

Drumbeat



Issue 158

Tidworth, Netheravon & Bulford Community Newsletter

July 2010

What's on in the Garrison area :

- **Sat 3 July 10:00 - 11:30**

Meet our new MP at the TLC. Details inside.

- **Wed 7 July 14:30 - 16:30**

Zouch School Summer fundraiser - Everyone welcome !

- **Sat 10 July Gates open: 12:30**

Rundle Cup - Details inside

- **Sat 10 & Sun 11 July**

Salisbury Show, Hudson's Field

- **Sat 10 July All day**

RNAS Yeovilton International Air Day

- **9 & 10 July 19:30**

& **11 July at 16:00**

"Tiptoe through the Tombstones", a comedy thriller performed by the Abbots Ann Players at the Memorial Hall (SP11 7AZ near Andover). Tickets :01264-359545

- **Tues 13 July 19:00 - 21:00**

Bluez 'n' Zuz Youth Disco at the Clarendon Club, Tidworth. Hawaiian Beach party Fancy Dress. Police minibus leaves Ludgershall Memorial Hall at 18:30 and drops off outside Tesco after the disco.

- **16 & 17 July**

Bournemouth Symphony Orchestra at Wilton House. Live or Let Die / Classical Extravaganza + fireworks. Details : www.wiltonhouse.com

- **Sat 17 July**

The Band of the Prince of Wales's Division and the Treorchy Male Voice Choir at Garrison Theatre - in aid of H4H. Tickets : 01264 - 791 784 or visit www.treorchytickets.co.uk

- **Wed 21 July 14:00 - 17:00**

Car Boot Sale at the Museum of Army Flying, Middle Wallop

- **Sat 25 July**

Pain on the Plain Cycling Sportive. Details inside

- **Thurs 29 July 12:00 - 16:00**

22 Engr Regt Families Fun Day at the Somme Road sports pitches

- **Sat 31 July / Sun 1 Aug**

Wilton Horse Trials. Details : www.wiltonhouse.com

- **Thurs 26 Aug 10:00 - 15:00**

TLC 10th Anniversary Open Day celebrations and Blue Light Day at the Tidworth Leisure Centre

Tidworth Community Football Festival

Saturday 4 September

Sign your team up now !

Children and Adults from all over the area are invited to come and take part in a 5-a-side Football Competition which will take place on the Lucknow/Mooltan Sports Pitches opposite the Esso Garage in Tidworth.

The tournament is affiliated with Wiltshire FA and is being organised by a multi-Agency team drawn from Wiltshire Police, Sarsen Housing Assn, Garrison HQ, MDP, RMP, Aspire Defence, Tidworth Royals FC and Wiltshire Football Assn.

"We're hoping that lots of people will want to come and take part after watching the World Cup this Summer", Community Beat Manager, WPC Jayne Wilby, told Drumbeat.

"This competition is not just for football clubs - the Tournament is open to everyone, including groups of mates who just like playing football ! Our aim is to build community spirit."

There will be several categories : U10, U12, U14, U16 and Adults. The cost will be £7.50 per junior team and £15 for adults, with a maximum number of 8 people in each team. Under the age of 14, teams can be mixed sex. Trophies will be awarded to the winning teams, best players, etc.

Entry forms are available from Wiltshire Police Station : Phone 0845 408 7000 extn 744 818 and ask for Jayne Wilby, Mike Tryhorn or Chris Spackman. Forms will also be available at Tesco, the TLC and the Wylve Road Community Centre. Sign your team up now !

... and if there are any FA-Qualified Referees out there who would like to help out, please get in touch with Jayne Wilby at Tidworth Police Station !



For What's on and Places to go this Summer : www.drumbeat.org.uk



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Meet our new MP

On May 6th I was elected as your local MP. I cover the Devizes Constituency which includes the garrisons and towns of Tidworth, Durrington, Bulford, Netheravon, Larkhill and Upavon. When the Super Garrison plans are complete, this constituency will be home to one of the highest proportions of military personnel in the country and I want you to know that I will do all I can to support our Armed Forces in Parliament. If there is any "outside the wire" issue that I can help you or your family with then please do get in touch. I will be holding 'Surgeries' where we can meet in the next few weeks and you can book an appointment by calling my office on: (01672) 512 675.

The Surgery details are :

Saturday 3rd July,
The HIVE, Tidworth Leisure
Centre from 10 - 11:30am

Friday 16th July, at the Memorial
Hall, Ludgershall from 5 - 6:30pm

Friday 30th July in the Village Hall,
Bulford Village from 5 - 6:30pm

If you have any general questions then please write to me at The House of Commons, London, SW1A 0AA, or e-mail me at claire.perry.mp@parliament.uk. I am really looking forward to representing you in Parliament.



Forces' Festival Success

The Forces March and Festival 2010 is expected to raise over £100,000 for Project 65 - The Veterans' Charity.

Project 65 - The Veterans' Charity was founded in 2007 with a very simple aim : to raise the profile of and to raise funds for those organisations that provide care and support for Service Personnel affected by injury or trauma in the service of their country, and their families.

Beneficiaries include : ABF The Soldiers' Charity, The RAF Benevolent Fund, The RN Benevolent Trust, St Dunstan's, Royal British Legion, BLESMA and Help for Heroes. Additional charities this year include The Afghanistan Trust, Hounds for Heroes and The Rifles Regiment Care for Casualties Fund.

Last year, Project 65 Chief Executive Danny Greeno organised a 65-mile run to mark the 65th anniversary of the assault on Pegasus Bridge, following the route taken by airborne troops in gliders from the point where they took off in England to landing in Normandy, just before D-Day in 1944. The event raised over £150,000 for Service charities.

This year's event, "The Forces March", traced the route taken by the newly formed 6th Airborne Division when they marched from Ilfracombe to Bulford in 1942 - the 132 miles is the equivalent of 5 marathons in 5 days.

On 31st May, the final day of the 2010 Forces March, runners arrived throughout the day at Double Hedges in Bulford where the Forces Festival was also taking place. Entertainment at the Festival included a fly-past by a Dakota, trade stands, a petting zoo, dodgems, inflatable obstacle courses and laser clay shooting, with live bands throughout the evening and a firework display to finish.

135 runners took part in the march, including Captain Dan Staples, the Adjutant of 3 Regt RMP in Bulford, who finished 6th and was the first military runner to complete the March. His team also scooped the coveted Army Challenge Cup - they now have to return in 2011 to earn it once more !

The March and the Festival will happen again next year and entry applications are already being taken. More information at www.forcesmarch.org.uk and www.forcesfestival.com.

Watch out for details of next year's events in Drumbeat !

Thrift Shop Update ...

Bulford Thrift Shop is moving to Kandy Road - to the premises previously occupied by the Microtots Crèche. The shop in the Haig Centre closed at the end of June and will re-open in the new location as soon as possible. Up-to-date information will be posted on the door of the new shop in Kandy Road.

Tidworth Thrift Shop on the Zouch parade shopping precinct will be closing on 12th July.

**Sunday
25 July
Starting
in
Tedworth
Park**

Pain on the Plain



A cycling 'sportive' organised by Wheels in Wheels Ltd
60+ and 90+ miles

Entry online £27 www.wheelsinwheels.com

Shorter family rides (5 & 10 miles) start at 10:00

Entry by Sponsorship (forms from your RAO) or by fee on the day : Adults £5, Under 16s £3

All proceeds will go to SSAFA

Ducis & Everleigh Village Show

Saturday 11 September 2010

Collingbourne Ducis Village Hall & Recreation Ground

12:30 - 16:00

Featuring : The Band of the Prince of Wales's Division

Food, Refreshments & Bar

Climbing Wall

Old/Classic Cars

Fun Dog Show

children's Dancing Display

Flower & Produce Show

Tae Kwondo

Cream Teas

Tug of War

Sideshowes & Stalls

Trade Stands

Crafts

... and much more !

The Tournament Returns !

ABF The Soldiers' Charity presents :

The British Military Tournament 2010

Earls Court, 4 & 5 December 2010

Details : www.britishmilitarytournament.com

Skilled for Health : Join now !

In September, the SfH programme enters its third year of running sessions for Army families. With a free crèche and an hour and a half of time for yourself, you are invited to join a small group to look at subjects such as :

Healthy Eating, Exercise, Basic First Aid, Safety in the Home, Well being, Accessing the NHS ...

Further sessions look at a number of subjects such as :
Healthy Lunchboxes, Resuscitation, Dental Care for under 5s and Children's early learning years.

With sessions running in Larkhill, Tidworth, Bulford and Warminster ... there is a venue near you !

Sessions start in the week beginning 13 September.

For more details call Barbara or Lydia : 01980 - 603 477

3 Armoured Engineer Sqn run the length of the Country

Between the 17th and 28th of May, 3 Armoured Engineer Squadron (3 AES) embarked on an epic run from John O'Groats to Lands End. A 5-team relay, each team running between 15 and 20 mile stretches each day, covered 80 miles a day for 11 days. The aim of the event was to raise money for 4 chosen charities as well as to challenge the fitness of the troops. The chosen charities were Help for Heroes, ABF The Soldiers' Charity, SSAFA Forces Help and The Ronald Macdonald House Charity.

Every day the runners set off at 0400 hrs, from where the previous day's route had finished. Thanks to some exceptional luck, the weather stayed dry for the whole period but the midday sun certainly drained the energy out of the runners. By the end of the 11 days, most of the participants had covered close to 105 miles each, equating to 4 marathons! The effort was tremendous and most were spurred on by the charities they were running for.



Overall, the teams were well received across the nation, with drivers stopping to give donations to the runners in the most obscure locations, as well as people coming out of their homes to offer support.

At the end of the event, £1100 had been raised in collections along the route and, when combined with the pledges given on sponsorship forms, a total close to £8,000 had been raised. The money will be split between the charities once it has all been collected.



Tandem Jump for BLESMA

The Army Parachute instructor, Dave Pratt, said he had never heard anyone scream so loudly in freefall before! Ministry of Defence civil servant, Mrs Claire Winter who works at HQ Theatre Troops in Netheravon, was making her first ever parachute jump to raise money for the British Limbless Ex-Servicemen's Association (BLESMA).

"It was so loud I'm sure I could have been heard in Dorset," said Claire after landing safely at the Joint Services Parachute Centre in Netheravon. "It was over very quickly. After the noise you experience in freefall as you reach 120 mph, the canopy opens and you float in quiet such as I have never experienced before. It was a sensation overload and I was absolutely overwhelmed. What an adrenalin rush - I want more of that!

Claire raised almost £2,000 for BLESMA.

1 Mech Bde : The Egypt Staff Ride



34 people from the Brigade HQ and its units deployed on a Staff Ride to Egypt over the period 8-14 May 2010, with the aim of developing an understanding of the tactical decisions taken at brigade level during major combat operations. In order to achieve this, three major North African campaigns were studied: El Alamein 1942, the Suez Crisis 1956 and Sinai Campaign (known as Yom Kippur War) 1973. Throughout the Staff Ride the lessons of the past were constantly linked to the current day contemporary operating environment, thereby setting the current fight in the context of former campaigns.

We had the good fortune to be accompanied by two renowned academics: Doctor Niall Barr, a reader of Military History at Defence Academy at Shrivenham and Gary Sheffield, Professor of War Studies at the University of Birmingham, whose knowledge added much to the debate and discussions that took place throughout.

The first day in Cairo was used to set the scene, including several presentations and a visit to the Citadel and Mohammed Ali Mosque and ending with an invitation to the British Embassy for a cocktail reception.

The following four days were nothing short of hectic.

Monday focussed on the Sinai Campaign and started with a surreal visit to the October 1973 Panorama, a unique building with a 360 degree painting depicting the Egyptians storming the Bar-Lev Line. Afterwards, the group moved to the east side of the Sinai by crossing the canal via an Egyptian Military ferry and visited several stands, one of which was at a captured Israeli bunker in the middle of the desert.

On Tuesday, the group moved from Cairo to Alexandria where it would be based for two days, visiting various locations including Qaitbay Fort, the Egyptian Memorial, Alexandria Bibliotheca and Chatbay Military Cemetery. The stands visited on this day allowed the discussion on the Sinai to be completed.

On Wednesday the group moved 100km west of Alexandria to El Alamein, the main part of the Staff Ride. In 9 hours the group visited 6 individual sites and covered 8 questions in temperatures upwards of 35 degrees. Although all the stands that were visited during this day were interesting and vitally important, the key event for many, including our guest, Mr John Carbis, a Chelsea Pensioner and veteran of the Suez Crisis, was the opportunity to visit the Military Cemetery at El Alamein, where Padre Daniel from 2nd Battalion The Royal Welsh conducted an excellent service.

After visiting the Pyramids at Giza, the group returned to the UK on Friday. The Staff Ride gave the 34 participants the chance to study three unique campaigns that all have a relevance in today's contemporary operating environment. Many lessons were learned and much discussion took place and everyone who participated is now better placed to understand the current fight and relate the lessons of our predecessors to the modern day.

Rundle Cup

Sat 10 July Tidworth Polo Ground

12:30 2-furlong charity horse race

14:30 Indian Cavalry Officers Polo Trophy

16:30 Rundle Cup : The Royal Navy v The Army

The Band of HM Royal Marines

Trade stands ● Bring a picnic and enjoy the fun !

AWS Summer Activities

17 July Family BBQ & Picnic Larkhill

26-28 July FREE Photography Course for 11-16s

29-30 July Pirate Adventure for 5-8s Bulford

3-5 August Native American Camp for 9-12s Bulford

6-8 August Salisbury Plain Survival Camp for 13+

10-12 August Dance Workshops for 8-11 and 12-16s at the Bowman Centre in Archer's Gate

23-25 August Multi-activity PGL holiday at Little Canada on the Isle of Wight for 11+

Make it - Sing it : A Toozaali Community Arts/AWS project for 13-18s, working towards a performance at the Larmer Tree & Moonfest Festivals

More information/bookings call Jo (12:00 - 12:00 noon) on 01980 - 673440 or 07785 - 357 065

T2A Extreme Sports Club at the TLC for 11+

Activities this Summer include Kite Boarding on Tuesday evenings : 25 & 31 Aug, 14, 21, 28 Sept and 5, 12 & 26 Oct

Details from the TLC : 01980 - 847 140

Crime Prevention Advice

When going out, securely lock all doors and windows - no matter what the temperature and no matter how long you intend to be away. "Just popping across the road for a minute" or "just nipping down to the shop" is ample time for a criminal to strike.

Looking to get some new Qualifications ?

Watch out for the August edition of Drumbeat to get details of courses available locally



Recruiting again :

Tidworth, Netheravon & Bulford Garrison



ARMY

Out of the Army - or about to leave - but wish to continue to serve ?

Are you under 52 years of age and have served at least 3 years in the Armed Forces ?

Join the Military Provost Guard Service (MPGS)

Soldiering with Stability

An opportunity to stay in uniform and help protect the Home Base, while at the same time improve the quality of your family life

- The MPGS has a key role to guard our military sites
 - No liability for operational deployment
 - Secure employment with good rates of pay

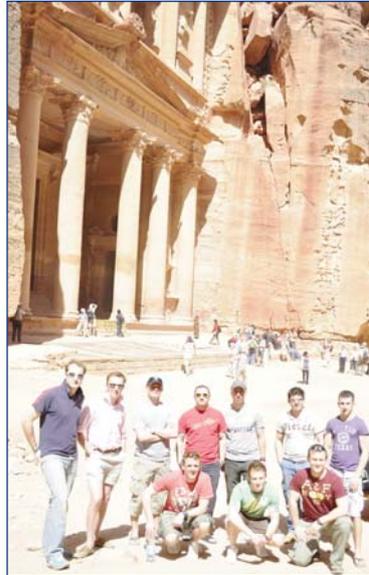
The Army is currently recruiting for the MPGS for employment in the Tidworth and Bulford area. Further details, including conditions of service and application procedures, are available on the Army website :

www.army.mod.uk/provost/guard-service/1242.aspx

or call in at your local Army Careers Information Office.

Specify that you wish to serve in the MPGS at Tidworth/Bulford

Downhill all the Way !



Ultra-marathons hurt ! This was one of the many lessons that were learned when a team from the 2nd Royal Tank Regiment attempted to run the Dead Sea Ultra Marathon in Jordan in April.

Having arrived late in the evening we took the opportunity the following day to acclimatise and visit Petra, one of the modern Seven Wonders of the World. It was a fantastic introduction to Jordan and a truly spectacular, if somewhat crowded, sight. Having ticked off our sight-seeing we spent the next day

wandering around Amman trying to suppress our sense of dread about the upcoming event. This was not helped when we went to the official Carb-Loading Party in the evening (they do exist) and read in the handbook that we had already done six out of the ten "Don'ts before an ultra marathon".

On the day of the race, following a terrible night's sleep we made our way down to the assembly area which could only be described as utter chaos. Amidst a sea of fun-runners, mostly made up of local teenagers, we were herded back and forth until we were finally bundled on to another bus which, we were assured, was going to the Ultra-Marathon start point. Much to our collective dismay, it was !

We limbered up with our fellow competitors, who ranged from wiry professional long distance runners to an elderly Welsh gentleman who was walking the entire distance for the charity SCOPE. After a further 30-minute delay, the pain began. Different members of the team approached it in different ways. Capt Nightingale and LCpl Dunn set themselves a steady pace and surged towards the end for extremely good finishing times and a respective 3rd and 4th place in their category. Maj Senior kept his pace steady throughout and also finished in a respectable time, whilst others decided that aggression was the best tactic and pushed hard for the first 30 km or so until the body slowly began to tire. Perhaps the most sensible of all was the Ops Officer who took a "tortoise and the hare"



approach and remained at a slightly faster than walking pace for the whole course.

Overall it was an excellent trip even if we did look like a bunch of rugged, hobbling octogenarians walking through arrivals at Heathrow Airport on our return to the UK. Jordan is a fantastic place and the race itself, whilst horrible at the time, was an event worth competing in and a remarkable achievement for all concerned, particularly considering that the majority of the team had only done a couple of long distance runs in the immediate period leading up to the event. Most importantly however, the team managed to raise over £2000 by competing in the event for Salisbury Hospice, a really worthwhile charity. This certainly made all the aches and pains worthwhile !

Royal Visit for a Royal Regiment



The last time that Field Marshall His Royal Highness The Duke of Kent visited the Royal Regiment of Fusiliers in 2008 he experienced the full, sweltering heat of an Iraqi summer and the threat of attack was ever-present. Thankfully as the Duke flew into Tidworth last month, conditions were rather more pleasant !

Having only returned from the Dunkirk commemorations the previous day, the Duke, who is Colonel-in-Chief of the Fusiliers, was greeted by the Commanding Officer and spent the day with the First Battalion.

During his visit His Royal Highness was pleased to present Sergeant Major Ian O'Dea, 40 from Coventry, his Long Service and Good Conduct medal.

"It's fantastic to be getting this medal today - particularly from a member of the Royal Family," Ian said.

This prestigious award, which recognises 15 years of unblemished service, reflects his dedication and service to his country in Afghanistan, Iraq, Northern Ireland and Bosnia.

The Duke toured the newly-built soldier's accommodation and enjoyed lunch with the Officers and Senior Non-Commissioned Officers of the Battalion. Afterwards, during demonstrations of the latest sniper and heavy-weapons equipment in use by the Infantry, he also met troops who served in Afghanistan last year.

His Royal Highness has been Colonel-in-Chief to The Fusiliers for over 40 years, and his family's association with the Regiment stretches back to his great-great-grandfather, the first Duke of Kent, who commanded the Regiment in 1789.



Tidworth and Larkhill Education Centres to merge

In September, the Education Centres in Tidworth and Larkhill will be amalgamating and moving to Jellalabad Barracks in Tidworth.

The two refurbished buildings overlooking the parade ground will provide excellent facilities for all the usual AEC services, including Resettlement, Personal Development, Basic Skills, Soldiers' and Officers' Education and e-Learning, with 7 study rooms, 5 syndicate rooms and a vast student common room. Offices and administration will be located in a separate building nearby.

The e-Learning Centre from Larkhill has already moved and is now up and running in the 4 RIFLES Training Wing in Bulford, while the Larkhill Library will be staying in Larkhill and is being refurbished and upgraded to include extra computers, resettlement and Basic Skills provision.

The current Tidworth and Larkhill Education Centres will close on 30th August and open in the new building in September : Basic Skills on 6th September and other courses on 20th September.



We're going on a Bear Hunt !

Chris Sturgess, Garrison FM's breakfast show presenter, keeps children at the AFF's Big Tea Party enthralled with his reading of "We're going on a Bear Hunt".



" From Little Acorns ... "

... or pine cones, anyway ! Just six inches tall, over 400 conifers have been planted in a new "tree nursery" which has been created in Tidworth as a part of a replacement tree programme by Aspire Defence Service Ltd (ADSL). The trees come from hardy varieties of Fir, Cedar, Larch, Spruce, Redwood, Pine and Cypress. The intention is that these young trees are grown-on for another three to five years and then used to plant out as replacements for dead and dying trees that have been removed on the garrisons across Project Allenby/Connaught.

The idea to create the tree nursery was the result of a conversation between ADSL's tree specialist, Amelia Williams, and Lt Col Simon Ledger from the Garrison Management Team, following the success of last year's Tidworth tree planting programme.



The young trees came from the Swanborough Conifer Nursery in Pewsey and were planted by a team from Gavin Jones, ADSL's grounds maintenance sub-contractor. Fourteen beds have been cut and the compost used to enrich the chalky soil has been recycled from wood chippings collected on the construction sites. The trees have been put into the beds in special bags which contain the roots, to allow them to be transplanted safely in the future.

The area is ideal for the young trees, however, with an established woodland nearby, they are at risk from rabbits and deer. Therefore, a rabbit-proof fence has been erected and a trial is proposed of a special chemical spray which has a pungent smell to deter deer from entering the area and causing damage.

As he officially opened the new tree nursery, Lt Col Ledger said,

"This is a great example of different organisations with different aspirations, working together for the common good; a true sign of a really mature working relationship."





Drumbeat Noticeboard



B F B S Forces Radio

To make Radio requests & dedications, call :
01494 - 372 786

Visit www.bfbs.com/messages
Listen on Sky Guide 0211
DAB digital radio
and Freesat Channel 786
BFBS Local Reporter : Call Shirley
Swain on 07854 - 094 202
shirley.swain@bfbs.com

Garrison 106.8 FM

Broadcasting to Tidworth,
Netheravon, Bulford and Larkhill
from the new studio in Bulford
Call 01980 - 672277 or Email :
salisburyplain@garrisonfm.com

Castledown Radio

Broadcasting to the Tidworth
Community Area on 104.7 FM
email : studio@castledownradio.info
or call: 01264 - 841047

Tidworth Town Council

Mon-Thurs 9:30 - 13:00 at the Wylde Rd
Community Centre, Tidworth
Tel: 01980 - 847390 Fax: 01980 - 843265
Email: janet.white2@btconnect.com

Plastic & Cardboard Rubbish

Skips will be in Wylde Road
Community Centre car park
08:00 - 10:30 21 July & 18 Aug

Summer Fun at the Cathedral

Craft workshops & 'Art in the Close'
activities for families and children.
Photography Competition
'My Salisbury Cathedral'
5 categories - Great prizes - Details
from www.salisburycathedral.org.uk

AFF Salisbury Plain Coordinator

Lucy Scott Tel: 07527 - 492 783
Email: salisburyplain@affgb.org.uk

MHS Housing Surgery

Got a problem with repairs to your
quarter? Come and meet MHS at
the Beeches in Bulford
10:00 - 12:00 21 July & 15 Sept

AWS Job Vacancies

Bank Staff for Garrison pre-schools.
Call Chris : 01980 - 673379

Aspire Defence Helpline (24/7)

0845 168 2300 or Mil 96340 2300

DE Housing Information Centre (The HIC)

Call 0800 - 169 6322
Mon - Fri 08:30 - 16:30

Repairs to Army Quarters (24/7)

MODern Housing Solutions Helpline
(MHS) Call 0800 - 707 6000

Emergency Numbers :

MDP 24/7 : 01752 - 553384
MDP TNB : 01980 - 60 3099
RMP : 01980 - 67 2251 & 67 3530
Service Police Confidential Line :
0800 - 616 888
Wiltshire Police : 0845 - 408 7000
Police Emergency : 999
Crimestoppers : 0800 - 555111
Plain Watch : 01980 - 67 47 00

Tidworth Leisure Centre

TLC Opening Times

Monday - Friday 09:00 - 21:00
Saturdays 08:00 - 17:00
Sundays 08:00 - 21:00

Telephone : 01980 - 847 140

General Manager : 602030

Outside Pitch Bookings : 603416

Library Opening Times :

Mon 10:00 - 17:00
Tues & Thurs 14:00 - 19:00
Wed & Fri 10:00 - 17:00
Sat 10:00 - 13:00

Call: 01980 - 843460 or 602568

Library DVDs for hire

From £1.70 for up to a week

Café Leisure Open 9:00-20:00

Tidworth HIVE See HIVE below :

Youth Activities : T2A Adventure
Sports Club and Youth Only Zone

Also at the TLC :

Physiotherapy & Sports Injury Clinics,
Counselling Services, Purity Beauty
Salon, Hairdressing, and more !

Local HIVE Information Centres

Mon - Fri 09:00 - 14:00

Tidworth HIVE at the TLC :

Call Nicole : 01980 - 602224

Bulford HIVE at the Beeches :

Call Carla : 01980 - 672420

Larkhill HIVE, Community Centre

Call Lisa : 01980 - 675715

HIVE online at www.hive.mod.uk

Bulford Army Library

Mon-Fri 08:30-12:00 12:30-16:30
Horne Road. Tel. 01980 - 673510

Army Welfare Service

Main Office : 01980 - 672105

Ordnance House, Tidworth

Colin Wheaton : 07769 - 878 874

Tidworth Leisure Centre

Joyce Stretton : 07810 - 771 630

The Beeches in Bulford

Carol Treadwell : 01980 - 672 342

Larkhill Community Centre

Sue Harper : 01980 - 673 440

Netheravon, Upavon & Amesbury

Denise Barr : 07919 - 415 092

Windmill Hill Children's Centre

Wylde Road, Tidworth

Services for 0-5s and their families
Call Carolyn Melvin on 01980 - 843 010

NSPCC Ashdown Family Centre

Drummer Lane, off Station Road

Tidworth 01980 - 846164

Open to all local children and their
families. Call in/ring for more details

Uniformed Youth Groups

Scouts, Cubs, Beavers & Explorers

Call Chris Scott 01980 - 591900

Guides, Brownies & Rainbows

Call Karren Madden 01980 - 551088

The Shipton Bellinger Rams FC

Shipton Bellinger Playing Fields
U 9s, U 10s and U 14s. New members
and volunteer help / referees / coaches
please contact Sgt Chalky Wiltshire
01980-673474 (day)/01980-846570 (pm)

Tidworth Royals FC

U7 - U17 & adults. Helpers welcome
Sat Soccer School 5-7s 13:30-15:00
Tue & Wed 18:00 Both at Lucknow
/Mooltan sports pitch near Esso
garage. Details Denise 01980 847005

Tidworth Saddle Club

Riding instruction available 7 days
per week - all ages, group/individual
For details call 07500 - 868 940

Tidworth (Comb Svcs) Polo Club

Matches, Tournaments & Chukkas.
Courses & instruction for all levels.
Spectators welcome Tel. 01980 -
846705 or tidpolo@tiscali.co.uk

Durrington Otters Swim Club

Would you like to swim with a
competitive club? Age 8 upwards
Details from Lorraine Turner on
07824 - 777 564 or visit Durrington
pool on a Monday at 18:00

Perham Down Youth Club

Swinton Welfare Centre
Tues 19:00 - 21:00 11-17
Call SSgt Welch 01980 603514

Run in England Running Group

Beginners & Improvers. Every Wed
Details from Fi or Lynne :
tidworthruninengland@hotmail.co.uk

Tidworth Youth Dev Centre

in the newly-refurbished St
Andrews Hall near VCP2
for ages 13 - 19

Mon 18:45-21:15 Open session 50p

Tues 19:00-20:30 Break dancing
session for boys FREE

Thurs 19:00-20:30 Dance session for
girls FREE

Ludgershall Youth Dev Centre

Andover Road (next to the Co-op)
Wed 18:45-21:15 Open session 50p
Details from Wendy : 07917 - 174 623

Jumping Jacks Preschool

Airfield Camp, Netheravon
Call 01980 - 628259 - or website
www.jumpingjackspreschool.co.uk

Stay with the beat !

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