

Knighton & Clarendon Park Conservative Club



WELCOME TO THE NOVEMBER / DECEMBER 2025 KCC NEWSLETTER!

Welcome back to our newsletter, we took a break over the summer but hopefully you didn't miss us too much... We're coming up to a very busy November and December with plenty of activities leading us up to Christmas.

On that note, the Committee would like to wish every member a Merry Christmas, and a Happy New Year.

140TH ANNIVERSARY YEAR

In 2026, the club will be celebrating 140 years since it was founded in 1886. To mark this momentous occasion, the Committee is currently organising events to take place throughout next year. Each event will be connected in some way to The Victorian Era.

Events will include:

- A Victorian Games Night (Bagatelle, Shove H'penny, Table Skittles etc)
- A Paupers' Supper
- A Bubble Disco
- Karaoke and Old Time Music Hall sing a long
- A Magician/ Hypnotist

The full list of events and dates will be published towards the end of this year.

Let's hope we can make next year, a year, to remember!'

CHRISTMAS / NEW YEAR 2025

We have a stack of Christmas Events this year at the club, including our annual Christmas Lunch, Christmas Party and New Years Eve events. We also have our Christmas Quiz, and Christmas Carol Singing. If you are interested in any of the events including the Christmas Lunch, Christmas Party, and New Years Eve Party, then please enquire about tickets at the bar.



Please see the What's on Calendar on page 6 for dates and times.

DARTS & DRINKS NIGHT WITH STEVE BEATON

We are very pleased to advise that on Saturday 1st November we were one of four venues holding a darts exhibition by former world champion Steve Beaton. This event had been organised by Sean Marshall, grandson of former long term member and committee member, the late Doug Marshall.



Steve and Sean brought 53 guests by coach with them visiting each venue for just over an hour. Steve played a 501 leg against six of the club's dart team and £80 was raised for the Veterans Wellbeing Hub Charity based at Loughborough.

Our team did very well with Rob Jones having one dart (Double 12) to win his leg - he brushed the wrong side of the wire and Steve took out his double first dart. Steve also checked out on the bull a couple of times. Well played to Rob Jones, Rob Weaver, Alex Copley-Jones, Andy Rodwell and captain Tony Yates. I think they enjoyed the experience.

Thereafter, an auction for Steve's own darts was held which raised £200 for the Poppy Appeal.

KCC ARROWS - DARTS TEAM

KCC Arrows are the clubs' premier darts team. We started in January meeting on Monday nights to practice and approached the Leicestershire Monday night dart league to join. We were accepted and play in division 4 we've had an up and down season with some great wins and close losses. We have visited pubs and clubs that we didn't know existed and really enjoyed ourselves meeting some fantastic people along the way.

Our success has been down to the commitment shown by our team (pictured) in no particular order Rachel Hardbattle, Rob Weaver, Andy Roswell, Rob Jones, Jamie Jameson, Carl Buck and Alex Jones.

We are always open to new members whether you have played in a league or are a complete novice come and join us.

You can follow our progress on the leagues website



[www.https://leicestershiredartsmonday.leaguerepublic.com/index.html](https://leicestershiredartsmonday.leaguerepublic.com/index.html).

A big thanks to our official cheerleading crew Jack, Penny et al.

VETERANS AND FAMILIES WELLBEING HUB – CHARITY QUIZ NIGHT

The November quiz at the club is on the 11th November and as this is Armistice Day the event will be a charity quiz in support of the Veterans and Families Wellbeing Hub starting at 8pm.

Four people per team at £5 per team, and subsequent members of the team will be asked to make a donation.

Do come down for spot prizes, amazing deluxe prizes and party snacks compered by Nick Woods and John Allen!



KNIGHTON & CLARENDON PARK CONSERVATIVE CLUB

CHARITY QUIZ NIGHT

IN AID OFF
The Veterans' and Families' Wellbeing Hub.

TUESDAY 11TH NOVEMBER

SPOT PRIZES **DELUX PRIZES!**

8.00PM START Party snacks for each table

As this is Armistice Day the event will be a charity evening with proceeds going to The Veterans' and Families' Wellbeing Hub.

With a short introduction about the charity by John Sharpe)

Four people per team at £5 per team
(subsequent members of the team will be asked to make a donation).

LIZZY RUSHBY CHOIR

Love a good Musical? On Monday 10th November, Lizzy Rushby will be bringing her singers into the bar to entertain members with songs from classic musicals. Enjoy a mix of solos, trio's and choir pieces from Oklahoma to Sister Act. Event starts at 7pm, everyone welcome!

What's on? - November 2025

8 th November – 8.45pm	Sold On Soul
10 th November – 7.00pm	Verity and Choir (Main Room)
11 th November - 8.00pm	Charity Quiz Night
18 th November – 8:00pm	Vinyl Night (Theme – Gems and Jewelry)
22 nd November – 8.45pm	Rocketman (Elton John Tribute)
27 th November - 8:00pm	Jazz Night with The Dave Kingdom Band
Every Thursday - 2pm - 4pm	"Jazz Crew" - Join Stuart Battle and the Crew for some light midday jazz
Every Friday - 12:30pm - 230pm	"The Al Sansome Band"

What's on? - December 2025

2 nd December – 8.00pm	Kenny Wilson (acoustic night)
6 th December – 8.45pm	The G.T.'s
7 th December - 11am – 5.00pm	Queens Road Christmas Fair
7 th December - 11am – 5.00pm	Pauline's Craft Stall (Blue Room)
7 th December – 6.30pm – 8.00pm	Comedy Night
8 th December - 7pm	Christmas Choir
9 th December – 8.00pm	Christmas Quiz Night
11 th December – 7.45am	York Trip
12 th December – 5.30pm	Ukulele Christmas Show
12 th December – 7.30pm	Christmas Bingo Evening
13 th December – 8.45pm	Lunar & The Groove
16 th December – 8.00pm	Vinyl Night
17 th December – 12.30pm – 4.30pm	Christmas Lunch
18 th December – 8.00pm	Jazz Night with The Richard Everitt Band
19 th December – 7pm	Christmas Party
25 th December – 11.00am – 1.30pm	Open
26 th December – 6.30pm	Boxing Day 140 Club Draw
31 st December – 7.30pm	NYE Party with The Cheeze
Every Thursday - 2pm - 4pm	"Jazz Crew" - Join Stuart Battle and the Crew for some light midday jazz
Every Friday (except Boxing Day) - 12:30pm - 230pm	"The Al Sansome Band"

RUGBY UNION AUTUMN INTERNATIONALS

The Autumn Internationals returns to our screens and with the 2027 world cup in sight, will England continue their upward improvement curve?

Most matches will be shown in the Club, so come down and enjoy all the England games in the main room, and all other games on in the blue room subject to availability.



Saturday November 8th

- Ireland vs Japan - Aviva Stadium (12.40pm)
- Scotland vs New Zealand - Murrayfield (3.10pm)
- England vs Fiji - Allianz Stadium, Twickenham (5.40pm)
- Italy vs Australia - Bluenergy Stadium, Udine (5.40pm GMT)
- France vs South Africa - Stade de France (8.10pm GMT)

Sunday November 9th

- Wales vs Argentina - Principality Stadium (3.10pm)

Saturday November 15th

- Italy vs South Africa - Juventus Stadium (12.40pm GMT)
- England vs New Zealand - Allianz Stadium Twickenham (3.10pm)
- Wales vs Japan - Principality Stadium (5.40pm)
- France vs Fiji - Stade Atlantique Bordeaux Metropole (8.10pm GMT)
- Ireland vs Australia - Aviva Stadium (8.10pm)

Sunday November 16th

- Scotland vs Argentina - Murrayfield (3.10pm)

Saturday November 22rd

- Wales vs New Zealand - Principality Stadium (3.10pm)
- Ireland vs South Africa - Aviva Stadium (5.40pm)
- France vs Australia - Stade de France (8.10pm GMT)
- Italy vs Chile - Stadio Luigi Ferraris, Genoa (8.10pm GMT)

Sunday November 23rd

- Scotland vs Tonga - Murrayfield (1.40pm)
- England vs Argentina - Allianz Stadium, Twickenham (4.10pm)

Saturday November 29th

- Wales vs South Africa - Principality Stadium (3.10pm)

SOLD ON SOUL

Bringing You The Best Of Soul & Motown

**Live At The
Knighton &
Clarendon Park
Conservative Club**

Strictly Members & Guests Only



8TH NOV, 8.45PM

GET READY COZ HERE WE COME – SOLD ON SOUL – A TRIBUTE TO THE VERY BEST OF SOUL AND MOTOWN.

SATURDAY NOVEMBER 8th

Join us as we take you on a trip back through the 60's, 70's & 80's to celebrate some timeless classic Soul & Motown songs from some of the very best artist of that time, including The Four Tops, The Temptations, Stevie Wonder, Al Green, The O'Jays, The Trammps, Billy Ocean, Sam and Dave, and many many more.

Be prepared for a night of high energy, foot stomping, feel good songs, delivered to you in an extravaganza of over 30 hits from the record labels of Tamla Motown, Stax, Atlantis and Chess records.

THIS EVENT IS STRICTLY MEMBERS AND GUESTS ONLY

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