



# Chairman's Blog

*June 2022*

## Buckingham Palace Garden Party





Guy Lipscomb and I had the honour to represent our Charity at the Queen's Garden Party held at Buckingham Palace in connection with our Queen's Award for Voluntary Services. Unfortunately, it rained most of the day as the above photos show. Nevertheless, we met some very interesting people, and the food was splendid.

## End of an era



Our two Deauvilles have now been retired.

As reported last month "Margaret" was involved in a road incident which has left her beyond economical repair and unfortunately "Edith" has now also developed mechanical problems which make her uneconomical to repair.



## Display Unit



The Board of Trustees have decided to retire the Display unit as it requires extensive repair and updating work.

In addition, “Virginia” our Land Rover Discovery, which is currently serviceable for usual Rota duties, is no longer suitable for towing the very heavy Display Unit, and “Agnes”, our Duster, is not capable of towing it.

At present there are no plans to purchase a replacement suitable heavy-duty 4x4.

The unit will be disposed of, either as a whole or in parts. For future events that require a static display we will be utilising our Gazebos.



## Donations Received

Cold Ash WI .....	£89.45
Long Buckby Darby & Joan Club.....	£109.80
Linda Stickland. ....	£125.00
Nicola Silver.....	£100.00
Ruby Patterson.....	£120.00
Vanessa Thomas.....	£50.00
Honda Owners Club West London. ....	£200.00
Bracknell Forest Council.....	£750.00
Amazon Europe.....	£59.86

## Collections Results

Tesco High Wycombe.....	£1,074.64
Tesco Reading Portman Road. ....	£468.72
Tesco Aylesbury.....	£576.30
Beaconsfield Services M40 .....	£920.00
ASDA Kettering morning only .....	£285.06



## June Supermarket Collections



- ASDA – Corby. .... 11<sup>th</sup> June
- Tesco Bracknell North. .... 18<sup>th</sup> June
- Beaconsfield services. .... 18<sup>th</sup> June

The Supermarket collections are vital to the Charity and contribute to our running costs. Without these collections we cannot maintain the vehicles required for duty.

**As always, please support the collection dates.**



# Windracers Drone – are they the future?



<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OKtj6YZ46aw>

Is this amazing or what!!!!



<https://fb.watch/dkC5OV7-KR/>



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Chairman

1st June 2022

