

BURY CROQUET CLUB KEEPING CONNECTED issue 6

Lovely piccie of Janet beavering away!!



As our cleaner cannot come Ollie decided to try and help us!

Jean H
Send him round to mine I say!!

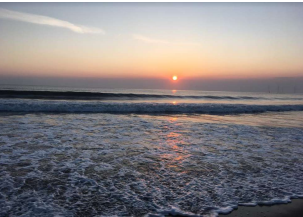


Message from Jean O

Thanks for keeping us up to date with our members activities . Great to hear from them . Hope everyone is safe and well and ready to get back on the lawns again. Lovely weather, but will it last? Best wishes to you all.
Jean O

Lynne Gaukroger - lovely walks for her

(had to go to Hartlepool because they had server problems at work - this is Seaton Carew)



Richard from Duncan Ross at WP breaking up hard top surface and then brushing the loose sand into the prepared holes.



Piccies of CP from David L



Carol has sent a video. You need to guess the paintings

Carol says, 'Yes, someone very clever has devised current events' titles to go with the various cullings. From these one is supposed to guess from which larger work they come. You can pause the sequence for sanity's sake as it does go far too fast ...

It's been driving me mad for the past week! **Ahh! She doesn't have the answers though I think she needs your help!!!**



Love

Carol x

Link to Carol's video on News page <http://burycroquet.com/news.html>

or Link to a pdf of the stills from the video <http://burycroquet.com/assets/images/news20/CAROL%20ARTY%20QUIZ.pdf>

Answers to Carol please!

What's Ruth been up to?

Stephen and I are both working from home. We have a quick game of badminton each morning before we start work (no photos sorry) inspired by a conversation with Gill at the quiz (see you at Castle Leisure Centre when this is all over Gill). I am having lots of walks and Stephen goes out on his bike. Here are some pictures from my walks. I also met Derek on one of my walks but didn't get his picture.



Roy's Birthday Treat. Couldn't go into see him so put up a banner!

I celebrated my birthday on Good Friday so we had a Front Garden party, whilst I stood at the window. 🙄

My grandsons brought me birthday cake, and they had their own individual cakes all made by my daughter who was also there with my son-in-law.



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From Carol

I wondered about this ... or is it too indelicate for publication.
 It was sent to me by a friend (who had received it from the father of a
 lad who is studying cello and had ordered new strings for it).
 Motto: Beware using a machine for translation!

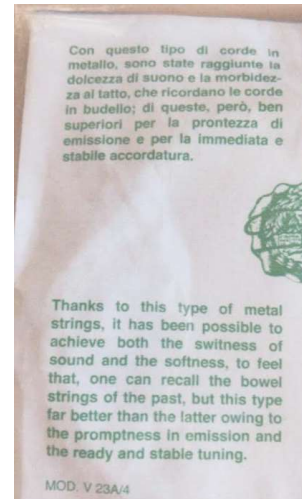
Frankly, there aren't enough hours in the day ... I find I've taken
 on some gentle weeding in the block's garden and outside perimeter.
 Crops of buttercup have invaded the borders by stealth - and of course
 look flourishing but are a menace.

[interlude taken to clap NHS - brilliant people]

Such a shame we have been losing wonderful sunny days for croqueting but
 it's important that we all hold to the plan to get through safely.

Keep well yourselves!

Love

**Richard's Joke**

Three elderly professors attending an academic conference took advantage of the sunshine during their lunch break and walked to a nearby park. They sat on a bench and chatted while watching people passing.

A group of attractive young ladies strolled past the bench, all wearing light and revealing clothing, and one of the profs mused, "I wonder what is the collective noun for '*Ladies of the Night*'?"

After considerable thought, the Professor of Applied Linguistics in the Department of English Language suggested, "*Perhaps a Bake, of Tarts?*"

"*An excellent answer, my good fellow*", replied the Professor of World Literature in English, "*but erroneous. The correct collective noun would be a Flourish! As in, 'a Flourish of Strumpets'.*"

The two gents chuckled at their wit as the third still pondered the question.

"*I am afraid, despite your splendid suggestions, you are both wrong my friends. The proper collective noun for a group of ladies of that profession would be an Anthology*", announced the Regius Professor of English Language and Literature, confidently.

"*How the devil do you claim that?*"

"*We are in England are we not?*" he asked and, receiving affirmation from his colleagues, "*thus it must surely follow such a group would be 'an Anthology of English Prose'.*"