



## Richard Martin

### Statement

As a local person, I am keen to help as a committee member, as I feel that various skills I have obtained over many years, along with contacts and understanding of the Pub trade could be of help in the way ahead for The Plough. Skills and experience are listed below.

- Current understanding and work in the HORECA (*hotel, restaurant, catering*) and wholesale/brewery supply chain enables me to understand products, prices and best RTM (*route to market*) options.
- I have worked for 10 years previously for a charitable bottled water brand who gave all profits to charity (Water Aid.) In my last year we gave over £1m.
- Managed a local Brewery (Andwells) for 5 years including opening a Brewhouse café bar and meeting/conference centre.
- Set up various events and exhibitions during my lifetime, including Fetes during my time as Chairman/ Captain/Committee member at Whitchurch CC.
- My in-laws run a major building and scaffolding business in Basingstoke.
- Good with people relationships at all levels.