

Bulletin



**Chamber Networking Evening & buffet supper
Wednesday 13th July 2011
6.00pm
St Albans Hill
Hemel Hempstead
Herts
HP3 9NH**

Bring Your Business To The Slopes!!!!

Cool down this summer at the first Chamber Networking Event taking place at The Snow Centre, Hemel Hempstead. Come along to Britain's Premier Indoor Snow Sports destination and bring your business to the slopes! If you have not visited the centre before you are in for a real treat!

Following something light to eat and drink, there will be an opportunity to network with other delegates, meet the Snow Centre Team. Please come along with plenty of business cards, bring your colleagues/clients and enjoy a fun networking event with a difference!

For those interested, there will be an opportunity to enjoy a taster ski/snowboard lesson with the professional instructors (this is entirely optional). Every level catered for if you have never skied before now is your chance ! If you have then you can enjoy a coaching session with an expert. Everything you need will be provided.

We look forward to welcoming you to this new Chamber Venue, the Snow Centre.

Don't Just Join..... Join in!

£25.00 (+ VAT) for members, £28.00 (+VAT) for non-members

Book now online www.stalbans-chamber.co.uk/events



HARPENDEN
TOWN COUNCIL

Harpenden's Town Mayor for 2011/12 is one of the longest standing Directors of St Albans Chamber of Commerce, Cllr Michael Weaver.



**Councillor Michael Weaver
with Paul Marsden of the Harpenden Building Society**

Michael was born in London in 1939 and graduated at the London School of Economics, he qualified as a chartered accountant with KPMG in 1965.

Michael moved to the district in 1968. Many Harpenden residents will remember him running the popular store C & A in Harpenden High Street for 35 years.

He became a Chamber member in 1972 and was President in 1979 and is still a very active Director.

Elected 8 years ago as a Town Councillor, after retiring from C & A, he has served on nearly all Council Committees and was Deputy Town Mayor in 2006/7. He has chaired the key Policy & Finance Committee which he is very pleased to say has delivered a 2.25% cut in the local precept for the current financial year.

As a former retailer, Michael is passionate about keeping our shopping centres vibrant and viable he has promoted events like the Christmas Carnival for several years.

He says *"The High Street is the centre for our community and its viability is key to the well being of our town"*

He takes great pride in our town and says *"I feel deeply honoured to have been elected as Town Mayor. I will simply do my best, working as hard as I can for the community as a whole"*

Michael's chosen charities to support during his Mayoral year are the Herts Air Ambulance and the Harpenden Seniors Club (formerly the Day Centre).



Introducing Linda Loraine

The Chamber extends a very warm welcome to Linda Loraine our new Administrator.

Linda started with us here on 20th June and is looking forward to meeting you all over the coming months at our events.

Please introduce yourself to her and let her know who you are and what you do!

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Hemel Meets St Albans Business Breakfast

Wednesday 6th July 2011
7.30am – 9.30am
The Marchmont Arms
Piccotts End
Hemel Hempstead
HP1 3AT
T. 01442 254320

Daniel Zammit

Chief Executive of Dacorum Borough Council

Daniel has kindly agreed to return to speak about business issues affecting the Hemel Hempstead area. There will be an opportunity to ask him questions

Come along to our next business breakfast and meet some new business delegates at this superb venue in Piccotts End, exchange business cards with like minded people and make some new contacts

The Breakfast has been very kindly sponsored by The Marchmont Arms enabling us to make a donation to their designated charity, the NSPCC.



£21 (plus VAT) for members, £26 (plus VAT) for non-members.

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Or email your booking to office@stalbands-chamber and we will invoice you directly

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New Members

We look forward to welcoming the following companies to the Chamber:

Hertfordshire Auctions

Auctioneers and Valuers

Porters Wood, Valley Road Industrial Estate

St Albans

Herts AL3 6PQ

Tel: 01727 846090

Email: chris.hertsauctions@btconnect.com

Web: www.hertsauctions.com

Contact: Chris Small

Position: Managing Director

Kogelo Tours

Cultural Tourism in Kenya

106 Southdown Road

Harpenden

Herts AL5 1QQ

Tel: 01582 765333

Email: tim.fox@kogelotours.org

Web: www.kogelotours.org

Contact: Tim Fox

Position: Director

NFU Mutual

Insurance Agency

St Peters House

45-49 Victoria Street

St Albans

Herts AL1 3WZ

Tel: 07530 744833

Email: john_langley@nfumutual.co.uk

Contact: John Langley

Position: Senior Agent

On Tap Plumbers Ltd

Plumbing and Heating

51 Princess Diana Drive

St Albans

Herts AL4 0DZ

Tel: 0800 316 8601

Email: info@ontaplumbers.com

Web: www.ontaplumbers.com

Contact: Anne Timpany

Position: Marketing Director

Spire Automotive Ltd

Multi-Car Franchise

Audi, VW Commercial Vehicles, Seat, Peugeot

174 Great North Road

Hatfield, Herts, AL10 0EG

Tel: 01707 277877

Email: sarah.norton@spireauctomotive.com

Web: www.m25audi.co.uk

Contact: Sarah Norton

Position: Marketing Manager

Thirdperson Ltd

Full Service Brand & Marketing Communications Agency

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28 Thrales End Farm, Thrales End

Harpenden, Herts AL5 3NS

Tel: 01582 764814

Email: timreed@thirdperson.co.uk

Web: www.thirdperson.co.uk

Contact: Tim Reed

Position: Director



The Red Door Team (l/r) Olivia Bickle-Hollingsworth, Linda Cooper, Louise Wynne, Dionne Atwill, Becky Railston, Adam Bloomfield

Red Door Recruitment held a charity race night at Bar 62 in June. Lots of Chamber members attended and helped raise £650 for local charity 'Herts Against Cancer'

The team at Red Door would like to thank everyone that attended and supported their event and also to all companies who kindly donated prizes.

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