



From Batsford To Hans Segers... WiSH Will Never Stop

What an amazing season it has been! It is easy to forget, given the drama of the last fortnight, that the Club suffered a major trauma with the flood damage to the pitch and stadium. Some areas of the stadium are still affected by that natural shock to our day-to-day operations, but in true Wimbledon spirit, we battle on.

The museum was hugely affected, with the large display cabinets damaged, and those in the reception area also. A total reset was required, and never ones to be shy of making good from bad situations, the WiSH team knuckled down and applied themselves. The museum you visit now is a huge improvement on what was already a great experience.



Alongside this WiSH has helped organise several events, some take a lot of long-term planning. The Batsford Boys Anniversary Dinner is an obvious one that took a huge effort and went down so well with all those that attended. We have also overseen an International Supporters event – and if you can recall the sight of Hans Segers getting everyone involved in a thunder clap, again, you know that all have enjoyed themselves.

There is no off-season for WiSH, as we continue to preserve and archive all your kind donations. This is on top of creating and being part of landmark events across the borough. On this page is a list of main events that are happening, and we urge as many of you to come along and visit us and keep the momentum going through the summer months. If you can help in any way, please get in touch with us at info@wimbledoninsportinghistory.org



Sunday 18 May – WiSH awards and Volunteer day at the stadium

Sunday 25 May – DLAG Family Fun Day at Old Ruts

Weds/Thurs 28/29 May – Fair Game event at Stadium

Saturday 28 June – Sunday 13 July – WiSH daily exhibition at Wimbledon Quarter 10am-5pm (including a new Sportsman sign competition)

Saturday 5 July – Speedway Statue Unveiling and all-day event at the stadium