



**CRESTA RUN**

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Dear Member

**Assistant Secretary**

As you know, Richard Robbins will be retiring as Assistant Secretary at the end of next season after 24 years of being an integral and hugely popular part of the Secretariat. I write to let you know that the Selection Sub-Committee, chaired by the President, was very fortunate to have an extremely strong field apply for his replacement and that Martin Greenland has accepted the appointment as Chief Handicapper from the 2016-17 season. Richie, Digby's 'diplomatic bombshell', will be a difficult act to follow, but Martin (who will be taking a back seat in his Architect's Partnership in order to take up one of the Assistant Secretary positions in the Club) will bring exciting new skills to the Tower Team. He will be shadowing Richie during parts of next season, which will enable any Members who have not yet met Martin to do so if they wish.

**Recent Deaths**

Yet again it is my sad duty to report recent deaths: Heinz Siegrist and Zennie Degiacomi on 9th July, and David Clark on 1st September. Mr Siegrist joined the Club in 1968 but we had not seen him in St Moritz for many years. Members will remember Zennie when she partnered Urs Degiacomi at the Soldanella for many years, giving guests at the hotel a warm Soldanella welcome. David was a great character and loved the Cresta and life with an infectious enthusiasm that was enormously attractive. They will all be missed.

Best wishes

Harriet Brabazon