





# DRAKE HOUSE CLUB

Run by The Wimbledon Guild, 30-32 Worple Road, SW19 4EF

PROGRAMME: JULY 2010

Date	Speaker	Subject
1 <sup>st</sup> July 2010	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Norman Plastow</b></p> 	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Air Chief Marshall Lord Dowding</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">A resident in Wimbledon, he was Chief of Fighter Command during the Battle of Britain.</p> <p>It was thanks to his strategies that we survived the attack of a much larger air force and avoided a planned invasion but he was given very little credit for his achievements. Even the blue plaque on his house at St. Mary's Road has now been removed by a developer.</p>
8 <sup>th</sup> July 2010	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>I-Chen Tsai</b></p> 	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>The Performing Arts in Taiwan</b></p> <p>I-Chen takes a look at the performing arts in Taiwan ranging from Chinese opera, contemporary dances to puppet shows.</p>
15 <sup>th</sup> July 2010	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Vicky Pombo</b></p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Direct Payments by Merton Community Care services</b></p> <p>In which money payments are given to people to purchase their own care services instead of having them arranged by Merton Community Care services.</p>
22 <sup>nd</sup> July 2010	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Joe Madeira</b></p> 	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>The Old Sweet Shop</b></p> <p>An artist, designer and photographer, Joe Madeira talks about his work on the use of light sources and various projects on advertising, technology and media.</p>
29 <sup>th</sup> July 2010	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Ros and Michael Berg</b></p> 	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Punch and Judy</b></p> <p>Due to popular demand, Ros and Michael Berg return for an encore on the tumultuous lives of Punch and Judy.</p>

THURSDAYS IN DRAKE HOUSE, ST GEORGE'S ROAD, 2.00 – 3.30PM

£2.50 entrance includes refreshments and raffle

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