

Capital Region

Taz and Trudy had a successful Sari Run in Bangladesh in February. They collected at least £360 from Capital, Essex and other Goldwing members so that meant that at least 90 saris were handed out, on our behalf, to impoverished girls and women in tea gardens and elsewhere. Taz wishes to say a huge thank you to everyone who gave so generously. He also had donations from his funeral director friends and here's some photos from the occasion.



Bale of Saris



Sari Run Presentation 2019

We've re-named Taz as Steve Tazberg or Steve (Spielberg) Taslim - can you see the resemblance with a famous film director?

Capital celebrated Wayne's Big 50 on the day at our 7th February Mole Night. Our very own Mary Berry ie. Margaret was up at 4.30am in the morning with her mixer and flour to bake a tray of 50 individual chocolate cupcakes for us all to celebrate with him. It was a choice of either Malteser or Flake topping, complete with candle, in a 'Baked with love' foil case. Delicious they were.



Margaret's Final Touches



Dani helps Dad blow out 50 candles

A while ago Stuart suggested that the Moles had their own WhatsApp group and the original 80-odd people have now dropped to a regular 20 or so who banter their way through the days and nights. It's a useful source of information and here's a photo in response to Yetti's invitation to join him on a Sunday morning meet-up at the Tea Hut in Epping.



Eight of them battled through the wind, rain, hail stones and then a bit of sun to have a cuppa and a sandwich. Well done to Emma, Roy, Rocky, Andy, Adrian, Barry, Colin and Yetti. Forget March hares, they must all be as mad as March Moles!

We all send congratulations to Dani who was a fantastic 15 in March and to Dave 'A wing Away' Partridge who celebrated his 60th birthday in the same month. We hope Dave's surprise party went well. Maybe there will be more partying when Rocky hits his sexy 60 in April?

Wayne's drinking helmet



Brave Moles at High Beech

Capital host the Inter Regional Bowling Competition, to be held in Lowestoft this time, on Sunday 7th April. At the time of writing, we are short on numbers for the Ladies team and Barry has been threatening to dress up in a skirt. Kent and Essex had better check that there is no skullduggery going on before the skittles get skittled.

That's all for now.

Don't forget to buy those Easter eggs.

Miss (Helen) Whiplash

KEEP YOUR REGIONAL CONTACT DETAILS UP TO DATE

It is very important for Regions to keep the Committee (GenSec, Events Secretary, Membership Secretary) as well as the WingSpan Editor up to date with any contact changes. This is one of the duties of Region Rep.

Please bear this in mind as we are getting close to the time when Regions are organising their Annual General Meetings.