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This can't be the usual report because the meeting never happened - beaten by the weather. For the first time in my experience of EACCC a meeting was cancelled due to the forecast 'heavy snow'. (I have had an email from Mike Prior who tells me it has happened once before many many years ago.)

On the Friday afternoon Alan, Les and I decided in the interests of safety it was best to cancel the meeting. So we spent Friday teatime ringing round, emailing everyone we could think of, who might come. We know that the membership is reliable and steadfast and a little bit of snow wouldn't put everyone off but with dealers travelling 100 plus miles it was a decision that had to be made. We drew up a list, shared it out and started ringing and emailing around. It seemed to have been thorough enough except that I have just had a telephone call from Tony Brown (who hasn't got a phone, he has just moved) who made it to Roydon. We even remembered to ring the hall booking officer to cancel the booking - whether we get charged for it or not remains' to be negotiated.

As a consequence... The January Auction has been moved to February, the February to March, and the March to April.

.. We tested out the Membership List telephone numbers and have found several anomalies I will be checking these out with you if your listed wrong.

Other news ... I picked up a small collection of 120+ Lots last week from a collector in Peterborough, they will feature in our May auction - highlights are almost complete sets of Churchman Famous and Prominent Golfers. I left about 25 albums with the vendor as they were common cards Players/Wills/Gallaher's for him to sell locally.

.... I have had a very nice letter from Ron Newstead who misses us all and so loved coming to Roydon to see his friends. Since his motorcycle accident he had lost his driving licence and is unable to be with us. He still bids in the auction so is still a keen collector; he even likes the newsletter every month (fool with no taste). He asks if anyone goes by or near Dereham could he have a lift to the club, (he is willing to contribute to petrol costs). He lives at Scarning and can be contacted on 01362 687539.

Can anyone help

.... Our good friend Dennis Towler is in hospital in Peterborough. Not sure what is wrong with him but is undergoing tests and scans this week. Get well Dennis from all your friends at Roydon.

Next Month we meet on Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> February - usual time and place.

List of dealers booked in include Mike Heard, Martin Toms, Peter Beer John Haddon Silver Ken Courtney and John Shaw plus our excellent Club Table, somewhere to sell your odds or buy New Albums and Pages.

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