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It's been a little wet lately





and the rough is getting quite high.

But were sure the sun will shine and the rough won't get in the way of our



3rd Annual MCZ Golf Tournament for Charity.

So join us at the Golfpark Holzhaeusern on Sunday 27th July at 8:00 am for the Golfing event of the year. Please sign up on the enclosed slip. The entrance fee is Sfr 90 and includes green fees, apero and some wonderful prizes. (Numbers are strictly limited)

#### LAST CHANCE FOR <u>THAT EXTRA SPECIAL</u> SHIRT OFFER

FROM OUR CLUB MEMBER AT ROSCHEL AG

In September ROSCHEL AG are launching a new line of top quality business shirts featuring the finest Italian cotton, top quality manufacturing and the latest in style and colour.

Roschel's are offering the IMCZ an introductory half price deal. Shirts normally retailing at between Fr 168 and Fr 198 will be available at between Fr 79 and Fr 99. If that isn't enough IMCZ members will get a further 10% Club discount.

To take advantage of this tremendous offer please contact Hermann JECKER at his office on Tel (041)711 51 80 or Fax (041)711 42 82

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# 'SWISS ASCOT' INTERNATIONAL CLUB'S CHARITY DAY

Organisation for the International Club's Charity Day is well under way and the big news is that we are back to the lake, this time at the Strandbad, Hünenburg

Regardless of weather the date set for Sunday September 7th and the theme for the day will be the Ascot races. This year we have a rather large tent which should help if the weather turns.

The day will loosely follow the theme of the Ascot races with various events having a horse (not real) type flavour. It also means that you can dress up, or down, as though you were going to the races - you can dress as a jockey, a guest of the royal box, a tick tack man, a gambler, a punter - anything goes.

The event is being organised and run jointly by the IMCZ and ZIWC and whilst we call it a Charity Day the prime purpose is for everyone to have a good time.

TO MAKE THE DAY A SUCCESS WE NEED YOU THERE, PLEASE MARK SEPTEMBER 7th IN YOUR DIARY NOW.

IF YOU WANT TO HELP IN ORGANISING THE EVENT OR JUST HELP ON THE DAY PLEASE CONTACT ONE OF THE ORGANISING COMMITTEE

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#### THE SILLY SEASON

Apart from Ascot, Henley, Glyndebourne, Traction Engine rallies and throwing the wellington boot the summer months bring a number of truly off beat activities in the United Kingdom. For example there is:-

NATIONAL BIRDMAN COMPETITION (Eastbourne - August). Every year competitors launch themselves from Eastbourne pier, attempting to fly using their own power and ingenuity. First prize of £1000 is awarded for technical originality and distance flown and £500 given for the best costume.

GUT BARGING (Bradford-on-Avon - August) Contestants strip to the waist and meet man to man in a specially constructed ring. The object is to barge your opponent from the ring using only your stomach.

WORM CHARMING (Cheshire - June). In the World Worm Charming Championships contestants working in two's compete to lure as many worms as possible from the ground in 30 minutes.

INTERNATIONAL BRICK AND ROLLING PIN THROWING CONTEST (Gloucestershire - July) This is a pure distance throwing event with the men hurling bricks and the ladies rolling pins.

BOG SNORKLING (Powys - August). Every year some 30 contestants put on snorkel and flippers and 'swim' two 60 yard lengths of a bog. Very difficult if there has been no rain for a spell.

CONKERING (Cambridgeshire - October). Some 300 contestants from France, Germany and America travel to the UK to compete in this event. About 1000 conkers are supplied by the organisers (to avoid cheating).

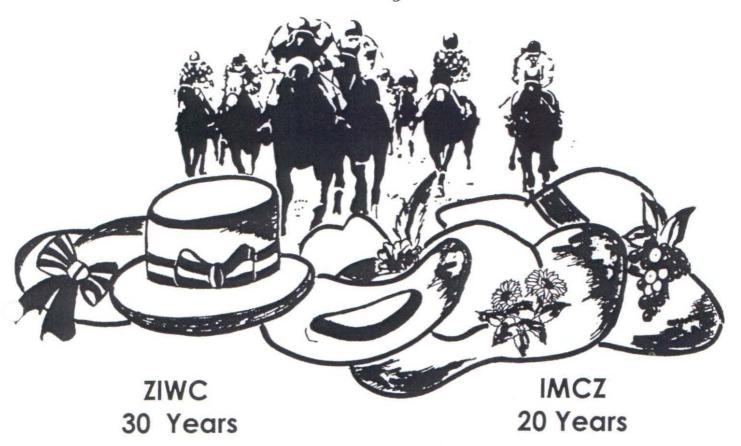
**PEASHOOTING** (Cambridgeshire - July). Competing in four categories (ladies, children, open and team) contestants stand 12ft (3.65m) from a target smeared with wet putty.

SNAIL RACING (Norfolk - July). Some 150 international snails 'race' over a 13in (330mm) course, from the centre of a circle to the perimeter.

**TOE WRESTLING** (Staffordshire - June). This is the equivalent of arm wrestling but using the toes. This 'sport' has been traced back to ancient Greece.

IRON BALL THROWING (Armagh - August). Here contestants hurl an iron ball along 2 miles of the cities

## Swiss Ascot A Day at the Races'



# Charity Day 1997 Sunday, 7th September 11.00- 18.00 hrs Strandbad Hünenberg

### INTERNATIONAL CLUB'S CHARITY DAY 1997 RUN UNDER THE AUSPICES OF THE ZIWC AND IMCZ

- · Fun and attractions for all
- Huge tent for rain or shine
  - · Grill and salad bar
- Champagne and Canapés Corner
- Tea, coffee, cakes and, of course, strawberries and cream
  - · Kiddies Corner with face painting
    - TV Horse Races
- · Jockey and Wooden Horse Races for adults and children
  - · Games, raffles and Tombola
  - Live music for all age groups
  - AND MUCH MUCH MORE!!!!

Your help and assistance would be greatly appreciated to find out more call one of the SMCE co-ordinating committee now Ivor Johnstone(041)710 49 29, Ian Park (041)758 22 22 or David Harris (041)790 35 81