

## Hillary Holt \_ Yorkshire Ridings Society.

Hillary lived in Fenwick, Nr. Doncaster with her husband Colin. Colin who was secretary of The Yorkshire Ridings Society. Colin died in 2006 and Hillary took over from him.

Hillary was a teacher and an intellectual. Both Hillary and Colin were passionate about the Yorkshire Ridings and also about Fenwick they loaned money to build a new village hall.

Hillary originated from Oxford but became a true friend to YRS.

Hillary and Colin could always be seen at Saddleworth Yorkshire Day carrying the YRS Flag.

Hillary was a genuine lovely person and will be sadly missed by all at SWRS Society and Yorkshire Day Group.

## Yorkshire Day 2012

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We marched with the band we followed the Yorkshire Flag , we bought cakes, we bought duck race tickets, we nearly drowned racing them down the river. Some went off to Mosley and the Sea we nearly went with them. We ate home made chocolate and home made ice cream. We danced, we carved wood, we drank

homemade beer, we laughed and had a fantastic Yorkshire Day as usual.

Mrs. B. Cockayne Yorkshire Day Group.

## Pro-Coach Yorkshire.

Mark Gilliver of Yorkshire County Cricket Club will be coaching students at Saddleworth School.

There will be three 2hr. sessions , Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> November, Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> November and Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> December.

Mark Gulliver played in the Bradford League. He was an excellent Batsman and scored many runs for Windhill and Undercliffe. The coaching will be 8.45am – 10.45am.

Mark works for Pro-Coach Yorkshire who are based at Hedingley, home of Yorkshire CCC.

The funding is from three sources, the Corridor of Uncertainty (a Yorkshire Supporters Message Board) Saddleworth White Rose Society and The Yorkshire Ridings Society. It is hoped to make this an annual event.

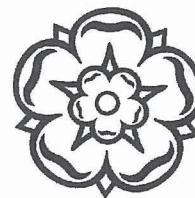
Further information can be obtained from Mr. Garry Melling at Saddleworth School. (

## FoRL

Our best wishes go to Friends of Real Lancashire for the coming celebrations throughout their County on Lancashire Day 27<sup>th</sup> Nov. 2012-10-31

## SWRS AGM

**The AGM will be held on 27<sup>th</sup> Nov.2012 at 8pm Upstairs at the Uppermill Conservative Club .Potato Pie and Cheese and onion pie .will be available at £5.00 their will be a speaker.**



# Saddleworth White Rose Society

In the County of York

News Letter55,

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Collection for the Brook Once again the girls from Husteads Riding School, Dobcross did a brilliant job, parading Cocanut the now retired jenny donkey from Husteads around the field collecting donations from an as usual generous public for "The Brook" equine animal hospital which does a marvellous job providing medication, care and training in third world countries where there is a serious lack of knowledge about animal welfare. This year despite the weather they collected a very much appreciated £59.56p plus a further £22.43p .from the collecting box at Brenda's Flower Shop in the Square, Uppermill.



Photo courtesy of the Saddleworth Independent Newspaper.

## Presentation of True County Map to

### Saddleworth School

On Jul 2012 a mounted wall map was presented to Saddleworth School by SWRS and was accepted on behalf of the school by Mr M Milburn the head teacher. The map produced by Quadhurst shows the true county boundaries of every county in Great Britain and Northern Ireland, which, were contrary to popular belief, not changed, moved or altered in 1974 in any way whatsoever.. The boundaries which were created that year were solely for administration purposes. Confusingly, for some these admin areas were called counties

It is intended that the pupils of Saddleworth School will benefit from these maps which clearly illustrate the true location of Saddleworth, which is of course, Yorkshire. Friends of Real Lancashire with whom we work very closely have presented copies of these maps to many libraries throughout their county and are helping with the funding of the county boundary signs displaying the Lancashire-Yorkshire boundary around Saddleworth. Mr Mildurn was also presented with a Saddleworth necktie by the chairman Mr Geoff Bayley and Mr Michael Hall vice chairman respectively of the White Rose Society.

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Many children enjoyed the bouncy castle.



Procession from Saddleworth museum to King George V playing fields.



Hog roast provided by Mr Hirst Woodfarm Delph.



The National Trust stand.



Homemade stall provided by Yorkshire day group.



RSPB display stand.



Huddersfield and district rabbit fanciers association. Put on a popular display which attracted a lot of people.



Donkey rides provided by Saddleworth Llama Trekking.



A Jowett Javelin car owned by Cllr. Brian Lord and a Bradford by Jowett van. These vehicles were built in Yorkshire.



Councillor John Hudson deputy mayor of the joint borough council, Mrs Cathleen Hudson, Councillor Brian Lord chairman of Saddleworth council and Councillor Mrs Pat Lord.



Miss Doreen Ainscough representative of our close allies from FoRL.



Dancers from Brenda Goddard School of Dancing. Added some colour to the event.