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Editorial



Wing Commander S. D. Baldock, MBE, DFM



Colonel C. L. Boynton

We have joined together to launch this first issue of the new Rheindahlen Bulletin. It is appropriate that we should do so with one voice since the primary object of this new magazine is to bring together all those who work and reside at Rheindahlen, regardless of uniform or civilian dress, by opening the doors on all the activities which are available to everyone here. It was not until we were preparing this magazine that we realised ourselves the number of various clubs and societies, etc. which we have. These organisations will, from time to time, be contributing towards the contents of the magazine.

The front cover shows a bird's eye view of Rheindahlen, we

hope this magazine will help to give all who live and work here as good a view of all that happens and bring us all closer together.

We would like to pay tribute firstly to Flight Lieutenant Owen, the RAAF Families' Officer who did so much of the spadework in the preparation of this magazine, particularly in getting all the advertising material. Then, of course, there are assisting him, the four editors who have most generously offered their spare time freely to edit and produce this magazine. As you turn the pages of their first issue, we are sure you will agree that they have been extremely successful in producing a first-class professional publication covering an extremely wide field with something of interest for us all. Finally, our thanks to those who protected the previous Rheindahlen Bulletin which gave the basis for this new magazine.

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All contributions to the magazine must be received by 10th July for the August edition. They should be sent to the Editor, Rheindahlen Bulletin, RAAF Rheindahlen, B.F.P.O. 40.

Participation is either by individuals or teams of a minimum of five. The start and finish point for the marches is Rheindahlen Garrison Camp Square which will be signed from all entrances to Rheindahlen base.

The route for the marches is through pleasant country in the vicinity of the base and includes: —

RAF Hospital Wegberg, Berg, Molz Mühle, Merbeck, Varbrock, Niederkrüchten, Brempt, South of Hank See, Mülrather Mühle, Laar, Brüggen, Bornemühle, Amern, Waldniel.

Medals will be presented to those who successfully complete the course. Participants are invited to assemble at the Garrison Camp Square for the start

Garrison Stamp Club

Meetings are held every Thursday evening in Cambridge House, Rheindahlen from 7-9 p.m. Membership is open to all allied military personnel, civilians and their families in HQ BAOR, HQ RAFA, HQ 2ATAF and HQ NORTHAG. Apart from those members here in Rheindahlen we have a flourishing postal membership with members scattered between Italy and Scotland; these are members who have served in

Most meetings are 'swap and chat' sessions with occasional displays and films, we also hold a stamp auction every 6 weeks which proves to be most popular. "Sidelines" within the club are a New Issues Service for GB Commemoratives and West Germany and West Berlin stamps, at face value plus 5 pennings per set service charge. We are also able to obtain catalogues, albums and sundries to order from a firm in England.

FORTHCOMING EVENTS
July 2nd No meeting in Cambridge House.
Assemble at Rheindahlen Theatre for
lecture by Dr Marcus Arman.
July 9th Auction. Commence at 1915 hrs.
Date to be announced; Showing of GPO
prize winning film "Picture to Post".

YOU could have problems in your family and want to consult a social worker: (SSAFA Welfare Officers 4251)

YOU could be an officer's widow and need help: (SSAFA Home Dept., 27, Queen Anne's Gate, London, S.W.1.

YOU could be ill and need a home help or need your children fostered: (Mrs. Gibson tel: 2007. Mrs. Gebbels tel: 4689)

YOU could need your child to be escorted to and from school in

YOU could need to hire a cot, pram or invalid chair (Sgt. Gordon tel: 2097)

YOU would need ante natal care, baby clinics, school medicals, immunization, home visiting. (SSAFA Nursing Service)

SSAFA NEEDS YOU

In brilliant sunshine, the recently formed Rheindahlen Gun Club held it's first major competition at the Club's shooting ground on the 16th May, with the kind permission of the Garrison Com-

The Individual Champion: Mr. G. McGill (Services Team) 85 points
2nd: Herr Grosse-Kleimann (Dortmund) 84 points
3rd: Herr Caspers (RAF Civilians) 84 points (2nd and 3rd places were decided after a shoot off)

The special 'booby' prize of one bottle of whisky was taken regretfully by Mr. Coates of the BEA 'Silverwings' team. The competition prizes were presented by Mrs. Ogilvie, wife of the Club

GLOBE CINEMA

1	DRACULA HAS RISEN FROM THE GRAVE	Christopher Lee	X
2	SINFUL DAVEY	John Hurt	A
3,4	SWEET CHARITY	Shirley MacLaine, Sammy Davis jr	A
5	RUN WILD, RUN FREE	John Mills, Sylvia Syms	A
6	FOR A DOLLAR IN...	Frank Sinatra	A

7	8	COURAGE IN THE TEETH	Tony Anthony, Frank Wolf	X
9	9	GUNS ON THE MARCH	John Kennedy, J. Whitmore	X
10	10	THE DEVIL'S B	Christopher George, Fabian	X
11	11	THE SWEET BODY OF DEBORAH	Carroll Baker, Jean Seiel	X
12	12	ON MAMMIE	Sidney James, Kenneth Williams	X
13	13	THE ITALIAN JOB	MICHAEL CASSIDY	X
14	14	MARQUINED	Peggy Lee, Richard Gere	X
15	15	DEAD RUN	Peter Lawford, Ina Furlstenberg	X
16	16	A BULLET FOR THE GENERAL	Glenn Ford, Charles Bronson	X
17	17	THE MAN OUTSIDE	Van Heflin, Gloria Vanlonie, K. Kinski	X
18	18	EASY RIDER	Peter Fonda, Dennis Hopper	X
19	19	THE NIGHT THE TRAINS RAN AWAY	Rod Taylor, Christopher Plummer	X
20	20	NOBODY RUNS FOREVER	Robert Ryan, John Huston	X
21	21	IN GOLD BLOOD	Robert Blake, Scott Wilson	X

25	GENGHSI KHAN	Omar Sharif, Stephen Boyd	
26	BUTCH CASSIDY AND THE SUNDANCE KID	P. Newman, R. Redford	U
26, 27	WOMAN OF THE LAKE	Peter Sellers, Lionel Jeffries	U
28	CORRUPTION	Peter Cushing, Sue Lloyd	U
30	THE ADVENTURES OF BUCCARATI	James Coburn, James Mason	U
30	THE ADVENTURES OF GULLIBEVER	Roddy McDowall, Suzanne Pleshette	U
31, 1	BARRABAS	Anthony Quinn, Sylvia Mangano	U
	Friday at 17.45 and 20.30 hrs		
	Saturday at 14.30, 17.30 and 20.30 hrs		
MATINEE			
4	BATTLE OF THE CORAL SEA	Cliff Robertson, G. Scala	X
10	HERCULES		



Lt. Colonel (Retd) S. Ogilvie addressing the competitors before the presentations. (Photograph by J. Miller-Keliv)

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Sports Day 1970 had attractions for all the family including the dog and at one stage the large spectator crowd deserted the track to watch our faithful four-legged friends go through their paces.

In spite of these diversions from the athletics, the performances in the main events were of the highest standard seen for a number of years, with many former champions turning out for one more go.

RAF Rhinecladen capitalised on this improvement by producing their best ever result in the Inter Station Championships the following week.

The Inter-Departmental Championship was very keenly fought and not decided until the last event, the 4 x 100 metre relay. This event was won by SHQ but HQ RAFG took second place with Commcen third. This gave HQ RAFG the championship but Commcen won the Tug of War to take one trophy.

CHAMPIONS	—	HQ RAFG
TUG OF WAR	—	COMMEN
RELAY WINNER	—	SHQ RHEINDAHLEN

Notable novelty results included a win for the Padres in the Miniature GRAND PRIX largely due to a terrific spurt by Miss Joan Rylands (Chaplain's Assistant) on the final straight.



The final event was the traditional Chariot race. Mechanical Engineering Squadron produced the most spectacular 'Roman' vehicle but Commcen with a modern pneumatic chariot won the race.

Mrs. J. A. C. Aiken presented the cups to the grateful win-

Group Captain Henshaw proudly collected the trophy for the RAF Rheindahlen Champion Dog 1970, his second dog also won a prize which only goes to prove that it is easier to let your dog win the prizes for you on Sports Day without having to do the training yourself.

The selection of the Command team proper begins on Saturday 11 July when trials will be held at Rheindahlen commencing at the uncricket-like hour of 0930 on the RAF Sports Field. Cricketers who wish to be considered for trial should complete the proforma which is available through Officer 1/c Cricket, Wg Cdr Sparkes or from the Command Secretary Sgt Ld Durrant. The Trials conclude on Sunday 12 July with a match, ending at 1500.

For our first cricket week this year, we had a strong opposition in the shape of RAF Training Command and Tues 27 & 28 Jul. The August 1st Test was a thriller on Mon and Tues 27 & 28 Jul. The team concludes with a few team Kwik-out on Sat 1 Aug. Jul, the fourth team being the old EAO.

Boys cricket will be run on the same lines as last Summer Holidays, i.e., a game will be arranged every Thursday afternoon, starting on Thursday 16th July. All ages will be welcome, but if sufficient younger boys (aged 13 and under) are available, then additional games will be arranged for them on Tuesday afternoons (from 21st July). All kits will be loaned.

A match has been arranged for Wednesday 29th July or Wednesday 5th August. The date will be confirmed later.

Will all those interested please submit names and ages, preferably with details of talent, i.e., bat/boat/fielding position to Major Sankey (Rhine Army Road 2834/3326); and/or turn up at the Garrison Pavilion, St Vincent Road, at 1400 hrs on Thursday 16th July.

There will be an American Tournament for all children every Tuesday during the Summer Holidays commencing 4th August. Juniors (up to 13 years) from 9.30 a.m. to 12. Entry fee 50 pfgs. Seniors (13 to 16 years) from 9.30 a.m. to 12 and 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. Entry fee DM 1.

Please bring your own tennis racquets and tennis balls, and tennis shoes must be worn. For further information please contact Mrs. K. J. Mears, 8 Stafford Way, Rheindahlen 2. Tel.: R.A. 2127.

A black and white photograph of a bottle of White Label Whisky. The bottle is centered, with its label clearly visible. The label text includes "White Label", "JAMES WATSON & SONS LTD.", "PERTH, SCOTLAND", and "THE HOUSE OF GREAT AGE". The bottle is surrounded by numerous medals and coins of various sizes, some showing profiles of figures and others with inscriptions like "THE HOUSE OF GREAT AGE". The background is dark, making the bottle and the metallic objects stand out.

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