October Newsletter

Camberley Diamond WI

St. Mary's Church & Centre, Park Road, Camberley, GU15 2SR President: *Christine Craig*

Ladies,

Our Craft Evening in September was a very exciting and creative meeting which was enjoyed by all. It gave us an opportunity to try new things but there wasn't time to do everything so by popular demand it is on the Events Programme for next year! A big thank you to all the workshop leaders for sharing their skills with us.

Anyone who is interested in a crochet group to learn or improve their skills please contact Christine Craig.









Important Notice - AGM 11th November

All members of the committee have expressed their willingness to serve for another year. Other WI members are very welcome to put their names forward for election to the committee. Please contact Christine Craig if you are interested



Future Events

October 14

1st Birthday Party
November 11

AGM & Quiz Night
December 9

Christmas Celebrations

In the Community

October 19
Quiz at St Mary's Church
7.00 – 10.00 pm
Make up a team of 8 or just
come as individuals and be
put in a team on the night

November 23 Christmas Craft Fair

St Peter's Church Frimley from 1.30 – 4.00 pm
Sarah Jane Croke (At the Drop of a Hat) has reserved a table for our WI to sell crafts. If you are interested please email her atthedropofahat@live.com

15th October 7.30 – 9.30 pm Lakeside International Hotel, Wharf Road, Frimley Green, GU16 6JR.

A talk by Surgeon Isabella Karat on Breast Awareness – Strategies for Prevention, Myths and Future Trends in Cancer Management.

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WI Meeting on Monday 14 October

Join us for cava and canapés at our next meeting when we will celebrate our first anniversary and all that we have achieved. George Yates will entertain us with magic, comedy and mentalism. Our guests are Sheila Tickner, Jane Randell and Jo Voogt from the SFWIs and Rev Andrew Knowles, David Reed and Kay Rothwell from St Mary's Church. These are all people who have helped and supported us throughout the year.

If you haven't put your name down for canapés then please bring a plate of tasty treats to the meeting.

Please note that there will not be a Bring and Buy table.

Chelsea Hospital

Our visit to the Royal Hospital Chelsea on 3 October was a really interesting and enjoyable day. We were shown round the magnificent grounds and buildings by Bill Bullick, one of the in-house pensioners. He was an entertaining guide and answered our many questions with good humour. A delicious lunch and tea added to our enjoyment of the day.







Our next visit will be to the Christmas Market in Winchester In early December. Details to follow.

Charity

Our collecting for charity is going very well. Please bring any used stamps, computer ink cartridges, mobile phones, old spectacles, plastic milk bottle tops, foreign coins and bras to our meetings.

St Mary's is a collection point for BESOM which, amongst other things, collects food to distribute to those in need in our community. Non-perishable items can be left on the chest in the church entrance.

News from the Surrey Federation

The 300 Club

This is a lottery which raises funds for the SFWI. You can join as an individual member or a syndicate and the annual subscription for both is £15. For 10 months of the year there are two prizes of £25 and twice a year there is a Grand Draw with prizes of £500, £100 and £50. For more information and an application form please contact Christine Craig. Application forms must be returned by Wednesday 6 November.

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Sub Groups

Book Group 13 November The Book Thief by Markus Zusak

Thursday Night Supper Group 14 November at the Little Greek, Frimley Road

Friday Night Supper Group 22 November at the Carpenters Arms, Sunninghill

Walking Group 24 October, Basingstoke Canal

Knitting Group 17 October

Coffee Mornings 14 & 28 October at Café Nero

IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN JOINING ANY OF OUR SUB GROUPS PLEASE CONTACT JAN ANSELL (<u>Janetansell@yahoo.com</u>) WHO WILL PUT YOU IN CONTACT WITH THE APPROPRIATE PERSON.

Recipe Book

Sue O'Riordan would like to compile a collection of your favourite recipes - starters, main courses, desserts, cakes, preserves and anything else you can think of. The book will be an interesting and fun way to share recipes and raise funds for our WI. Recipe cards will be available at the meetings for you to take home and fill out or you can email Sue at sue68diamond@gmail.com



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