

The display was officially opened on the first day of Environment Week by Dover Society Chairman, Mr Jack Woolford, standing in for the new Town Mayor, Cllr. Lyn Young. The local press published our photo but cut out the all-important Sea Cadets (column restraints, no doubt!) essential to the 'Spirit of the Sea' theme.

Additionally we have to thank Lieutenant D. Kemp, RNVR(SCC) commanding officer, Dover Sea Cadets, for the smart appearance of the cadets at the official opening, HMS *Victory*, the *Mary Rose*, RN Museum, HMS *Warrior*, all of Portsmouth; Dover Museum, Tourism Dept., DDC and to Messrs Sharp & Enright, ships' chandlers, for their considerable help.

Overheard whilst window dressing: 'Are they real, Mummie?' (starfish), 'They built proper ships in those days', 'Cor, look at that bottle of rum - that's the spirit', and 'Work out the signal and you're inboard!'

Many complimentary messages have been received and the Society is pleased that in some small way it has contributed to the improvement of the local environment and provided a focus of interest.

Thank you to those stalwart volunteers who regularly turn out to keep the shop entrance reasonably clean.

In achieving our objective it is pleasing to have been able to provide an additional publicity outlet for local events. <

Senior Cadets JASON WAKEFIELD and ANN HERRING of TS Lynx, Dover SCC




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## Membership News — SHEILA R. COPE

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Many thanks to the majority of members who paid their subscriptions on time, thus saving the Society the cost of a letter or a phone call. I do realise that a more prominent reminder in the *Newsletter* at renewal time would be useful. Unless specially requested cheques are not acknowledged. The Committee also appreciates the completion of the lower part of the membership form. We do take note of the skills of our members and if, for example, you have offered to write articles, then you will probably be asked to do so! Active participation by many people is what

we need. Is anyone willing to take on the responsibility for the raffle?

Thanks are also due to those who have introduced new members - twenty-six since the last *Newsletter*. They are:-

Mr & Mrs P. Wyborn-Brown, Major & Mrs Cheesman, Mr R. Livingstone, Mrs M. W. Jones, Mr & Mrs J. Gilbey, Mrs I. Wright, Mrs P. Gay, Mr P. Jackson, Miss D. Green, Miss G. Parkin, Mr P. Chambers, Mr R. Frisby, Capt. & Mrs Bodiam, Mr & Mrs J. Sykes, Mr M. Webster, Mr. P. Bennett, Mrs W. Coffey, Mrs A Whittle, Mr & Mrs B. Shephard, Mr D. Brooks-Laurent.