

Alan Gravestock

Alan Gravestock, who went aloft on 7th August 2011, joined the Club in 1998. He was a willing volunteer and clubman and was appointed Harpooner in 2000, serving on the Entertainments Committee until 2006. He and his wife Brenda enjoyed many of the club functions and excursions, the photo here being taken at Mont St. Michel on a club trip to Normandy in 2005.

Alan was an engineer and served his time on the Tyne before going to sea with Blue Funnel and then Cable &Wireless, attaining the rank of Chief Engineer.

He was a keen Triumph Stag enthusiast and also a popular member of the Lyndhurst Bowling Club, and many members of both associations were at his well attended funeral on 12th August.

Our condolences to Brenda, to whom he had been married for 57 years, to their sons Ian and Michael, and their daughter Sharon, now living in New Zealand with their grand children and one great grandchild.