

HM Waterguard - Web Site Newsletter - March 2011

Hi Everyone

I have closed down the 'Pictures-WTC Instructors' page and all the 'Pictures-WTC Course & Class Photos' pages and replaced them with new pages - 'Waterguard Training Centre Course & Group Photographs' and a 'Pictures-WTC Instructors Page', which includes some images from the Waterguard Workshop Page.

These new pages can be accessed via the 'Training' menu option and are arranged yearly as before BUT the images are now nearly twice as big allowing easier identification of the officers shown.

Please take a fresh look at the images on these new pages, and on the Waterguard Workshop Page, to see if you can identify any of the faces that I have been unable to.

Since the last Waterguard Web Site Newsletter the following pages have received some attention:

Anecdotes-Aberdeen Page, Anecdotes-Cardiff Page & Anecdotes-Dover Page :: EP Edits

Credits Page :: Has been updated

Customs & Excise Signage Page :: EP Edits

History-Snippets Page :: additional text :: The Battle of Mundeford - 1784.

Home (index) Page :: amended text :: EP Edits and an update of the 'Index' section following the replacement of the 'Pictures-WTC Instructors' and 'Pictures-WTC Course & Class Photos' pages with the new 'Waterguard Training Centre Course & Group Photographs' and 'Pictures-WTC Instructors' pages.

Offices & Buildings-England Page :: additional text & image :: 10 Bridge Street, once containing the offices of J Jeans, and in effect Christchurch's Custom House at the time of the Battle of Mundeford in 1784.

Offices & Buildings-Ireland Page & Pay & Conditions Page :: EP Edits

People-Awarded Honours Page :: additional text :: Edwin Phillip Wethingstall, Waterguard Superintendent - Second Class, was awarded an MBE on 23 June 1941 and Ron Sanders was awarded the ISO in the 2002 New Years Honours. Thanks to Eric Preedy's visits to Kew.

People-Colleagues - CVs (A-D) Page :: additional text :: EP Edits & Alan Doyle has supplied his Waterguard CV

People-Colleagues - CVs (E-H) Page :: additional text & image :: EP Edits and Alan Guinn's details and photo have been added thanks to Brian Searle.

People-Colleagues - CVs (I-L) Page :: additional text :: Barry Irwin has supplied his Waterguard CV

People-Colleagues - CVs (M-P) Page :: EP Edits

People-Colleagues - CVs (Q-T) Page :: additional text :: EP Edits and Ron Sanders details have been added thanks to Eric Preedy.

People-Colleagues in Harms Way Page :: additional text :: EP Edits and on January 1962 Arthur A Wiltshire fell into the quay, and there was mention of litigation, so it may well have been an accident due to negligence. James V Welsby, Preventive Officer, Liverpool, disappeared when he fell off the ladder of the MV Parthia into the river on October 23 1965. Both thanks to Eric Preedy

People-Sports & Pastimes Page :: additional section & text :: Arthur Harold has prompted a new section - 'Syndicates'.

Pictures-Groups-London Airports Page :: EP Edits

Pictures-Sports & Pastimes Page :: EP Edits

Recent Additions Page :: Has been updated.

Recruitment Page :: additional text & PDF :: A list of APO appointments 1941-1972 in alphabetical order compiled by Eric Preedy.

Stationery & Stores-Date Stamps - The Outdoor Service Page :: additional image :: Two new images - Queens Warehouse, London Port and The Deputy Chief Investigation Officer, both circa 1955, thanks to Eric Preedy's visits to Kew.

The Work-Coast Preventive Force Page & The Work-Office Administration Page :: EP Edits

NB. The following 'Training-WTC Course & Group Photographs' pages have been renamed - they were originally 'Pictures-WTC Course & Class Photos' pages.

Training-WTC Course & Group Photographs - 1950, 1953, 1957, 1958, 1959, 1960, 1963, 1964, 1967, 1968 & 1970 Pages :: EP Edits

Training - WTC Instructors' & Staff Photographs page :: EP Edits. This page was originally the 'Pictures-WTC Instructors' page.

Uniform Page :: additional image :: A Fijian Customs cap badge thanks to Eric Preedy.

Visitors Page:: additional text :: The first visitor! Mike Write from the Home Office.

Waterguard Workshop Page :: amended text & images :: Some of the entries have now been transferred to the Training - WTC Instructors' & Staff Photographs page.