

Northern Region Council News

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"ALL CHANGE AT THE TOP!!"

Tim Webb reaches the end of his tenure as Regional Chairman.

Following three years as Chairman of the Regional Council Tim Webb stood down at the December 2011 AGM, to allow the Vice Chairman Adrian Tinker to take up the position.

Tim has given dedicated service during his 3 year term of office as a regular attendee at Centre Dinner Dances, celebration rallies and many other events. On behalf of all members in the region we wish Tim and Diane best wishes for the future.

Although his Chairmanship of the Region comes to a conclusion, Tim will continue in an active role with the Caravan Club Events Committee. Helping to organising the National Rally and other CC events.

And...New Chairman Adrian Tinker "Takes the Chair"

Following the 2011 AGM Adrian Tinker, who is a past Chairman of The Mid West Yorkshire Centre,

NORTHERN CENTRES

**Make a date :-
24th to 28th August
New Venue Near Preston**

took up the reins and Chaired his first Regional Council meeting on January 7th. Adrian is the fifth Regional Chairman to hold office since the Regional structure was inaugurated back in the 1990s. He will be supported by his wife Deborah.

And...A New Vice Chairman too!!

Also at the December AGM, held at Seaton Carew and hosted by the Durham Centre, David Ferdinand, a long serving Centre Chairman [twice], Secretary and committee member from the Yorkshire Pennine Centre, was elected as the new Regional Vice-Chairman, following a three-way election.

David brings a blend of enthusiasm for rallying with a long family history of caravanning and the fact that he and Hazel are very well known through-out the Region and the Caravan Club Nationally. Recently David and Hazel achieved recognition of their 1300th rally.

Good luck to the new Officers!!

Visit the Region website at
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REGIONAL FORUM BECOMES "QUESTION TIME"

Following on from the successes of recent years, a Regional "Question Time" will be held by the Northern Regional Council in 2012. This will be hosted jointly by Northumberland and Durham Centres in conjunction with a rally, which is open to all CC members from the Region. The venue is Kirkley Hall Campus, Ponteland Newcastle NE20 0AQ, with the "Question Time" event being held on April 14th at 2pm.

The rally commences on April 10th and runs until April 15th. Information is published in all regional centre Handbooks or by telephoning Ian Wetherburn on 01912620149 or Christine Thomas on 01642570881.

At present the question time panel include Jan Moore CC Vice Chairman, and representatives from the caravan manufacturers and dealers Association.



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Please promote and support the rally at the NEW Venue!!

See your Centre Handbook.

Campbells
CARAVANS & MOTORHOMES

"NEW" CENTRE PAGES

As promised the CC Magazine Editorial team have re-launched the "centre pages" with the January issue of the Club Magazine. This re-launch included the removal of the rally programme lists, which had hitherto been published on a monthly basis. The centre rally programmes are now published electronically on the club website and no doubt there will be discussion surrounding access to these lists for those people who do not have access to the Internet or those who are reluctant or lack confidence to move down a wholly electronic world. The editorial team, individual centre committees and no doubt Regional Council will seek the views of members as this development becomes 'bedded in'.

REGIONAL AGM 2011

Grateful thanks to the Durham Centre for their hosting of the 2011 AGM at Seaton Curew near Hartlepool. The event was well supported along with the combined centre Dinner Dance, which was held the night preceding the meeting. The 2012 AGM will be hosted by Yorkshire Pennine.

NATIONAL RALLY



EASTNOR CASTLE

June 1st to June 6th.

book on line at

www.caravanclub.co.uk

1000 bookings so far!!

LATE NEWS!!

Members wishing to receive a hard copy of the centre's rally programme should contact club Headquarters at EAST GRINSTEAD

DINNER DANCES

DATES

Jan 14th	South Yorkshire
Jan 28th	Yorkshire Pennine
Feb 18th	S. Lancashire
Feb 25th	Cumbria
Mar 3rd	Mid W Yorks
Sep 22nd	E. Yorkshire
Sep 29th	Northumberland
Oct 20th	N. Lancashire
Nov 10th	N. Yorkshire
Nov 17th	Yorkshire Dales
Nov 24th	Durham

3000th UP!!

North Yorkshire Centre celebrate their 3000th rally over the Easter weekend at Aske Hall.

Contact North Yorkshire Centre for booking information.

www.northyorkshirecentre.org.uk/

