

Rendez - Vous

November 2014

CALLINGTON & DISTRICT TWINNING
ASSOCIATION NEWSLETTER

*Twinned with Guipavas, Brittany (F) since 1982
and Barsbüttel, Schleswig-Holstein (D) since 2004*

Who fancies a trip or two abroad in 2015?

It looks as if 2015 could end up being another very busy year for twinneders. As you will probably have already worked out, next year it will be Guipavas' turn to play host to the two other communities and dates for Easter 2015 have already been confirmed.

Sue has made a provisional booking with Brittany Ferries for a departure from Plymouth at 8.00am on



Good Friday, 3rd April, and the return sailing from Roscoff on 6th April, arriving back in Plymouth at 8.30pm.

The cost of the return ferry will be in the region of £60. Other details for travel will follow in due course.



Sue needs to confirm numbers with Brittany Ferries by Monday 1st December so, if you would like to be part of the Cornish contingent in the festivities next Easter, please complete the reply slip and return it to Sue by Friday 28th November at the latest.

A non-returnable deposit of £10 will be required with the booking and the balance will be needed by Friday 30th January.

For details of your second chance to get away next year, see page 2!

Annual Dinner

It was a small but select group of twinneders which met for the Annual Dinner this year. To make it more economically viable, the venue moved but yards from the main town hall to the Council Chamber, where the much enhanced intimate atmosphere was appreciated by all. After a complementary welcome drink the guests sat down to an excellent three-course meal created by our new resident chef, Angie Haimes. The quality and quantity were both top class, so make sure you don't miss out on our future gastronomic delights!



HONEY FAIR 2014

Many thanks to all of you who supported us at our stall at this year's Honey Fair. For once the weather stayed fair for most of the day and we were very successful in selling the Twinning Committee for Cornwall lottery tickets. It all helps to keep our finances buoyant and "fly the flag" to the public.

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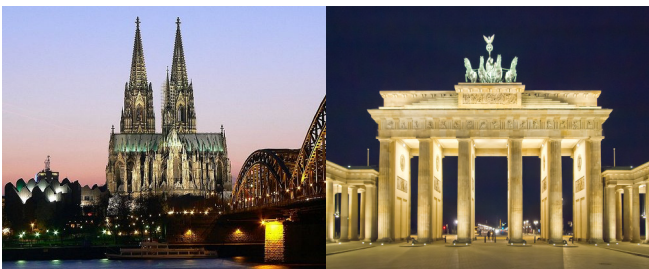
What about a trip to Germany?

David has recently returned from yet another European Grand Tour, this time taking in Barsbüttel en route in order to be there as Canticorum performed alongside *Liedertafel*, a Barsbüttel choir with whom they have recently struck up exciting relations.



He has returned with news hot off the press that Barsbüttel would like to round off the 10th anniversary celebrations of twinning between our two towns on German soil in 2015.

Barsbüttel has suggested mid-June, September (in time for the Sommerfest) or some time in late November when there will be an Advent market in Barsbüttel. A straw poll at the dinner seemed to favour the latter two, with the lure of a German Christmas market being a positive factor. We will be consulting and considering the various options and will notify you of the final decision in the New Year.



Fancy seeing this?

Or this?

There was some interest shown in the suggestion to add on a couple of days with an additional stop-over in either Berlin or Cologne. Do let David know if this idea seems appealing (contact details on page 1).

Upcoming events

Pop these in your diaries now!

January	24	<i>Burns Supper</i>
February	06	<i>AGM</i>
	28	<i>St Piran's Supper</i>

Burns Night 2015

Burns Night will be marked in Callington Town Hall on Saturday 24th January. We are delighted to welcome both members and non-members to our annual celebration of the birth of Rabbin Burns. Doors will open at 7.00pm for 7.30pm. The haggis will be piped in at 7.45pm.

What better way to perk up the usual "post-Christmas blues"? As ever, the proceedings will kick off to the magnificent strains of the Scottish pipes and these will be followed by the Selkirk Grace in readiness for the traditional feast with all the trimmings.

No Burns Night would be complete without an opportunity to trip the light fantastic and everyone will be cajoled into action by our indomitable caller; lots of fun and lots of laughter are guaranteed. The price (for three-course meal, traditional Burns Night pleasantries and entertainment) is a bargain at just £15 per head.

Tickets will be available from Dorothy Anderson (further details or queries on 01579 363854). Please send reply slip and cheques made payable to CADTA to her at the address below by 9th January at the latest.

AGM

Please add Friday 6th February to your diaries so that you can come along to the AGM. We would love to see you there and would welcome any input into the workings of CADTA and any suggestions on how we might add to our social calendar. As a reward, there will as usual be ample quantities of cheese and wine to be enjoyed!



Joyeux Noël! Frohe Weihnachten!

Burns Night Supper Booking Form

7.00pm for 7.30pm on Saturday 24 January 2015

Name:

Phone: Email:

I/we would like to come to the 2015 Burns Night Supper

My/our party will consist of people

..... people are vegetarian

..... people have other dietary requirements as outlined below:

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I/we enclose the sum of £ (= number of adults x £15.00 per person)

Please make cheques payable to "CADTA"

Please send monies to Dorothy Anderson, Wheal Vor, School Road, Pensilva PL14 5PG

by Friday 9th January at the latest

OR

Pay using Online Banking – for further information send email to Dorothy Anderson at dorothy_a@hotmail.co.uk incorporating your name and number of tickets required.

*Please return by
Friday 9th January
at the latest!*

Easter Visit Booking Form

Name:

Email: Tel:

Please reserve places as foot passengers for the Easter visit to Guipavas.

We will join you for the weekend but will book our own travel arrangements.

Our party will comprise adults and children (to be completed by everyone so we know total size of party).

I enclose payment

I wish to pay on-line

Payment Options:

Cheque to the value of £ (made payable to CADTA)

to cover the cost of non-returnable deposits.

OR

Pay using Online Banking – for further information send email to Dorothy Anderson at dorothy_a@hotmail.co.uk incorporating your name and number of tickets required.

Please return this completed form to:-

Sue Lumley, 23 Launceston Road, Callington PL17 7BT

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