighting Pigs and often performs at Bluff Cove Lagoon on tourist days.

Andi flies back to Scotland for a break on February 22 and will soon be in the studio again before touring in Germany.

As soon as her part was done she quickly scurried off, keen to get a hold of her last weekend in town and join in the next round.

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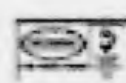
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Ian wins February Medal in strong winds

FOURTEEN players signed in for the Décor Services sponsored Monthly Medal and were greeted by sunshine and gales.

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The competition was won by Ian Stewart who carded a net 68 playing off a handicap of 11. Ian's handicap was subsequently cut to 10.

In second place with a net 71 was Roy Reynolds. There was a total of six birdies.

Ian now has a commanding lead in the Medal League competition being 12 points clear of second placed Ady Lowe with only two monthly medals left to play. The monthly medals also count towards the eclectic, which is the best scores on each hole throughout the year.

Tony Rocke currently leads the eclectic just ahead of Tony McMullen and Ian Stewart.

The league table which covers

all the season's competitions is currently led by Troyd Bowles five points clear of Tony McMullen.

Many thanks again to Décor Services for their continuing sponsorship of the medal.

The Matchplay tournament is also progressing with Sarah Bowles already in the final having defeated Glenn Ross in the semi's. Adam Glanville and Darren Wade still have to play their quarter final where the winner will meet Ian Stewart for the other place in the final.

This coming Sunday will see the playing of the Alex Smith Trophy sponsored by the Falkland Islands Overseas Games Association.

Club members should note that the Stanley Chartered open will be played on the weekend of the 12th and 13th March and this tournament will conclude the Island Games Qualifiers.

Tony Rocke



Stanley's Junior Golfers at the Captains Day last Saturday, making the most of the new practice mats purchased by the club

2011 Horticultural Society Cup Winners

(Reading left to right for each entry: name of prize, place in class, presenter and winner in capitals)

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Weds 16 Mar	Thurs 17 Mar	Fri 18 Mar	Sat 19 Mar
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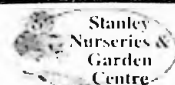
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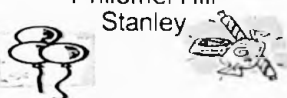
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IMPORTANT PUBLIC NOTICE

SUPPLY OF WREATHS OF POPPIES for 2011

The General Public are advised that the Royal British Legion (F.I. Branch) has taken on the role of coordinating the ordering of wreaths of poppies for the Falkland Islands.

As an efficiency and cost saving measure, there will also be a change in how wreaths of poppies are supplied by the Royal British Legion (F.I. Branch). There will no longer be a large stock of wreaths held in the Falkland Islands. (A small quantity of Type '10' wreaths will be held in stock for visiting Veterans Families).

The aspiration is to get all units, associations, groups, individuals and anyone else that might require wreaths of poppies for 2011 to submit their order to the Royal British Legion (F.I. Branch) on or before Friday 04 March 2011.

Those wishing to purchase wreaths of poppies for 2011 are asked to submit their requirements to one of the officers of the RBL named below. Please note that orders placed should cover requirements for the whole of 2011 as wreaths will not be ordered on an individual basis. Invoices will be issued on receipt of wreaths in the Falkland Islands.

Chairman - M.T. Clarke - email: mtdhorizon@co.uk - phone 21131
Secretary - K. Biles - email: sec.rblfi@gmail.com - phone 21897/51897
Treasurer - D. Lewis - email: newhouse1970@hotmail.com - phone 51527



Upcoming Courses

The Training Centre will be running the following courses in March 2011:

Communication Skills:	10th March closing date: 7th March
Effective Workplace Mediation Skills:	30th & 31st March closing date: 23rd March
Teamwork:	24th March closing date: 16th March
Coaching and Mentoring Refresher:	16th March closing date: 16th March

Please note that the Coaching and Mentoring Refresher is for those of whom have attended the full day course last year.

For further information or to enrol on any of these courses:
Email: clerk.training@sec.gov.fk Phone: 27133 (mornings only)

Public Notice

The Housing Section of the Public Works Department has some surplus furniture for sale. The furniture consists mainly of old living room suites in varying condition and age. The units will be offered for sale on a first come, first served basis with a fixed price attached to each suite. The sale will take place from 1 pm to 6pm on Wednesday 9th March and Thursday 10th March 2011 at the Megabid Furniture Store. Successful purchasers will be required to pay for and remove their purchases on the day. Further information can be obtained by contacting the Housing Office on telephone 27193 during normal working hours.

At close of business
February 24, 2011Change over
previous week

Falkland Oil and Gas Ltd	84.25	-8.50
Falkland Islands Holdings	300.00	+7.50
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Cable & Wireless	47.60	+1.22
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NOTICES/VACANCIES

The Falkland Islands Company - Vacancies

Full-time and Part-time Customer Service Assistants are required for the West Store Retail Complex. Applicants must be aged 18 years and over and be willing to work flexible hours, including weekends, evenings and public holidays. You should be pleasant, confident and will need to be versatile and happy to undertake any aspect of work within the West Store Complex, Café and new Peacocks clothing section. The position will include the operation of computerised tills and organising of new stock. For further information, please contact Leeanne Henry on 27661. Application forms are available from the West Store Foodhall.

The FIC has a vacancy for a Driver/Stevedore in the Port Services section. Applicants should be physically fit, reliable and hold a HGV driving licence. For further information please contact Paul Anderson on 51822.

The FIC Warehouse has vacancies for full time and part-time Warehousemen to work within the Warehouse. Applicants should be physically fit, be able to operate a forklift, have a clean driving licence and should have some warehouse experience. For further information please contact Justina Peters the Warehouse Manager on 27641.

Stanley Services Scholarship

The Stanley Services Scholarship is aimed at candidates who are age 21 or above, and may be used as a contribution to post graduate studies or awarded to mature students or individuals who wish to retrain or gain specialist/additional training to further their career within the Falkland Islands. This could take the form of paying course fees, helping with accommodation and/or travel costs.

No formal qualifications are required, however, the driving factor behind the award must be of relevance to the future development of the individual and to the Falkland Islands.

Interested persons can obtain an application form and additional information from Steve Fowmes at Stanley Services Ltd. on telephone 22622 or sfowmes@stanley-services.co.uk.

Closing date for applications is April 15, 2011.

Application forms should be returned to Steve Fowmes, Stanley Services Ltd. Stanley, Falkland Islands.



JUSTICES OF THE PEACE

Play a vital role in the Administration of Justice in the Falkland Islands. The Court is seeking applications from those of sound judgment, integrity and discretion to train to sit as JPs in the Summary Court. Candidates should have good listening and communication skills, an open mind and the ability to work well with others.

Applicants must be Commonwealth citizens, on the Electoral Register, be aged between 18 and 70, and preferably have been resident in the Falkland Islands for the past 10 years.

The office of JP is an unpaid, voluntary position and JPs will be required to make themselves available for about 1 - 2 Court sittings each month (other work commitments will be honoured and a rota agreed in advance).

For further information and an application form please contact:

Val Padgett, Courts Administrator

PO Box 602, Town Hall, Stanley

Telephone: 27271 e-mail: courtadministrator@townhall.gov.fk

If you would like to nominate a suitable person, rather than apply yourself, we would be very pleased to hear from you.

Applications close on 18th March 2011

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 - Thursday 3rd March at 8.30am in the Liberation Room, Secretariat

Health & Medical Services Committee - Thursday 3rd March at 11.00am in the Liberation Room, Secretariat

Lands Committee - Thursday 3rd March 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.

PUBLIC NOTICE

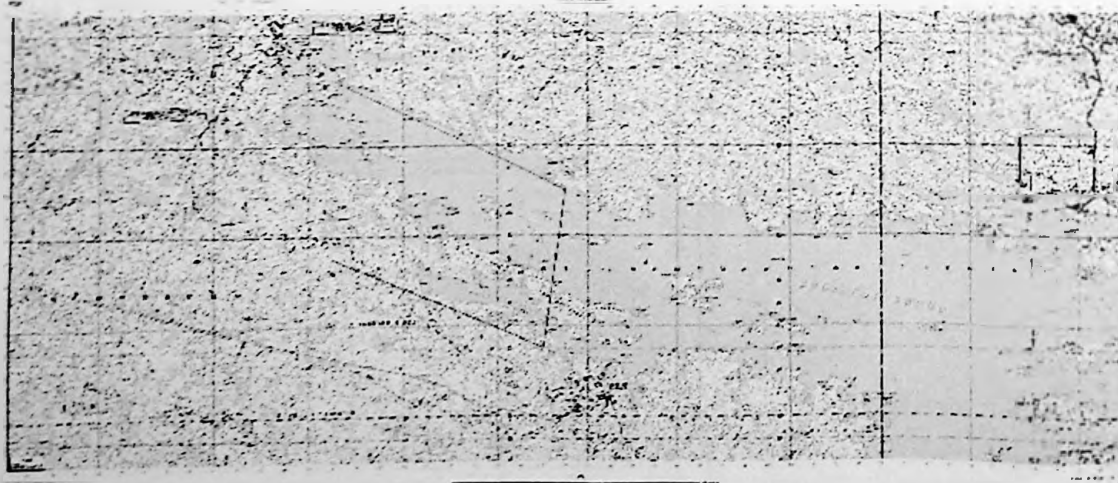
LIVE FIRING EXERCISE

The general public are advised that HQ BFAI will be conducting a Live Firing Exercise in the area of Choiseul Sound, Arrow Harbour and Victoria Harbour (between Goose Green and Walker Creek) on the 27 and 28 February and 01 March 2011. This is a Live Firing Exercise involving the use of small arms ammunition.

The general Public are advised to avoid the area between the hours of 0830 and 1930 daily.

See map for details of the Range Danger Area.

Further information can be obtained from the HQ BFAI Range Safety Officer on 53433.



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FALKLAND ISLANDS GOVERNMENT VACANCIES

Stanley Leisure Centre Leisure Attendant

Hours: 37.5 hours per week

Salary: Grade G/H, commencing at £12,648 per annum

Closing Date: Monday 7th March 2011

For Information: Contact Steve Dent, Recreation Manager, on telephone number 27285 during normal working hours

Public Work Department – Design Section Contracts Engineer

Hours: 37.5 hours per week

Salary: Grade B, commencing at £33,018 per annum

Closing Date: Tuesday 1st March 2011

For Information: Contact Manfred Keenleyside, Director of Public Works on telephone number 27197 during normal working hours

Job descriptions and application forms for the above positions can be obtained from the Human Resources Department – telephone 28420, fax 27212 or e-mail HRclerk@sec.gov.fk

Tasty Treat Snack Bar will have a part time Customer Service and Kitchen Assistant position available soon. The successful applicants must be of clean and sober habits with experience in dealing with customers in a similar working environment. A smart appearance is essential. The candidate must be willing to work flexible hours, including weekends and public holidays. Interested persons please e-mail your CV to tastytreat@cwimail or contact Arlene Bowers on 53006 for further information.

The Public Works Department invite expressions of interest from suitably qualified and experienced cleaning contractors who wish to be considered for internal cleaning of a number of government buildings within Stanley.

Interested contractors / individuals should submit their details in writing to the Maintenance Manager by 11th March 2011.

The Falkland Islands Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest of any quotation.

For further information telephone John Foster on 27178 during normal working hours

Penguin News has a vacancy for the position of Managing Editor to commence towards end of May.

Previous experience in the day to day running of a community orientated newspaper would be an advantage.

Applications complete with a CV and requests for more details and information should be directed to the Chair Media Trust, Cheryl Roberts on mobile 51380 and/or email cheryl@beaucheneffishing.co.fk by Friday March 11th 2011.

Easy Clean requires part time cleaners for immediate start. For more information contact Carolina on 22736/51073

WANTED Eager youngster (over 14) to sell copies of the Penguin News to tourists on Wednesday (March 2) from 9am to 4.30pm. Phone 22709.

Dereck and Anika Jaffray would like to say a big thank you to the following people for making their wedding day so special: Best man Christian and maid of honour Karin for all their support, beautiful bridesmaids Molly and Amy and cheeky paige boy Travis. Father of the bride Nobby, Auntie Gwynne, Mum Fiona, John-Willie and Phyllis, suit and ring courier Smiler, Rev Hines and organist Paul Freer (Apologies again for the bride's lateness!). Make-up artist and hair stylist Claudia, patient driver Terrence, cake maker extraordinaire Michele (it's all gone!!), Flower arranging magician Jan (sorry about the jelly babies!), Carl and all the staff at the Malvina, Town Hall transformers Nigel and Tansy, photographer Garry and also Robert for the Music.

Not forgetting Angie, June and Terri-Ann for all their help and Rachel for the evening bridal support. Huge thanks also to all our family and friends who sent good wishes, cards and gifts.

Penguin Travel Exclusive Tours

Whale Watching in Berkeley Sound

Don't miss this fantastic opportunity to go Whale Watching in Berkeley Sound. We are offering a three hour trip for up to 10 people to enjoy this unique experience.

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Email: manager@penguintravel-falklands.com

www.penguintravel-falklands.com

Due to the changeable nature of the weather it is advisable to dress warmly and wear comfortable and sturdy shoes.



Happy 8th birthday Adam. Enjoy the sports, love from Mum, Dad and Logan xxx

Happy 8th birthday Adam, love Granny



For TJ - Happy 7th birthday for the 1st of March. Hope you have loads of fun at the aqua-run party. Love you millions. All our love, hugs and sloppy kisses. From Mum Mac and Tyler xx

Home Living

The Falkland Islands Company Ltd advises that Home Living will be closed for stock-taking on **Saturday, 26th and Sunday 27th February 2011**. We apologise for any inconvenience that this may cause.



Lighthouse Seamen's Centre Cafe
Opening times: Wednesday to Friday

10am to 4pm

Saturday and Sunday 11am to 4pm

Last orders for hot food at 3pm.

This week's specials are:

Wednesday - Toad in the Hole

Thursday - Cottage Pie

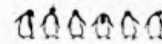
Friday - Pasta Bake



Happy 1st birthday to our sweetheart with lots of love from your sister Sofia, mummy and daddy.



To Mia, happy 2nd birthday dear for the 28th. Hope you have a great day and enjoy your party. Loads of love from Nan and Grandad, Auntie Michele, Andy, Duane and Kyran



Falkland Islands
TOURIST BOARD

FITB AGM NOTICE

The Falkland Islands Tourist Board will be holding its AGM on Monday the 21st March at 5.30pm at the Chamber of commerce.

This will be a FITB member's only meeting and to obtain a full agenda or for enquiries please contact the Falkland Islands Tourist Board.

Stanley Running Club would like to thank their sponsors: FIC Ltd, RBC Ltd, The Breadshop, Consolidated Fisheries Ltd & Ian Stewart Construction Ltd. Also grateful thanks to the Leisure Centre staff, Sea Cadets and BFBS Radio for advertising the race and to all the volunteers who manned the water stations and did the marshalling and check points.



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Donis Day Show season 1 & 2 £25
Oprah Winfrey 20th Anniversary set £20
CDs: Mainly country £5 each
Interested? Contact Myriam on 21234

40 foot Artic flat trailer with 8 locks
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Tel fax Ian Bury 21058 mob 51058

For Sale - Portland Kitchen - Verona Oak
- Brand new, unassembled and still in its boxes, consisting of:
2 x 500 D.L. base units, 1 x 1000 D.L. base units, 2 x 500x720 wall units, 2 x 500x720 glazed wall units, handles & plinths. Also includes an ALTO sink, ASCOT taps and Everest black gloss worktop 3.6x600x40mm. Perfect for a small kitchen or utility room. £1,650.00
New double glazed window 3 foot by 6 foot, top and side opening, mahogany finish £380.00
2 x New white IKEA bookcases, one assembled and one still in its box. £30 each
1 x New pine storage unit with 3 baskets, still in box £40.00
1 x Pine storage box £45.00
1 x 14" TV, colour silver £30.00
For further information tel. Carol Thorsen 55404.

4 mares, various ages, all have been caught but not tamed.
Please telephone Tyrone on 31122 in the evenings

Bunk bed (beechwood, bottom bed convertible to 2 benches and a table) £100.00
Vax Hoover (Dyson style: as new) £50.00
Yamaha keyboard (including the stand and sustain pedal) £50.00
All in very good condition.
To view contact 52843 or 55937 (daytime), 20843 (evenings) also photos of the items available at the West Store Notice board

For Sale
Newly built detached house at 3 Mink Park, 3 bedrooms, (master with bathroom ensuite and dressing room,) second bathroom, living room, studio, fully equipped kitchen with central island. Views over harbour. Offers in writing to PO Box 779, to be received before March 18th. The sellers do not bind themselves to accept any offer. Ring Marcelo on telephone 51649 or Jessica on telephone 55276 to view

For Sale - 2 bedroom semi-detached house situated at 11 Jersey Road. Fitted kitchen, bathroom and lounge. Front and back yards with garden shed at the rear of the property and large garage at the front. To view please call Angie May on 52096. Tenders to be submitted to Angie & Roger May, PO Box 815 by Thursday 16th March. The tenderer does not bind themselves to accept the highest or any tender.

For Sale - 4 H Jones Road. Newly constructed (8 months old) 4 bedroom furnished home. Ample off street parking. Master bedroom with ensuite. Warm and sunny with views to the Narrows. Viewing welcomed by appointment. Please enquire with Rob or Jo 51086 or 22256.

Persons who have expressed an interest in the freehold purchase of The Black Hill House at Charters are invited to submit tenders by 15th March, 2011. Tenders should be sent to Bill Luxton at Charters by letter or fax. Fax 42299. The sellers do not bind themselves to accept the highest or any tender. Details of the property may still be obtained from Bill Luxton on Tel 42296 and we are happy to assist anyone wishing to view during Sports Week - or any other time.

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FORSALE/NOTICES

Isuzu Sports MU £2,750. Call Steve 55632

Land Rover 90, Blue, 2.5, Off-Road tyres, £1,100 ono. Contact 52413

Silver Ford Mondeo 2002, 2 lit diesel vgc, with some spares, £3,250 ono. Phone Vera 21566

Suzuki Jeep, Run and drives and is taxed. Could do with some work. £200 ono. Call Dan 65114

Suzuki Sierra Soft-top (Australian made Samurai with long range radio etc) for sale. One owner from new. Still with original tyres and unused spare, tools, all documents, 2 keys plus immobiliser. 16,000 miles only. Almost showroom bodywork. £1,500. Must sell as buying a motorcycle! John 55935 evenings.

Government House Gardens Open Day
The Government House gardens will be open to the public from 1pm - 4pm on Saturday 5th March.
Refreshments will be served by members of the Girl Guides in exchange for a small donation.

Important Notice from Cable & Wireless



Every autumn and spring the sun temporarily interrupts our service. Therefore, we wish to inform customers that this autumn will bring the following unavoidable disruption to all international services including internet and roaming. It is recommended that you avoid any software upgrades or downgrades during this time.

Date and time	FLE time	Length of Outage (mins)
27 FEB 2011	10:29	2
28 FEB 2011	10:29	5
01 MAR 2011	10:29	6
02 MAR 2011	10:29	7

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TOURIST BOARD

Office Space for lease
An opportunity exists to lease office space located above the Pod Gift Shop. The office space would ideally suit a small sized business.
The initial lease period will be for 12 months and is available immediately.
For viewing or enquiries please contact Paul Trowell, gm.fub@horizon.co.fk or by phone 27019.

THE TABERNACLE FREE CHURCH

Invite you to the Women's World Day of Prayer. On March 4th at 6pm.
The service this year has been prepared by the christian women of Chile, so we especially invite our Chilean community to join us.

LA IGLESIA LIBRE TABERNACLE
Tiene el placer de invitarle al Dia Mundial de Oracion de Mujeres el viernes 4 de marzo a las 19:00 horas. Este año la misa ha sido preparada por las mujeres cristianas de Chile. Asi que invitamos especialmente a toda la comunidad chilena a juntarse con nosotros.

NOTICES



From the Narrows Bar- Myriam will be back with Country music on the 26th February from 8pm.

Available for rent until December. The 4 bedroom house known as Hambledon situated on the front road beside the Cathedral. Contact j.yellowleesbound@btinternet.com or Mcgrigors LLP 22690.

Everybody Sing! Friday 25th February, 7.30 - 8.30pm
I'm very pleased to say that Dr Haydn James (conductor), the Comrades Choir and Jamie Hutchinson (soloist) - who are currently in the Falkland Islands - have kindly agreed to this special evening at the Cathedral this coming Friday, without charge.
I hope you might be able to join us for a memorable musical evening.
Richard.

For Sale
The Business known as Rudy's Land Rover parts
Enquiries to telephone No. 21120

Rockhopper Exploration, in partnership with the Department of Mineral Resources, AGR and Diamond Offshore, invites members of the public to a presentation entitled 'What is Oilfield Appraisal?' The presentation will take place on Tuesday 1st March at 5:30pm in the Court and Council Chamber, Town Hall. All are welcome to attend. For further information, please contact the Department of Mineral Resources on 27322.

New fabric in at **Sew What** includes loads of colours in plain fleece, Royal Stuart and Black Watch tartan fleece, and thermal blackout curtain lining. **Sew What** at 5 Jersey Road is open Saturdays from 12 noon to 4 pm. Telephone 22078, fax 22088.

Falkland Gun Club AGM
The Annual General Meeting of the Falkland Gun Club will take place on Monday 28th February at 7.00pm in the Geography Room of the Community School. All are welcome, this will be an important meeting where some key decisions will be made regarding the clubs future so please make the effort to attend.
All items for the agenda need to be sent to the Club Secretary, Caren Middleton by 5.00pm on Friday 25th February.

NOTICE FROM THE DARWIN HARBOUR SPORTS ASSOCIATION - The DHSA would like to announce that the Sports Meeting for 2011 will be held at Goose Green starting on the 26th February to the 1st March, the programmes are now on sale.
Can everybody wishing to enter the dog trials contact Diana on 22917 or 32296 evenings before the 18 February, late entries will be run first. All jockeys holding Challenge Trophies please return them to Diana at 17 James Street. We look forward to seeing you all there.

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WANTED/NOTICES

See page 17 for 'Narrows News'

Spare room or sleepout wanted
We're a couple from New Zealand looking for a small cosy living space in Stanley for a year or two (working with the Fishery Dept from early April). Ideally furnished or partly-furnished. We'd prefer shared living but if a one-room flat, sleepout or farmworkers' quarters are available we'd be interested too. A small house would also be a possibility. Please contact Graham and Kalinka thiskwiillies@gmail.com

HERBIE GOSS
Missing from 7 Brandon Road since Friday 19th, a big all-black cat. Much loved family pet so any news (good or bad) would be appreciated especially by a little girl. Please phone Ali on 52955 or 22955.

The next session of **Legislative Assembly** has been scheduled to take place at 09.30 on Friday 25 February 2011 in the Court and Council Chambers, Town Hall.

The Galley Cafe
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Open seven days a week
Food available from 9am to 9pm
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This weeks specials are
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Stanley Darts Club agm will be held in the Chamber of Commerce on Wednesday the 16th March 2011 at 6pm. Could team captains please hand in their teams at the agm or to the chairman on the night.



ENTERTAINMENT AT THE STANLEY ARMS
Country night for Saturday 26th in Stanley Arms
Quiz night 9th March. Details in next weeks Penguin News

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