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Oh No We Don't!!!

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*Anyone want
to be
Chairman?*

In the last newsletter I reported the gaining of a Chairman. I am sorry to say that this is now not the case.

Certain issues came to light which indicated that Mr Lambert was not the person for the job and that the committee could not work in the way that was alluded to.

It is with regret that I have to report that we are still in the market for a Chairman.

If anyone else would like the job please contact the committee.

Great South Run

Many many thanks to those that sponsored Alan Drakeley (yes he is my son) who completed the Great South Run 10 miles in 1 hour 42 minutes. He has raised in excess of £700 for Sussex IA. A huge thank you to Alan for all his efforts in not only doing the run and getting the sponsorship but also in the training he has done to be able to do it.



The sponsorship website is still open for anyone who feels they want to. It is <http://www.justgiving.com/alandrakeley/> or you can send it to Dave Drakeley with cheques made payable to Sussex IA.

Once again

WELL DONE ALAN!

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*County *Phone Number

*Mobile Phone Number

*Email

*Factory or internal pouch *Date of operation *Date of birth

Subscription rates for 2008 are £12.00 for those aged under 60 at 1st January 2008 and £8 for those aged 60 and above at 1st January 2008. Cheques made payable to **SUSSEX IA** please.
I have also used this as a membership update form. Would **ALL** members please complete this form and return it to Dave Drakeley (address on page 4) even if you pay your subscriptions by standing order. There are gaps in the information that I hold which makes my annual reports much harder to compile (it is only statistics - no personal information). Also members have moved or had operations so the data held may not be correct. This just ensures that everything I have is correct.

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Keep your diary clear

The date of next year's AGM (AGM 2010) is yet to be decided but will be either 13th, 20th or 27th March and will be in the Eastbourne/Hastings area.

Following this years debacle and waste of funds, we will not be providing food. We will be supplying tea, coffee and biscuits as we have done in the past.

The doors will open at 1.30 to 2.00pm with a display by the suppliers and you never know but we might even have a speaker. All this is yet to be finalised as this newsletter went to press. Final details will be in the next newsletter.

Dave's Ramblings



There are an awful lot of members receiving this newsletter and accompanying Journal that have not paid their subscriptions for this year and in quite a few cases for several years.

Because of the type of organisation that we are, we try not to stop membership. However, anyone who has not paid their 2009 and/or earlier subscriptions will **NOT** be receiving the next issue. Anyone concerned about whether it applies to them can contact Dave Drakeley. There are about 60 of you that this applies to.

Subscriptions are due January 1st for everybody regardless of joining date and are £12 for those aged under 60 as at January 1st 2010 and £8 for those aged 60 and above. Standing order forms are available from Dave Drakeley if you want to make sure your subs get paid on time every year.

If you have a problem about paying please contact Dave Drakeley and discuss the problem in confidence. We are here to help if we can. We can't help if we don't know and we would like to help if we can.

Don't forget
your subs



KELLY'S KORNER

WHAT WOULD YOU YOUNG MEMBERS WANT US TO DO FOR YOU?

**DO YOU WANT TO ARRANGE A MEET JUST FOR THE YOUNGER MEMBERS?
WOULD YOU LIKE A SOCIAL TYPE EVENT? MAYBE A DAY OUT SOMEWHERE
OR A MEAL AND A FEW DRINKS. WE HAVE THE POSSIBILITY OF GETTING
SOMETHING YOU WANT SUBSIDISED SO IT WON'T COST MUCH AT ALL.**

**CONTACT ME BY TEXT OR EMAIL IF YOU HAVE ANY IDEAS ON WHAT YOU
WOULD LIKE TO DO. SOME OF YOU MUST HAVE IDEAS ON WHAT YOU WANT
US TO HELP WITH. WE CAN'T HELP IF YOU DON'T TELL US.**

Help still wanted

We still need help in all sorts of ways. I need help with what to put in the newsletter and we can always do with more committee members to come up with ideas and assistance with various tasks. We only have 2 committee meetings a year so there is not necessarily a lot of time involved but we could do with the input. Please give it some thought and contact a committee member if you think you would like to help.