

# Folly

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## Our Mission

Reigate Business Guild exists to promote, enhance & protect the charming town of Reigate.

We are a local united, voluntary voice from within the business community, promoting commerce, safeguarding the environment, organising events and supporting activities & opportunities for the benefit of the town.

Working closely with other Reigate interest groups & the local authorities, our aim is for Reigate to remain a vibrant & attractive place to live, work & visit; now & for future generations.



ReigateGuild

## It's back!

Welcome to the latest version of our Folly newsletter. A selection of news items and upcoming member events for your calendar.

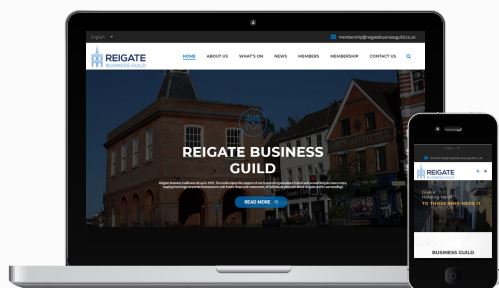
The Folly was first printed during the summer of 2007. Back then we were focusing on the upcoming restoration of Priory Park and how Caffè Nero were in discussions to move in to the old town hall.

10 years on ~~and Jes is still here~~ we are continuing to look at new ways to offer our members more and to help make Reigate a more desirable town to work and live.

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## Your Guild

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## Our new website

We believe that one of the most important reasons to be part of a guild is to build relationships. With the world becoming more digital every day, these relationships are being made ever increasingly online.

That's why we are excited to announce our brand new website. A tool to help our members find each other whenever they need them. There will be updated news pages and highlight sections to showcase a chosen member each month.

To get the most out of this new opportunity we need as much detail from you as possible. We have your contact details but your logo, a brief description of your business and any other photos would be a great help. You can send all this to Chris Ells at [ce@cqkhotels.co.uk](mailto:ce@cqkhotels.co.uk).

## Our new logo

There comes a time when everybody looks at themselves in the mirror and realises they're old. That goes for the Guild too. But rather than a new anti wrinkle moisturiser, we've updated our logo. We think it's great, but we'd love to hear what you think.



**Next meeting:** Wednesday 13th December 8pm  
**Location:** Reigate Manor



Don't forget the Christmas Fayre is on Saturday 2nd December and it's set to be the biggest yet. With stalls selling out months in advance and a waiting list of 20+, the event has become one of the biggest in Reigate resident's calendars.

See you there from midday!

## Golf day

Betchworth Park Golf Club once again played host to our annual charity golf day on Thursday 28th September. A big thanks must go out to Mitchell & Company for organising the event. We were amazed to receive so much support for the day from all over Reigate. Even more amazing were some of the legs on display. I think we'll all be hoping for a bit of cold weather next year...

