## HASSRA South East Regional Newsletter April 2024

- Euro 2024 Predications Go to HASSRA Live 'events' to sign on for this exciting event! Prizes: £100 Love to Shop voucher for 1st place. £50 Love to Shop Voucher for 2nd Place. £25 Love to Shop Voucher for places 3rd to 6th.
- Pool The Festival qualifier will be held at Riley's Victoria on Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> June 2024 starting midday. For expressions of interest email Jan by clicking <u>HERE</u>
- Snooker The Festival qualifier will be held at Riley's Victoria on Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> June 2024 starting midday. For expressions of interest email Jan by clicking <u>HERE</u>
- Golf The golfing society have their first golf day of the year on Thursday 18th April at Chartham Park, East Grinstead. For further details and expressions of interest please contact <u>Richard Mole.</u>
- Taster Days You may be aware that Dave Philp is involved in arranging a number of Taster Days in the coming months. We held one a week last Friday (FootGolf) and everyone who attended really enjoyed the occasion. I am aware though that all the ones we have scheduled are basically sport-orientated so I think it is time to expand our plans to involve other events which might appeal to a different cross-section of our membership. I'm thinking the Arts and Craft / hobbies world which might include things such as Pottery, Painting, Decoration, Wreath and Garland making, Cooking, Photography etc. etc. The whole idea is to allow people to get a taste of something they may not have experienced before and are keen to have a go at. We would pay for the cost of participation and expenses to attend any event.

So as much as the Board will come up with some ideas, this is your opportunity to suggest to us what you might want to include in our programme as ultimately it is you who will want to take part. We cannot promise to meet all wishes as until we start to investigate, we won't know what's available across the region but once we have a short list of suggestions we will get to work.

This is your HASSRA so make the most of it!

## Paul W.

- Free Cinema tickets for new HASSRA joiners Though partnership with The Cinema Society, a free cinema ticket will now be offered to all new HASSRA joiners for a limited period. Please tell your non-HASSRA colleagues!!
- \* April Challenge There's still time to enter the challenge via your HASSRA Live account at 'Events' you can enter until midnight on 6th April Remember that each

HASSRA member can enter up to three other people in their entry. No prizes but all Kilometres run, walked, cycled or swum will help you to raise money for your local HASSRA Club's chosen charity. Full details can be found on the South East pages of the HASSRA website <u>HERE.</u>

- Wild Swimming at the July Festival This event is now available to sign on for. Click <u>HERE</u> for details! And Dave is still accepting Expressions of interest for other Festival events. Click <u>HERE</u> to contact him.
- HASSRA SE AGM : 20 March 2024 After an abysmal Six Nations for my Country, my spirits were truly lifted by the great bunch of people who turned up at the AGM. For those who couldn't make it for one reason or another, you missed a grand day which everyone seemed to enjoy. To the winners of the 2023 awards, hearty congratulations; for those who lost out this year, there's always next year.

We are in good shape as a region and have plenty of new ideas for the year ahead so I hope to see many of you in the coming months.

Last but not least my sincere thanks to those who put so much effort into making the day such a success. It wouldn't happen without you.

## Paul W (Chair)

- \* Awards To view the 2023 awards presented at the AGM click HERE
- Red Letter Day Go to HASSRA Live / 'Win!' / 'Red Letter Day' and tick 'Yes!' for a chance to win a £250 'Red Letter Day' voucher. <u>Click here</u> to view the fantastic things you can do with your voucher if you win! There will be ten winners.
- FootGolf Taster Day To see the exciting photos and results from the successful taster day click <u>HERE!</u>
- Disclaimer Please note that it is normal practice for us to take photographs at HASSRA events for the benefit of others, so unless an individual specifically requests that their photograph does not appear anywhere it will be assumed that there is no objection.
- Photography Competition Find the winners of the recent competition by clicking <u>HERE.</u>

## Useful Links

- \* HASSRA WhatsApp: Click <u>HERE</u> to sign on
- \* Charity Champion: Send charity details to Tracy by clicking here!
- Regional Facebook site: <u>Click here</u> Your Office name and HASSRA Live membership number will be required.
- \* National Offers: <u>click here</u> One cinema ticket could recoup a months membership cost!!
- \* The 2024 Calendar of HASSRA South East events: Click here.
- ★ To view earlier Newsletters: Click Here
- ★ To view the winners of the SE competitions and Events: Click here
- \* Sector Contacts: click here.
- \* CPR help: For mini Annie CPR pack information click here
- ★ Maggie Smith (Editor)



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