



Lancashire Federation of Women's Institutes

106th Birthday Exhibition

**You are invited to join us in the Board Room at Croston House,
Leyland, PR26 6TU - We will be open
Thursday 24th and Friday 25th September
10am - 4pm**

Our exhibition last year was so successful we have decided to do it again this year.

On show will be more items/trophies from our own cupboards including a history of their origins. For example, the beautiful Scarisbrick WI Crystal Bowl seen on the stage at Annual Council Meetings and the Standfast Trophy which is awarded annually to a member who has made an outstanding contribution to her community but actually originates from Calderstones Hospital. It was a military hospital in WWI treating 56, 800 allied servicemen and later to become a specialist in helping patients with Learning Difficulties and included their own WI for patients supported by Staff.

We would also like to bring to light some of our current WI's very special items which others would find interesting and of course our you can look at very beautiful wall hanging and discover your panel.

Car parking is good and tea and coffee will be available during the day in our latest designed mugs (yes, we will tell you about that design as well).

So, if you have anything you would like to show, please contact Ruth Grimley and we can discuss contribution, collection and return.

Email ruth.grimley@gmail.com by 31st August 2026