NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF RETIRED POLICE OFFICERS



ANNUAL REPORT 2019



DERBYSHIRE BRANCH

Since preparing this Annual Report and having it printed the Coronavirus Covid 19 pandemic has taken a turn for the worse, nationally and internationally. I spoke with Headquarters with regard to our use of HQ for the next Annual General Meeting in the Atrium on Sunday 10th May. They have cancelled the use of HQ by outside bodies for the present. Unfortunately, but in view of the fact that most of our membership are 'at risk', it leaves us with no other option than to cancel the AGM. We will appraise the situation and keep you posted. The knock on effect is that we have cancelled all the coach trips, the May lunch on the 13th May at Lumb Farm and the Buxton social on the 12th June We had arranged the Chesterfield Social for the 24th June. which was placed on the Annual Report at the very last minute and we have had to postpone it until a future date. The Glossop Social hasn't even got off the ground. With regard to the Derby Social in October, we will keep you advised.

I ask if you know any members who do not have access to the internet just let them know about the cancellations/postponements.

Our message should be one of reassurance. In our times in the police

service we have faced many challenges and come through. With that spirit and allied to the aims of NARPO let us endeavour to continue in that way.

Keep safe, wash your hands and don't forget to keep in touch by phone, email, website and facebook. Please contact the Branch if you are in need, or if you know a colleague who is likely to be in need but may be too proud to ask. Additionally, if you think you might be able to assist by supporting other elderly and vulnerable NARPO members, I would appreciate if you could make yourself known and contact the Secretary at Derbyshire@narpo.org and we will endeavour to help and assist.

Regards Sean

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SUBSCRIPTIONS

Subscriptions became due in January, 2020. For full members the annual subscription has risen to £21-48. This is due to the rise in the CPI of 1.7%. However, the good news is that our police pensions will see a 1.7% rise in April, 2020.

Would members who pay by cheque or direct debit, if they have not done so already, please send their cheque (payable to **Derbyshire NARPO**) to the Secretary, Sean Murphy. Or update your bank with the new payment or by BACS to our Bank Account. Contact the Secretary if you haven't got details.

FOREWORD



It is my pleasure to be entering my fourth year as Chief Constable of Derbyshire Constabulary. It has certainly been a busy year, and I hope that I'm able to give you a flavour of what we've achieved.

This year we have embedded our new joint purpose with the Fire Service of *Making Derbyshire Safer Together* within a larger framework including our principles and our priorities; collectively these are known as the Three Ps. The Three Ps will define who we are as an organisation, allowing us to ensure that the great work that we do every day is directed towards a common goal, and providing focus for those making both strategic and operational decisions.

One of the priorities within The Three Ps is using technology in all aspects of our work, and as part of this we have committed to provide taser to every

frontline officer who wants it, and to ensure 24/7 drone coverage throughout the county. I'm really pleased to say that we are well and truly on our way to delivering on these aspirations, with over three hundred officers having been trained so far in the use of taser, and a plan to deliver on at least a further one hundred trained officers per year from now on, as well as complete 24/7 drone coverage throughout the county being achieved mid-2019. This is really great news, and it demonstrates that we are fully committed to officer safety, especially in those areas of the county in which backup and specialist resources may be some distance away.

Talking of backup, this year we've had the exciting news that Derbyshire will obtain an additional three hundred officers over the next three years as a result of the national uplift programme. This is very welcome news, although it does not completely repair the damage of the last ten years. We are being very proactive about accelerating recruitment as we recognise the strain the front line is under, with an additional 50 officers and 20 PCSOs being delivered by the end of April this year.

As I discussed last year, Derbyshire is one of the first forces to implement the new entry routes to becoming an officer, and I'm pleased to say that we are now on our second cohort of Police Constable Degree Apprentices (PCDA) via the University of Derby, with the first cohort having recently entering their second year of studies. Whilst I remain to be convinced that it is right to shut down traditional entry routes, I am very supportive of our new colleagues and the skills they bring. We have also successfully placed our sixth and seventh officers onto the Fast Track to Inspector programme, and welcomed our first cohort of Police Now officers and two additional Direct Entry Inspectors into the Constabulary. These schemes are really important to policing throughout the country, as well as bringing new ideas and new ways of thinking into our organisation.

We've also recently seen a change in the Senior Leadership Team, with the appointment of Rachel Swann as Deputy Chief Constable, replacing Gary Knighton who retired at the beginning of last year. Rachel has already made a big impact in

the organisation (and on the national and international stage) with her command of the incident at Whaley Bridge in the summer of last year; I'll talk more about that later. Last year also saw both Divisional Commanders retiring, with Jim Allen being replaced by Dave Cox and Rachel Osborne being replaced by Hayley Barnett. I'd like to wish all of those who have recently retired the best of luck and a big thank you, but I also look forward to the positive impact that Dave and Hayley will have upon policing in Derbyshire and beyond.

It would be remiss of me not to mention incident which actually happened halfway through last year, Whaley Bridge. The incident itself has been covered extensively by the national and international media, but I'd just like to take this opportunity to say how proud I am of the organisation's response to what was the largest peacetime evacuation of residents in the UK. It was only though the professionalism of my colleagues, and that of our partners in the Fire and Rescue Service, that approximately 600 properties and 1,300 persons were saved from an inundation of 1.3 million cubic metres of water. It is no exaggeration when I state that our resources were tested to the absolute limit, with over 800 members of staff from our organisation alone being involved as the incident progressed over the fateful week. The incident put Derbyshire in the national and international spotlight, with visits from both the Prime Minster and leader of the opposition, and hammered home to me the importance of excellent leadership in the face of catastrophe.

In July last year we were honoured with a visit by HRH Princess Anne to our Joint Headquarters and Training Centre in Ripley; the first visit by a member of the Royal Family to our headquarters in over forty years. The Princess took the opportunity to meet with me and former Chief Fire Officer Terry McDermott to discuss the importance of collaboration, then went on to address colleagues from both organisations, selected guests (including the NARPO executive) and local dignitaries. The Princess was then taken to the Joint Training Centre for a demonstration of our capabilities, including a demonstration by the Fire and Rescue Service of specialist equipment being used to rescue a horse (thankfully a model of one) whilst being observed using our drones.

Last year I said that the year ahead was going to be a challenge with an uncertain political future. As I write this, we have just exited the European Union, and yet again our future is uncertain as none of us know what the reality of Brexit will be. However, I am confident that we are an agile organisation that is able to respond to uncertainty in a professional manner.

I consider Derbyshire Constabulary to be a family, with NARPO being an extension to that family. I hope that this summary of the past year has been a useful "family update", and that you will be heartened to hear that I continue to be certain that NARPO is the voice of retired police officers within Derbyshire.

Peter Goodman QPM

Chief Constable

OFFICERS AND COMMITTEE MEMBERS

PRESIDENT:

The Chief Constable Peter Goodman QPM.

VICE PRESIDENTS:

Deputy Chief Constable - Rachel Swann.

Assistant Chief Constable - Paul Gibson.

Assistant Chief Constable - Kem Mehmet

Chairman: David Ashley .

Vice Chair: Vacant.

Secretary/Treasurer: Sean Murphy 01773 609043

Financial Manager: Keith Gibson

Committee Members

Ian LouchJulia FearnTony RoddisPhillip SmithGordon LambournRon TaylorKevin WilsonJohn LouchPete WiseFrank Handford

Membership:

Full: 1216 Hon: 3 Widows/Widowers: 168

Life Members: 6 Associate Members 9

Additional Members 7 Total number of Preceptable Members:1234

Total: 1409

CHAIRMAN'S REPORT -

I have now settled into the role of Branch Chairman, since unexpectedly taking over from Michael Watson at the 2019 Annual General Meeting. The Branch committee continues to be efficient and well organised, providing a rounded range of services to our members. To the best of my knowledge the Branch has complied with its statutory obligations in holding its AGM and regular committee meetings in timely fashion. The Branch is financially sound, allowing us the opportunity to make use of our resources for the benefit of members, without putting our finances in any jeopardy.

As I am sure all members are aware, 2019 was the centenary of our Association. In connection with this my wife Gail and I together with Sean and Eileen were fortunate to attend the national celebrations held at The Tower of London on 13th June, when the guest speaker was Her Royal Highness, The Princess Royal, Princess Anne. On a local level our very successful Gala Dinner and Drinks Reception was held at Chatsworth House on 13th September when a number of civic dignitaries attended.

Five members of the Branch were also fortunate enough to be presented to The Princess Royal during an official visit to Police Headquarters on 18th July.

Our regular social events have been held with events at Mickleover Golf Club, Buxton Conservative Club and Lumb Farm, Ripley. Plans are also in hand to extend them to Glossop and Chesterfield. **Social at Chesterfield now organised for the 24th June** Details of all forthcoming events can be found elsewhere in the Annual Report and on the website.

The coach trips organised by Michael Watson have carried on successfully throughout the year. May I take this opportunity to thank Michael, as he moves on to pastures new, not just for organising the coach trips and for his work as Vice Chairman and Chairman of the Branch but also for his unstinting service to the Branch as a committee member for over 40 years. Many thanks Michael.

An award for "The Community Officer of the Year", presented annually is now sponsored by the Branch. This is just one of the ways that we use to maintain good relationships with the Force. Another initiative that continues to run is the presentation of a document folder to all retiring officers. This is either presented on our behalf by the Chief Constable to officers who see him on retirement or is sent to those who choose not to avail themselves of a visit to Headquarters. The folders are packed with NARPO literature, an introductory letter from the Branch and a membership application form. My thanks to the Chief Constable and his staff for their assistance with this initiative.

We also have a regularly updated page on the Force Intranet, "Connect" allowing us to advertise our activities to serving officers and retired officers working with the Force in other capacities. Coupled with this we also attend all re-settlement courses and provide relevant and interesting information about the role of NARPO and our activities to officers and support staff planning to retire within a couple of years.

A further advance in our communications strategy is the introduction of a Facebook page, being administered by Ian Louch. It can be accessed from the website and is updated with forthcoming events and other news. The Facebook page complements our excellent website, which Pete Wise maintains for us and where all information about Branch activities can be found. My thanks go to Ian and Pete.

The Branch presently has just over 1,400 members. A substantial number of their records show only a name and address and, in some cases, not even a forename. The committee recognises that the welfare of its members is a primary responsibility. We have recently

agreed a plan to contact as many such members as possible to ensure they have no welfare or similar problems. Please make sure that Sean has your full contact details.

The Branch Annual General Meeting at 3pm on Sunday,10thMay 2020, in The Atrium at Police Headquarters will feature a short presentation by Tony Harvey of Harvey Howell Solicitors (a NARPO approved company) in relation to wills and Power of Attorney etc. It should be interesting and relevant to many members. There will also be a tea afterwards, partly sponsored by Harvey Howell.

Dave Ashley - Chair

MUTUAL WELFARE FUND

The last meeting of the MWF was on the 6th December, 2019. The Portfolio Value of the fund as at the 30th November, 2019 stands at £1,943,560.

The current levels of benefit shall remain the same: i.e. birthday gifts, bereavement and retirement. As mentioned previously Officers are not joining the MWF and we endeavouring to attract new Officers to join.

Members are assured that in circumstances of hardship the Welfare Fund may as always be approached for assistance, either directly or via the Secretary.

Sean Murphy, Secretary

FROM OUR SECRETARY

This is my 9th Annual Report and I hope that you continue to find it of interest.

What a year 2019 was, NARPO was! 100 years old and HRH Princess Anne was our Patron for the year. We held our Centenary Gala Dinner at Chatsworth House on the 13th September, and what a night we had. We lost our Honorary President, Len Smith and Committee member Don Dovaston who both sadly passed away and former chair Michael Watson who has moved to the Yorkshire coast to be near his family.

You will see from the 'In Memoriam' list that it has been a sad year. Our thoughts are with their families. Contact me on 01773 609043 if you have a bereavement and I will contact all the authorities on your behalf, i.e. Chief Constable, Pensions, HR, Mutual Welfare etc. as it can be a very daunting task at this sad time.

As a Branch, through our Chair, David Ashley and the committee, we are endeavouring to make contact with all our members, personally or by phone and email to see if they are well and basically, to have a chat. Can you remember when we were young 'bobbies' we had to do welfare visits, which has sadly gone. So, can you contact me or any committee member by email or phone, to update your contact details. Don't be alarmed if a committee member contacts you!

I would like to thank the assistance afforded to me by NARPO at Wakefield, XPS pension providers, Police Federation, Headquarters staff and members of the Committee.

Although trip costs (coach travel), and admission charges continue to rise, the committee have decided to continue to subsidise coach fares at the present rate. This means that widows will continue to travel free. Members will pay £5 per trip, and non-members will be charged £10 (unless a very long journey is involved, when it may be a little higher.) The only change agreed was that we will no longer reimburse coach fares where there is a cancellation. While the fares are low the cost of reimbursing automatically can no longer be justified. We will of course refund any entrance fees, provided we are not charged by the venue. You will see from the trips that we have organised, that they are not all on a Wednesday. We have a **Tuesday, Wednesday** and a **Saturday** for those members still working. You will notice that the Derby pick up is now on Full Street outside the Premier Inn. This is due to the fact that parking spaces at St.Mary's Wharf Police Station are at a premium. Also, for Chesterfield members, we will pick up on West Bars outside the old Court House when we travel North. Otherwise they will have to join the coach at Matlock, Ripley or Derby.

You can pay for the trips online (See Page 30). Please make a note on the Booking Form that you have done so.

The website www.derbysnarpo.co.uk is being used daily by members and others. We had about 3,000 visits a month for the first two months of the year. A big thank you to our webmaster and committee member Pete Wise. I put all items of interest on there so that you don't get bombarded by emails. NARPO HQ are now sending out bulk emails. If you do not wish to receive them, please contact me to unsubscribe. If you need to contact me with any query that is troubling you then contact via the website www.derbysnarpo.co.uk and then 'contact us'. If I can't help, I might be able to point you in the right direction. We have moved into the 21st Century and now have a Facebook page, courtesy of Ian Louch so go to the website and click on the 'f' at the top of the front page.

Have you joined the 'Derbyshire Benevolent Trust'. The object of the Trust is "To provide and permit welfare and benevolent facilities for members and their families". If not contact Ian Godfrey at ian@derbyshirebenevolenttrust.com or if you are not on the internet, telephone Ian on 07977 044094. As I mentioned before this is another string to our bow to help members with their wellbeing. Similarly, OPRAN and Not NARPO North help members with their 'wellbeing'.

Did you follow us via the web to the Southport Conference? Why don't you watch the Plymouth Conference live on the 11th September, 2020. Just log on to the NARPO website www.narpo.org and follow the signs.

I know I keep mentioning it, but NARPO has access to a villa on Lake Lugano, Italy and three apartments in Vienna.. They are available for use solely by NARPO members and are FREE; you only have to get there. Look at the main NARPO website www.narpo.org under 'villas' and 'properties' to see how to apply.

The buffets at the AGM, Buxton Conservative Club, lunch at Mickleover Golf Club and the evening social at The Riverside Club, Hollis Lane, Chesterfield are all provided free by the Branch. Please let me know if you are coming purely for catering purposes. We are also looking at organising a Social at Glossop. Keep an eye on the website. These are for members and their partners, so if you haven't been before, do come along, you might even like it.

I informed you in the last Newsletter that the Police Treatment Centres at Harrogate and Auchterader, Scotland offer Bed and Breakfast for £120 (increased in 2018) for a two-night (Fri/Sat) stay. For availability and rates call 01423 504448 or email enquiries@thepolicetreatmentcentres.org (No treatment available).

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

To be held in the Atrium (Main Reception Entrance), Police Headquarters, Ripley on Sunday, 10th May, 2020 at 3pm.

AGENDA

- 1. Welcome
- 2. Apologies
- 3. Absent Members
- 4. Minutes of Annual General Meeting held on 5th May, 2019.
- 5. Matters arising
- 6. To receive the Annual Report for 2019
- 7. To receive the Statement of Accounts and Balance Sheet for 2019
- 8. Election of Officers and Committee
- 9. President's address
- 10. Welfare
- 11. Sports Club
- 12. Annual Conference 2020
- 13. Harvey Howell Solicitors A talk about Wills, probate etc.
- 14. Any other business.

Anyone wishing to raise any matter under 'Any Other Business' is requested to give seven days' notice to the Secretary.

A buffet tea (supplied by Posh Nosh (East Midlands) Ltd., will be provided at Headquarters after the meeting. Please inform the Secretary at least two weeks prior to the meeting should you wish to attend so we know how many to cater for.

This is an invitation to all members and their partners.

NARPO COACH TRIPS 2020.

Wednesday 15th April, 2020. - Stratford upon Avon

Tuesday 19th May, 2020 - Leeds Armouries.

Saturday 20th June, 2020 - BBC Gardeners World and Good Food, NEC,

Birmingham

Wednesday 15th July, 2020 - Nunnington Hall (NT).

Wednesday 19th August, 2020 - Coventry

Each cost will be £5.00 for full members. Widows are free, (coach only). Please note, in the event of a trip being oversubscribed, members will be given preference. Entry costs relate to both members and non-members.

Stratford upon Avon..... Free.

The Armouries, Leeds...... Free.

NEC Birmingham.....£24 - £26 at the door or £19-50 - £18-50 if group booking.

Nunnington Hall....£9.10 (Group fee or free for NT members).

Coventry...... Free.

Times of departure and pick up points:

0830 (Stratford upon Avon) Slacks depot, 0900 at Ripley and 0920 at Full St., Derby.

0900 (Armouries) Derby, 0920 at Ripley, 0945 at Slacks depot, 1015 at West Bars, Chesterfield.

0800 (NEC) Slacks depot, 0830 at Ripley and 0850 at Full St., Derby.

0900 (Nunnington Hall) Derby, 0920 at Ripley, 0950 Slacks depot and 1015 at Full St., Derby.

0830 (Coventry) Slacks depot, 0900 at Ripley and 0920 at Full St., Derby.

Anyone wishing to go on any of the trips please complete the acceptance slips on the opposite page together with cheques made payable to **Derbyshire NARPO** and return to:

Julia Fearn.

OR pay online (See Page3) but please make a note of the Booking Form.

Seats on the coach will not be guaranteed unless the appropriate amount plus entry fees have been received.

COACH TRIPS BOOKING FORMS.

Coach trip to Stratford upon Avon. Wednesday 15th April, 2020. I wish to book..... seats for the I enclose remittance of £cheques payable to **Derbyshire NARPO** Cost: £5.00 members, widows free, non-members £10.00 (coach only) Nametel. no. Address..... Names of any guests..... Coach trip to The Armouries, Leeds. Tuesday 19th May, 2020. I wish to book..... seats. I enclose remittance of £cheques payable to Derbyshire NARPO Cost: £5.00 members, widows free, non-members £10.00 (coach only) Name.....tel. no.....tel. Address..... Names of any guests..... Coach trip to NEC, Gardeners World - Saturday 20th June, 2020. I wish to book..... seats. I enclose remittance of £cheques payable to **Derbyshire NARPO** £26 adults £24 over 65 or £19-50 adults and £18-50 over 65. Cost: £5.00 members, widows free, non-members £10.00 (coach only) Name.....tel. no..... Address..... Names of any guests.....

Coach Trip to Nunnington Hall (NT). Wednesday 15 th July, 2020.
I wish to book seats.
I/We will meet the coach at@am.
I enclose remittance of £cheques payable to Derbyshire NARPO .
Cost £5.00 members, widows free, non-members £10.00 (coach only)
Nametel. no
Address
Names of any guests
National Trust members have free entrance on production of their membership card Non-member's £9-10 (Group discount rate) to be paid at time of booking.
Coach trip to Coventry. Wednesday, 19 th August, 2020.
I wish to book seats.
I/We will meet the coach at
I enclose remittance of £cheques payable to Derbyshire NARPO
Cost: £5.00 members, widows free, non-members £10.00 (coach only)
Nametel. no
Address
Names of any guests
Those interested in going please let Julia know

Those interested in going please let Julia know.

Costing of Trips

Just to re-iterate the committee have decided to continue to subsidise coach fares at the present rate. This means that widows will continue to travel free. Members will pay £5 per trip (inc. partners), and non-members will be charged £10 (unless a very long journey is involved, when it may be a little higher.) The only change agreed was that we will no longer reimburse coach fares on a cancellation. While the fares are low the cost of reimbursing automatically can no longer be justified. I hope you understand.

Changes in Days and Pick up points: Please note, not all trips are on a Wednesday. We have a Tuesday and a Saturday. Going North we will pick up at Chesterfield – West Bars old court house if going South Chesterfield will have to go to Slacks depot. The pick up at Derby will now be on Full Street outside the Premier Inn.

NARPO BRANCH LUNCH

Wednesday 13th May 2020, 12.30 for 1pm

Lumb Farm, Derby Road, Marehay, Ripley, Derbys DE5 8JN

The cost will be £23 for members, £25 for non-members, widow members free of charge. If you wish to attend please complete the slip below with your menu, any seating choice and remittance No later than Friday, 4th May, 2020 to: Gordon Lambourn.

MENU

Spring Vegetable Soup.
Prawn Cocktail with Marie Rose sauce.
Farmhouse Pate with Caramelised Onion Chutney.

Derbyshire Roast Beef.
Fillet of Salmon with Hollandaise sauce.
Chicken Breast with stuffing.
All served with Seasonal Vegetables.
All sauces and gravy will be served in boats.

Fresh Fruit salad with Meringue and Ice Cream.

Apple Crumble with custard.

Chocolate Profiteroles.

Cheese and biscuits £2-00 extra

Tea or Coffee

(Every effort will be made to accommodate your request).

 My contact tel.no:
 Name 1:
 Name 2:

 Menu choice:
 Starter
 Starter

 Main
 Main

 Dessert
 Dessert

 If possible, I / We would like to sit with:

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF RETIRED POLICE OFFICERS DERBYSHIRE BRANCH

INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER 2019

INCOME		2019	2018
Subscriptions XPS Direct from Members Building Society Interest Close Bros.Interest Social Evenings/Raffles etc. Donation (B Boston Funeral) TOTAL INCOME	24,161.28 704.45	24,865.73 5.15 482.02 231.00 0.00 25,583.90	23,859.84 277.35 24,137.19 7.32 485.99 280.00 57.00 24,967.50
<u>EXPENDITURE</u>			
Committee Travel Subscriptions to NEC (Precept) Branch Lunch Less Member's cont. & refunds Christmas Lunch Less Member's cont. & refunds Trips Less Member's cont. & refunds Social Evenings/Raffles etc. Presentations/Donations/Folders Committee Expenses with Guests/Hospitality AGM Refreshments National Conference Website Annual Report Newsletter Refund of Subscriptions NARPO Anniversary Lunch Chatsworth Centenary Dinner Less Ticket Sales	1,557.50 1,277.00 1,400.00 1,101.50 6,656.50 4,243.00 8,705.75 4,345.00	1,369.40 7,785.90 280.50 298.50 2,413.50 1,495.11 1.324.10 12.69 469.00 1,889.30 750.00 68.28 23.22 20.04 0.00 4,360.75	1,313.40 10,209.36 1,447.10 1,110.00 1840.50 1,533.00 7,151.41 4,027.60 3,123.81 1,199.50 884.10 23.78 469.00 3,236.34 750.00 32.74 19.00 178.56 100.00
ADMINISTRATION Honoraria: Chairman/Secretary/Financial Manag Postage, Stationery, Telephone etc. Computer Maintenance/Upgrade Professional Charges Corporation Tax	ger	4,750.00 214.43 307.75 200.00 93.86	3,700.00 412.60 0.00 200.00 0.00
TOTAL EXPENDITURE		28,126.33	26,496.79
Surplus/Deficit of Income over Expend	diture	(2,542.43)	(1,529.29)

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BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31ST DECEMBER 2019

	2019	2018
Nationwide Building Society Close Bros. National Westminster Bank Petty Cash	5,873.61 30,208.97 4,954.66 166.25	5,386.44 30,208.97 8,005.39 145.12
	41,203.49	43,745.92
Less Creditor	200.00	200.00
Net Assets	41,003.49	43,545.92
Represented by Accumulated Funds		
Balance as at 1 st January 2019 Surplus/Deficit of	43,545.92	45,075.21
Income over Expenditure	(2,542.43)	(1,529.29)
Balance as at 31 st December 2019	41,003.49	43,545.92

The above accounts have been prepared and presented by K Gibson, Financial Manager, Derbyshire Branch.

Examiner's Report

I have examined the above accounts of the Derbyshire Branch of the National Association of Retired Police Officers for the year ended 31st December 2019, and confirm that these are in accordance with the books, records and information as supplied by the Financial Manager.

Kenneth R Cope, ICPA, Certified Practising Accountant. 9, Amber Heights, Ripley, Derbyshire, DE5 3SP

21 February 2020

NEW MEMBERS OF NARPO

Mrs. Sallie James widow of Supt. Peter

James

Mrs Claire Lambley widow of Insp Don

Lambley MBE Douglas Naden

Clive Gillon Hockenhull widower of DS

Carol Hockenhull James Allen

Mrs.Lorna Willoughby widow of Pc John

Willoughby

David Archie Ritchie

Mrs. Jane Laughton widow of Pc Brian

Laughton Roy Prince

Mrs. Carole Alberta Dovaston widow of

DCC Don Dovaston OBE., QPM.

Paul John Louis Tagg

Neil Matthews

Paul Frederick Harrison (QPM)

Peter Boyce

Janet Elizabeth Poyser
Dr. John Coxhead
Darren Paul Belfield
Caroline Susan Church
Simon Matthew Bulmer
Allison Louise Rigby

Paul Miller Neal Forster

Mrs. Suzann Banks widow of DC Geoff

Banks (Kent)

Mrs. Beryl Needham widow of Pc Owen

Barton.

Stephen Harrison James William Guest Rachel Anne Frost Neil McCalmont Woods Sally Ann Boursnell Steve Edmonds

John Harvey Pearson

Mrs.Susan Smedley widow of Insp John

Smedley

James Christopher Hinds

Barry John Doyle

Mrs. Janet Marion Hollingworth widow of

Pc Geoffrey Hollingworth

Mrs. Margaret Ann Muldoon widow of

Supt. Francis 'Fran' Mulddon

Rachel Osborne

Denis Christopher Murphy Henry Crombie Dick

Margaret Kathleen Simpson widow of ex

Insp. Alan Simpson. Allan Charles Scales

Mrs Denise Anne Edwards widow of Pc

Tyron David Edwards

Mrs. Edna Mary Beddows widow of Sgt.

John Beddows

Mrs. Joan Beal widow of Insp. Derek Beal

Keith Halford

Mrs. Cheryll Taylor widow of Pc James

William Taylor

John Philip Roughton

Ms. Julia Chapman widow of Pc Arthur

Chapman

Andrew Robert Smith

Andrew Louis George Bishton

David Richardson

Injury on Duty

The latest news is that they still don't have any plans to implement any programme of reviews. There is a case going through the Courts at the moment in relation to Career Average Revalued Earnings (CARE). If this may affect you please look on our website for further details or contact me at Derbyshire@narpo.org and I will send the information to you.

As soon as I have any more information, I will let you know via the website.

Sean Murphy, Secretary

DATES FOR YOUR 2019 DIARY

Wednesday 15th April, 2020 Coach trip to Stratford upon Avon.

Sunday 10th May, 2020 Annual General Meeting – Derbyshire Police HQ.

Wednesday 13th May, 2020 May Luncheon at Lumb Farm, Ripley.

Tuesday 19th May, 2020 Coach trip to Leeds Armouries.

Friday, 12th June, 2020 Social, Conservative Club Buxton.

Saturday, 20th June, 2020 Coach trip to BBC Gardeners World, NEC.

Wednesday, 24th June, 2020 Social, The Riverside Club, Hollis Lane, Chesterfield,

Wednesday 15^h July, 2020 Coach trip to Nunnington Hall, Nr. York (NT).

Wednesday 19th August, 2020 Coach Trip to Coventry.

Sunday 25th October, 2020 Derby Social Lunch at Mickleover Golf Club. TBC

Wednesday 2nd December, 2020 Christmas Luncheon at Lumb Farm, Ripley TBC

The Buxton Social is an evening event.

If you wish to attend the AGM tea, Buxton Evening Social and/or the Derby Lunch it is essential that you inform the Secretary, Sean Murphy, in order that the necessary catering arrangements can be made, no later than 7 days prior to the event please.

SPORTS CLUB

At the last meeting of the Sports Club on the 14th November, 2019, ACC Paul Gibson, Chair stated that the Derbyshire Constabulary Sports Club was not a legal entity in its own right but merely an association of its members. Whilst the Club has a set of rules, they are scant and informal. As the club is an unincorporated association, members of the club are treated in law as individuals and the membership provides no protection against potential personal liability to third parties. As the club has limited assets and does not have an insurance policy, which means that every member could be liable for any type of claim against the club. As chair of the committee, I am therefore of the opinion that particularly with the profile of the sports undertaken by the club, it is time the club was incorporated into a company limited by guarantee.

So, in short after a heated discussion, it left us in a Catch 22 position, we either formed a company, as outlined or the club would fold. Therefore, it was agreed that a Limited Company be formed and a further meeting was held on the 11th December to finalise this. A Limited Company has now been set up; the small cost paid for by the club. The sports club continues to run as normal

Sean Murphy Sports Club Rep.

IN MEMORIAM - MAY THEY REST IN PEACE.

Our condolences to their partners, families and friends.

Supt. Peter James PC Owen Barton Mrs.W.Clark Mrs M.Richings

Insp Donald (Don) Lambley MBE

PC Geoff Hollingworth Sgt Eric George Naden

DCC Norman Leonard Chapple

DCC Donald 'Don' Frederick Dovaston

OBE QPM

C/Insp Dewi Roberts

PC 777 Alan Frederick Collier

PC Arthur Greatorex PC Phillip Tipper

Insp Leonard 'Len' Smith PC John William Lenney

Mrs Molly Naylor (widow of Supt Thomas

Watson Naylor)
PC Alan Greatorex

PC 525 Sydney 'Roy' Scattergood C/Insp John Leonard Chalkley PC 566 John Colin Gibbs

Mrs Beryl Wesson wife of ex Pc Don

Wesson.

Mrs. Mary Louise Hinds widow of Sgt.

James Frederick Hinds Sgt. Kenneth Harrop Blundell

Supt. Francis 'Fran' Muldoon

Mrs. Evelyn Catherine Smedley-Duce

Mrs. Claire Grace Lambley (widow of Insp

Don Lambley) Insp. John Smedley Sgt. John Beddows

Pc Barry Davis

Insp. Derek Beal Sqt. Stephen Lister

Insp Robert 'Benny' Goodman
Pc Tyron David Edwards

Insp. Alan Simpson

Mrs. Dorothy Worth (widow of Supt. Bill

Worth)

Mrs. Joyce Parrans (widow of Pc Eddie

Parrans)

Mrs. Jean Howe Pc Arthur Chapman

Mrs Adeline 'Paddy' Fraser 100 yrs (widow of Insp Donald Fraser)

Mrs Patricia Payne wife of ex D/Insp Jim

Payne

Supt. Francis 'Frank' Ernest Woodings Mrs. Patricia Thorp wife of ex Insp Tony

Thorp

Pc James William Taylor

Mrs. Shelagh Fidler wife of ex Sgt Brian

Fidler

Insp. Neville Arthur Golder

Sqt. David Sismey

Mrs. Helen Mary Bradley wife of ex

C/Supt. Roy Bradley ACC David Parkinson Sgt Sybil Reddington

Sgt. James Frederick Hinds

PC John Stephens

PC Bill Fiddy

Sgt. Alan Cecil Shaw.

Coach Trips 2019 - Photographs



Trip to Waddesdon Manor Wednesday 18th September, 2019.



Trip to Renishaw Hall and Lunch – 27th November, 2019.

We also arranged trips to Worcester on the 10th April, Bletchley Park on the 15th May, Hanwells wine Tasting on the 17th July, and the National Iron Works Museum on the 14th August. Photos etc were in the September Newsletter.

Hot off the press- Dave Ashley, Chair has organised at Social at Chesterfield. At 7pm Wednesday, 24th June, 2020 in the Clayton Suite at The Riverside Club, Hollis Lane, Chesterfield, S41 7RA. We will lay on refreshments (pie, peas, roasties & gravy). Dress is casual. Whilst the invitation is intended for NARPO members any partners etc are welcome. There is of course a bar and also snooker tables, pool tables and table football. There is a limited amount of car parking but any car sharing would be useful. Please see the Diary Dates for 2020.