

MAY 2022 – MONTHLY MAILING



May 2022

Dear WI Secretary

MCS - As well as being the month of the Queens Platinum Jubilee, June is also MCS month. I've attached some notes from NFWI which should help your MCS representative to keep your records in good order and up to date. Guidelines from National are that WIs should have only one MCS representative to comply with GDPR directives.

New Promotional Materials – These are now available to download from 'My WI'. These include meeting invitations, posters, leaflets and recipes to help you promote your WI and attract new members. They can also be personalised for your WI and downloaded for use on social media.

A note from our Shows Team – Art Section – If a member has used a box canvas for Class 46, the piece does not need a frame on the outside.

Class 48 – The Calligraphy will be A5, and the frame will make the entry slightly bigger which will still be accepted. The flyers for the Show Preview Dinner and County Show Tickets are attached.

ACWW Representative – As advised previously, our current ACWW Rep. Ruth Gibbons would like to step down. If anyone is interested in taking up this rewarding role, please contact the office. Ruth will be very happy to assist with a smooth handover.

GIN & JAZZ 24th June – This event was part of our special Centenary plans. Unfortunately, it has been postponed twice but we're now looking forward to a great evening with entertainment and delicious food. We have now opened it up to all family and friends, not just female so everyone is welcome. Book your places at www.lancashirewi.org.uk If anyone needs help with the booking procedure, please give me a call and I'll be happy to assist.

The Yearbook has gone to print and once received two copies will be posted out to WIs as soon as possible.

Fun Quiz Team – This year’s Fun Quiz was enjoyed by all and we’re grateful to the volunteers who worked hard to make it happen. They’re looking to recruit two new volunteers to join their team of three. If you’re interested, please contact the office.

We hope you all enjoy the special Bank Holiday weekend. If your WI is celebrating, please let us know and we can share your photographs etc. on the LFWI website and Facebook page.

Finally, here are the winning numbers from the 200+ club for May.

200 + Club Draw - May

- £30 - 204 Lynda Williams – Hoghton WI
- £25 - 25 Ruth Gibbons – Caton WI
- 63 Sheila Dooley – Pilling WI
- 145 Anne Parr – Arkholme & District WI

Best Wishes

Diane Jenkins

Federation Secretary

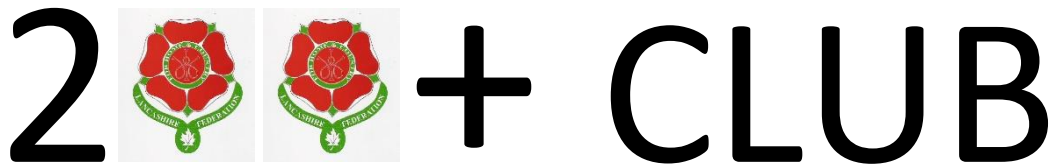
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Enclosures

200+ Club Flyer
Diary and Calendar 2023 Order Form
Flyer – Gregson Lane Treasure Hunt
Flyer – County Show Preview Dinner
Flyer – County Show Tickets
Membership Fees Pro-Rata Form
Flyer – IFE Training
LFWI Calendar Theme 2024
Events – What’s Coming Up
MCS Information

LANCASHIRE FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S INSTITUTES



APPLICATION FORM

Time to renew your subscriptions to the 200+ Club! We want to say a huge thank you to everyone who has supported us this year. The remaining money assists the Federation to host interesting events for you at reasonable cost. So winners all round.

The membership fee is just £10.00 per year, or if you join with a friend, just £5.00 each, but do remember to put just one member's name on the Application form. So, why wait? Join now!!

When we have the final applications, we will advise you of the prize allocation.

If you wish to join for 2022/23 please complete the form below, and return it, **together with cheque (s) for £10 per entrant, payable to LFWI.**

Please note we only accept personal cheques.

A copy of the rules will be sent with the confirmation of your number. Members will receive their draw number via direct email or via their WI Secretary. The first monthly draw in the new Club year will take place in **SEPTEMBER 2022** and the biggest prizes will be drawn at the **Annual Council Meeting 2023.**

Please note membership is open to INDIVIDUAL WI MEMBERS ONLY and not WIs.

Please complete the slip below and return it to:

Federation Secretary, LFWI Offices, Croston House, Lancashire Business Park, Centurion Way, Leyland, PR26 6TU

Closing Date: Monday 12th September 2022

PLEASE LIST NAMES AND ADDRESSES OF PEOPLE WISHING TO JOIN

By providing this information, you are giving permission for your data to be used for WI/Federation purposes.

200 + CLUB 2022/2023

PLEASE WRITE IN BLOCK CAPITALS

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2023 WI DIARY 2023 CALENDAR

Orders are now being taken for the 2023 WI Diary and the 2023 Calendar.

The 2023 diary is packed with information a WI member needs, including WI contact details, notable WI events, Federation details, week to view pages, etc. **Next year's diary will have a RED cover that is completely recyclable, which makes the whole diary recyclable with the exception of the ribbon.**

The 2023 calendar features photographs capturing a selection of crafts by Lancashire WI members with a short narrative on the reverse of the photo.

The price of the diary is £7 and the calendar is £5.

Diaries/calendars can be ordered by completing the form below and returning it to the Federation Secretary, LFWI Offices, Croston House, Lancashire Business Park, Centurion Way, Leyland, PR26 6TU. **The closing date for orders is Thursday 25th August 2022.**

We are holding a 'Friendly Friday' diary and calendar collection morning at the office on Friday 7th October from 10.30am – 12.30pm when tea/coffee and cake will be available. If this isn't possible for your WI, other collection arrangements can be made.

We can accept payment direct to the LFWI Bank Account (please email for details), or via cheque to the Office

Closing date: 25th August 2022

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LANCASHIRE FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S INSTITUTES 2023 WI DIARY/2023 CALENDAR

Number of Diaries required @ £7 = £ _____

Number of Calendars required @£5 = £ _____

Total remittance enclosed/paid by BACS = £ _____

Name of WI Secretary.....

Address..... Postcode.....

Tel. Email

Return to: Federation Secretary, LFWI Offices, 8 Croston House, Lancashire Business Park, Centurion Way, Leyland, Lancashire, PR26 6TU



LFWI SHOWS TEAM COUNTY SHOW PREVIEW EVENING & DINNER 2022

- DATE:** Tuesday 20th September 2022
- TIME:** Reception: arrival between 6 and 6.15pm for Dinner at 7pm
- VENUE:** Best Western Garstang Country Hotel and Golf Club PR3 1YE
There is full disabled access to the upper floor.
- CLOSES:** Thursday 1st September 2022
- PRICE:** £23.00 per member

Shows Team members are delighted once again to offer WI members a chance to enjoy a leisurely Preview Dinner, followed by the opportunity to view all the Show exhibits prior to it being open to the public on the 21st and 22nd of September 2022.

Our theme 'Colour Me A Rainbow' gives members the chance to display their many talents.

If you have any queries about this event please contact Janet Wilkinson, Tel 01772 619157 email, janetjoe4@gmail.com

MENU

Slow Roasted Topside of Beef with Yorkshire pudding, pan gravy and roast potatoes

or

Pan Roasted Breast of Chicken Thyme roasted with stuffing, roast potatoes and gravy

or

Salmon Fillet, 6oz baked salmon fillet served with a chive and white wine cream sauce and Duchess potatoes

All served with Vegetables

or

Wild Mushroom Stroganoff in a crispy pastry case with Chef's choice of potato dish

Desserts

Apple Crumble with jugs of cream and custard

or

Vanilla Creme Brule served with a shortcake biscuit

Tea, Coffee and mints.

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CRAFT & PRODUCE SHOW 2022

BEST WESTERN GARSTANG COUNTRY HOTEL AND GOLF CLUB PR3 1YE

£5.00 per ticket

Wednesday 21st September 10am – 9pm

Thursday 22nd September 10am – 5.30pm



**Come and enjoy our 2022 County Show with the theme
'COLOUR ME A RAINBOW'**

There will be crafts and produce in abundance along with a wide variety of stalls for you to enjoy

You can book your tickets in advance on the LFWI website from

1st June, www.lancashirewi.org.uk

The closing date for this method is Monday 12th September and tickets will be sent to the lead booker.

Alternatively, you can come along on the day and pay on entry. Remember the LFWI County Show is open to all, so bring along your friends.



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LEISURE TEAM

TREASURE HUNT – GREGSON LANE COMMUNITY CENTRE

Wednesday 31st August 2022 - 6pm - £10



Join the Leisure Team for an evening Treasure Hunt around Gregson Lane, followed by a light supper of soup, sandwiches, cakes and tea/coffee provided by Gregson Lane WI. Vegetarian options available.

You'll be placed in teams of up to four people on the night. There will be prizes for the winning team and a raffle will be held.

You can book your place on the LFWI website from 1st June

Closing date Thursday 28th July

www.lancashirewi.org.uk



INDEPENDENT FINANCIAL EXAMINERS

Do you like working with figures and helping people? Have you had experience with WI finances? Then why not become an Independent Financial Examiner (IFE).

A training course will be held on Saturday 20th August 2022 from 10am until 4.30pm at the WI Offices, Lancashire Business Park, Leyland, PR26 6TU

Tea/coffee and biscuits will be provided but please bring a packed lunch.

For more details contact Judith Pugh (Scheme Administrator) on 01204 852359

or email judith.pugh30@gmail.com

[You can book your free place on the LFWI website from](#)

[Wednesday 1st June 2022](#)

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