

MERRY CHRISTMAS TO OUR MEMBERS & FRIENDS



Message from our President:

May I take this opportunity to thank all the members for their support over the past year? We have enjoyed a wide range of activities as well as a varied programme of speakers at the monthly meetings. Next year we are looking forward to celebrating 100 years of the WI movement with some exciting events planned. I wish everyone a happy and healthy Christmas and New Year. *Kate*

Baslow WI 95th birthday lunch, 5 November: 40 Baslow WI members enjoyed a fabulous lunch at Fischer's, Baslow Hall. It was a wonderful social occasion, perfect because none of us had to wash up!

NSPCC Coffee Morning, 10 November: Judith and her committee at Chesterfield NSPCC organised this event. It was well supported by WI members from all around the Chesterfield area. Judith raised an amazing £900!

WI Annual Meeting, 12 November: This was a lively meeting with plenty of laughter when Pat Hall returned as our speaker. We reviewed the year and nominated a team. Kate continues as our President, photographed here with the cake she made for Baslow WI's 95th birthday celebration.



Wills, Trusts, Inheritance Tax etc, 19 November:

It was great to welcome Suzanne Porter back to Baslow. She gave an upbeat, lively talk reminding us about the importance of keeping our financial planning up to date.



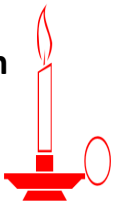
ACWW Christmas Market, 24 November:

Three of us went to Derby to support the Associated Country Women of the World Christmas get-together. It was a good informative day with lots of inspiration to continue supporting this charity.

WI walk - Barlow: Our new Team Member, Judy, led a walk in the Barlow area, the conditions weren't great, wet, foggy and muddy but everyone enjoyed themselves walking and having lunch at The Hackney House Cafe and Gift Shop. *Thanks Judy.*

3rd DECEMBER

2pm, St Anne's Church
Devonshire Group
Christmas Event
See Diary Dates for
more details.



Friends & family welcome.

10th DECEMBER

12.30pm Buffet Lunch

served by Jo's Pantry
booking essential.

2pm WI Meeting

Wreath Making Workshop

with Sam from 'Fresh Ideas'
Bring greenery & secateurs
if possible please.

DECEMBER BIRTHDAYS



Ann McPhie, Joan Grounsell,
Sue Eaton & Pat Bown

AT BASLOW WI WE COLLECT

- Jam jars
- Items for High Peak Women's refuge
- Plastic milk bottle tops
- School vouchers
- Used postage stamps
- Book for book swap table

Please bring these items to WI meetings or WISA

MONEY MATTERS:

This information is available for Baslow WI members.

14 JANUARY WI MEETING:

Speaker: Nicola Hilton 'My time at the Royal School of Needlework'

Thanks you: Lorna

Kitchen helpers: Julia Foster and Linda Young

Social Time: 'Show and tell Christmas'



Nicola with our girls



Full information regarding Baslow WI activities in 2015 is now available on our website: www.baslow-wi.weebly.com and Facebook page: www.facebook.com/baslowwi



Wednesday 3/12/14	Devonshire Group Christmas Event, St Anne's Church Baslow, 2pm. Organist, Joshua Stephens. Everyone welcome. Donations accepted towards refreshments.	Lorna Wilson
Wednesday 10/12/14	Buffet lunch catered by Jo's Pantry 12 for 12.30pm, booking essential, followed at 2pm by WI meeting - wreath making with Sam from Fresh Ideas Chesterfield.	Kate Treves
Monday 15/12/14	Baslow Bikers Christmas Cycle to Millers Dale, meet 9.50am, Hassop Cycle Shop, bike and helmet hire £6 or bring your own. Lunch at the Bookstore 12 midday.	Jane Walker
Wednesday 17/12/14	WI Christmas Walk, meet at Baslow Village Hall, 11am for drinks and nibbles before setting off for a walk and lunch at the Edensor Tea Rooms en route!	Vikki Watson
	! There will be no WI Social Afternoon 'WISA' in December !	
Wednesday 14/1/15	WI Monthly Meeting, 2pm, Baslow Village Hall. Nicola Hilton will be our speaker, 'My time at the Royal School of Needlework'.	Ann McPhie
Wednesday 28/1/15	WI Social Afternoon 'WISA', 2pm Baslow Village Hall. No charge for members! Visitors always welcome donations accepted towards hall hire and refreshments.	Christine Thompson

If you have any questions regarding these events or need to cancel, please telephone the person listed as 'CONTACT' or any team member in their absence. Usually payment is required when you sign for an event so please bring money or cheques to meetings and be prepared!

And finally:

Keep the red wine flowing.....



Team members:

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