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## Photography Competition!

**Categories:** – Landscape, Portrait, Animal and Sunset/Sunrise.

**Prizes:** £50 Love2shop voucher for the first in each category, £25 Love2shop voucher for the runner-up in each category and £50 Love2shop voucher for the overall winner.

**Rules:** Up to three entries for each category will be accepted and it **must be your own work**. Please don't enter photographs that you have entered in previous HASSRA competitions. Entries will only be accepted from HASSRA South East members.

Give your name, office and HASSRA Live membership number when emailing your entries.. State which category you wish to enter each photo in and give each photo a title e.g. 'Landscape – Broadstairs sea front'. Winners will be notified by email. Send your photographs to me, Maggie, by clicking **HERE**. The competition closes midnight, Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> October.



## Male and female Cricketers wanted!



HASSRA South East are now looking for male and female Cricketers to take part in the annual Inter Association Mixed Indoor Cricket competition taking place at Willows Sports Centre, Derby on 1<sup>st</sup> November 2025.

Please send expressions of interest to Dave by [clicking here](#) if you would like to attend.

## Fantasy Football 2025/2026

The two HASSRA South East leagues running on the Sun site this year — 'HASSRA SOUTH EAST' and 'Hassra South East Fantasy Foot' - have been combined to create the league shown on the HASSRA SE webpage **'Fantasy Football'**.



This is the league we shall be using to determine the winners at the end.

This may mean that you could end the season in a winning place on one of the two original leagues but could slip down the ranking once they are combined, so please view the league on the **HASSRA South East 'Fantasy Football' webpage** to see where your 'real' position is in regards to our competition.

The regional committee's decision on the ultimate winners will be final.

I will try to update the SE version of our league that we will use to determine the final winners on a regular basis at the end of game weeks but please have patience if they are missed at any time.

Maggie



## Bowls Singles 2025

For photos and report of the recent Bowls matches:

[Click here](#)

## Karting Taster Day

See how well our latest taster day went by [clicking here](#) and scrolling down below the bowls report!



## Back from the past...

You may remember that in earlier newsletters we asked members to send in items, or photos of items, from HASSRA's past. Here are just a few of the things we were sent. Have you got any old HASSRA items you'd like to share with us? If so, please send your photos to [Maggie](#).

### The Ultimate Challenge



HASSRA South East's logo on the front of their team shirts at the final Special Event in 2012

### Viva Las Vegas!



The organisers team shirts at HASSRA South East's Special Event in 2010.

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The team shirt's worn by the Wales team at the Viva Las Vegas Special Event 2010.



## Cirque du Soleil Ovo

At the Albert Hall on 21st January at 19.30

£63 HASSRA members

£74 non HASSRA

Payment by 1st October. Contact Julie by clicking [HERE](#).

## Oliver!

A few tickets are still available!

At The Gielgud Theatre, London on Friday 3th December at 19:30.

£50 HASSRA members

£60 non HASSRA

Payment by 1st October. Contact Julie by clicking [HERE](#).



## South East Spotlight: Shine Bright With HASSRA!

We know our members are doing incredible things — and it's time to celebrate them!

**South East Spotlight** is your new space in our monthly newsletter where we showcase the amazing achievements of our community. Whether you've:

- Won a photography award
- Published a novel
- Run the entire length of Africa
- Exhibited your artwork
- Spoken at a major event
- Made a difference in your local community

...we want to hear about it!

This is your moment to inspire, connect, and be recognised. Every month, we'll feature one or more members and share their stories with the wider network.

### How to Get Featured

Just drop the editor an email by [clicking here](#) with a short description of your achievement, a photo if you have one, and why it matters to you. We'll take care of the rest!

Let's celebrate the brilliance in our region — one story at a time

**You bring the spotlight - we'll make sure it shines!**

## National News

**Recruitment** : Some very good news for the last quarter which recorded 555 new members, the highest since 2014. Plus there were far fewer leavers which augurs well for our continued quest to boost membership.



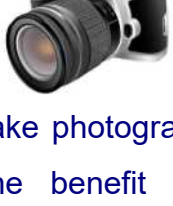
**Membership Benefits** : We have managed to get Yorkshire Hand Made Pies on board! They make a wide variety of delicious pies and deliver to your door. HASSRA has obtained a 20% discount on all orders. ( not sure how this fits in with Wellbeing!)

**September Festival** : looming large with an expected 650 attendees - the biggest ever. In view of the high attendance, different meal arrangements are being tried with food vans with a variety of international goodies being served on the Piazza. Everyone will get vouchers for a meal and a dessert.

## Online SEView Bulletin



### Disclaimer



Please note that it is normal practice for us to take photographs at HASSRA events for the benefit of others, so unless an individual specifically requests that their photograph does not appear anywhere it will be assumed that there is no objection.

### Useful Links

[Useful South East HASSRA links](#)

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**[Maggie Smith \(Editor\)](#)**