

What's On

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The newsletter of the South Street WI

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Letter from the President

Dear Fellow Members,

I decided to use my letter this month to write about the Harvest Supper. What a lovely evening it turned out to be....but it was all down to the hard work of our wonderful catering ladies, and their helpers, to the members of the committee who laid the tables and carried great boxes of cutlery amongst so much else. Thank you to our two talented decorators who turned a dull old hall into a warm and welcoming venue, and thanks to the washers up from another WI, it made life so much easier.

In fact just thank you to you all for whatever help you gave, and last but not least for all your lovely emails and comments.

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Door Hostesses:

Door Hostesses: Pauline Knight, Jean Bingham, Sylvia Cooke, Doris Marley.

Tea Rota

November: Angela Barker, Pat Dole, Gillian Dole

December: Sheena Reid, Jill Nelson, Jenny Roberts

I will need new names for the New Year and can take them starting today. Thank you. (Pat Hudgell 280262)

Committee Meeting

The next South Street WI Committee Meeting is **Weds. 2nd December at 10am**. Any WI member is welcome to attend. Please call a committee member in order for us to make arrangements, as we meet in members' homes where space may be limited

New Year's Lunch

The Walpole Bay Hotel, Cliftonville is booked on **Wednesday 27th January 2016** for the New Year lunch and the cost will be £22. The board is out again today for you to add your name to the list and upon receipt of the

full cost you may choose your menus. All payments and completed menus must be to me by the December meeting at the latest. (*Deanne Meeres 262998*)

South Street WI Holiday Fund

Due to the lack of enough support over the past couple of years we have now decided that we ought to close the bank account in the name of "South Street Holiday account". There is approximately £13 in this account and it would be impossible to share that amount out amongst the previous supporters of this venture, so bearing this in mind we suggest the withdrawal of this balance and donate it to the ACWW collection in February 2016. (*Deanne Meeres*)

ACM – East Kent Federation

The Annual Council Meeting in Folkestone is **Wednesday 23rd March 2016**. It may seem a little early to be publicising this, but the closing date for ordering tickets (by name) is 15th January. Jan Leeming is the guest speaker. A board is out today. The cost will be £10 per ticket plus £10 for the coach. (*Linda Swift*)

Denman Bursary

For those of our new members who don't know, each year our WI gives a Bursary for a member to attend Denman College to take a residential course. The Bursary is for £400 and all members, who have not previously won it, are entitled

to apply. I am now compiling the list of names and the draw will take place at the January meeting. Please see me at the Outings table or ring me on 771904 if you wish your name to be added to the list, or deleted from last year's list, or would like more information. (*Jean Bingham*)

Dates for Your Calendar

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

November

17th Craft & Home Economics (*Sue Larkins*)

19th Walk with Jenny (*Jenny Taylor*)

December

2nd WI Committee Meeting

3rd Shutterbugs (*Jane Hakes*)

7th Walk with Jenny

8th Craft & Home Economics Christmas Tea at The Monument Pub (*Sue Larkins*)

9th WI Monthly Meeting

January

6th WI Committee Meeting

13th WI Monthly Meeting

27th NY Lunch, Walpole Bay

November Birthdays



Seaton, Ann	11-02
Bermudez-Miller, Linda	11-17
Jordan, Joan	11-17
Thorniley, Rosemary	11-20
Eckersley, Anne	11-24
Fulton, Tracie	11-26

Craft & Home Economics Guild

The Craft and Home Economics Guild meets on the **17th November**, AGM 2.15 at St. John's Church, Swalecliffe. Our turn to hostess. (*Sue Larkins*)

Shutterbugs

The photography interest group ("Shutterbugs") will not meet in November. We next meet for lunch on **3rd December** at the Marine Hotel, Tankerton, at noon. Anyone interested in photography is welcome to join us. (*Linda Swift or Jane Hakes*)

Knitting

THANK YOU to all those who have contributed to the many items now on the table at the back of the hall. These will be going to Beer Cart Lane at the beginning of December for distribution. If anyone wishes to carry on with knitting for charity please let me know. Once again, thank you very much for your help. (*Pat Hudgell*)

Ongoing Activities/News

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

Local Walks: Our next walks will be **Thursday 19th November** and **Monday 7th December** leaving All Saints Hall at 10am. (*Jenny Taylor*)

Reminder

Please remember that the **deadline** for items to include in the "What's On" newsletter is **5pm on the Thursday before the monthly meeting.**