



Four Join Woking

Woking Circle's January meeting saw the enrolment of three new brothers to the Association.

In December 2009 they had the privilege of enrolling Colin Kemp, so with four new brothers, the Circle is now the largest that it has ever been.

Mike and Sophia Meredith have just added a son, Alfred William, to their family. Ian White, the resourceful Membership Officer, has already added Alfie to his list of future Visiting Gentlemen!



Pictured is new member Colin Kemp with Provincial President Noel Brownsell who is proudly wearing his Woking Catenian tie

Pictured left to right: Chris Richards, Provincial Membership Officer; new brothers Alan Finlay, Mike Meredith and Tony Vassell; Joe Dunne, President of Woking



Hello James



Pictured at the Royal Automobile Club, Epsom, where **Sutton Mid Surrey Circle** had their Christmas Dinner is newest member James Linus (retired Headmaster) on right and Membership Officer Dennis Hopkin.

There is promise of two more members early this year.

Three for City of Lincoln

Three new members of **City of Lincoln Circle** were enrolled at the Meeting on 19th January.

Pictured after the ceremony are (left to right): Provincial President, Province 3(S) Graham Green; President of Lincoln Circle Lorcan O'Melia; Andrew Bury; Philip Holme and Stuart Collingham. Philip and Stuart are new to the Association, but Andrew is already a member of Nottingham 20 Circle and a joint member of four other Circles and one Group in Provinces 15 and 16, making City of Lincoln Circle his seventh.



Aberdeen's Welcome Addition

At the January meeting, Aberdeen Circle President Steve Stuart was pleased to enrol Ian McAvinchey into the Circle. Ian hails from Armagh, Northern Ireland and is Emeritus Professor of Statistics, University of Aberdeen; a welcome enhancement of Circle's numbers.

President Steve Stuart, right, congratulates Ian McAvinchey on his enrolment



Magical Catenians!

Sunday afternoon 3rd December 2009 saw a new venture for **Sutton Coldfield Circle**, an attempt to show that Catenians can give something to their parish by way giving the opportunity for parents to bring along their 'younger' children for what was billed 'A Children's Magic Party'.

The event took place at Holy Trinity Church Hall with all the necessary sticky cakes, etc on offer to ensure a fun afternoon. There had been promotional appearances by eminent brothers of the Circle made from the pulpit a few Sundays before, informing the people of the parish exactly what was a Catenian and also if they would like to provide the children.

The show ended with the magician bending balloons into a variety of animal shapes. The children finally left with 'goody' bags and big smiles. It is hoped that the event gave an insight into the Association with the possibility of attracting future members.

Weybridge Welcome Richard

Richard Loake, centre, is pictured having been enrolled into

Weybridge Circle and receiving his scroll from Grand President Elect Vernon de Cruz, Woking Circle, in the presence of Tim Simpson President of Weybridge.

