

*Grand Sheik:* John Burton

*Grand Vizier:* Alan Hancock

*Sub-Vice Vizier:* Brian Jessop

*Remember:* All members  
have no authority whatsoever!



*Vice Sheik:* Kevin Hepplestone

*Vice Vizier:* Mark Johnson

*Everyone Else:* Board Members  
At Large

## *Twas Ever Thus! - Brats Monthly Newsletter*

12<sup>th</sup> Sept 2005

Good Evening and welcome to our first Autumn meeting of 2005 – only 3 months 'til Christmas!

### **Show me that again.....**

Tonights films include *Helpmates*, *Fra Diavolo* and *Any Old Port!*

### **Remember?.....**

Information for those of us booked on the Acorn Brewery visit on **Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> September:-**  
Pick up New Crown at 6:30pm and Sheffield (Banker's Draft at 6:45pm) – payment £16 on the night!

### **Tell me that again.....**

Due to the unavailability of our quiz team, we were unable to attend the Early to Bed Tent meeting yesterday to compete in the first leg of the annual Inter-Tent quiz. The first leg will now be held here on 10<sup>th</sup> October with the return leg at the Early to Bed Tent's meeting on 16<sup>th</sup> October respectively!

### **If we don't get that deed back I'll eat my hat!.....**

**Monday 24<sup>th</sup> October** – Brats Annual Banquet at the New Crown Inn £6.50 (Please select your choice of meal tonight!)

### **Read all about it liner floundering in typhoon.....**

**Brats Curry Night** - Over 20 Brats attended our annual curry event last month – a good time was had by all (from what I recall!)

**Laurel & HarDay** – 5 Brats attended this year's Wigan event which included a contingent from Harlem, Georgia advertising next year's international convention. There was also the kneesie, earsie, nosey World Championship, auctions to raise funds for the Son's Charity and the Statue Appeal. Combined with films, an interview with Jean Darling (of Little Rascals fame) and plenty of frivolity, again a good time was had by all!

### **Forthcoming Events.....**

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| 10 <sup>th</sup> October                          | – | Brats monthly meeting, New Crown Inn, 7:30pm   |
| 28 <sup>th</sup> April – 1 <sup>st</sup> May 2006 | - | 27 <sup>th</sup> UK Convention, North Queensferry, Nr Edinburgh<br>cost £200 (adults), £60 (4 – 14 year olds)  |
| 12 <sup>th</sup> – 16 <sup>th</sup> July 2006     | – | International Convention, Harlem, Georgia USA!<br>see <a href="http://www.bertimarks.com/index.htm">http://www.bertimarks.com/index.htm</a> for more details |

Fraternaly Yours,  
John

*You can lead a horse to water But a pencil must be lead! (Brats 1930)*