

LITTLE BUDWORTH W.I.
Minutes of the meeting held on Wednesday 9th May 2018

Present: Beryl Worrall, 15 members, 1 visitor, and our speaker, Rosie Lee.

Apologies: Catherine Chester, Angela Wilson and Carol Mason.

Minutes of the meeting held on the Wednesday 11th April

The minutes of this meeting were read out and signed.

Correspondence:

- a) Thank you letter received from Tarporley War Memorial Hospital.
- b) A notice for Roberts Bakery Band performing in concert at Gawsworth Hall on Thursday 5th July. Tickets £10.00
- c) H & G Subcommittee are holding a British Cheese Tasting on 7th September. Tickets £8.00
- d) Croquet at Westminster Park 20th July cost £5.00.
- e) Cheshire News, please take home with you.
- f) Various leaflets on Annual Review, Plastic Waste, Food Poverty, Dementia Care in Hospitals, Healthy Living Week, Loneliness and How to access my W.I.

Group News

Although Catherine was not at this meeting she has said that tickets sales are going well for the next Group meeting on the 14th May when Jean Martyn, an International Concert Organist and Pianist is the speaker. Tickets are £7.00 and so far 7 have been sold. There was no other Group news.

Other matters:

Diane will organise the speakers for next year and has already received several ideas from other members.

Beryl went through the Fire Drill procedure in case we needed to evacuate the hall at any time.

Volunteers for refreshments for our next meeting on July 11th were asked for and Sally Gordon and Karen Hartley offered.

The committee are still working on details for our 70th Celebration and any ideas from members would be welcomed. Beryl asked if members would like any entertainment on the night.

The Cheese and Wine evening is on Friday 8th June. Tickets cost £8.50. We do not have another meeting before this so we hope everyone will support this fund raising event. We are asking for raffle prizes of bottles, chocolates or plants. Karen has the quizzes for the night in hand. Help with setting up in the afternoon is required. Diane and Catherine are to do the small flower arrangements for the tables.

The Village Fete Day is on Saturday 7th July and once again we have been asked to provide the refreshments. If everyone is in agreement a list will be sent round for volunteers to bake cakes and assist in serving the refreshments.

Nicki has volunteered to be our PAL rep. and she gave a short report of the meeting she attended where Dr Ruth Bromley spoke on "How are ethical dilemmas resolved in medicine." Nicki found this a very interesting and thought provoking meeting. Dr. Bromley has been involved in the recent Alfie Evans case, which has received much publicity.

This year's resolution on Mental Health Matters was discussed and voted on. Glenys is to take our vote to the Cardiff meeting in June. Glenys has been to a meeting where she received more explanation on the resolution. Beryl wished her and Gwen an enjoyable time.

Outings:

Joan has 16 tickets for the outing to Liverpool to see the Calendar Girls, in November. Tickets are £38.25 and she would appreciate payment from those members wishing to go.

Our outing on the 13th June is to Trentham Gardens and as only 2 members said they would drive it was decided to enquire about the cost of a coach. Nicki volunteered to do this.

Beryl then asked Rosie Lee from Weaver Dairy House Farm to give her presentation, on "Farming, the Environment and the Future." After her most interesting talk and power point presentation she was thanked by Ruby Speed.

Refreshments were served by Anne Hall and Helen Chrimes and during this social time it was decided to go to Weaver Dairy House Farm, Winsford, for our June outing instead of Trentham Gardens.