

What's On

The newsletter of the South Street WI

October 2016

Letter from the President

Dear Fellow Members,

I was delighted at the committee meeting this morning when someone said 'hasn't the year flown'. I had decided that it was probably something to do with my birthday that had made the year fly so quickly, but it appears it went that way for us all.

The AGM is upon us soon and we have been busy planning for that and for all the other outings etc. that make being a member of WI so interesting.

All news is in your newsletter, so just a small brain teaser for you.

Cryptic Crossword

Firstly, draw our own grid 5 squares across and 4 squares down. There are no blanks. So: -

1. Down...Vegetable plural
2. Down...Sheep?
3. Down...Farmyard creatures
4. Down...There are Severn
5. Down...Often dropped

1. Across...Satirical Magazine
2. Across...Metal working tool
3. Across...Blow
4. Across...is it a horse or lawn mower.

With no conferring one minute is good, 10 minutes well have you tried painting by numbers! Please do not ask me how long I took.

My best wishes to you all,

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Door Hostesses:

Jean Bingham, Sylvia Cooke

Tea Rota

November – Edna Leathwhite, Gillian Dole, Pat Hollands

Please could you **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)

AGM

Next month – November - is our Annual General Meeting. This is a very important event as new committee members are selected for our new year. Please plan to attend.

Outings

Our next planned outing is the Brick Lane Christmas show and lunch on **2nd December**. If you have any suggestions for further outings, please let Linda Swift know, or drop a note in the suggestion box.

Harvest Supper

Our annual Harvest Supper is set for **Friday, 28th October**. Please be sure to sign up for this now. Tickets are £15 per person. We're arriving at 6:30pm for 7:00pm meal. We have some great entertainment planned so you will have a good time.

New Year Lunch

A date for your diary – A New Year lunch has been arranged for **Wednesday, 25th January 2017** at the Walpole Bay Hotel in Cliftonville. The cost will be £22 (same as last time).

A board is out today so please add your names to the list. The board will also be out at the November and December meetings when the menus will be available in exchange for the full fee. Please be reminded that this function is for SSWI members only. (*Deanne Meeres*)

Craft and Home Economics Guild

This month the meeting will be held at St John's Church Centre in Swalecliffe at **2.15pm on Tuesday 18th October 2016**. The speaker will be Ann Catoor on 'The Life of the Amish'. We look forward to seeing lots of you for a very interesting afternoon rounded off with tea and cake. (*Sue Larkins*)

Shutterbugs

The next meeting will be **Tuesday 25th October**. Please call Linda Swift or Jane Hakes for more information.

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

October

- 20th Walk with Jenny
- 25th Shutterbugs
- 28th Harvest Supper

November

- 2nd Committee Meeting
- 7th Walk with Jenny
- 9th Monthly Meeting – AGM
- 22nd Shutterbugs

December

- 2nd Outing: Brick Lane Music Hall

Committee Meeting

The next Committee Meeting is **Weds. 2nd November**. Any member is welcome to attend, but please call a committee member to arrange, as space may be limited.

Ongoing Activities/News

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

Local Walks: Our next walks are **Thursday 20th October** and **Monday 7th November**, meeting at All Saints Hall at 10'oclock. These walks are open to all members and it is always good to see a new face. (*Jenny Taylor 264720*)

2017 Date for your diary

The next East Kent Federation Annual Council Meeting will be held on **Wednesday 22 March** at The Winter Gardens, Margate. The guest speaker will be Terry Waite.

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. We would like to add news from your WI group (gardens, book club, French club, drama, etc.). Even if you are fully subscribed, our members still like to know what's happening.

Thanks (*Jane Hakes 280196 or janehakes@gmail.com*)



November Birthdays

Seaton, Ann	02
Bermudez-Miller, Linda	17
Jordan, Joan	17
Thorniley, Rosemary	20
Eckersley, Anne	24
Fulton, Tracie	26