

## Newsletter - May 2017

We hope you like the idea of a Newsletter; this is our third edition. The aim is to keep you informed and to help you get the most from your W.I.

Please tell us what you like, what we missed, or anything we could do better. If you would like a copy in larger print, please just ask - it's easily done!

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### Fundraising

#### **Women Walk the World in aid of ACWW (Associated Country Women of the World) - Sunday 30th April**

A group of us, including Barclay the spaniel met in the Cothelstone Hill car park. The weather was a bit miserable but nevertheless we continued and had a lovely walk though the views were slightly spoilt by the low cloud. Then to the Pines Cafe for hot drinks and cake. Well done to Jane, Lisa, Jenny, Julie, Janet and Sue!

**Cuppa & Cake in aid of Breast Cancer** - on Thursday 4th May at 15a Riverton Road from 10am - 2pm. Cori is doing The Moonwalk (a walking marathon through the night wearing a decorated bra!). Please come along to support her and her friends.

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### Puriton WI Events/Groups

*If you have any ideas for future events or outings, please speak to one of the Committee.*

**Ladies Who Lunch** - Wednesday 3rd May at 12:30pm at The Admiral's Table (change of venue). Speak to Karen if you need a lift.

Then the next one will be on Wednesday 28th June at the Fox & Goose, Brent Knoll. Please sign up and pre-order your food.

**Book Club** - "The Dangerous Lady" by Martina Cole is the latest book which will be reviewed on Wednesday 3rd May at 7:30 at Katie's.

**Pub Night** - Tuesday 23rd May at the Puriton Inn. Join us for a glass or two and a chat, from 7:30pm.

**Craft Group** - on Friday 26th May from 2pm to 4pm. Bring your own project or just come for a chat. Cost £1.00 to include tea/coffee and biscuit. Speak to Karen for more information.

**Willows & Wetlands Visit** - We are planning a trip on Thursday 6th July. A guided tour is available for £4.50 to find out how willow is processed and to watch the skilled basket-makers weaving baskets. Please sign up if you are interested.

**70s Party Night** - Tuesday 1st August. Live Music, fancy dress encouraged, buffet supper. Bring your own drinks. Tickets will be on sale next month - £7.50 for members, £10 for guests (ladies only).

# Polden Hills Group News & Events

**Autumn Meeting** - will be hosted by us! Watch this space for further details.

**Skittles Tournament** - our first match was against Walton and sadly we lost! This month we play Shapwick so wish us luck!

**Group Quiz** - Friday 16th June at Woolavington Village Hall. Cost £3.00. Open to husbands and non-WI members. Teams of 4. Sign up if you'd like to go.

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## SCFWI (Somerset County Federation) Events & News

### New Events this month:

**Nostalgia Trip** - Wednesday 12th July.  
Details on front cover of May County News.

**Summer County Quiz** - Wednesday 26th July. Details on page 10 of May County News.

### Last chance to sign up to these events:

**Summer Singing Day** - Wednesday 14th June. Details in March County News (page 1).

**An Evening with Simon Cornwell** - Thursday 22nd June. Details on front cover of May County News.

**Please add your name to the list if you would like to attend any of the above events. Full payment must be made before tickets can be requested.**

**NB** *If there is anything else that you would like to attend, you can apply for tickets using the form in this month's edition of County News.*

**200+ Club** - See Sue for details and form.

**Bulb orders** - order form and money (cheque or cash) must be given to Sue at June meeting at the latest. Bulbs are good quality and this raises valuable funds for SCFWI.

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### Current Committee Members:

Katie Newell	683396	Cori Taylor	683118	Julie Murdoch	691219
Janet Williams	684027	Betsy Bowerman	683532	Sue Wood	686921
Vicci Langham	420755	Jenny Jackson	685402		

**If you would like to be a Committee member please speak to Katie.**

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## So Don't Forget! Events this month:

Wednesday 3rd May - Ladies who Lunch

Wednesday 3rd May - Book Club

Thursday 4th May - Cuppa & Cake

Tuesday 23rd May - Pub Night

Friday 26th May - Craft Group

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