



## Newsletter June 2009

**Keynsham Town Council Grant.** We are awaiting the result of our application for a grant to set up a website. If successful, this would enable us to reach a wider public. The design work would be put out to tender.

**Exchanges** between school children have declined so that, apart from the annual visit by wine students, the main focus of our twinning has become the group visits between members and their counterparts in Libourne. We are embarking on a plan to encourage links and maybe exchanges between members of clubs in our two towns. We know what exists in Keynsham and will be asking for help to identify groups in Libourne. If any interest is shown, the Committee will act as a facilitator, providing language support if necessary. Maybe in the future, we will see golfers or bridge players enjoying their hobbies, as well as the way of life, on the other side of the Channel.

**Steve Drew** is no longer able to take an active part in the Association, owing to work and other commitments. We thank him for his contributions in the past and hope to still see him at social events.

**Le Résistant.** Stephen Rodgers, the Editor of 'Week in ...', donates old issues of the Libourne local paper to us. If you would like to be on the circulation list, contact a Committee Member.

**Wine Students' Visit.** Another successful visit, with the customary Wine Tasting Evening run jointly with Friends of Wellsway, took place in May. Thanks to Nicki Jefferis for organising accommodation.

**'Keep it Keynsham'** was postponed, owing to blustery weather. Undaunted, we set up our colourful stall in a sheltered spot in front of a disused shop. Several members were there to answer questions about the Association and there was a competition to 'Guess the distance from Keynsham to Libourne'.

### SOCIAL EVENTS

Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> July 12.30

**BBQ**



Tickets £6



Bring your own drink

Please fill in form overleaf. **Deadline 18th July**



17<sup>th</sup> July 10.30

**Coffee Morning**

Friday September 4<sup>th</sup> from 7pm  
Pétanque at The Bird in Hand, Saltford.

