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BLAKE BECOME FUND AMBASSADORS

On 23 September, Britain's sensational classical vocal quartet **BLAKE** thrilled an adoring audience in the concert hall of Croydon's Fairfield Halls. At a post-concert reception it was announced by tour promoter **LIZ BIDDLE** (of Upbeat Management and, of course, the Roy Castle Fund's Projects Director) that the group had agreed to become Ambassadors of our Fund. Pictured l to r are **OLLIE BAINES**, **HUMPHREY BERNEY**, **STEPHEN BOWMAN** and **JULES KNIGHT**. See further picture inside.

Photo: JIM KENNEDY

FUND PARTY VISITS CRUK LABS



On 5 October a Fund party were invited to a tour of Cancer Research UK's South Mimms laboratories, which included an absorbing talk by **SIR TIM HUNT**. The picture by council member **JIM KENNEDY** features (l to r front) Administrator **MARY DOYLE**, Patron **FIONA CASTLE**, Fund Ambassador **KRISS AKABUSI**, (back row) Fund Ambassador **OLLIE BAINES** of **BLAKE**, CRUK's Area Volunteer Manager **MARIE DONNELLY** and Fund Chairman **PETER G FOOT**. (Also see page 3).

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BLAKE COME ON BOARD

Joining in the celebrations at Croydon's Fairfield Halls in September are the brilliant classical vocal quartet **BLAKE** together with their tour manager and members of The Roy Castle Fund Council. Following the quartet's exciting stage performance in the venue's concert hall, **BLAKE** confirmed its intention to support the Roy Castle Fund by each member of the group agreeing to become Fund Ambassadors. This was brought about through the good offices of **BLAKE's** tour manager **LIZ BIDDLE**, who is also the Fund's Project Manager. Picture 1 to r are: **BLAKE's** **OLLIE BAINES** and **JULES KNIGHT**, **LIZ BIDDLE**, Fund Administrator **MARY DOYLE**, Fund Patron **FIONA CASTLE**, Fund Chairman **PETER G FOOT**, **BLAKE's** **HUMPHREY BERNEY** and **STEPHEN BOWMAN**. (Photo: *JIM KENNEDY*)

THE ROY CASTLE FUND Council



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FIONA CASTLE OBE



Administrator
MARY DOYLE



Chairman/
Founder
PETER G. FOOT



Projects
Director
LIZ BIDDLE



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LARRY HALL



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JOHNNY MANS



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DON SHEARMAN

WHAT A YEAR THAT WAS....

2010 was a very eventful year for The Roy Castle Fund. Our established events continued to grow and flourish, and our latest additions to our already busy calendar are growing steadily.

I would like to express my thanks to all who have supported our events during 2010. Without such support we could not hope to achieve our goals - to raise as much money as we can to help CRUK continue its vital work into the prevention and cures for cancer; and, to keep the name of Roy Castle very much in the minds of the British public.

Finally, my personal thanks to our inspirational Patron Fiona Castle, whose support is ever constant. Our Ambassadors who help us to spread the word and offer their valuable advice. The hard working team of Council Members around me who support all of the events. Last, but not least, to Peter G Foot - Chairman and founder of the Fund whose wisdom and confidence in our efforts spur us on to succeed.

Here's to 2011 ... Mary Doyle (Administrator)



Our hard-working and dedicated team of Fund Councillors and volunteer helpers enjoyed a pre-Christmas lunch at The Toby Carvery restaurant in Ewell. Councillor **JIM KENNEDY** took this happy picture, capturing the happy atmosphere of the occasion. Left to right are: the partially hidden heads of **MARIA VAN DYKE**, Chairman **PETER G FOOT**, Website co-ordinator **BERYL KORMAN** and Office Volunteer **GILLIAN ROBERTS**; facing them are (l to r) Office Volunteer **KAY BURGESS**, Volunteers **DAVID ROBERTS** and **BARRY PRICE**, plus Projects Director **LIZ BIDDLE**. Other attendees not pictured were ex-Encore contributors **MAVIS CALE** and **DAVE COLLINS**, plus office systems consultant **GEOFF FRY**.

THE ROY CASTLE FUND Ambassadors



KRIS AKABUSI
MBE MA



MOIRA ANDERSON
OBE



KENNY BALL



DUGGIE CHAPMAN
MBE



GRAHAM COLE



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SIR TIM'S TALK-A-TONIC

The inspirational SIR TIM HUNT, the Nobel Prize winning scientist, gave the Fund party an enlightening (and sometimes humorous) talk on the work undertaken at Cancer Research UK's Clare Hall laboratories in October. (See front page story.)

(Photo provided by Carlos Gill)

Cancer Research UK 2009/10 Review

Dear Mary and Peter,
The review gives an overview of our research and financial achievements, and also focuses on the supporters and researchers who have made these achievements possible. Here are some key highlights:

More people are surviving cancer than ever before. People diagnosed with cancer today are now twice as likely to survive for at least two years as those diagnosed in the early 1970s. Our work has been at the heart of this progress.

Thanks to our supporters we raised a record £446 million during 2009/10, we invested £334 million in research, and £14 million on our information and influencing work.

The range of our research is unparalleled - we fund the work of over 4,000 scientists, doctors and nurses across the UK and we are funding around 200 clinical trials aimed at improving cancer treatment and testing new radiotherapy techniques and drugs.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your important contribution to these successes. During 2009/10 Volunteer Fundraising, which comprises the fundraising of our Groups and Committees, Relay For Life events and individuals that organise their own fundraising activities, raised a staggering £27 million.

Thank you once again for all you have done to fund our life saving research.

Yours sincerely
Simon O'Leary
Head of Volunteer Fundraising

Remembering BRITAIN'S GREATEST ALL ROUND ENTERTAINER...

Great memories...when two great all-round entertainers team up for their starring performance for television's 'Sunday Night at the London Palladium'. Roy's shoes give the clue that he and Bruce will soon be doing another brilliant tap routine as their 'finale'.

● *Thank you to Fiona Castle for the loan of her scrapbook pictures.*



PALLADIUM STAR

We are grateful for the September 2010 issue of 'Mitchell Music' (the Guy Mitchell Appreciation Society magazine) for the reproduction of the following 1961 show bill:

LONDON PALLADIUM Season

'Let Yourself Go' Starring

HARRY SECOMBE	ROY CASTLE
MARION RYAN	KING BROTHERS
EDDIE CALVERT	AUDREY JEANS

Mouth-watering fare wasn't it!



PLEASE SPONSOR PETE!

Our Fund Chairman PETER G FOOT will be attempting to complete his seventh London Marathon on 17 April to raise funds for the Roy Castle Fund (in aid of Cancer Research UK) and The Lavender Trust* (Breast Cancer Care).

Peter has been training since May to tackle the 26 mile-plus course. His previous six marathons raised over £13,200 for Cancer Research UK. As usual names (but not the amount) of each sponsor will be published. Thank you.

(*London Borough of Lewisham's Mayor's Charity).

OUR MARVELLOUS AMBASSADORS

Our thanks go to all our Ambassadors for their support during 2010. We are particularly appreciative of the following:

KRISS AKABUSI MBE, who provided such inspiring and motivational messages to the competitors of our 'Run for Roy' events in Richmond Park. Kriss also supported us by attending the Cancer Research UK laboratories in October (see front page picture).

MOIRA ANDERSON OBE, whose guest presence at the Isle of Man's Centenary Centre in Peel resulted in funds being raised after a performance of Upbeat Management's 'Forces Sweethearts' Show.

BLAKE. This amazing vocal quartet were introduced to the Fund by our Projects Director Liz Biddle, at a special post-concert reception at Croydon's Fairfield Halls last September. OLLIE BAINES also supported the Fund by attending the Cancer Research UK laboratories in October (see pictures on front page and page two).

DUGGIE CHAPMAN MBE, who organised collections for our fund at performances of his pantomime production at two North-West theatres (and raised a record amount for our 'Castle of Coins' project - see page 8).

DAVE DENNISON for donating money from the sales of his book 'Clip Cheesecake and the Majellic Beans'. Dave presented our Chairman with a cheque for £2000 at the Roy Castle Golf Challenge dinner in July. Also, we must thank Dave for creating and producing the 'Castle of Coins' buckets for the pantomime season.

DAVID 'DIDDY' HAMILTON for the auction profits of £2,710.00 from his Celebrity Cash in the Attic BBCtv appearance. David's list of items for the auction, held last March, raised more than most of the celebrities featured in the series. He presented Fiona Castle with the cheque at her home - a sequence featured on the programme - which gave the Roy Castle Fund a big plug.

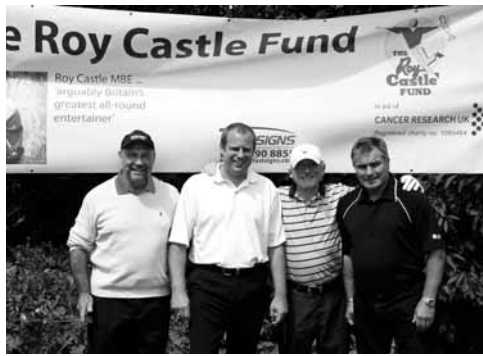
ROY CASTLE CHALLENGE WINNERS



WORTHING RATBAGS team (l to r): DAVE NICHOLLS, SIMON CAIRNS, CHRIS BELL, CAROLINE NICHOLLS and team captain CHRIS GREEN took the team title in the 2010 Roy Castle Golf Challenge held for the eighth year at the Epsom Golf Club. See pages 4 and 5 for more pictures, etc. *(Photo: Wendy Teece)*

HOW THEY LINED UP FOR THE ROY CASTLE CHALLENGE 2010

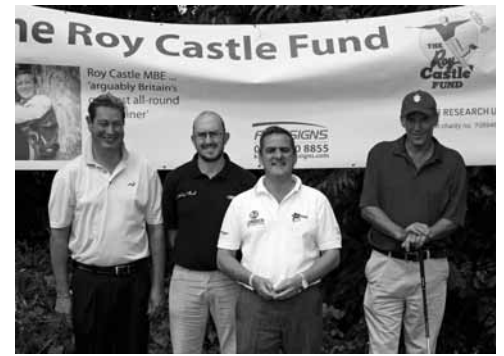
Once again Epsom Golf Club was the venue for the annual Roy Castle Golf Challenge. Each team posed for photographer WENDY TEECE on the first tee prior to commencing their round.



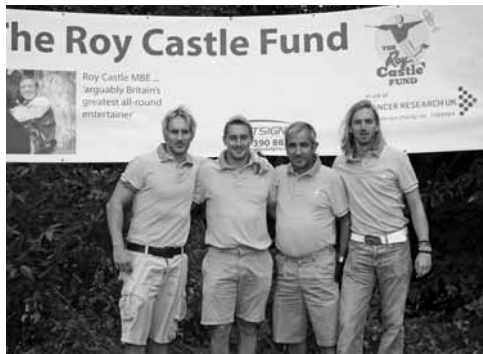
DD's FOUR-GET-A-BALLS team (l. to r.) : DAVE DENNISON, PAUL TUCK, CLIVE ABBOTT and JOHN PRATT.



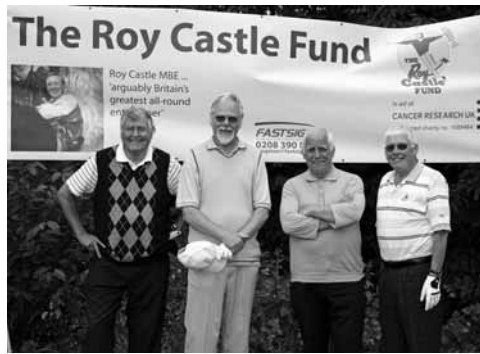
EPSOM FILLIES team (l. to r.) : PAT FOOT, SUSAN WARD, HELEN DAVIES and SANDRA McCLELLAND.



EPSOM STALLIONS team (l. to r.) : DARYL BOISSIERE, STEVE GORMAN, PHIL HUGHES and JAMIE O'SULLIVAN.



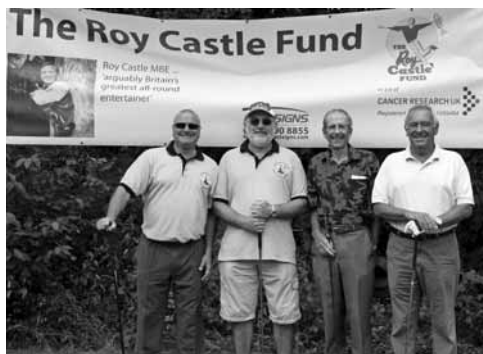
ESSENCE PRODUCTIONS team (l. to r.) : ROSS MILLS, RYAN MILLS, RICHARD PRICE-HUGHES and DARREN MILLS.



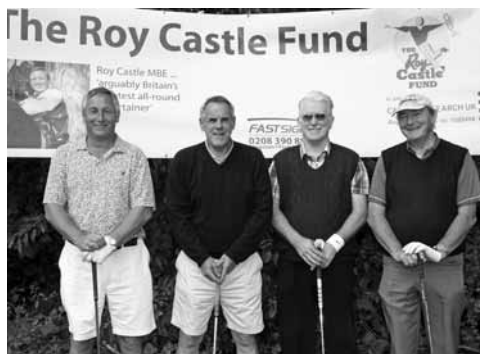
The I.M.E. TEAM (l. to r.) : JOHN SEATON, ALF FULLERTON, CHRIS COOPER and LES CULLEN.



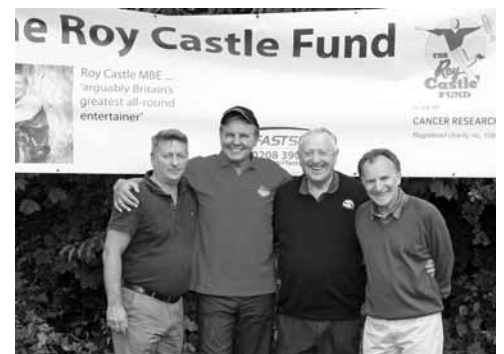
JORDAN PRODUCTIONS team (l. to r.) : CHRIS JORDAN, GARY HAMBLYN, PETER DUNCAN and JIM BRUCKSHAW.



THE MIXED BAG team (l. to r.) : LARRY HALL, DAVE HILL, BRIAN WILLIAMS and JOHN MOORES.



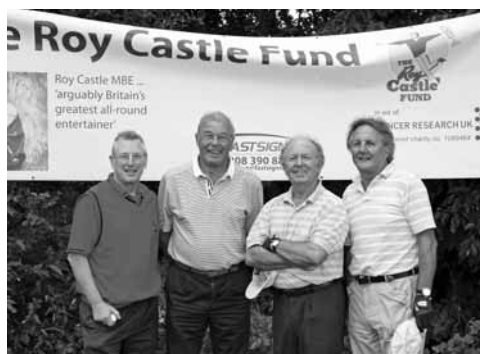
SHAILE's SHAKERS team (l. to r.): NEIL PARKER, TERRY SHAILE, PAT ROONEY and STEVE DECOSIMO.



VAUDEVILLE GOLFING SOCIETY team (l. to r.): STEVE CLAYTON, JESS CONRAD, TOM ANDERSON and KAPLAN KAYE.



The MARTIN'S MARAUDERS team (l to r): JOHN SANDERS, ROY MARTIN, STEVE DARBY and JOHN CRITCHER



THE WYCHWOOD FESTIVAL team (l. to r.) : SAM SHROUDER, TONY CROSSWELL, PETE LANGFORD and LLOYD COURTNEY.



The NOT PETE team (l to r): GARRY HALL, ALAN CHESHIRE, PETER ARKBUCKLE and NIGEL DAWSON.

NOTE: The 2011 Roy Castle Challenge ... WEDNESDAY 13th JULY



Winner of the Best-Dressed Golfer was THE BARRON KNIGHTS' PETE LANGFORD. Pete (centre) received his prize from sponsor LARRY HALL and Roy Castle Fund Administrator MARY DOYLE.



DAVE HILL was victorious in the Nearest-the-Pin Contest and collects his trophy from sponsor LIZ BIDDLE.



JOHN SEATON donated his late wife's set of 'Sooty' show glove puppets to raise money for the Roy Castle Fund. CONNIE CREIGHTON's puppets were auctioned by DAVE DENNISON and raised £100. The lucky bidder was the BARRON KNIGHTS' PETE LANGFORD and he is pictured 'working' the puppets with FIONA CASTLE.

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THE 8th YEAR OF A LOVELY EVENT

ROY CASTLE would have loved to experience the warm glow of camaraderie that exudes from this annual event that proudly carries his name. Like Roy, all the competitors appear to enjoy each others company and the respect and courtesy displayed on the golf course carries through to the post competition dinner and prize presentations.

Cheerful banter is exchanged between all the regular faces and the few first-timers to the event are made to feel very welcome. Of course, all the showbusiness links help to make the occasion, but much of the credit for the informality must go to our Administrator MARY DOYLE and Patron FIONA CASTLE as well as our hosts the very hospitable Epsom Golf Club officers — namely DAVID FRANKLIN, DAVID BOWLES, SUSAN WARD and ROGER WILDIG.

The past two years seen several ladies participating and claiming their fair share of the various prizes. They add considerably to the enjoyment of the event and we hope more will participate in future years.

The Roy Castle Challenge is a lovely event which, we hope, will endure for many years to come. We thank all our helpers, players and prize sponsors for their contributions and loyal support.

Peter G Foot (Chairman)



An extra event for the day was a special Putting Contest that required the skill to sink a tennis ball and a squash ball as well as a golf ball. Inaugural event winner was SIMON CAIRNS (right) pictured with GARRY HALL who presented the prize on behalf of sponsor TERRY HALL.



PHIL HUGHES took the Longest Drive prize and sponsor LIZ BIDDLE delivers his trophy.



DAVE DENNISON is one of our most supportive Ambassadors of the Fund. One of his successful projects during 2010 was to have his 'Clip Cheesecake' story-book for children published (and have it promoted by the Marketing and PR Manager of the Chelmsford Star Co-operative Group VANESSA HOWARD around the company's 36 stores in the Essex region). Dave promised that profits from the book sales would be donated to the Roy Castle Fund and, at the Roy Castle Challenge dinner, he surprised Fund Chairman PETER G FOOT by presenting him with a cheque for £2,000.



The Roy Castle 5-Iron Distance Contest winner of the gentlemen's prize was won by JIM BRUCKSHAW. Here he is pictured receiving his trophy from contest sponsor LIZ BIDDLE of Upbeat Management.



The Roy Castle Challenge Individual Trophy winner SIMON CAIRNS scored 39 points. Sponsor and *Encore* magazine editor JOHNNY MANS (right) presents the trophy.



THE WORTHING RATBAGS took the top team prize with 91 points and received the winner's trophy from sponsor Roy Castle Fund patron FIONA CASTLE. Pictured l. to r. are SIMON CAIRNS, CHRIS BELL, CAROLINE NICHOLLS, FIONA and DAVE NICHOLLS.



HELEN DAVIES (right) was the winner of the Ladies' Roy Castle 5-Iron Distance Contest and received her trophy from sponsor LIZ BIDDLE.



Epsom G.C.'s DAVID FRANKLIN (left) who organised the competition, pictured with Roy Castle Fund Chairman PETER G FOOT.

ROY CASTLE GOLF CHALLENGE - PREVIOUS WINNERS

Individual Winners and scores

2003	TERRY SHAILE	(42)
2004	JOHN SEATON	(39)
2005	SAM SHROUDER	(40)
2006	CHRIS JORDAN	(40)
2007	NEIL PARKER	(36)
2008	RYAN MILLS	(41)
2009	CHRIS JACOBS	(34)
2010	SIMON CAIRNS	(39)

Team Winners and scores

2003	VAUDEVILLE	(88)
2004	OLD CLARKS	(89)
2005	THEATREXPRIENCE	(91)
2006	MIXED BAG	(86)
2007	SHAILE'S SHAKERS	(87)
2008	THEATREXPRIENCE	(87)
2009	EPSOM FILLIES	(86)
2010	WORTHING RATBAGS	(91)



FORCES SWEETHEARTS SHOW BOOSTS FUND
 BERYL KORMAN (left) and LIZ BIDDLE present Fund Chairman PETER G FOOT with a giant cheque for £2147.68 - the magnificent sum collected at theatres during 2010 performances of their touring production 'Forces Sweethearts'. This happy picture was taken by Fund Administrator MARY DOYLE in the beautiful gardens of Beryl and Liz's Larg House, Coulsdon where they run their Upbeat Management business. A big thank you goes to Beryl for the many hours spent counting all the 'pennies' and the many trips to the bank! We extend our gratitude to the following theatres and their patrons for these generous collections.

Southend - Cliffs Pavilion (29/1)	New Brighton - Floral Hall (11/8)
Dartford - Orchard Theatre (5/2)	Enfield - Millfield Theatre (21/9)
Isle of Man - Centenary Centre (12/2)	Richmond Theatre - (28/10)
Camberley Theatre (13/5)	Bromley - Churchill Theatre (3/11)
Hayes - The Beck (27/5)	Chesham - The Elgiva (16/11)
Telford - The Place (2/7)	Aylesbury - The Waterside (17/11)
Swansea - Grand Theatre (2/8)	Winchester - Theatre Royal (19/11)
Southsea - King's Theatre (4/8)	

□ Liz and Beryl will be opening their magnificent gardens on 15 May in aid of the Roy Castle Fund see page 12 for more details.

FUNDS RAISED FOR YEAR ENDING 31/1/11

The income of the Roy Castle Fund for the year ending 31/1/11 was £23,634.84. After deduction of office administration costs of £7,591.58 and event costs of £2,785.00, a balance of £13,258.26 was achieved for Cancer Research UK.



JOHN'S SUCCESSFUL AUCTION BID

JOHN CRITCHER looks pleased having made the highest bid for a Camberley Golf Club four-ball round prize received from Patron FIONA CASTLE at last July's Roy Castle Golf Challenge dinner. We are grateful to our Ambassador DAVE DENNISON who conducted so brilliantly the auction of this prize (together with the auction of the Sooty show puppets which were eventually sold to PETE LANGFORD of the BARRON KNIGHTS.

Our thanks go to fellow competitors NEIL PARKER and TERRY SHAILE for providing this prize. Once again, many of our event competitors have come up trumps in generously providing an excellent array of raffle prizes for this popular annual contest.

KENNY BALL BACKS FUND

KENNY BALL - who has flown the flag for his particular brand of traditional jazz all over the world - has agreed to become an Ambassador for the Roy Castle Fund.

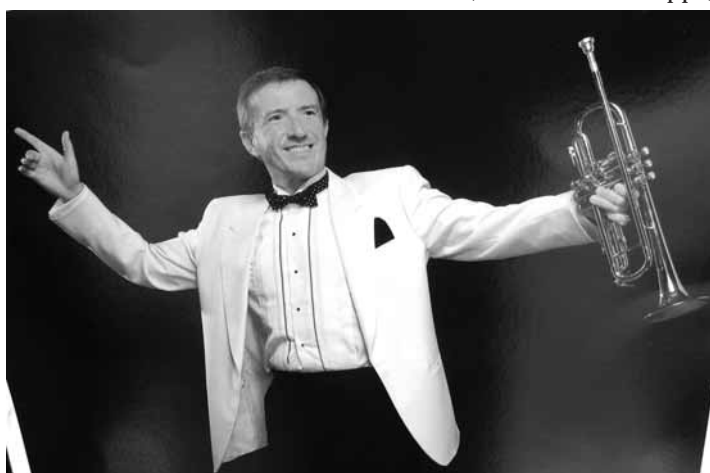
He told our Projects Director LIZ BIDDLE: "I would consider it an honour to become an Ambassador of the Roy Castle Fund. Roy and I were great friends and worked a lot together. He was a lovely man and a great performer, I miss him very much."

For fifty years, Kenny Ball's stamina and integrity has ensured that his band - Kenny Ball and his Jazzmen - is as popular today as it was back in 1960 when it had its first chart hit with 'Samantha'.



DANCECRAFT THEATRE SCHOOL RAISE MORE FUNDS

Some of the talented DanceCraft Theatre School pupils are pictured acknowledging the applause at the end of a routine performed at their annual show in Claygate, Surrey. Once again the school's pupils have been active collecting money for the Roy Castle Fund. In 2010 a total of £164.63 was collected. Altogether the pupils of DanceCraft have collected £2805 since 2003. (Photo: Maria Cripps)



HUDDERSFIELD TO HONOUR ITS FAVOURITE SON
 Whilst in Huddersfield last October for the Run 10K, FIONA CASTLE and PETER G FOOT had a meeting with JULIA ROBINSON from the Kirklees Council. The Council would like to have plaque placed in the Town Hall to honour Roy who was born in nearby Holmfirth. Plans are now being put together ready for a summer unveiling by Fiona. A fitting tribute for the man whom many believe to be the Britain's Greatest All-Round Entertainer.

□ Above we reproduce one of our favourite pictures of the one and only ROY CASTLE.

'DIDDY' LEADS THE WAY

DAVID 'DIDDY' HAMILTON was responsible for raising the Roy Castle Fund's profile considerably during 2009/2010 through his television appearances.

As one of our Ambassadors, David appeared on BBCtv's 'Weakest Link' programme (acquitting himself brilliantly after having declared that the Roy Castle Fund was his chosen charity). And, although he didn't win first prize, he certainly made up for it by raising £2710 by auctioning many of his prize possessions in the BBCtv's 'Celebrity Cash in the Attic' programme. He even took over the hammer in the role of auctioneer for part of the



programme. Thank you, David.

Administrator Mary Doyle would love to hear from anyone appearing on a forthcoming TV show who would like help the Roy Castle Fund.

PUTTING THE FUN INTO FUNDRAISING 2010



● Photographs by WENDY TEECE, JIM KENNEDY & MARY DOYLE



Fund Ambassador DAVE DENNISON gets into full festive spirit to launch our 'Castle of Coins' project for the pantomime season. Dave's company Directa UK designed the collection buckets that were despatched to all the theatres who kindly agreed to have their panto cast members collecting cash from the audiences at the end of selected performances.



BASIL & COMPANY BACK CASTLE-OF-COINS PROJECT
The cast and principals of Croydon's Ashcroft Theatre's 'Cinderella' pantomime kindly take time to support the Fund's 'Castle of Coins' project. Pictured with BASIL BRUSH (Buttons) are l to r (rear): SIMON SCHOFIELD (Prince Charming), SPENCER K GIBBONS (Baron Hardup), DANIEL WHITLEY (Dandini); and l to r (front): SIMON BASHFORD (Ugly Sister Wanda), SHIRLEY ANNE FIELD (Fairy Godmother), GEMMA BISSIX (Cinderella) and MALCOLM LORD (Ugly Sister Rita). The pantomime was produced by BARRIE C STEAD and directed by BRENDA LEFEVERE for Duo Pantomime Productions. (Photo by Jim Kennedy)

Check out our NEW WEBSITE
www.roycastlefund.org.uk

CASTLE OF COINS PROJECT TAKES OFF

During the 2009-10 pantomime season, producers, Duggie Chapman, Paul Hendy and John Spillers kindly arranged to make collections for our Fund at a few theatres that staged their productions. Following the success of these actions, we explored the possibility of expanding the scheme through other producers and theatres, finding many were sympathetic to our cause.

Discussions with our inspirational Ambassador DAVE DENNISON resulted in the creation of the 'Castle of Coins' theme. Dave's own company Directa UK Ltd designed and produced the 'Castle of Coins' buckets and he kindly despatched the buckets to the theatres who agreed to do collections by the pantomime cast members.

We would like to acknowledge this generous support given by the managers and staff of the following theatres and, of course, all those wonderful cast members who gave their time to collect money after show performances. Once again, we acknowledge that without the generosity of the theatre-goers, we would be lost.

OUR THANKS GO TO:

ABERYSTWYTH - Wardens Amateur Dramatic Society - AMY PEREIRA

ALDRESHOT - Princes Hall - DAVID PHILLIPS

BARROW - The Forum 28 - SANDRA BAINES

BOLTON - Albert Halls - CHRISTINE FORSTER/CHRIS CORDINGLY

BOSTON - Blackfriars Arts Centre - MIKE RAYMOND

CANTERBURY - Marlowe Theatre - ALISON BRODIE

CROYDON - Ashcroft Theatre - NINON JEROME

DUNSTABLE - Grove Theatre - JO DITCH

HALSTEAD - Empire Theatre - MIKE GEORGE

PEEL (Isle of Man) - Centenary Centre - ERNIE & SUE LEECE

RHYL - Pavilion Theatre - VAL SIMMONS

ROTHERHAM - Arts Centre - MARK SCOTT

SHREWSBURY - Theatre Severn - PETER NICHOLSON

SOUTHSEA - Kings Theatre - DAVID COOPER

WEYMOUTH - Pavilion Theatre - SUE FROST

And a big 'Thank you' too to our good friends - producers DUGGIE CHAPMAN, PAUL HENDY and JOHN SPILLERS.

MORE THANK YOU'S....

We at the Roy Castle Fund H.Q. appreciate how fortunate we are to have many good friends who support our endeavours. Through 2010 the following have continued to give us financial and/or their valuable experience and time:

JENNY ARCHER ... providing entrants for Run for Roy events.

LIZ BIDDLE ... Kingston town centre collecting; theatre collections; meetings venue.

KAY BURGESS ... office administration support.

FIONA CASTLE ... Supporting running events; support and sponsorship of golf events.

CRANLEIGH TENNIS CLUB ... Race Night hosts (raising £504.80 for Fund).

ANNE CROSSWELL ... Kingston town centre collecting.

BOB FOX ... donating fees from his theatre talks.

LARRY HALL prizes donor.

JIM KENNEDY ... Kingston town centre collecting; events photography; meeting transportation; book sales.

PHIL KING ... host of meetings; organising press calls.

BERYL KORMAN ... website co-ordinator.

OLD CLARKONIANS (SURBITON) ASSOC ... fund-raising events.

BARRY PRICE ... Kingston town centre collecting.

JEAN PRICE ... Kingston town centre collecting.

GILLIAN ROBERTS ... office administration support.

DAVID RUTTER ... sponsorship gathered from his marathon running.

JOHN SEATON ... donating fees from his theatre talks.

MAGGIE STREDDER ... Kingston town centre collecting.

TARGET TELEVISION ... DVD production and sales.



ANOTHER MARATHON CHALLENGE FOR DAVID

'Young' DAVID RUTTER (picture left) is at it again. In the past he has completed around twenty-five marathons and raised approximately £20,000 for charities. The Roy Castle Fund has benefitted from David's outstanding endeavours in recent years and, on 10th April, he will be supporting our Fund when he participates in this year's Brighton Marathon. Anybody wishing to sponsor David can contact him on tel: 01273772083 or email: david.john.rutter@sky.com



GREAT NORTH RUN TRIUMPH FOR LESLEY

Manager of Kingston's Rose Theatre LESLEY SMAILES (pictured right) proudly shows off her medal after successfully completing the Great North Run this year, raising £200 for Cancer Research UK. Lesley has, of course, been very supportive of the Roy Castle Fund.



ANOTHER GREAT RICHMOND RUN FOR ROY

On 5 September, Fund Patron FIONA CASTLE and Chairman PETER G FOOT set the 5k 'Run for Roy' event underway in Richmond Park. The runners and walkers enjoyed a mild temperature for the event, which – through entry fees and individual sponsorship – raised £1,929.50 for the Fund.



We were delighted to have a team from the staff of Kingston's John Lewis store (pictured above) led by its Community Liaison Coordinator LENE WOOD and Marketing and Promotions Assistant LOUISE WOOD. Once again, the John Lewis store has been very supportive of our efforts.



THE INSPIRATIONAL DAVID WEIR!

Britain's foremost wheelchair athlete DAVID WEIR, MBE, poses centre (behind Coach JENNY ARCHER) with future stars of the track at Kingston upon Thames' Kingsmeadow Stadium in October. The 5k wheelchair race raised £200.00 in sponsorship for the Roy Castle Fund. Jenny and David have been very supportive of our efforts to raise money through the Fund for Cancer Research UK over the past two years. Meanwhile, David has his eye on the challenge of next year's Paralympics in London. In Beijing (2008) he won a magnificent golden double with gold medals for the 800m and 1500m, as well as a silver medal for the 400m. This year, at the IPC World Athletics Championships in Christchurch, New Zealand, David added to his World Championship titles by winning gold medals in the T54 800 metres, 1500 metres and 5000 metres. His marathon record is also spectacular with him winning the London Marathon in 2002, 2006, 2007 and 2008, plus being the winner of the New York Marathon last year. At 31, he is looking forward to the challenge of 2012 and, although the personal attention will be a bit overwhelming, he believes it will be good for disability sport to get major media coverage.



Another enthusiastic team – this time from the Flight Centre – pictured before the off. Photographs by WENDY TEECE

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THE SECOND YEAR OF THE ROY CASTLE JUNIOR GOLF OPEN - THE 2010 TEAMS



THE BRAMLEY TEAM



THE EPSOM TEAM



THE FULWELL TEAM A



THE FULWELL TEAM B



THE NORTH DOWNS TEAM



THE SHIRLEY PARK TEAM



THE SURBITON TEAM



THE TYRELLS WOOD TEAM

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The Roy Castle Fund is indebted to the Epsom Golf Club officials who kindly donated their time and expertise in organising the Roy Castle Junior Open for the second year running. Pictured above, they are (l to r) DAVID FRANKLIN, DAVID BOWLES, SUSAN WARD and ROGER WILDIG.

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GREAT TALENT AT JUNIOR OPEN

How inspiring this competition is. For the second year these young golfers produced a high standard of play for the second Roy Castle Junior Open, hosted once again on the challenging greens of the Epsom Golf Club. For October the weather was kind while the eight-teams battled for the prizes

The event is, thanks to the organising abilities of Epsom Golf Club officers SUSAN WARD and DAVID FRANKLIN, now established as an annual event and, through player sponsorship, raises vital income for the Roy Castle Fund in aid of Cancer Research UK.

Once again, our so supportive Patron FIONA CASTLE was at the post-competition presentation party to distribute all these prizes. Our thanks go to all the competitors and our Epsom Golf Club hosts for another successful day. PGF



DAVID FRANKLIN and SUSAN WARD ... The Epsom Golf Club team that master-minded the Junior Open once again.



The winning SHIRLEY PARK team receiving the Roy Castle Junior Open Trophy from Fund Patron FIONA CASTLE. Pictured l to r: JAMIE McCULLOCH, MITCHELL DOWLING, FIONA CASTLE, DOMINIC CHINCHARO and PHILIP BURCH. Shirley Park won the Open with a score of 113 points.



Runners-up team TYRELLS WOOD receive their medals. Pictured l to r : DAN SCOBLE, JAMIE KNAPP, Fund Patron FIONA CASTLE, CLARE OLNEY and CHRIS OLNEY.

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2010 ROY CASTLE JUNIOR OPEN PLACINGS

	Points		Points
1. SHIRLEY PARK	113	6. SURBITON	96
2. TYRELLS WOOD.....	112	7. FULWELL A.....	90
3. NORTH DOWNS.....	105	8. BRAMLEY	87
4. EPSOM	104	9. FULWELL B	77
5. BETCHWOOD PARK	97		

THANK YOU ...

to all the players in the above teams for supporting this wonderful event.

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DEAN HOMEWOOD of the NORTH DOWNS team receives the Longest Drive (Boys) prize from FIONA CASTLE



CLARE OLNEY took two prizes on the day. The first was for the Longest Drive (Girls), followed by the Nearest-the-Pin prize - both presented by FIONA CASTLE. With her TYRELLS WOOD team gaining runners-up status, it was a successful day for young Clare.



ALEX INNS of the EPSOM team received a special prize from FIONA CASTLE for amassing the most sponsorship money for the Roy Castle Fund.

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CELEBRATING JOHN LEWIS ANNIVERSARY

On 11 September the John Lewis store in Kingston celebrated its 20th Anniversary and invited the Roy Castle Fund to take one of their charity stall sites on the Thames riverside. The above picture features l to r Fund volunteer KAY BURGESS, John Lewis' Community Liaison Co-ordinator LENE WOOD, Fund Chairman PETER G FOOT, Fund volunteer GILLIAN ROBERTS and John Lewis' Managing Director TONY WHEELER.

(Photo: JIM KENNEDY)

LARG GARDEN OPEN DAY IN MAY

Following the huge success of their 2009 'Garden Open Day', Fund Council members LIZ BIDDLE and BERYL KORMAN have kindly agreed to repeat the event on Sunday 15 May in the beautiful gardens of their Coulsdon house in Surrey. In 2009 the Royal Marsden Cancer Campaign was the recipient of profits raised, but this year the Roy Castle Fund is to benefit. Open from noon until 4pm, the Larg garden will be filled with marquees and arts and crafts stalls, while the entertainment programme will feature live music throughout the afternoon.



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