

# Comedian ends week with a laugh

The week's main social event is to be a sumptuous Exhibition Banquet on Thursday January 23rd – and following the meal will be entertainment from Norman Collier, one of Britain's top comedians.

Perhaps best known for his hilarious "chicken" routine in the 1970s, Norman has delighted thousands of people in a glittering showbusiness career which has taken him all over Britain – and into America.

Highlights of his career include many Royal Charity Galas.

Norman and his wife live near Hull. For relaxation, he enjoys an occasional round of golf.

### Finding your way to Harrogate – by air, road, rail and ferry

BY AIR: International flights from most countries now operate to Manchester Airport which is only 1½ hours drive away or use London Heathrow and take an internal flight direct to Leeds/Bradford Airport which is only 13 miles away and 20 minutes by taxi. There are flights every weekday between London Heathrow and Leeds/Bradford Airport. Direct flights are also available from Amsterdam, Belfast, Brussels, Canada, Cardiff, Dublin, Edinburgh, Glasgow, Guernsey, Isle of Man, Jersey and Paris.

BY ROAD: Road access is equally conve-

nient whether by car or coach – the motorway network incorporating the M1, M5, M6, M62 and A1 are all within easy reach of Harrogate.

BY FERRY: North Sea Ferries have regular crossings from both Rotterdam and Zeebrugge into Hull, 60 miles to the east of Harrogate.

BY RAIL: Due to Harrogate's central location it is well served by British Rail connections from all over the country including direct Intercity services from London King's Cross.

#### Free accommodation booking

■ BIGGA has again nominated Inntel as the Association's agents for accommodation booking during the 1992 Education programme and Exhibition.

Please take advantage of this service: it's efficient, accommodation can be found for both exhibitors and delegates – and it's FREE!

Contact Annie Moncrieff on 0206 211106 (fax 0206 210881) for more details. Inntel have access to hotels and guest houses to suit all price ranges.

#### **Special rates at Exhibition hotel**

■ Special room rates for the Old Swan Hotel have been negotiated for BTME exhibitors and delegates. They are £59 single or £72 double, including breakfast and VAT. For a stay of four nights or more, reduce the rate by £5.00 per night. Again, Annie Moncrieff at Inntel is the person to contact for bookings, telephone 0206 211106.

The Old Swan will be the venue for pre-Exhibition workshops and the social programme. A hospitality room will be open in the evenings where everyone connected with the BTME can meet and relax.

## How to save time and money

Whether an exhibitor or delegate, you are urged to pre-register for the event.

Why should you

bother? Quite simply, you will save time and money. A reply-paid pre-registration ticket can be found facing Page 36 of this magazine. If you complete and return this ticket to BIGGA. vou will automatically be pre-registered, handed your exhibition catalogue and identification badge at the entrance and admitted to the **Exhibition** without charge or delay. Otherwise. admission is by catalogue at a charge of £2.50 and you will have to await issue of your identification badge



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