



The Rambler—December 2006

Election Process

There are 3 committee post according to the Constitution & Rules that will be up for election in Nijmegen 2007. The posts and brief description are as follows:

!Group Secretary

—To manage the BDWF administration, all paperwork, correspondence and membership.

!Youth Secretary

-To be the walk leader for the youth element and to be approachable to the members of the BDWF who are under 18 years.

!Events Coordinator

- To keep the BDWF membership updated on all relevant events whether challenge, IVV, Military, LDWA events or just for training pleasure.

The posts are open to all members including posts holders.

Nomination forms will be issued in January for you to nominate or be nominated. The return date for the forms will be 30th April 2007.

The nominees together with their profile will be issued to members in May. Election by secret ballot in Nijmegen

Forms will be available on the web site



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Web site and Editor details

The Rambler Timetable

To ensure all members have the opportunity to submit articles for inclusion, the Rambler will be published on the 1st Friday of each month starting December 2006. Articles for publication are to be submitted to me 3 days before publication, but as early as possible please.

Every voice counts, so stand up and be heard. Your opinion is important to us. If you have spotted a typo, en- countered problems on the web site, we want to hear about it.

Part Payment

The part payment option offered in the August issue of The Rambler, has been withdrawn because the offer was not taken up.

Nijmegen 2007 Application forms

Application forms for participating in Nijmegen 2007 as a Walker / Supporter, will be issued in December with a return date of 31st January 2007. These forms will be available on the web site.

Registration in Nijmegen starts from 5th February 2007 for those who applied, and walked the first day in Nijmegen. Newcomers and returning members will be registered in the second tranche from mid March.

Following the Herman 's report, the KNBLO board agreed to give every participant of the 90th event a souvenir that you can attach to your medal or clothing. The souvenir for BDWF members will be sent to my home address and I will send these out in January to avoid the Christmas post.



Birthdays

British

2nd Vince Charles;

3rd Peter James and Jeff Hurley

9th Doug Davidson

11th James Roome

12th Almuth Prowse

13th Garry Solomon

16th Mary Keane

27th Sue Gray

<u>Dutch</u>

3rd Isis du Croix

7th Els Blankenstein & Bart Vogels

9th Hein Ubachs:

10th Raymond Kievit

21st Christian Bos;

26th P Braat;

28th C Joosten:

29th Erik Metselaar and M Van Noord;

31st Milanka Terlou Markovic

Your Letters

Proud Grandparents

Paul Williams became a Grandparent for the first time in October. Grace was born on 12th October and is perfect, Paul says. He continues "Please feel free to publish as the world should know".

Many congratulations to your family



Seasons Greetings

The festive season is almost upon us and on behalf of the committee, may I wish all our members, their families and all our friends A very Merry Christmas and a Joyous New Year.



Nijmegen Group Web Site

Our Nijmegen 2007 Handbook and updated Constitution and Rules booklet have been added to our web site.

I hope that you enjoy reading this 'new style' edition of The Rambler and that it helps you keep up-to-date with events surrounding The BDWF and Nijmegen

Herman Boston BDWF Treasurer and Youth Secretary

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