



CRAWLEY TOWN TWINNING ASSOCIATION

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Dear members and friends,

Welcome to the December brief issue of the CTTA Newsletter.

This year is coming to a close and the Executive Committee have at the last meeting agreed on the venue for our CTTA Annual Dinner. Elaine Williams has again kindly agreed to find and finalise the suitable venue for this traditional annual event.

After a few years of absence the dinner will be held again in Rowfant House. The date has been agreed for Saturday 7th March 2015. The committee looks forward to see as many members and friends as possible on the evening.

The Rowfant has now been saved by a private investor. Link below explains it in more details (<http://rowfanthouse.co.uk/>).

Details of the venue and the menu choice are shown on page 5.

The CTTA's Annual General Meeting was held in Town Hall on 15th. October 2014. Following an annual report a new executive committee for 2014/15 were voted in and agreed at the meeting.

Next year the Main Group Visit will come to Crawley and will be between 27/6 to 5/7/2015. More MGV details will follow once the programme will be finalised and agreed by the Committee.

On behalf of the CTTA Executive Committee may I wish you all a Merry Christmas and Healthy and Prosperous 2015.

Peter Klin
PR officer and editor of the newsletter
On behalf of CTTA



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Match Report

Crawley Girls Basketball Play In Dorsten May/June 2014



Crawley Girls Basketball Club were lucky enough to have the opportunity of going to Dorsten, Germany and playing in a mini tournament in June 2014 during the school half term. The team set off in 2 mini buses and travelled by Euro Tunnel on Thursday 29th May and arrived in good time to a rapturous reception from the Wulfen Girls Basketball Team. They settled in to the sports hall which would double up as their bedrooms for the next 3 nights.

On the Friday they had the opportunity to do an interesting walking tour of Dorsten –being guided around the sights of Dorsten and gleaning a bit of the history. The tour ended in the former Rathaus situated in the centre of Dorsten. The teams were then given some free time to explore Dorsten and do what girls do best... shop! (cont. on page 3.)



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After the shopping trip the team then walked over to the Atlantis swimming pool where they had a fun time splashing around, sliding down the amazing water flumes and relaxing in the summer sun.

On Saturday they prepared themselves for the game and Coach Richard, Coach Kristen and Coach Carlos put the girls through a rigorous training session beforehand.

The game was very close with the Crawley girls just taking the edge. After the main game the fun games then began! A lovely surprise visit was by the Mayor of Dorsten, Lambert Lutkenhorst.

On the Saturday night we were hosted by the Wulfen team and parents and enjoyed a bbq and a sing song around a lovely camp fire singing along to some lovely guitar playing by the Wulfen team.

Sunday was an early start and we headed back home arriving safe and sound in Crawley.

By Nicky Shaw



Newly elected CTTA executive committee members for
2014/15

Position	Name
Honorary President	Jim Smith
Chairman	Iain Millar
Vice Chairman	Cllr. Brenda Smith
Secretary	Geoff May
Treasurer	Tom Leahy
Minute Secretary	Joan Newton
Public Relations Officer	Peter Klin
Accommodation Secretary	Jacky May
Membership Secretary	Michael James
P.A. to Chief Executive	Nicky Shaw
Committee Members:	Cllr. Carol Eade
	Marion James,
	Cllr. Raj Sharma,
	Elaine Williams
	Tumsil Abbas

**CRAWLEY TOWN TWINNING ASSOCIATION
ANNUAL DINNER**

To be held at Rowfant
Saturday 7th. March 2015
7:00pm for 7:30pm
at Rowfant House, Wallage Lane, Crawley RH10 4NG

There is a choice of menu which is listed below,

Starters

Smoked salmon

served with rye crackers and lemon garnish
or

Mushrooms

in garlic cream sauce on toasted French bread (V)

Main Courses

Chicken fillet

in a mild creamy mustard sauce.

or

Steak and Guinness pie

topped with a short crust pastry.

or

Vegetable Pie (V)

All main courses on set menu are served with Chefs Vegetables and Potatoes.

Desserts

Lemon Meringue Pie

or

Profiteroles

Filled with cream and served with chocolate sauce

or

Fresh fruit salad (V)

The cost of the meal is **£25.00** per head including Tea and Coffee
to be paid in full by Friday 21st January 2015
Cheques made payable to C.T.T.A.
and sent to Elaine Williams, 41 Horseshoe Close, Pound Hill, Crawley RH10 7YS
Tel. 01293 885 526
email: elainewilliams227@btinternet.com
or transfer of monies to CTTA account (advising Tom Leahy/Elaine on completion of transfer)

NAME (s)..... Total number attending.....

Choice of Menu:

Starter

Main Course.....

Desert.....