

ROYAL SOCIETY OF ST. GEORGE

Monthly Newsletter October 2019

MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

Thank you to all members who attended last month's AGM and for voting in the new committee, including me as President. The other members of the committee are Wendy Low (Hon. Sec.), Doug Stockton (Hon. Treas.), Melanie Bolland, Andrew Diamond, Sally Addington and Paul Ellis.

Our first event is Trafalgar Night, which is being held on Saturday 19th October. The details are on the attached flier. What the flier doesn't tell you is that the dinner is being catered by our good friends W1, so if you attended our St. George's Day Dinner, you'll know the food will be very good. The menu is Prawn Cocktail, Leek & Potato Soup, Main course choice between Roast Beef, pan seared Salmon and Vegetarian Wellington and Eton Mess and we're rounding all that off with Port and Stilton. The port is kindly sponsored by TechSol Sdn. Bhd. Please let Wendy know your main course choice when you book.

We look forward to seeing you soon.

Ray Bolland
President
Royal Society of St. George

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THIS MONTH'S EVENTS

TRAFALGAR NIGHT

Saturday 19th October 7.30 p.m.
Royal Commonwealth Society, Damansara
Members: RM200 Guests: RM240
see attached flier for details

QUIZ LEAGUE

Thursday 31st October 8.30 p.m.
Southern Rock Seafood, Jalan Kemuja
Southern Rock offers RSSG members 10% discount

OTHER SOCIETIES

1st – *Newcomers Coffee at ABWM House*
5th – *European Gala*
8th – *ABWM Shopping Day at ABWM House*
31st – *ABWM Pink October Lunch*

The Battle of Trafalgar

The Battle of Trafalgar (21st October 1805) was a naval engagement fought by the British Royal Navy against the combined fleets of the French and Spanish Navies during the War of the Third Coalition (August–December 1805) of the Napoleonic Wars (1803–1815).

Twenty-seven British ships of the line led by Admiral Lord Nelson aboard HMS Victory defeated thirty-three French and Spanish ships of the line under French Admiral Villeneuve. The battle took place in the Atlantic Ocean off the southwest coast of Spain, just west of Cape Trafalgar, near the town of Los Caños de Meca. The Franco-Spanish fleet lost twenty-two ships, and the British lost none.

(source: Wikipedia)



PREVIOUS EVENTS

AGM 11th September



The AGM was held at Out of Africa with 31 members in attendance. As usual, OoA provided a very fine fish & chip supper. Pictured (l to r) Ray Bolland, Sally Addington, Doug Stockton, Wendy Low, Andrew Diamond, Melanie Bolland
(Paul Ellis was overseas).

Quiz League 26th September

<u>Team</u>	<u>P</u>	<u>Pts</u>	<u>Avg</u>
Stephanie	6	25	4.16
Incredibles	5	19	3.8
Parcheesi Peeps	6	20.5	3.4
Wunch of Bankers	4	13	3.25
Old Spice	4	1	0.25
The Young Disneys	1	5	
Incredible Six	1	5	
Mantin Five	1	5	
Six Pence	1	5	
Quizlamic State	1	4	
Grown Ups	1	3.5	
Seventh Heaven	1	2	
Leap of Faith	1	2	
Five Minutes to Midnight	1	1	
Scammers	1	1	

Our Quiz League returned after its summer break with only four teams contesting. The quiz was won by The Young Disneys (5 pts.), followed by Quizlamic State (4), Parcheesi Peeps (3) and The Incredibles (2).

There are now only 2 rounds left. To qualify for League placings and prizes, teams must participate in 50% of the rounds.

Intersociety Welcome Back 28th September

88 members and guests from St. George's, St. Andrew's, St. David's and St. Patrick's Societies and ABWM enjoyed a fun evening at Healy Mac, Publika. His Excellency Charles Hay, MVO attended and presented the raffle prizes donated by each of the Societies. We plan to do it again next year.

