

# What's On

The newsletter of the South Street WI

May 2016

## Letter from the President

Dear Fellow Members,

We have at last moved into some warmer weather, although a trip to Devon straight from our committee meeting saw a 9 degree drop in temperature, not what my Devonian husband promised me!

We had a very successful new members meeting with some of our ever increasing numbers. We were unable to fit everyone in, so look forward to meeting the rest of you soon. I am pleased to say everyone had a very pleasant and informative time.

We continue to attract new members which is rewarding, and hopefully means that we are getting something right.

As usual all information is here in your What's On, but if there is anything else you wish to know please don't hesitate to contact us.

With best wishes

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**Door Hostesses:** Jean Bingham, Sylvia Cooke

## Tea Rota

**June** - Jennie Roberts, Sylvia Cooke, Tracie Fulton

**July** - Linda Bermudez-Miller, Jane Askew, Pat Dole

## Committee Meeting

The next South Street WI Committee Meeting is **Weds. 1<sup>st</sup> June at 9.30am**. 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.

## Craft and Home Economics Guild

The next meeting will be held on **Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> May** at St John's Church Hall Swalecliffe at **2.15pm**.

The speaker is Chetna Makan from the Great British Bake Off. (*Sue Larkins*)

## June Meeting and Competition

Next month, our meeting is on 8<sup>th</sup> June. Rosemary Piddock will speak to us on Monet's Garden.

Our competition will be "Garden Colours", which can be photos of gardens, yours or those you've visited. Please remember to put your name on your entries.

## Sales Table

Once again we have to thank everyone for the magnificent response to our request for cakes for the annual cake sale. The amount of baking you all did was so appreciated. We also say a big thank you to all the buyers, there wasn't a single cake left!! We are pleased to tell you that thanks to you all we made just over £63 for our funds. (*Shirley Winson*)

## Outings

### Hampton Court Palace and River Cruise, Weds 22<sup>nd</sup> June:

Due to cancellations there are now a couple of unfilled places on this outing. I shall be contacting those on the waiting list to see if anyone else wishes to go. Numbers must be finalised and payments made at this, our May meeting.

The coach will leave ASH at 8 o'clock in order to meet our guide at the palace. Own arrangements for lunch in the restaurant or bring a picnic. In the afternoon we have a two-hour river cruise to Richmond where our coach will meet us for the return journey.

**Brick Lane Music Hall Christmas lunch and show, Friday 2 December.** The full payment of £60 will be collected at our June and July meetings. (Linda Swift)

**ACWW Walk**

On Thursday 28th April thirteen W.I members walked from Tankerton Slopes to Herne Bay bandstand and back, to raise funds for ACWW. The weather was good for walking and we all enjoyed our morning. I wish to thank all members for their generous donations to this charity.

**Local Walks**

Our next walks will be Thursday **19<sup>th</sup> May** and Monday **6<sup>th</sup> June** meeting at All Saints Hall at 10am. New members are more than welcome to join us. (Jenny Taylor 264720)

**Calendar** (hint: clip this calendar and keep it with your diary)

**May**

- 17<sup>th</sup> Craft & Home Economics Guild
- 19<sup>th</sup> Walk with Jenny

**June**

- 1<sup>st</sup> Committee Meeting
- 6<sup>th</sup> Walk with Jenny
- 8<sup>th</sup> Monthly Meeting
- 22<sup>nd</sup> Outing: Hampton Court and River Trip

**Ongoing Activities/News**

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

**Reminders**

**All Saints Hall:** Please remember to put your chair back against the wall after the meeting. If you are able, we would also appreciate help in folding the tables and putting them in their places.

**Newsletter Items:** The deadline for items to include in the "What's On" newsletter is 5pm on the Thursday before the monthly meeting.



**June Birthdays**

Neil, Mrs June	01
Feast, Mrs Brenda	07
Goodwin, Mrs Mary	08
Winson, Mrs Shirley	20
Laverick, Mrs Johanna	28
Avis, Mrs Eileen	30
Maflin, Mrs Susan	30