

What's On

The newsletter of South Street WI

December 2016

Letter from the President

Dear Fellow Members,

I would like to thank you for letting me be your President for another year. We had our committee meeting this morning and welcomed Sue, and sadly said goodbye to Jane.

We hope the coming year will be full of interest and fun for you all, we will do our best.

Writing about fun — what a time we had at the Brick Lane Music Hall! We know some of you were unable to come for various reasons, but those of us who did were holding our sides most of the time... again thank you Linda.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all the unsung heroes who keep our meetings going each month: the teas, the raffle, the sales table, the competition, books and puzzles, flowers, and just all of you so willing to help.

Some of us attended the 'tea party' which was a meeting time for a few of our local WIs. We really enjoyed meeting each other and making new friends, one thing we worked out was that we seem to be getting things right!

We wish you all a very happy Christmas and a happy healthy New Year.

My best wishes to you all,

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Door Hostesses:

Jean Bingham, Sylvia Cooke

Tea Rota

January - Jo Laverick, Angela Barker, Sue Osborne

Please **arrive at 1pm in order to set up**. Also, please let me know in advance if you will not be able to help. Thank you. (*Pat Hudgell 280262*)

January Meeting

The January meeting is the **11th January** at 2.00 pm.

New Year Lunch

This has been arranged for Wednesday **25th January 2017** at the Walpole Bay Hotel, Cliftonville. The coaches will leave All Saints Hall at **11.45 am**. Upon arrival at ASH please make yourselves known to either me or Patricia Hudgell so that we can give out the menus before getting on the coaches. I know this has proved to be a struggle in the past because of the weather but not only do I hope for a better day but, because we have 2 coaches, I cannot think of an easier way to do this distribution - any ideas would be welcome!! (*Deanne Meeres*)

East Kent Federation Annual Council Meeting

The ACM will be held at the Winter Gardens, Margate, on **Wednesday 22 March 2017**. The main guest speaker is Terry Waite.

Tickets must be ordered by name from Beer Cart Lane no later than 13 Jan 2017. The cost is £10 plus £10 for the coach. Names are being taken at our December meeting. (*Linda Swift 276583*)

Sales Table

A big thank you to everyone who supported our sales table either by donating or buying, and we wish you all a very happy Christmas and a healthy New Year. (Shirley and Joyce.)

Subscriptions for 2017

Payment for yearly subscriptions will be collected in January and February.

Subs for 2017 will be £39.00 for full members and £19.00 for dual members. (Jenny Taylor)

Shutterbugs Camera Club

The next meeting is **Tuesday 31st January**, meeting at Johnson's Garden Centre café (on Old Thanet Way). The photography theme is "Toys and Hobbies". Please call Linda Swift (276583) or Jane Hakes (280196) for more information.

Calendar

December

14th Monthly Meeting

January 2017

4th Committee Meeting

9th Walk with Jenny

11th Monthly Meeting

17th Craft & Home Economics

25th NY Lunch in Margate

Committee Meeting

The committee meeting is **Weds 4th January**. Any member is welcome to attend, but please call a committee member to arrange as space is limited.

Craft and Home Economics

The next meeting is Tuesday, **17th January** at St John's Church Centre in Swalecliffe at 2.15pm. The talk is by Jane Farrell on "Hello I'm the Music Lady".

Ongoing Activities/News

Darts: played in The Monument Pub every **Monday** from 11am to 1pm approximately.

Local Walks: Our next walk will be in the new year on **Monday 9th January 2017**. Meet at All Saints Hall at 10am weather permitting. (Jenny Taylor 264720)

Reminders

All Saints Hall: Please remember to put your chair back against the wall after the meeting.

Newsletter Items: The deadline for items to include in the "What's On" newsletter is **5pm on the Thursday** before the monthly meeting. (Jane Hakes 280196 or janehakes@gmail.com)

★ **HAPPY** ★
BIRTHDAY!

January Birthdays

Brown, Janice	01
Wilson, Jenny	04
Meeres, Deanne	05
Austin, Doreen	08
Lewis, Anita	08
Young, Mary	08
Dole, Patricia	09
White, Diana	12
Dale, Lesley	15
Cummings, Dorothy	16
Roberts, Jenny	18
Baybutt, Hillary	23