



*1911-2011 100 Years Enjoying Racket Sports*

# *Centenary Events Brochure*

## **17-25 September 2011**





# *A message from the Club Chairman*

Dear Member,

It is a great privilege to find myself in the position of Chairman of The Parklangley Club during this the Centenary Year, which has arrived in a period when the Club is enjoying sustained success.

Thanks to the wisdom and positive action of key members at various times in our history, which gave us the freehold, added a 'new' sport of squash to the original tennis and badminton and finally, with the not inconsiderable assistance in recent years of professional management, initiated a comprehensive upgrading of the clubhouse and playing facilities, we can enjoy the wonderful club we have today.

The Parklangley Club is recognised as the premier members' racquets club in the south east of England and we have much to be proud of. The Club has, over the last 100 years, been a 'special' place for thousands of members and many of you who

have been part of the Club for a number of years will understand how special it is and how it plays such an important part in so many lives.

We have decided to concentrate our centenary celebrations over a nine day period beginning on Saturday 17th September and a special committee has been working incredibly hard to offer a whole variety of events that can be enjoyed by the whole membership.

I appeal to all our members to come and support at least one event during this period and help us to celebrate in a truly memorable way.

*I wish you a very happy centenary year along with good health and hope that you will continue to enjoy your Club and the many friendships made on and off the sport facilities, as we start the journey to another century of Parklangley history.*

Yours Sincerely,  
**Mike Kelly**



Dear Member,

Parklangley celebrates 100 years of existence this year. We are holding 16 events between Saturday 17th and Sunday 25th September 2011.

This brochure gives details of each and every event. We would like every member or Club user to come and join us in at least one event. There is something for everyone, whether it be a fun variety night celebrating the decades; enjoying jazz music with a hog roast; relaxing with the Counterfeit Beatles, or a quiz night with £1 a drink enticement!

All the sections are having their own night and we have events for all the daytime users. Children are welcome and there are some specific events for them - we have a fantastic Family Day on Sunday 25th September and a really special Junior Prom Disco for children up to 11 years old on Friday 23rd September.

All the events will take place in our luxury fitted marquee which will be on our grass courts opposite the clubhouse entrance.

Please browse through this brochure and see which events you can support. There is a separate application form accompanying this brochure which you can use to apply for tickets to any of our events. You will appreciate that there is an enormous amount of organisation involved in bringing you these events, and for this reason we do ask that you help us by returning your form to us as soon as possible and not leaving it until the last moment!

We have been planning this week for some two years and are now looking forward to celebrating our first centenary with all our members.

All the best,

Tony Beddoe  
General Manager  
Parklangley Club



## SATURDAY 17 SEPTEMBER

### EDWARDIAN TENNIS AFTERNOON

Members are invited to come and watch an exhibition tennis match as the players dress up in Edwardian clothes and play tennis with the appropriate rackets. All members are then invited to join in a game playing with the wooden rackets and can, if they wish, dress up for the occasion.

This will be followed by an Edwardian tea. Those who wish to come along for the tea only are welcome to do so.

*Open to all members.*

<b>Price</b>	£5 (for tea)
<b>Start time</b>	2.30pm
<b>Finish time</b>	Approx. 4.30pm

Anyone for tennis?



## SATURDAY 17 SEPTEMBER

### VARIETY NIGHT

Step back 100 years into the old time musical era and join us as we travel through the decades with a musical extravaganza. We will be taken through the jazz age, two world wars, swing, rock and roll and right up to the present time.

<b>Price</b>	Adults £12 Under 16s £9
<b>Dress</b>	Casual
<b>Start time</b>	7.30pm
<b>Finish time</b>	11pm

There are at least ten acts.

All members are asked to come along and support the event – be amazed and delighted at the performances of your fellow club members, cheer, clap, hoot and join in the fun.

*A cold buffet is included in the price.*

**This is a family event.**



# SUNDAY 18 SEPTEMBER

## RACKETHON

Badminton, squash and tennis members represent their section playing against other sections.

Participants play one sport out of badminton, racketball, squash, table tennis or tennis. They play their opposite numbers in the other two sections. You will play lots of matches.

Each section needs 33 players, consisting of: 12 badminton (6 pairs), 12 tennis (6 pairs), 3 racketball, 3 squash and 3 table tennis players.

*Certain restrictions apply regarding who is eligible to play their 'home' sport.*

Sections will be organising teams and will appoint captains. We will let you know who the captains are.

This is a fun and social event and all standards may enter from all sections.

*There is a ploughman's lunch included in the entry cost.*

*Adults 18+ only.*

<b>Price</b>	£10
<b>Start time</b>	11am
<b>Finish time</b>	Approximately 4pm

**BADMINTON** **TENNIS**  
**VS**  
**RACKETBALL** **VS**  
**TABLE TENNIS** **VS**  
**SQUASH** **VS**

# SUNDAY 18 SEPTEMBER

## JAZZ NIGHT WITH HOG ROAST

Bring your family down to enjoy this wonderful evening starting off with a delicious hog roast. The Hog Roast is being prepared and served by experts – have your fill and then enjoy the amazing T. J. Johnson jazz band, where you can relax and listen, or dance the evening away. [www.tjohnson.co.uk](http://www.tjohnson.co.uk)

*Price to include hog roast. For large groups we will reserve tables.*

<b>Price</b>	Adults £16 Under 16s £10
<b>Dress</b>	Casual
<b>Start time</b>	Hog Roast 6pm
<b>Finish time</b>	10.30pm





## TUESDAY 20 SEPTEMBER

### LADIES' DAY: TENNIS AND BADMINTON

Many ladies currently take part in our monthly ladies' tennis days during the summer and autumn terms. This will be a ladies' day to remember...

We will be holding a competition in both tennis and badminton. All you need is a partner.

For tennis you will apply for a gold, silver or bronze (rusty) division and it is open to full club, improvers, coaching programme players and guests.

For badminton you just need a partner, and Jason Large will organise a full tournament depending on entries. The competition will start at 9.30am and we will have a lovely lunch in the grand marquee.

*Cost includes lunch.*

<b>Price</b>	£12
<b>Start time</b>	9.30am
<b>Finish time</b>	3pm



## TUESDAY 20 SEPTEMBER

### TENNIS SECTION EVENING

This is the evening where we invite all tennis members and their guests to come and celebrate the Club's centenary with the other tennis members. This will be a truly fun evening of food and entertainment in the beautifully decorated marquee.

The evening starts with a three course cold buffet and leads into an evening of fabulous musical entertainment.

Younger members of the tennis section, along with local musical talents, will fill the marquee with

live music ranging from swing to ballads, so that you may sit and enjoy it, or dance the evening away.

*We ask that all tennis members support the evening: please do get a group together! Your table will be reserved for you.*

<b>Price</b>	£15
<b>Dress</b>	Smart but casual
<b>Start time</b>	7pm for 7.30pm
<b>Finish time</b>	11.00pm



# WEDNESDAY 21 SEPTEMBER

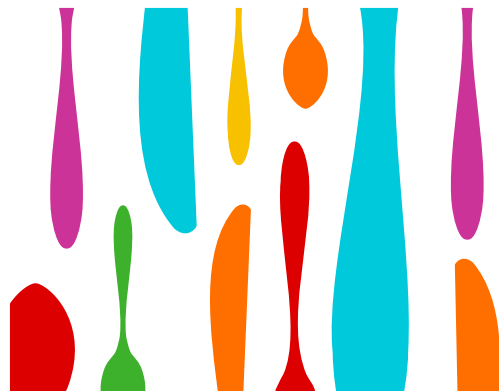
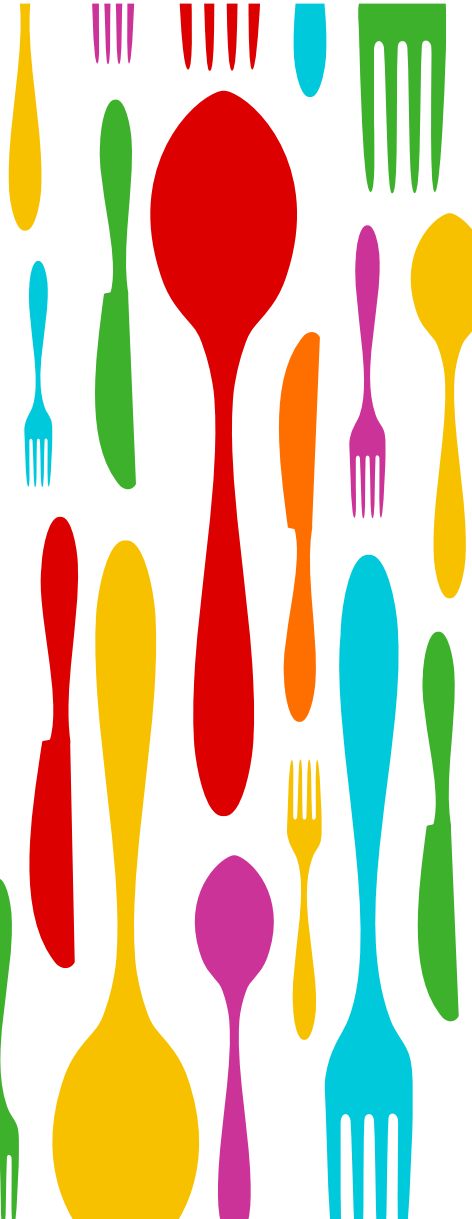
## DAYTIME GROUPS' LUNCHEON

Many members and guests play at the Club during the daytime. There are badminton groups, racketball and squash groups along with the Wednesday tennis club, and ladies' tennis groups. We want them to be part of the centenary too. We have therefore organised a three course luncheon for them all. If you wish to play sport beforehand, we will, if space permits, book out any courts for you but please get your groups together and come and celebrate. We will reserve tables for all bookings.

We hope to see you all there.

*Price includes three course hot meal.*

<b>Price</b>	£15
<b>Dress</b>	Smart
<b>Start time</b>	12.30pm for 1pm
<b>Finish time</b>	3.30pm



# WEDNESDAY 21 SEPTEMBER

## ROTARY NIGHT CENTENARY CHARITY DINNER

This night is organised by the Rotary Clubs of Beckenham, Penge and Langley Park to celebrate the Parklangley Club centenary year – many of the Rotary members are also Parklangley members. All three clubs meet weekly at the Parklangley Club and are organising a dinner with entertainment to which they would like to invite Parklangley members and their guests.

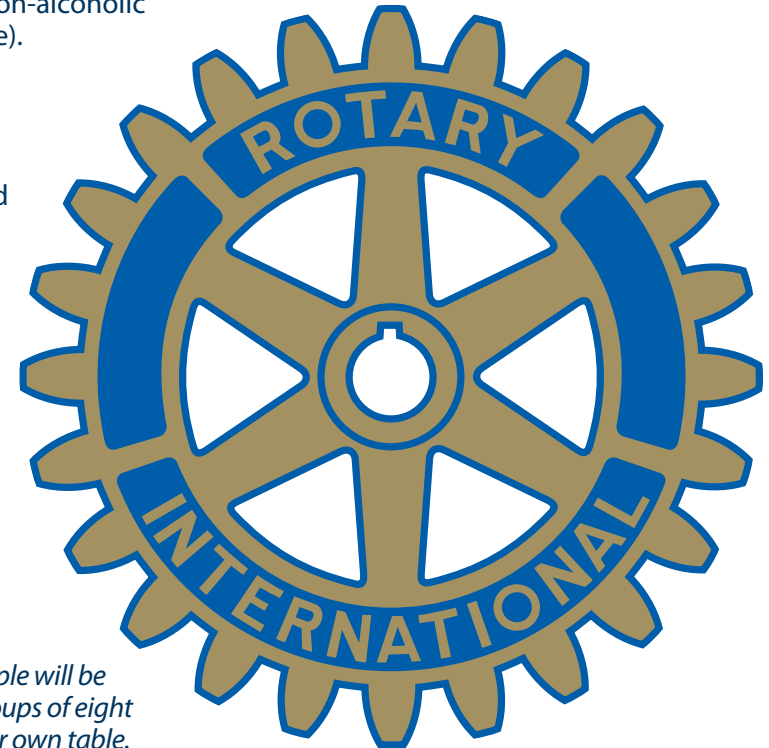
The ticket includes a three course dinner (vegetarian option available) and a 1911 cocktail on arrival (non-alcoholic version also available).

Entertainment will be provided by local comedian and script writer, Bill Relyea and local operatic tenor, Gari Glaysher, and compered by Graham Cole (PC Stamp of 'The Bill').

All profits from tonight's event go to charities and in particular, The Phoenix Children's Resource Centre in Bromley.

*Smaller groups of people will be added to tables, or groups of eight or more will be on their own table.*

<b>Price</b>	£25
<b>Dress</b>	Smart attire
<b>Start time</b>	19:11pm
<b>Finish time</b>	11.30pm



# FRIDAY 23 SEPTEMBER

## CORPORATE DAY

If your company is looking to organise a day out for a department or the whole workforce, then we have the ideal day for you.

- 9.30am** Start off with tea/coffee and croissants
- 10am** Approximately an hour's coaching in tennis, badminton, racket ball, aerobics or pilates
- 11am** Tea/coffee and biscuits
- 11.20pm** A further hour's coaching
- 12.20pm** Recovery at the bar
- 12.40pm** Three course cold luncheon in the grand marquee
- 2pm** Choice of tournaments to cater for all abilities
- 3.45pm** Retire to showers/sauna/steam room
- 4pm** Stagger to bar for refreshments and to relive the bad shots

### Optional extras

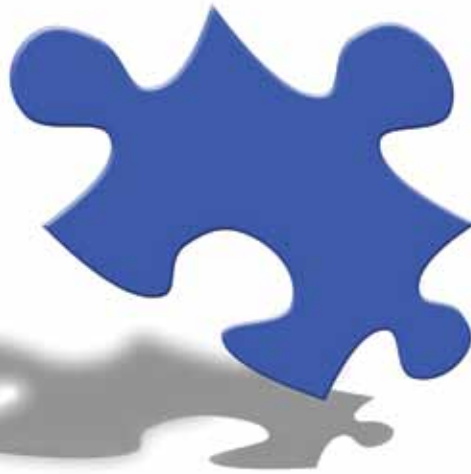
- Wine on the table at lunch
- Cream tea to finish
- Company bar tab
- Use of meeting rooms (free)

We are looking to cater for approximately 100 people in total, from a number of companies.

*It is designed to be a completely fun and energetic day – and standard does not matter!*

So, if you are a company of four or 40 and you would like to know more, please enquire and we will go through the details of the day to tailor it to your specific needs.

<b>Price</b>	£40-£50 per person (various packages)
<b>Dress</b>	Casual & sports wear
<b>Start time</b>	9.30am
<b>Finish time</b>	Bar closes midnight!



# FRIDAY 23 SEPTEMBER

## JUNIOR PROM DISCO

This great disco in the grand marquee is suited to children six to twelve years old.

**This is a brilliant opportunity to dress-up and feel like a superstar for the evening.**

You'll be dancing to the tunes of all your favourite pop idols. The event will definitely have the 'wow' factor.

Our staff ratio will be excellent and the event is being organised by Pam and her team of party and holiday leaders.

*Cost includes food and soft drinks.*

<b>Price</b>	£8
<b>Dress</b>	To impress
<b>Doors open</b>	5pm
<b>Disco</b>	5.30-7.30pm



## FRIDAY 23 SEPTEMBER

### QUIZ NIGHT & £1 DRINK NIGHT

A night to pit your wits in a mammoth club quiz.

All you need to do is to get together a group of people – maximum eight, no more! Then just answer all the questions as they come firing out – it's as easy as that!

Your thought processes will be helped as we serve pints of beer, glasses of wine, spirits and mixers, and all soft drinks for £1 a drink. £1 bar prices start at 8pm in the marquee only, and end at 11.30pm.

The quiz will include music, sport and general knowledge questions and, of course, there will be loads of prizes!

The ticket price includes your food for the night – chicken curry or beef stroganoff, and a vegetarian option. This will be served during a break in proceedings.

*Quiz starts at 8.30pm.*

<b>Price</b>	£10
<b>Dress</b>	Casual
<b>Start time</b>	8pm
<b>Finish time</b>	Approx. 11.30pm

## SATURDAY 24 SEPTEMBER

### THE CENTENARY BALL

500 people will be celebrating the Club's 100 years of existence at this magnificent event. There are 50 tables and we start with reception drinks before moving into the luxurious marquee. Here you will be served a delicious four course meal with a hot main course. Wine is included in the price.

Dancing will be to Beat Connection, [www.beatconnectionband.com](http://www.beatconnectionband.com)

*There will be this and much much more for our guests to experience on this magical evening.*

<b>Price</b>	£65/£68 per dinner
<b>Dress</b>	Lounge suits/ black tie
<b>Start time</b>	7pm for 7.30pm
<b>Finish time</b>	2am

**SOLD OUT**



Beat Connection

# SUNDAY 25 SEPTEMBER

## FAMILY DAY

This is the event that involves the whole family from age one to 101.

There are so many things to do and see – come rain or shine, you will be kept busy and entertained all day long.

Experience big rides such as Gladiators, assault course, Wild Rodeo Bull, bungee running, and mega slides.

Many smaller attractions will be available such as Battak, skittle runs, giant Jengas, fastest serve, and soooooooo much more!

It is fantastic value and you are guaranteed a wonderful time!

Food consists of BBQ and cold buffet.

Your ticket price includes all food and all activities. Only extras are drinks and ice creams.

<b>Price</b>	Adult £13 Child 4-17 £10 Child 2-4 £6 Child U2 FREE Grandparent £10 Family 2A + 1C £33 Family 2A + 2C £40 Family 2A + 3C £47
<b>Dress</b>	As casual as you like!
<b>Start time</b>	11am
<b>Finish time</b>	4.30pm



# SUNDAY 25 SEPTEMBER

## THE COUNTERFEIT BEATLES

We finish our nine days of celebrations with an amazing band that will be popular with everyone: The Counterfeit Beatles were formed in 1997 and are now recognised as one of the finest Beatle tribute bands in Europe.

Come and rock the evening away, dance the night away or just sit and enjoy.

Groups of six or more can book a table. Please book early as we are expecting this event to sell out quickly

Food will be available to purchase on the night.

<b>Price</b>	£10 per ticket or £80 for a table of 10
<b>Dress</b>	Casual
<b>Start time</b>	7.30pm
<b>Finish time</b>	11.30pm



The Counterfeit Beatles

<b>DATE</b>	<b>EVENT</b>	<b>FOOD</b>	<b>START TIME</b>	<b>END TIME</b>	<b>COST</b>	<b>PAGE</b>
SATURDAY 17 SEPTEMBER	<b>EDWARDIAN TENNIS AFTERNOON</b>	Edwardian tea	2.30pm	4.30pm	£5	<b>P4</b>
SATURDAY 17 SEPTEMBER	<b>VARIETY NIGHT</b>	Cold buffet	7.30pm	11pm	A£12/UT6£9	<b>P5</b>
SUNDAY 18 SEPTEMBER	<b>RACKETHON</b>	Cold buffet	11am	4pm	£10	<b>P6</b>
SUNDAY 18 SEPTEMBER	<b>JAZZ NIGHT WITH HOG ROAST</b>	Hog roast	6pm	10.30pm	A£16/UT6£10	<b>P7</b>
MONDAY 19 SEPTEMBER	<b>PAST MEMBERS' LUNCHEON</b>	3 course hot meal	12noon	3.30pm	£15	<b>P8</b>
MONDAY 19 SEPTEMBER	<b>SQUASH AND BADMINTON EVENING</b>	3 course buffet	7pm	11.30pm	£20	<b>P9</b>
TUESDAY 20 SEPTEMBER	<b>LADIES' DAY: TENNIS AND BADMINTON</b>	Buffet lunch	9.30am	3pm	£12	<b>P10</b>
TUESDAY 20 SEPTEMBER	<b>TENNIS SECTION EVENING</b>	3 course buffet	7pm	11pm	£15	<b>P11</b>
WEDNESDAY 21 SEPTEMBER	<b>DAYTIME GROUPS' LUNCHEON</b>	3 course lunch	12.30pm	3.30pm	£15	<b>P12</b>
WEDNESDAY 21 SEPTEMBER	<b>ROTARY NIGHT CENTENARY CHARITY DINNER</b>	3 course dinner	19.11pm	11.30pm	£25	<b>P13</b>
THURSDAY 22 SEPTEMBER	<b>REST DAY</b>					
FRIDAY 23 SEPTEMBER	<b>CORPORATE DAY</b>	3 course lunch	9.30am	4pm	£40/£50	<b>P14</b>
FRIDAY 23 SEPTEMBER	<b>JUNIOR PROM DISCO</b>	Party food	5pm	7.30pm	£8	<b>P15</b>
FRIDAY 23 SEPTEMBER	<b>QUIZ NIGHT &amp; £1 A DRINK NIGHT</b>	Hot food	8pm	11.30pm	£10	<b>P16</b>
SATURDAY 24 SEPTEMBER	<b>THE CENTENARY BALL</b>	4 course meal	7pm	2am	£65/£68	<b>P17</b>
SUNDAY 25 SEPTEMBER	<b>FAMILY DAY</b>	Unlimited buffet & BBQ	11am	4.30pm	Varied	<b>P18</b>
SUNDAY 25 SEPTEMBER	<b>THE COUNTERFEIT BEATLES</b>	Food available for purchase	7.30pm	11.30pm	£10/£80 table of 10	<b>P19</b>