



Owain and Helen Raw-Rees hosted an informal supper in February for the RGBB Board to show their appreciation to Sir Sherard and Lady Bridget Cowper-Coles by presenting them a leaving gift in the shape

of a rather fine set of binoculars. During the same evening Jim Milne presented Bridget with a cheque to ICING for SR25000 on behalf of the Scout Group, as mentioned on page 38

**BOARD SAYS
FAREWELL**



Just occasionally we like to bring you details of where previous members of the RGBB have gone or what they are getting up to. The first picture from the right above is from our archives in October 2000 when Jamie Bowden was on a Riyadh posting. The second picture of Jamie is in Bahrain where he has recently taken up the post of HMA.

Although some may feel he 's never left, we had to go back to the 2003 archives to find the third picture of Steve Wagstaff. When he was in Riyadh, Steve worked with Royal Sun Alliance and was a great supporter of RGBB Sporting events. The most recent picture on the right shows Steve in his new position as Branch Manager of the AXA Office in Bahrain.

**WHERE ARE
THEY NOW**



From The Guardian Feb 5 2007 - Gangs are posing as Tesco staff in order to con scores of young Polish men and women into paying hundreds of pounds to travel to Britain for jobs that do not exist. The criminals operate from Poland and claim they are hiring staff specifically for Tesco, in an attempt to attract more hopeful employees. The young people are told to telephone a mobile number. They are asked to pay £260 to the "agent" and book themselves a flight to London in order to take up a position at Tesco.

**AND
FINALLY**

The amazing truth comes from from Michab Kubajek of Tesco Poland, who said: "We only hire people with knowledge of English. The recruitment process for Tesco stores in the UK takes place in Poland and lasts several weeks."

What? Are there really no job seekers in England?