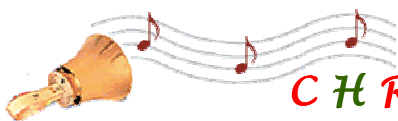


NEWSLETTER

December 2014



Thursday 4 December



CHRISTMAS PARTY



Ringstone Ringers

Competition: Favourite Christmas Bauble

(No Flower of the Month, milk bottle tops or postage stamps)

Raffle: Chris T Thanks: Karen

Festive refreshments: The Committee

Festive drink

Secret Santa gifts for £5

November meeting

Raffle: £41.50 – ACWW: £5.26 – Visitors: £12.00

Flower of the Month – 1stPat 2ndRachel 3rdChris W

Competition: Sparkly Brooch - 1stAnn G 2nd Beryl 3rd Sue P

Delegate for Annual Meeting Royal Albert Hall June 2015 - Rachel

Bourne & District Home Economics Group

Monday 30 March 2015 - 7.30pm

Bourne Corn Exchange

£3.50 including refreshments

Flanders & Swann Recaptured

James Mitchell & Grahame O'Connor

Denman Bursary Draw - £300 – no cash alternative

Only to be used towards the cost of a Denman course

Up to £30 may be used towards travel costs.

Please sign up on the tick sheet

For further information please contact Karen



DATES for your 2015 DIARY

Quiz: Friday 20 February St Margaret's Hall Quadring First question 7.30pm - £6 including light refreshments **Closing date: 8 January**

Fabric Box Class: Monday 16 and 23 March - 10am – 3.30pm - £25.50 for the 2 days to include ready cut card. Please bring a packed lunch – drinks and biscuits provided.

Choice of boxes – Bon Bon Box or Jewellery Box with tray. Details of amount of material required for each box plus sundries will be sent with ticket. **Closing date: 5 February**

MOSQUE VISIT

Tuesday 14 April 1.00 – 2.30pm (approximately)
Admission 12.55pm



The Faizan-E-Madinah Mosque
167 Gladstone Street Peterborough PE1 2BN

Members: £6 Visitors: £7

Tour this beautiful building in the heart of the City. Meet and talk with an Imam and other members of the Mosque.

You are also invited, if you wish, to witness one of their regular prayer sessions.

Questions to the Imam are invited. As time will be limited if you wish to ask a specific question please contact Beryl or Hilary.

Removal of outdoor shoes required on entry. Parking available at the Mosque.

Closing date: 5 March
Please sign up on the clipboard



Tollemache Arms
at Buckminster

Christmas Lunch
Tuesday 9 December

Please check time of departure from
Rippingale Village Hall with Ann Glading

Delegate required, please

Centenary Spring Council Meeting
Springfields Exhibition Centre

Tuesday 10 March 10.30am – 3.30pm
Paul Hayes – TV Antiques Expert
Ticket paid by your Institute. Contact Rebecca
if you would like to represent us.

Tickets also available for members: £13
Please sign up on the clipboard

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1915 FOR 100 YEARS 2015

RESOLUTIONS 2015

Please read page 38 WI Life November & December issue which contains the shortlist of 7 resolutions and select the one that you support the most. Complete the form and pop into the Selection Box at the Christmas Party. The forms will be taken to Federation Office to be counted and the results forwarded to National. The final resolution/s selected will be discussed at our May meeting. Our delegate, Rachel, will vote for your choice at the Annual Meeting in June 2015.

Next year's annual subscription - £36* - becomes renewable on 1 January. However, if you would like to continue to add an extra £1* (£37) to your subscription for refreshments that would be lovely but it is optional and not mandatory.

Please place your subscription (cash or cheque) in a named envelope and hand to Jeannie or Kate. Thank You

TIME to TALK



A mother's thoughts on organ donation.

A man the same age as my son received his cornea and can now see



When I look at my son's photo I think what a waste – but there are people who are still here or in better health because of that donation. It was a hard decision. I understand the pain but pain can be saved for so many people and families. It gives me comfort to know that someone benefited from a tragedy.

Have you registered?



FEDERATION is on the MOVE!!

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Ground floor and parking spaces

WI Office closes Monday 15 December 2014 – re-opens Monday 5 January 2015

JANUARY MEETING is MEMBERS NIGHT

Karen writes: Come along to the Annual Members Night Thursday 8 January. It promises to be a fun-filled evening which aims to cascade a WI experience to all members.



Huge thanks to everyone for the support and encouragement during the past year

Enjoy the sparkle of Christmas

Happy New Year

We look forward to seeing you in 2015

President Rebecca and your Committee