

A YEAR IN THE LIFE OF

WHITLEY

WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

2016

members

We currently have

84 members

77 full and 7 dual

JANUARY

welcomed a new President

Joan

Blackshaw



JANUARY

A Great Start to the year

“THE GREAT BRITISH BAKE-OFF”

Yasmin Limbert



FEBRUARY

★HAPPY★
BIRTHDAY!

WHITLEY

78 years

BIRTHDAY MEETING

*Cake Made by Anne O Neil
cut by a smiling Joyce Barber*



SPEAKER was Derek Poulson

*with his
wonderful
regional
accents
Which made
us all laugh*

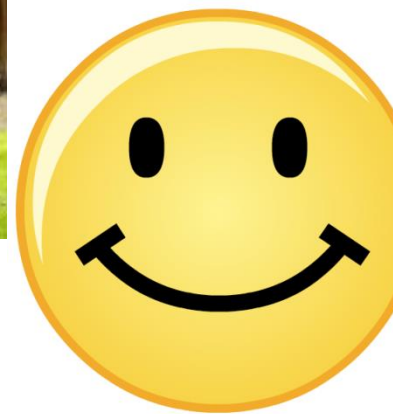


DENMAN BURSARY

Won by Joyce Kirkpatrick



CONGRATULATIONS



MARCH

Making the most of your garden with Jane Allison



APRIL



MEMBERS NIGHT

**ALWAYS A
SURPRISE!**



MANY THANKS to:

OUR MAGNIFICENT MEMBERS

Melanie Barber Pat Gaskell

Anne O'Neil Alison Morton

Pam Straw Irene Robinson

Virginia Butterworth

Ann McMurtrie

(hope I havent missed anyone)

They introduced us to
ROGER PACE, from Whitley
PIES and his business



NANCY was our Members Night COMPETITION WINNER





MAY

William Boyce
Lifeboats and life Savers



"Okay! So you were right! The discount cruises aren't as fun as they make them out to be."

JUNE



Joint Meeting at Dutton WI

**A
JAPANESE
EVENING**



JULY

*Judy POPLEY...
the HISTORY of ARLEY HALL*



AUGUST

Evening at Antrobus Golf Club



AUGUST EVENING EVENT

at *ANTROBUS GOLF CLUB*



A BUFFET SUPPER WITH FRIENDS

overlooking the beautiful Cheshire Countryside

7.00pm for 7.30pm



Also... Optional Activities for a bit of fun

Never Played Golf? Try the driving range....6.30pm

Finish the evening in the games room, darts and pool.

SEPTEMBER

*The Ups of Downs
Amand a Glennon*



OCTOBER

Warrington Food Banks



Fair Trade with Penny Hennessey



Its NOVEMBER

OUR

ANNUAL

MEETING

And then

TONIGHT we look forward to Raymond Rush



NOVEMBER MEETING Annual Meeting



And a talk on

Witchcraft and Superstitions

Competition: Something Spooky!



In DECEMBER

Our Christmas Party

Don't forget to sign up and pay tonight



KEEP
CALM

IT'S

NEARLY
CHRISTMAS!

WHITLEY WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

**CHRISTMAS
PARTY 2016**

**BUFFET SUPPER, FUN and
ENTERTAINMENT**

Thurs 1st Dec £20

Doors open at 6.45 for 7.15pm start

**It was Happy Christmas 2015 from our
new President and everyone else**





CHRISTMAS PARTY GOERS

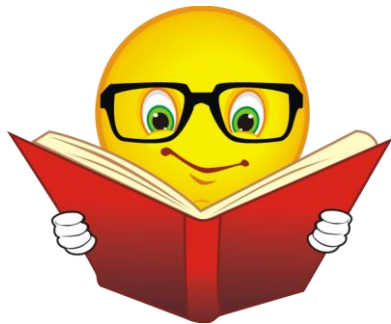
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WOMEN'S INSTITUTE**

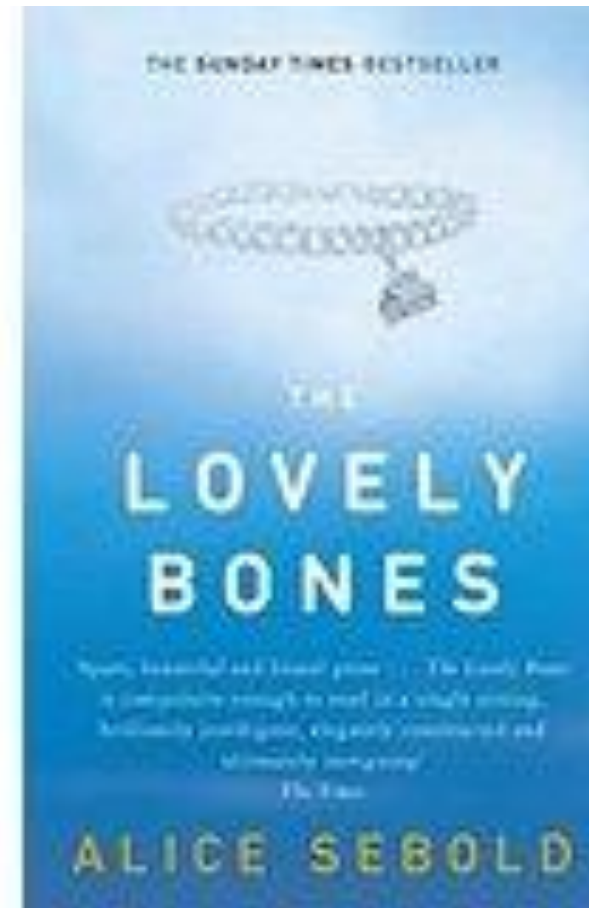
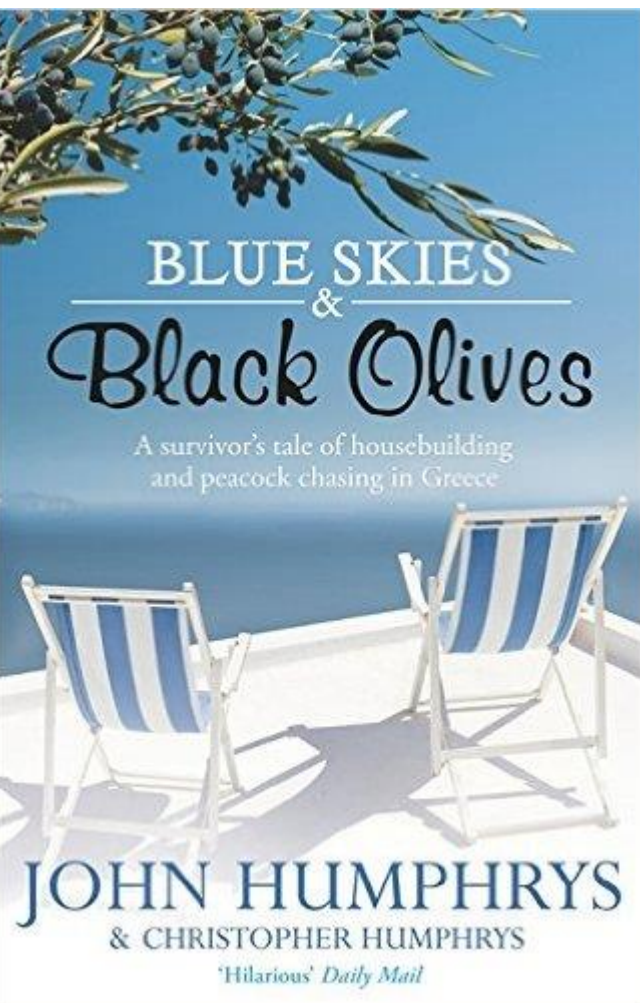
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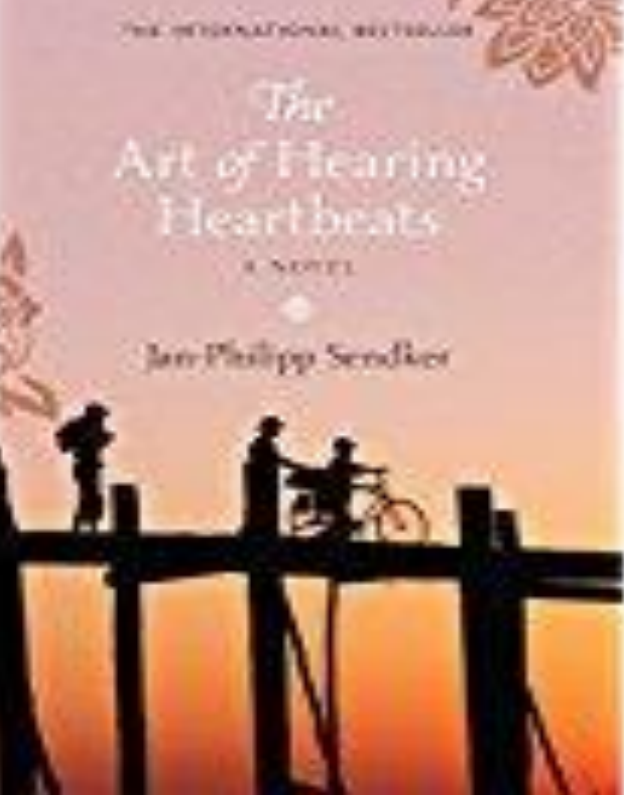
2016

BOOK CLUB

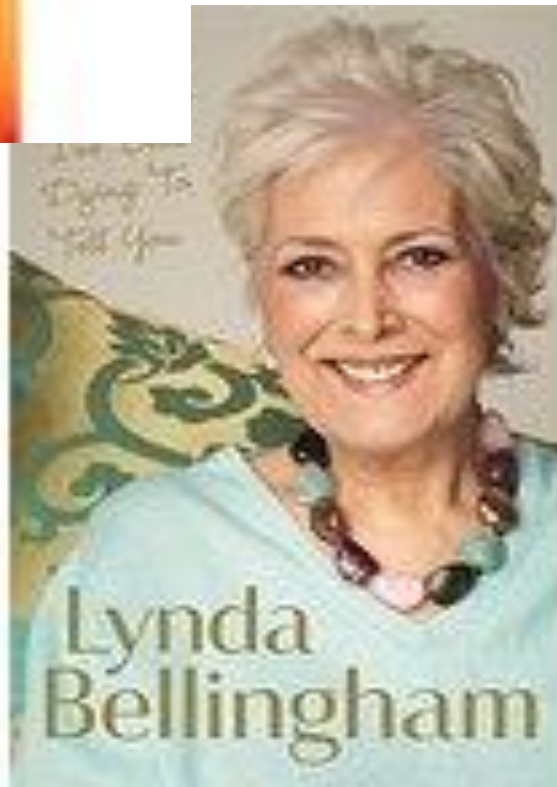
*Many Thanks to Helen Carey and
Joyce Barber for their excellent
hospitality
hosting these
monthly
meetings*







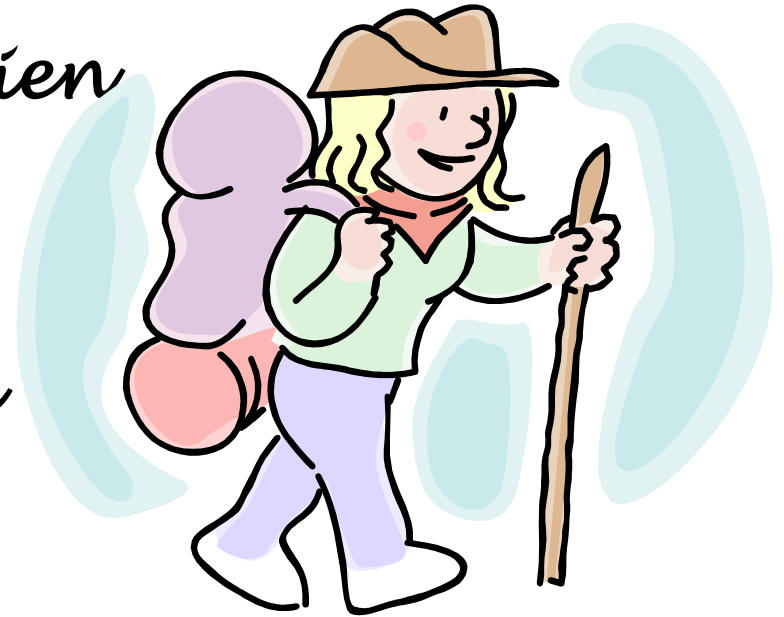
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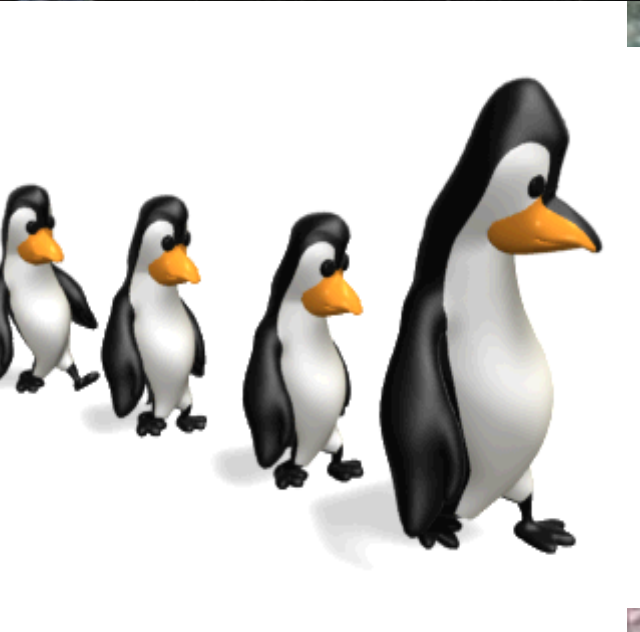
*Good
chatter as
well*

WALKING GROUP

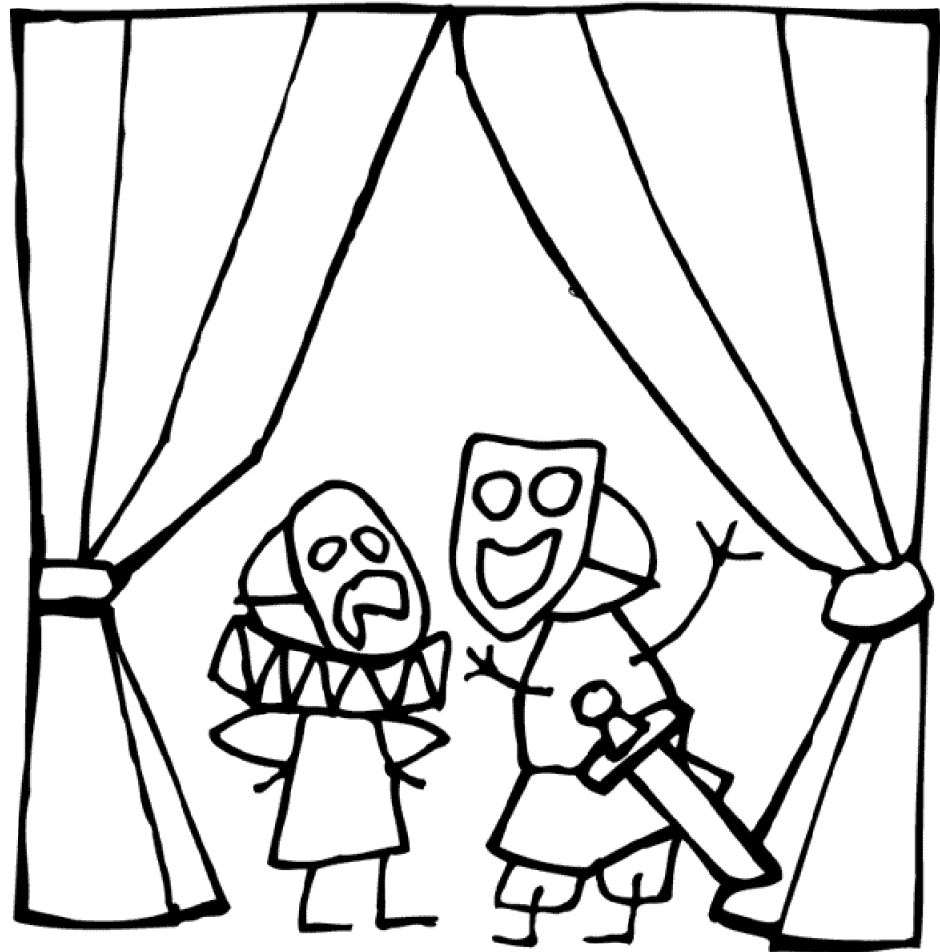
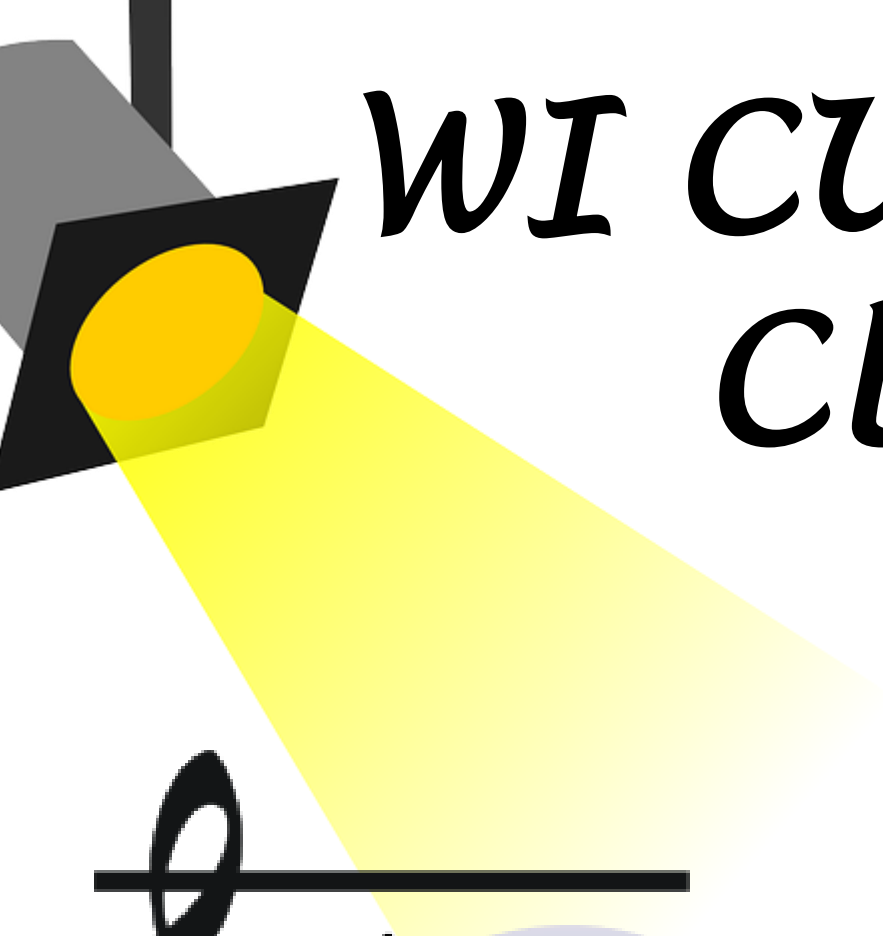
*Many Thanks to Ann O'Brien
for all her work,
Not just organising
the walks, but checking
the routes out in advance
and for locating a really
nice place for lunch*







WI CULTURE CLUB



THANK YOU

**Thank you for all the
organisation especially
Sally and Chris.**

**Its not always easy, especially
sorting out transport, but this new
venture has become very popular**

January



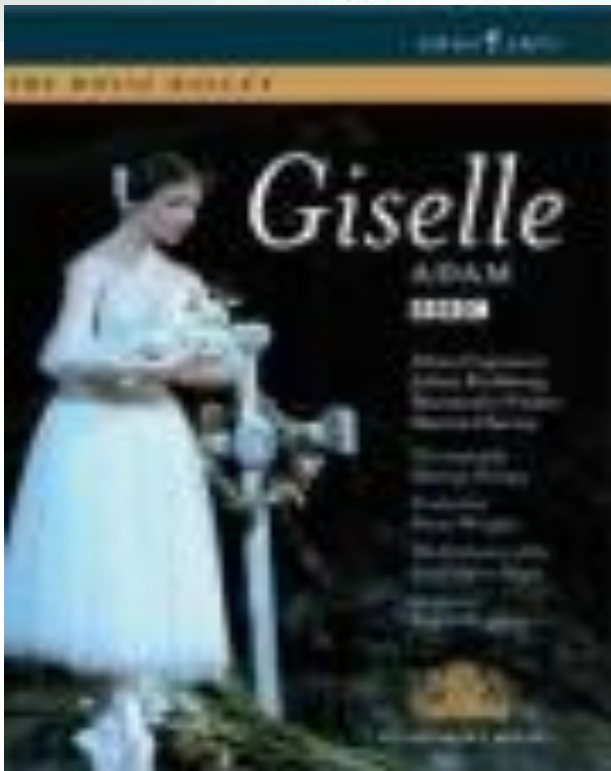
The GIRLS

A NEW MUSICAL BASED ON CALENDAR GIRLS
BY GARY BARLOW AND TIM FIRTH



EDUCATING *Rita*

A Comedy by
Willy Russell



HELEN FORRESTER'S **Two**pence TO CROSS THE MERSEY



“A Brilliant Play”
Cheshire Today

DARTS TEAM

Thank you all so much

For all those Winter Evenings when
you represented Whitley WI

ESPECIALLY Ann Tolson their inspiring
Captain

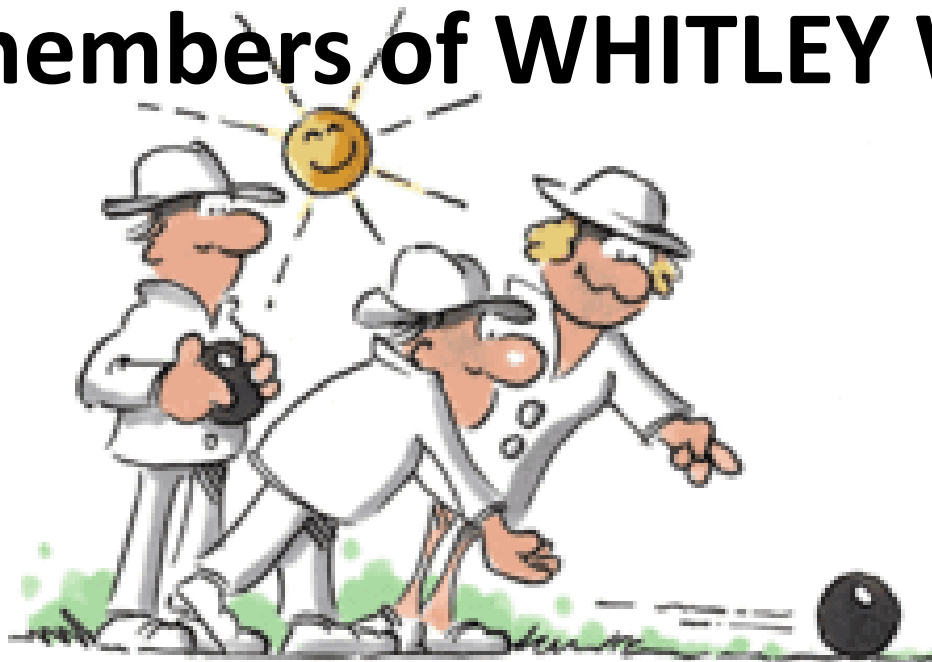
GOOD LUCK for 2017





**WHITLEY WI run 2 teams, so lots of
members take part**

**THANKYOU to you from all the
members of WHITLEY WI**





THE Adelaide Hough Shield

For the Bowler of the year celebrates 26 years



WINNER

CONGRATULATIONS

ON Winning

the 2016 Adelaide Hough shield

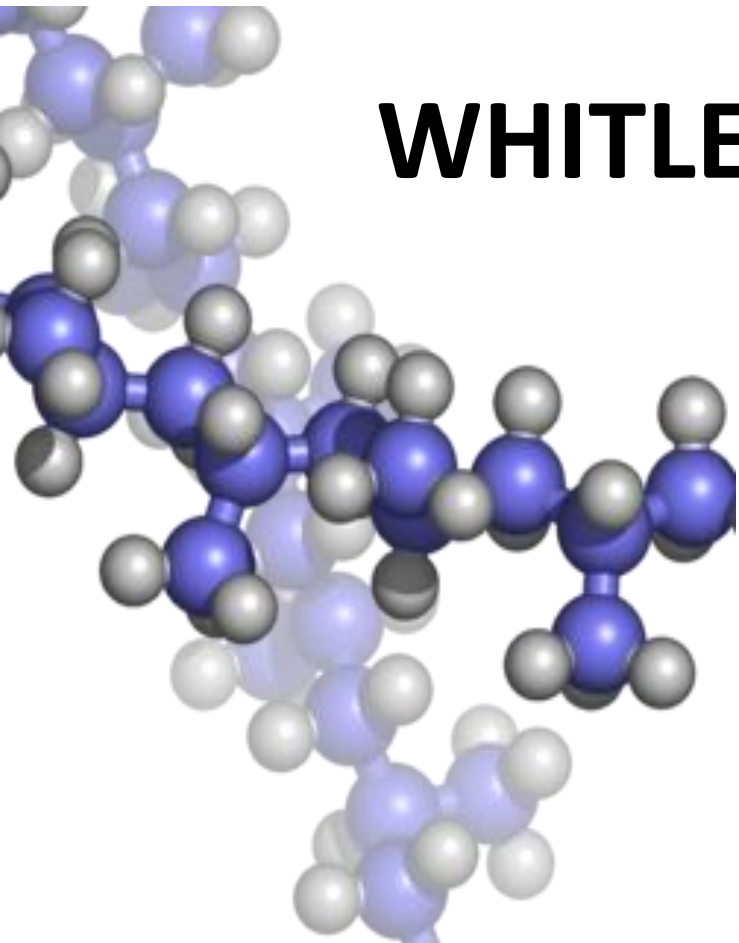
Ann Tolson



**Ann
With
Adelaide**



WHITLEY SCHOOL LINKS



Some of our members visited Whitley School to give the youngsters a lesson entitled

“The Magic of Plastic”

FRIDAY 1st JULY... It was fun



CHESHIRE SHOW

CONGRATULATIONS to

*ALL who entered on
behalf of*

Whitley Women's Institute



FAR HORIZONS An African Theme

Combined
Co-Operative

**A Knitting PROJECT
to dementia patients
Twiddle Muffs and Teddies**

**Thanks to
all our
amazing
knitters**

Made with love



26 Twiddle Muffs and 16 Teddies THANK YOU



VISITS



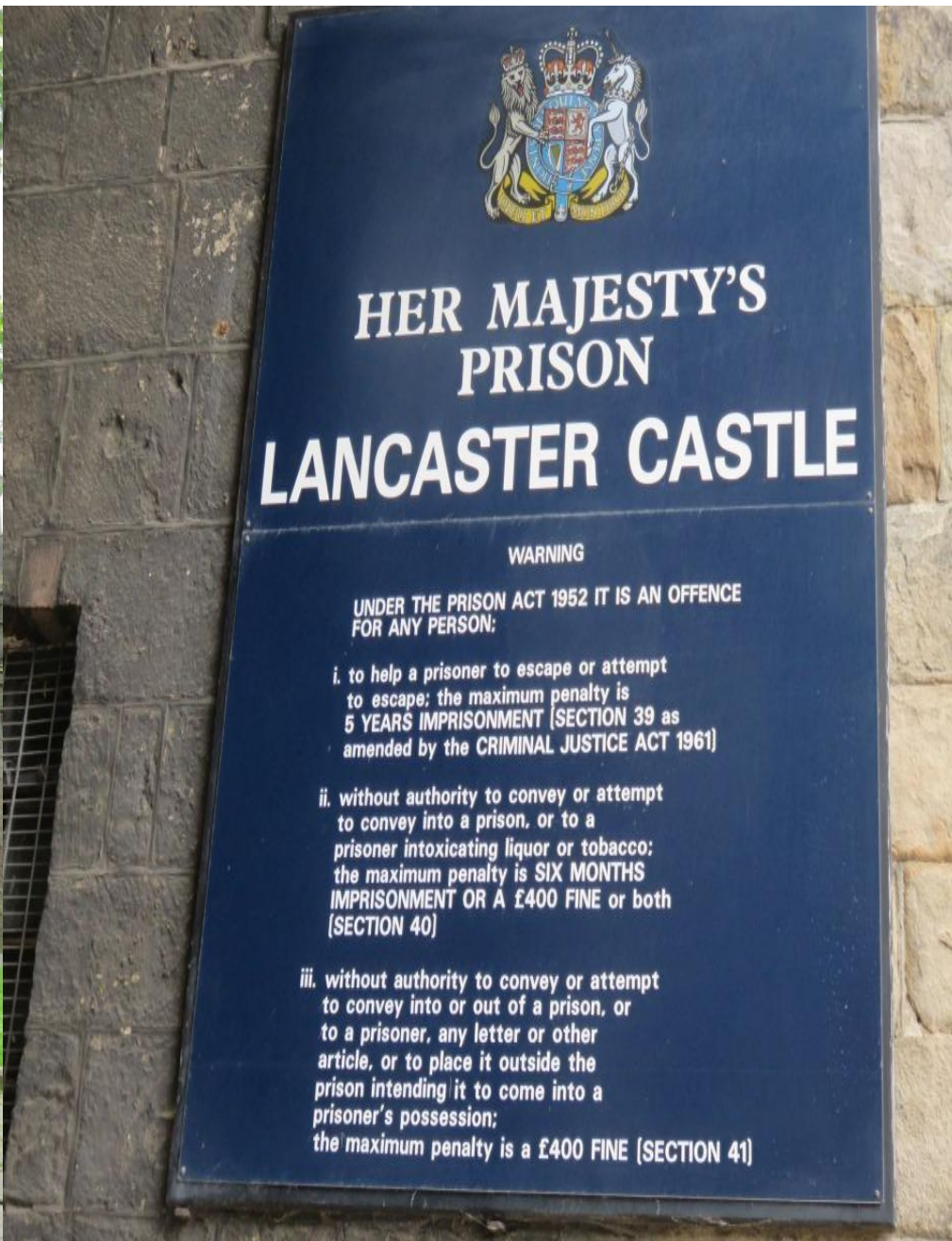
LANCASTER

for our

MAY OUTING

special thanks

to Ann T, Ann B and Lorna



**HER MAJESTY'S
PRISON
LANCASTER CASTLE**

WARNING

**UNDER THE PRISON ACT 1952 IT IS AN OFFENCE
FOR ANY PERSON:**

- i. to help a prisoner to escape or attempt to escape; the maximum penalty is 5 YEARS IMPRISONMENT [SECTION 39 as amended by the CRIMINAL JUSTICE ACT 1961]**
- ii. without authority to convey or attempt to convey into a prison, or to a prisoner intoxicating liquor or tobacco; the maximum penalty is SIX MONTHS IMPRISONMENT OR A £400 FINE or both [SECTION 40]**
- iii. without authority to convey or attempt to convey into or out of a prison, or to a prisoner, any letter or other article, or to place it outside the prison intending it to come into a prisoner's possession; the maximum penalty is a £400 FINE [SECTION 41]**









THE ANDERTON BOAT LIFT

Tues 18th Oct 2pm-4.30pm



£13

Visit includes a
40min boat trip
followed by tea and
scones

book at the
September Meeting

WORLD HISTORY ON OUR DOORSTEP

Afternoon Tea before the Ride



ON THE BOAT



GROUP LUNCH

*Enjoying time with our group
WI friends*

**Antrobus, Moore and Daresbury,
Halton, Dutton and the newly
formed Runcorn**





Spring Group Meeting

Dorothy Monks

Inspriational Flowers



WI VILLAGE GROUP MEETING

Thursday 27th October 7:30

Preston Brook Village Hall

Sandy Lane, Preston Brook WA7 3AW

'TEA GOWNS & TEA TIME'



£4.50

TICKETS FOR SALE AT THE SEPTEMBER and OCTOBER MEETINGS



GROUP

TRIP

Blenheim

Palace





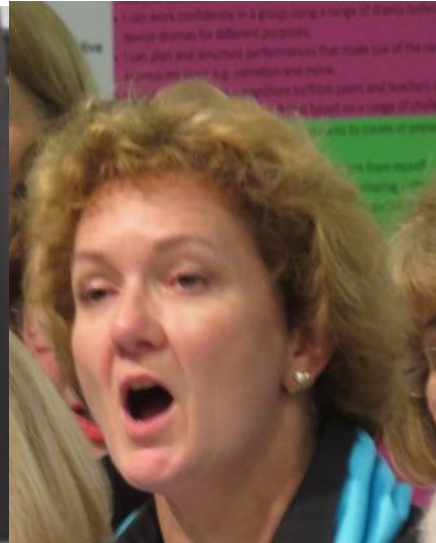
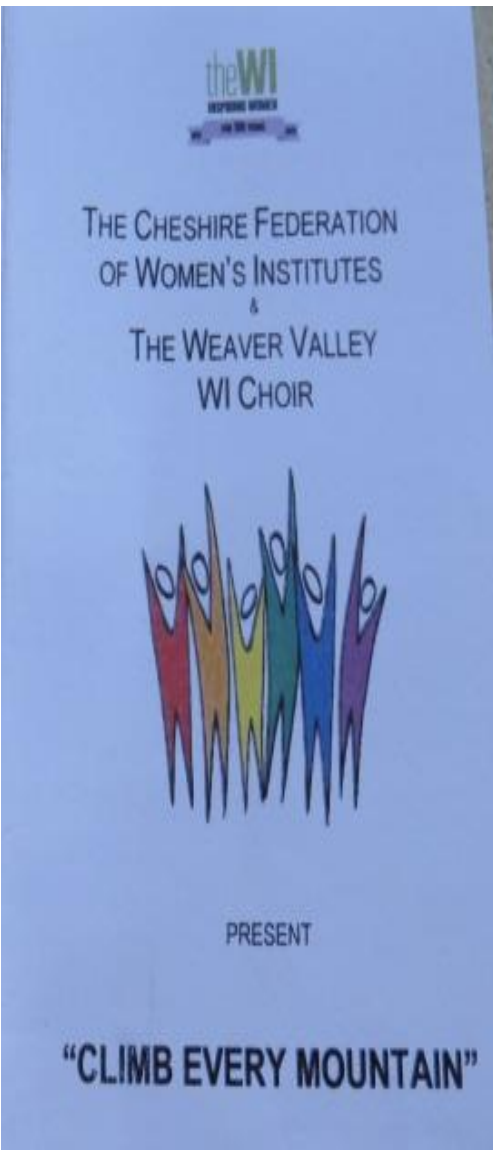




A lot of Members took part in and enjoyed Music From the Weaver Valley Choir



Raising Funds for Denman 'Climb Every Mountain'



SOME OF US MET FAMOUS PEOPLE

Pat and Susan..... The Man in The White Suit



At the AUTUMN COUNCIL Meeting



ANGELA RIPPON

MAIN EVENT of the YEAR

Queen Elizabeth's 90th Birthday Party



A THANK YOU from the Queen for the beautiful birthday card made by Norah



BUCKINGHAM PALACE

*I send you my grateful thanks
for the kind words you have
sent to me on the occasion of
my ninetieth birthday*

ELIZABETH R

2016





BALMORAL





CLARENCE
HOUSE

MAIN ACHIEVEMENT

www.whitleywi.org.uk

Our Website

Thanks to Jenny Roberts, for all her work, as well as lending us her husband David

And to Vincent a relation of Joan's for his invaluable help



LOTS and LOTS went on in 2016

**We've tried to cover
everything.**

**Huge apologies if We have
missed out anything**



IT WAS A GOOD YEAR FOR ALL

Into
2017

A HAPPY
NEW YEAR

THE MIDLAND HOTEL



**Enjoy a Tour and Afternoon Tea at
this prestigious hotel
Monday 6th February**

£30

Tour Starts at 1.30pm... Includes transport from WVH

NEXT YEAR'S PROGRAMME

*Sally has put together
another fantastic
programme, lots of good
speakers and things to look
forward to*

First meeting is Thursday 5th January

Here at 7.30pm

The Speaker will be

Keith Yearsley

**'MY LIFE IN
MUSIC'**



See you there!

Thanks for listening