

## Capital Region

November is a month for sparklers, Catherine wheels and treacle toffee (my Northern habit). In London, it's an opportunity to enjoy the pageantry of the Lord Mayor's Show on the 10<sup>th</sup> and one hundred years on, it is also a time to remember family members who fought and died in the First World War.

Are you a keen golfer or maybe you were interested to follow the Ryder Cup competition a few weeks ago. I was amazed to hear about Moleywood on the radio. Oh, did some-one come to our Wing Ding and now they are a famous golfer? It turned out to be 'Moliwood' and not our Moleywood and a double act of two players called Molinari and Fleetwood. They did rather well in the hitting balls stakes and 'Moliwood, the Sequel' followed in October. It got me thinking about our event in 2009, so here's a reminder of that brilliant weekend. Remember those interviews and Ray trying to disrupt proceedings?



*Moleywood on TV*

You may have guessed that news is a little short this month but around eight bikes went out on a sunny Sunday in September to give a birthday treat to a sprightly 95 year old - Beryl. She enjoyed a trike ride with Gordon while her daughter travelled with Kevin on his trike. The trip, about 15 miles, from her home in Wanstead to the Squadron at North Weald, was followed by a cuppa and a short break to watch the planes. Then it was back to her place and party time!



*Beryl's Birthday Bash*

Beryl thanked us for a wonderful day and gave a very generous donation of £180 which was presented to the RNLI during the Skegness Light Parade weekend.

Those from Capital who ventured to Skegness at the end of September said, "A good time was had by all". Capital was second best turned out Region with 16 inscriptions. A great result. Yorkshire came in first.

Yetti reports that the rest was a bit of a blur with the usual beer and late nights but they had such a great time that they've booked again for 2019. Here's one photo but we'll never know who really did what and where.



*Skegness Lights Run 2018*

This particular weekend coincided with Taz's 70th birthday. Another sexy seventy in Capital. We send our congratulations again to Steve. Here he is putting the clog in and Joe apparently enjoying the occasion! Time to root out the thermals now. Keep warm because winter is coming.....



*Steve's Clogs*

Miss (Helen) Whiplash