NEWS LETTER NO 14



UPDATE 2/7/2013 DAWLISH

Dawlish is a strange place it has a railway line for a prom.



And a river for a main street



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Brunels west coast line is still a marvel of engineering, and the river called "Dawlish Water" makes the town very different. But thats it, you have now seen all of Dawlish.

Dislike of the day

Sea gulls in big boots walking on the camper roof

at 6am.

Like of the day

Being married to Wendy for 41 years.

A tricky place to Live

We passed this house on the Exeter -

Teignmouth coast road, we thought the front porch was dangerous.



Until we crossed over and noticed a balcony on the back of the house which is only a few feet from passing trains (niece quiet place near the coast)



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<u>Update 4/7/2013</u>

We are on this 5 van certified location just 3 miles outside of Torquay. Its a lovely spot and we had it all to our selves.



You may wonder why its empty? Well to get to it you have to travel along this road. With a lot of cars using it at a short cut to Torquay.



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Torquay is a smart place, good harbour, though not much in the way of beaches,



Paignton on the other hand is terrible. I have not seen so many tacky tourist shops in my life. We walked 5 miles to it stood on the prom and looked at each other, turned around and started walking back to the site.

(no picture it would be a waste of battery power.)

Can any Ornithologist help me!!

Is this a Water Rail?



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What type of goose is this?





Is this a Buzzard?

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Update 11/7/2013 Torcross (6 m south of Dartmouth)

This is our last stop on the south coast and it is the best. We are just outside the very cool coastal village of Torcross, beside the nature reserve of Slapham Ley



But by far the best place we have been on this trip is Dartmouth.



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We did happen to pick one of the best days of the year so far. The trip from Torcross to Dartmouth on the Double-decker bus must be one of the most exciting road trips in this country, at times the bus was rubbing trees on both sides, whole queues of cars had to reverse to let us through And going up some hills I could have walked faster, but the views were fantastic.

To conclude



Mum Mum!! I think I'm flying