

# The Newsletter's

## **NEWSLETTER No.1**

***Appeared in June 1988***

The Editor was Philomena Kennedy.

The Editorial reported that the first meeting of the Dover Society took place on 25th April 1988. The Countess of Guildford was President and the Vice Presidents were: Mr. 'Budge' Adams, Lord Ennals, Mr. Jack Ind, Mr. Ivan Green, Mr. Peter Johnson, Miss Lilian Kay, Mr. Jonathan Sloggett and Mr. Ray Warner.

Mr. Jack Woolford was Chairman and Mr. John Gerrard was Vice-Chairman; Mr. Barry Smith, Secretary; Mr. Norman Willis, Treasurer; Mrs. Sybil Standing, Press Secretary; Mrs. Linda Clackett, Social Secretary.

By June 1988 there were 110 members. The first public meeting was held on Monday 27th June at the Methodist Church Hall on the subject of 'The Improvement of Dover'.

The first Newsletter was produced on A4 sheets and consisted of 10 pages. Newsletters 1-7 were all in this A4 format, gradually increasing in size until No.7 ran to 40 pages.

## **NEWSLETTER No.8**

***Appeared in September 1990***

This was the first to appear in the new format, as it is today, and was printed by Adams and Sons Ltd. The editorial thanked 'Budge' Adams for his time and invaluable skill in its production.

Philomena Kennedy continued as Editor for another two issues, No.9 and No.10, working with 'Budge' Adams as her page-setter and producer.

## **NEWSLETTER No.11**

***Appeared in September 1991***

This was the first with Merrill Lilley as Editor, working with 'Budge' as page-setter and producer, as before. 'Budge' gave up his job as page-setter with issue 30, in December 1997, but continued to give his support as a consultant until his death in December 2000. The cover picture for No.11 was Philomena's drawing of the restored facade of the Market Hall as the new museum and the first article described the opening of the White Cliffs Experience by H.R.H. The Princess Royal on 1st May 1991.

## **NEWSLETTER No.50**

***August 2004***

This my 40th Newsletter as Editor and I would like to take this opportunity of thanking all those who have helped and supported me through the last thirteen years, specially May Jones and Pam Taylor, my two excellent proof readers.

*Editor*