DEVIZES AND DISTRICT CONSERVATIVE CLUB

CLUB NEWSLETTER DECEMBER 2024

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New Year's Eve Celebrations

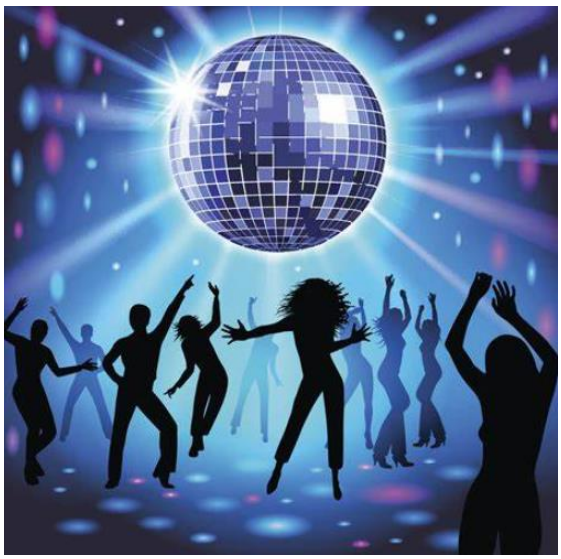
Join top Rockin' band

'The Saga Louts'

&

DJ Andy Saunders





for the best party night ever!

Prices held from 2023

Tickets: Members £15 Non-Members £17.50 (cash only)
Available from the club bar, call 01380 722005, email devizesconservativeclub@hotmail.com or message our Facebook page

A selection of rolls & snacks available
Doors & bar open 7.30 pm – 1 am



Thursday & Friday Lunches for December 2024

Service 12 noon – 2 pm. Prebook your table. Walk-ins also welcome.



Thursday 5th/Friday 6th December

This week's special – Pie of the day served with new potatoes, seasonal vegetables & gravy £13.50
Rich beef bourguignon served with crusty bread £13.50
Cheddar cheese & red onion chutney toasty served with French fries £9.95
Scampi, French fries, peas & homemade tartare sauce £12.95
Wiltshire ham, 2 poached eggs & French fries £12.95
Sandwiches white or w/meal – tuna mayo/Cheese with pickle or coleslaw/Ham & mustard with French fries & salad £9.95

Thursday 12th/Friday 13th December

This week's special – Roast chicken with roast potatoes, seasonal vegetables & gravy £14.50
Beetroot, feta & thyme parcel served with French fries, salad & coleslaw £12.50
Baked salmon fillet with roasted root vegetables & new potatoes £14.50
Beer-battered fresh cod, French fries, peas & homemade tartare sauce £14.50
Wiltshire ham, 2 poached eggs & French fries £12.95
Sandwiches white or w/meal – Tuna mayo/Cheese with pickle or coleslaw/Ham & mustard with French fries & salad £9.95



Thursday 19th/Friday 20th December

This week's special – 6 oz Sirloin steak served with French fries & a creamy mushroom sauce & peas £15.95



Baked seabass with pan fried potatoes, green beans & tomato £14.50
Mediterranean roasted vegetables & hummus wrap, mixed salad & French fries £9.95
Scampi, French fries, peas & homemade tartare sauce £12.95
Wiltshire ham, 2 poached eggs & French fries £12.95
Sandwiches white or w/meal – Tuna mayo/Cheese with pickle or coleslaw/Ham & mustard with French fries & salad £9.95

No lunches Thursday 26th/Friday 27th December

Thursday 2nd/Friday 3rd January 2025

This week's special – Roast pork chop with apple sauce, mixed seasonal vegetables, roast potatoes & gravy £14.50
Chicken curry with turmeric rice, Poppadoms & mango chutney £12.95
Scampi, French fries, peas & homemade tartare sauce £12.95
Wiltshire ham, 2 poached eggs & French fries £12.95
Caramelised red onion, black olive & gorgonzola tart with French fries & wilted seasonal greens £12.95
Sandwiches white or w/meal – Tuna mayo/Cheese with pickle or coleslaw/Ham & mustard with French fries & salad £9.95



Available on all dates French fries £4/cheesy fries £4.50
Sandwich of the day on sliced white or wholemeal £5.50

Dessert of the Day £6

Please state any dietary requirements when booking, all allergy information available upon request.
Reserve your table by phone 01380 722005 and leave a message
Email devizesconservativeclub@hotmail.com or message our Facebook page

MENU CORRECT WHEN PRINTED BUT IF ITEMS SELL OUT A REPLACEMENT MAY BE OFFERED



Only one week to go …

Have you got your tickets for the Club Christmas Party?

Early bird discount 10% off all drinks from 7.30 pm – 8.30 pm
(applicable for active membership cards only)



Tickets in advance Members: £8.50 Non-members: £11 (cash only)
(Tickets on the door Members £10: Non-members £12.50)

Table nibbles included

Tickets available from the lounge bar, call 01380 722005, email devizesconservativeclub@hotmail.com, message our Facebook page

Saturday 14th December

Early bird discount 10% off all drinks from 7.30 pm – 8.30 pm
(applicable for active membership cards only)





Cabaret & Phil's Disco

Doors open 7.30 pm - midnight  Rolls and snacks available

Club Christmas Menu 12 – 2 pm

Book now for annual club lunch on Sunday 22nd December

Advance booking only – by phone 01380 722005, pop into the lounge bar, or by email
devizesconservativeclub@hotmail.com

(Group bookings also welcome during the week & weekends)
(Minimum 20 covers – just call Carol on 07929923433)

Starters

Creamy mushroom soup with truffle oil served with a cocktail roll

Brandy chicken liver pate with toasted baguette & pickles

Smoked salmon with horseradish & dill cream & toasted sourdough bread

Mains



Traditional turkey with pork, apple & sage stuffing & pigs in blankets

Roast pork tenderloin with cranberry, thyme & chestnut stuffing

Oven baked salmon fillet with lemon & dill hollandaise sauce

Butterbean & chestnut roast with vegetarian gravy

All mains come with mixed herb & garlic roast potatoes, roast parsnips, spiced red cabbage, carrots & creamy garlic sprouts

Desserts



Xmas pudding with pouring cream

Raspberry & white chocolate roulade with cream

Cheese & biscuit selection with crackers, grapes & chutney

To Finish

Filter coffee/freshly brewed tea/mince pie

Adult: 1 course £18.95 2 course £25.95 3 course £32.95 per head
Small plate: 1 course £13.95 2 course £20.95 3 course £27.95 per head



****PLEASE STATE ANY DIETARY REQUIREMENTS WHEN BOOKING****

(For gluten-free option please add £1 to totals shown above)

Book your free buffet at the Lounge Bar for this Festive Evening

Christmas Draw

& Member's Reward Evening



Monday 16th December

In the main hall



7 pm – 8.30 pm 10% off all drinks

(Applicable to active membership cards only)

Includes

Complimentary buffet



Great prizes to be won









Various Electricals





Currently 43 sheets sold over £2150 prizes to be won!

Christmas Draw Sheets still on Sale in the Lounge Bar

50p a number, £10 a column or £50 for the whole sheet

Please ensure you get your entry countersigned by the bar staff or a committee member



Christmas Opening Hours



Thursday 19th Dec – Lunchtime 11 am till 3 pm. Evening 7.30 pm till 10.30 pm
(Lunches served 12 – 2 pm booking advised)
Friday 20th Dec – Lunchtime 11.30 am till 2.30 pm. Evening 7.30 pm till 11 pm
(Lunches served 12 – 2 pm booking advised)
Saturday 21st Dec – Lunchtime 12 noon till 4 pm. Evening 7.30 pm till midnight
Sunday 22nd Dec – Lunchtime 12 noon till 4 pm, Evening Closed
Monday 23rd Dec – Lunchtime 12 noon till 2 pm, Evening 7.30 pm till 10.30 pm



Christmas Eve – Lunchtime 12 noon till 2 pm. Evening 7.30 pm - 10.30 pm

Christmas Day – Lunchtime 12 noon till 2 pm. Evening Closed

Boxing Day – Lunchtime 12 noon till 3 pm. Evening Closed
(No lunches served today)



Friday 27th Dec – Lunchtime 12 noon till 2 pm. Evening 7.30 pm till 11 pm
(No lunches served today)
Saturday 28th Dec – Lunchtime 12 noon till 4 pm. Evening 7.30 pm till 11 pm
Sunday 29th Dec – Lunchtime 12 noon till 4 pm. Evening Closed
Monday 30th Dec – Lunchtime Closed. Evening 7.30 pm till 10.30 pm



New Year's Eve – Lunchtime 12 noon till 2 pm. Evening 7.30 pm till 1 am

New Year's Day – Lunchtime 12 noon till 2 pm. Evening Closed

Thursday 3rd January – Lunchtime 11 am – 3 pm. Evening 7.30 pm – 10.30 pm
(Lunches served 12 – 2 pm booking advised).





Drop in for Bingo



Friday 20th December – Doors open 7 pm



Christmas Exclusive Bingo loyalty card event

To attend this event, you must have all 12 boxes on your bingo club loyalty card stamped (pro rata if you are a new member).
Please remember to bring your loyalty card to gain entry.
This event will include a free buffet, the raffle and the snowball

Starting 3rd January - collect your new bingo club loyalty card when you next attend an event. Having all 12 boxes stamped to show your visits will enable you to attend the *Exclusive* Christmas loyalty bingo event for *card holders only on Friday 19th December 2025.* This event will include a free buffet and the snowball.





Next dates …

Sunday 8th December, Sunday 15th December, Friday 20th December, Friday 27th December, Friday 3rd January, Friday 10th January, Friday 17th January, Friday 24th January, Friday 31st January

Doors open 7.30 pm Eyes down 8 pm

Entry fee £1.00 All cash prizes
£3 a book for 7 games & £1 each for flyers

Bingo visitors welcome to sign-in on 3 occasions @ £1.00 each

Please note you have to be at least 18 years old to play bingo at the club as all prizes are in cash.

Filled rolls, crisps, nuts, chocolate, sweets all available from the bar.
Please do not bring in your own food.

Children's Christmas Party

2 hours of non-stop fun in the main hall





Saturday 21st December

Party starts 11 am – 1 pm

(Doors open 10.30 am)





Free entry to members' children, grandchildren and great grandchildren between 3 years and 11 years of age. Please put their names and ages on the form which will be on the passageway notice board at the beginning of December. Please stay and supervise your child. All names need to be on the list by Sunday 15th December.

Devizes Lions Bingo Nights

at the Conservative Club, 30 Long Street, Devizes
starting on Tuesday 17 September,
then on the last Tuesday of each month
apart from December which will be on the 17th.

Doors open 7.30 pm. Eyes down 8 pm prompt.

Entry Fee £8.00 per adult (over 18s only, sorry!)
which includes 4 strips of 6 games.
There will be opportunities to purchase more
Bingo strips at the door.

Come and enjoy the Fun!

Bar available for drinks and snacks
Cash and card payments will be accepted

All proceeds to Devizes Lions Club (CIO) Registered Charity No.1185977



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DEVIZES CONSERVATIVE CLUB

MEMBERS ANNUAL SINGLE'S SNOOKER K.O.



Any Member interested in entering the competition
Please register your name and Mobile No
on the entry sheet behind the bar together with your £2 entry fee
by the 31st January 2025. Draw made 1st February 8.30pm.

Matches will be played by each players convenience
but each round will be played by a set date.

The time and date of each organised match must be entered in advance
on the chalk board in the snooker room as they would take priority.

Best of 3 Frames will be played per round.
Final will be best of 5 Frames.



Organiser: I Griffiths



RNLI Lifeboats 200 YEARS

FISH & CHIP SUPPER FUN QUIZ

Tuesday 14 January 2025

Doors 7:30pm - Quiz starts 8:00pm

The Conservative Club, Devizes

SAVE A LIFE - While you
Enjoy a fish and chip supper (8:30pm)
Whilst competing in our quiz
Tickets £17.50 pp
Please request an alternative to fish and chips
when buying tickets (sausage, gluten free, etc)
Teams of up to 6 people.
Tickets available from
Conservative Club/Devizes Books



The RNLI is the charity that saves lives at sea

The Royal National Lifeboat Institution, a charity registered in England and Wales (209603), Scotland (SC037736), the Republic of Ireland (CHY 2678 and 20003326), the Bailiwick of Jersey (114), the Isle of Man (1308 and 006329F), the Bailiwick of Guernsey and Alderney, of West Quay Road, Poole, Dorset, BH15 1HZ

Registered with FUNDRAISING REGULATOR

Photo: RNLI/Nathan Williams

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November Quiz Results



Well done to the winners, the Snooker Boys, pictured left and to the runners up, the cruise missiles, pictured on the right.

Thank you to Nick Hunter for hosting this event.



Members of the Month



Snooker Boys - Clem Maslen joined 2017, Colin Davies 2019, Adie Bridewell 2012, Les Taylor 2011 & Dave Reeves joined 2018. The boys have supported the club over the years at many events, they can be found on a Saturday night in the snooker hall, in the front bar on a quiz night, drinking socially in the lounge, they recently attended the open day and the pie and a pint evening – it is good to see them in the club so often, thank you for using the club so regularly.

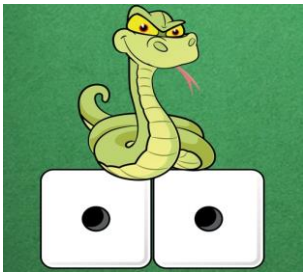
Saving for Christmas 2025

Please place your money in an envelope marked “Tontine” with your full name and put it through our letterbox at number 30 Long Street. This will be collected and deposited in the bank. The Club has successfully run this tontine scheme for many years. You can pay in any amount, for assistance on getting started just call 01380 722005 and leave a message or email devizesconservativeclub@hotmail.com



2025 Inter-Affiliation Tickets

These tickets are now available to purchase over the lounge bar for just £2.50 each. This is your passport to visit other Conservative Clubs in the country when you are out and about.



Try your luck …

Win a free drink, Snake Eyes is back on the bar.

Just 20p a go. Roll Snake eyes (double 1) to win a free drink.

All proceeds to the Children’s Christmas Party

New! Win a bottle of wine for just a £1 – pop into see how

Cleaner available

Reliable, experienced male cleaner looking for extra work. Preferably mornings. References available on request. Please contact Simon on 07824510079.

Choose our Venue for your Special Occasion

Are you planning a special event this year?





WE CAN ACCOMMODATE YOU

Weddings, Christenings, Wakes, Retirements, Presentation Evenings, Birthdays, Anniversaries,

Venue Hire

Children's Parties, Fundraisers, Business Meetings, Clubs, Classes, Any Event Considered

Very Competitive Rates Friendly Helpful Staff

- Capacity 180/200
- Licensed Bar
- Flexible Catering
- Free Car Parking
- Tailored Packages to suit Your Individual Needs
- For more information and availability call Carol on 07929923433

Call Carol on 01380 722005/07929923433 or

email devizesconservativeclub@hotmail.com

BOOK EARLY TO AVOID DISAPPOINTMENT





Long Street Blues Club Gigs

For more information on individual gigs visit www.**longstreetbluesclub**.co.uk

Saturday 21st December 2024 - THOMAS ATLAS BAND - XMAS PARTY! | Doors 7.45pm
Support - A Smile Two Bangs and a Legend
ON SALE NOW Advance Tickets are £17.00 from usual outlets or book online (online booking fee applies)
Tickets £20.00 on the door

Saturday 1st February 2025 | THE JOHN MARTYN PROJECT | Doors 7.45pm
ON SALE NOW Advance Tickets are £22.00 from usual outlets or book online (online booking fee applies)
Tickets £25.00 on the door

Saturday 12th April 2025 | BILLY WALTON BAND | Doors 7.45pm
ON SALE NOW Advance Tickets are £19.00 from usual outlets or book online (online booking fee applies)
Tickets £22.00 on the door

Saturday 3rd May 2025 | ALASTAIR GREENE | Doors 7.45pm
ON SALE NOW Advance Tickets are £17.00 from usual outlets or book online (online booking fee applies)
Tickets £20.00 on the door

Saturday 17th May 2025 | FULLHOUSE (very special guest INNES SIBUN) | Doors 7.45pm
ON SALE NOW Advance Tickets are £19.00 from usual outlets or book online (online booking fee applies)
Tickets £22.00 on the door



For more information on individual gigs visit www.longstreetbluesclub.co.uk

STARTING 8th OCTOBER

MOVEMENT TO MUSIC

FOR THE OVER 60'S

CONSERVATIVE CLUB

TUESDAYS 2-2.45pm

£5 per session (1st session free for new members)

(£1 discount for Conservative Club members- on production of membership card)

A friendly class set to music from the

60's, 70's, standing and seated,

followed by tea/coffee and chatting

Please contact Yve for more information:

01380723086 yveg54@gmail.com

Extend trained



New Year's Eve Celebrations

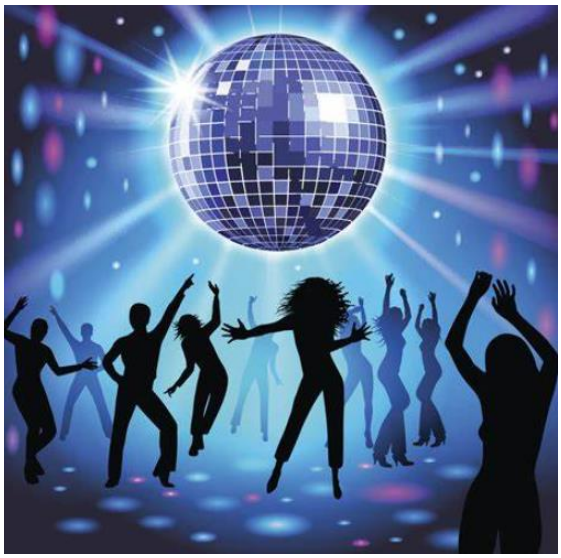
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A selection of rolls & snacks available
Doors & bar open 7.30 pm – 1 am



THE UK'S MOST AUTHENTIC ROY ORBISON TRIBUTE BAND

THE ORBISON PROJECT

theorbisonproject.com



"Celebrating the legend that is Roy Orbison"

performing at

Devizes & District Conservative Club

Sat 8th February – 7:30pm

Members: £17.00

30 Long Street
Devizes, SN10 1NW
Tel: 01380 722005

Non-Members: £19.50

DOORS OPEN: 7:30PM – LATE

ROLLS & SNACKS AVAILABLE

Doors open: 7:30pm

Devizes Conservative Club
30 Long Street, Devizes
Wiltshire, SN10 1NW

The ALL SEASONS Live

Supported by Mark Anthony Discotheque

TOP TRIBUTE TO FRANKIE VALLI & FOUR SEASONS



Saturday 5th April 2025

Members: £16.00 **Non-members: £18.00**

Tickets in advance only

Contact us on:

Call: 01380 722005

Rolls & snacks available

Facebook: Devizes Conservative Club

Email: devizesconservativeclub@hotmail.com

Current opening hours

	Lunchtime	Evening
Monday	Closed	1930 - 2230
Tuesday	Closed	1930 - 2230
Wednesday	Closed	1930 - 2230
Thursday	1100 - 1500	1930 - 2230
Friday	1130 - 1430	1930 - 2300
Saturday	1200 - 1600	1930 - 2300
Sunday	1200 - 1600	Closed

Monday to Thursday - last frame of snooker to start no later than 22:00

Friday & Saturday - last frame of snooker to start no later than 22:30

New Membership

Jannuary Membership Offer – 15 months for the cost of 12
Join in January and next fees due March 2026.

Full Member £17.50, Senior Member £10.00
Country Member £7.50, Student Member £7.50

Plus, a one-off £10 joining fee is required upon application by full & senior members only (not applicable to country & student members who cannot vote)

Fees from 1st April – 30th September

Full Member £17.50

Senior (Gentlemen & Ladies
65 years & over £10.00

Country Members £7.50
(Must reside at least 20 miles away)

Student Members £7.50
(Must be under 21 & in full time education)

Plus, a one-off £10 joining fee is required upon application by full & senior members only (not applicable to country & student members who cannot vote)
Membership is to be renewed annually by 31st March

Half yearly Fees from 1st October – 31st December

Full Member £8.75, Senior Member £5.00
Country Member £3.75, Student Member £3.75

Plus, a one-off £10 joining fee is required upon application by full & senior members only (not applicable to country & student members who cannot vote)

Membership is to be renewed annually by 31st March

Membership forms available from bar staff
Please obtain an envelope from the bar enclosing your membership form with your payment and place in the secure tontine box in the front bar.
Please clearly mark your envelope 'NEW MEMBERSHIP'