

What's On

February 2016

Letter from the President

Dear Fellow Members,

It is impossible to believe that we are already in February, but so far we have been fairly lucky with the weather, by that I mean no snow.....fingers crossed.

Deanne and I were hoping for decent weather for our New Year Lunch, but, as last year, it wasn't to be. Suffice it to say we talked the next day when the sun was out in a cloudless sky and decided we had done something wrong in a previous life!.....next time?

We all enjoyed the lovely lunch at the Walpole Bay, and were so sorry that some of you had to miss it, but many thanks to Deanne and Pat for braving it all, and to Deanne for another lovely day.

Please don't forget to check the What's On for news of future events, and there is always the suggestion box on the table at the front of the hall.

With my best wishes to you all,
Ingrid Osborne, President.

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Door Hostesses

Jean Bingham, Sylvia Cooke

Tea Rota

February – Jay Knight, Jo Piper, Dana Williams.

March – Jenny Robertson, Evelyn Council, Jane Askew.

April – Dorothy Cumings, Avryl Reynolds, Doreen Austin.

Would tea helpers please remember to be at the hall as near to 1pm as possible in order to set things up. Thank you. (Pat Hudgell)

Committee meeting

The next South Street WI Committee Meeting is Weds. 2nd March 2016. Any WI member is welcome to attend but please call a committee member to make

arrangements, as we meet in members' homes where space may be limited.

Outings

On **Wednesday 22nd June** we have arranged a morning's guided visit to Hampton Court Palace followed by an afternoon boat trip. Own arrangements for lunch in the Palace restaurant or take a picnic. Cost £40 per person. Register your name at the board table if you would like to come.

In response to members' suggestions an outing to Brick Lane Music Hall in London has been booked for **Friday 2nd December**. We shall have a three-course Christmas lunch (yes, Christmas already!) followed by the Christmas-themed show. Cost including coach will be £60. A board is out today to assess interest. (Linda Swift)

SHUTTERBUGS Photographic Group

Our next get-together is on **Tuesday 23rd February** at Macknades Food Hall, Selling Road, Faversham. Meet at 2.30. This month's theme, not surprisingly, is "Food". (Jane Hakes and Linda Swift.)

ACM – EAST KENT FEDERATION

Tickets for the Annual Council Meeting in Folkestone on **Wednesday 23rd March** have

arrived and will be distributed on the day. The coach will leave All Saint's Hall at 9 am. (Linda Swift)

Dates for Your Calendar

Please be sure to check the longer descriptions in this newsletter for details and contact numbers.

February

16th Craft and Home Economics

18th Walk with Jenny

23rd Shutterbugs

March

7th Walk with Jenny

23rd ACM

June

22nd Hampton Court

October

28th Harvest Supper

December

2nd Brick Lane Music Hall

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

February Birthdays

Cook, Sally	2 nd
Pike, Marjorie	2 nd
Young, Judy	6 th
Easton, Jean	7 th
Charters, Valerie	14 th
Annoot, Sharon	16 th
Long, Eunice	17 th
Barker, Angela	18 th
Hinson, Shirley	18 th
Hague, Sheila	19 th
Lilley, Pamela	22 nd
Reid, Sheena	22 nd
Garbutt, Joan	26 th
Hendley, Enid	28 th

KNITTING

Yarn and patterns are still available if required. Thank you. (Pat Hudgell 280262).

YEARLY SUBSCRIPTIONS

Subs for 2016 are £37.50 for full members and £18.00 for dual members. Payment is due now. Please make cheques out to "South Street WI". Thank you. (Jenny Taylor)

Local Walks

Our next walks will be on **Thursday 18th February and Monday 7th March**. Any new members are welcome to join us. We meet at 10am outside All Saints Hall, weather permitting. (Jenny Taylor 264720)

Home Economics

Home Economics Club at St John's Centre, St John's Road, Swalecliffe, **Tuesday 16th February at 2.15pm**. The topic is "DIY" with Veronica Ashby. (Sue Larkins)

Newsletter items: The deadline for items to be included in the "What's On" newsletter is 5pm on the Thursday before the monthly meeting. (Jane Hakes)