



## BROWNIES' 75 YEARS

Who would think that any of these smiling brownies is 75 years old? In fact if you add up all their ages, you get 117 years.

They have every reason to be pleased with themselves, as they display some of the arts and crafts made at a huge brownie celebration held on 2 July. It was a day full of fun with dancing, aerobics, a visit to the RAF museum, games, puzzles, sweets and biscuits making and of course the artifacts in the picture. This group shows some of the 1500

brownies who had fun and made new friends at Hendon Aerodrome.

A week later, the brownies from the 3rd Hampstead Garden Suburb St. Jude's pack sailed to the Thames Barrier in the company of the tall ships starting their last race on the Thames.

Their busy end of term included a concert with other brownies and guides from the district where they put on a play called "Blackbird Pie".

After all this, we all deserve a rest during the Summer holiday...

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## CONSTABLE CLOGGIES AGAIN

The twenty-three strong, fast expanding team of Hampstead Garden Suburb joggers led by Ruth Jacobs of Constable Close entered 3 teams in the Sunday Times National Fun Run in September. It is their 5th year and all of the runners improved on their personal best times as it was a fine, sunny day and a very fast course. Vanessa Newton, age 10.

of Constable Close came 6th in her field of 645 girls with a time of 7.50 minutes over 2 kilometers. Vanessa's brother Shane Snow was 10th in his field of 936 men (age 19-23) with a time of 12.30 minutes over 4 kilometers. Team members not seen in the photograph are Michael Jacobs, Otto Kellesman, Paul de Keyser and Neil Aitken.

Standing from the left: Shane Snow, Elizabeth Watkins, Ruth Jacobs, Mark Watkins, Darrel Ponniah, John Rochman. Kneeling from the left: Jason Sirelitz, Michael Sirelitz, Guy Sirelitz, Elizabeth Ponniah, Rupert Watkins. Sitting from the left: Jeremy Smadja, Laura Watkins, Lucy Michaels, Peter Michaels, Ben Jacobs, Alex Jacobs, Vanessa Newton, Andy Jackson, Dominic Ponniah, Hugh Watkins.

## HGS JUNIOR TRIUMPH

The Garden Suburb School's fourth year put on a remarkable performance in July in the shape of an entertainment entitled "Some Other Time".

A cast of thousands, actually about 100, took their enchanted audience on a voyage through history with energy, verve and lots of talent that kept up the momentum throughout the show.



Time traveller, Lucy Handley.



## FAMILY HOLIDAY ASSOCIATION

Fete on The Square - Could you spare some storage space, room or garage, where stock for the fete could be stored. Proceeds from the Fete help families at the end of their tether get away for a week's break.

Please ring 455-1777



Queen Victoria, Samantha Cox and her butler Patrick Johnstone.

## WORDSEARCH WINNER

Congratulations to Ben Jacobs of Constable Close who won the summer wordsearch competition. Ben, age 13, loves travelling and geography and was able to tackle the competition on South and Central America in spite of a printing error! Ben, a previous wordsearch winner, is now a pupil of St. Paul's School. His favourite subjects are art, science and French. He also likes to cycle, run, swim, read and play rugby. He loves loud pop music (preferably Guns 'n Roses and Transvision Vamp), and his present goal is to learn to scuba dive. His long term goal is to be a barrister or solicitor. With his £10

Book Token, Ben plans to buy a travel guide to Egypt and the Sorceress of Darshiva by Paul Eddings.

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## WORDSEARCH COMPETITION

TEST YOUR KNOWLEDGE OF THE PLANETS

Find and ring the names of the 9 planets of the solar system hidden in the box of letters. They may read forwards, backwards, up, down and diagonally.

A	K	B	L	C	M	D	N	E	O	S	P	F	Q	G
J	P	A	G	A	K	S	G	L	A	T	V	I	S	X
D	L	T	B	H	R	B	H	T	J	K	J	O	U	H
I	U	O	P	A	J	L	U	I	F	K	W	W	N	X
C	T	R	M	N	C	R	C	C	L	E	V	P	A	I
H	O	D	E	O	N	D	R	M	D	E	X	V	R	Y
B	Y	F	N	H	Q	B	N	A	A	E	M	Q	U	J
G	S	M	G	P	T	O	S	R	I	J	Y	U	R	Z
E	X	U	B	W	P	U	T	H	E	K	N	R	S	K
N	F	A	N	Q	V	H	F	G	L	F	Z	T	S	A
U	W	Q	R	E	U	S	E	S	M	K	H	J	I	L
T	E	P	C	T	V	T	D	O	R	N	L	G	T	B
P	F	G	S	H	U	Y	R	U	C	R	E	M	I	M
E	A	R	Z	E	Y	D	X	C	W	B	V	A	U	C
N	Q	P	F	O	E	N	D	R	E	T	I	P	U	J

If you are under 15 on the 5th December, you may list the answers on a postcard with your name, age, address and telephone number and post to: 35 Wildwood Road. The first correct entry drawn on the closing date 5.12.89, will receive a £10 Book Token. To help you on your way, we have given you the first answer. Happy Hunting.

## Hendon School 75 Too

The old school . . .

Hendon School is entering its 75th year this term and throughout the academic year it will be organising a number of events by way of a celebration. The school is keen to reach as many old pupils as possible to invite them back for the festivities. Many Suburb residents have attended the school so if you are an old pupil, or have names and addresses of past pupils, please pass the information to the school office, Hendon School, Golders Rise, NW4, to help make a memorable anniversary truly successful.

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In a very real sense Hendon is also a new school. Under the 1988 Education Reform Act schools were given the opportunity to opt-out of local authority control by achieving grant maintained status.

A vote of parents gave massive support for this and Hendon duly became the first school in London to be awarded grant maintained status so, from September 1989, Hendon is a grant maintained school - a new school, in fact.

Since Hendon is the choice of so many suburb parents who want co-educational secondary education for their children it is worth explaining just what this means, since there is still confusion about GMS schools.

i) It will continue to provide

FREE comprehensive state education for boys and girls aged 11-18. There are no fees.

ii) It will be financed by a grant from the Department of Education and Science instead of the Local Authority.

iii) The head teacher and governors will have total responsibility for the educational and financial management of the school, free from Local Authority control but accountable to the Secretary of State. Parents will therefore know precisely who is responsible for the running of all aspects of the school.

Invitations to suburb residents

The school is therefore in a position to extend two invitations to Suburb residents.

- As a new school it extends an invitation to parents seeking a secondary school for their children to ring the school office (202 9004) for a brochure or to arrange a mutually convenient time to visit the school when it can best be seen - during a normal school day.

- As a 75 year old school it wishes to welcome back as many old pupils as possible to join the festivities.

If either or both of these invitations apply to you you can be assured of a cordial welcome.

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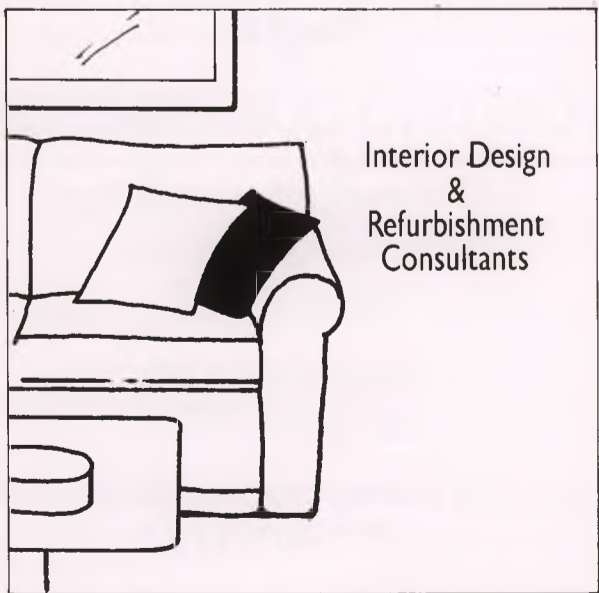
## Having truly established ourselves in Hampstead Garden Suburb . . .

. . . we feel that we can say we know how you like to be treated. That is why our Hampstead Garden Suburb Staff are patient and prepared to spend as much time and effort as is necessary to find your exact requirements - whether it takes one week or one year.

If you are looking for a home - come in and let us prove that we are the Property Professionals.



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