

Wolston WI News – April 2019

Dress with Style

Members may be thinking about their spring/summer wardrobe now that the worst of the cold weather is behind us, and Jennifer Ryan was at our April meeting to give them some advice about the right colours they should wear. She said we need to take into consideration the colour of our hair, our eyes, eyebrows and skin tone. She chose members with different colouring and with the use of coloured swatches demonstrated who were better suited to the cool colours (blues, green, purples) and how warmer colours (red, yellow, pink) were more flattering to others. Jennifer said that at one time because of her red hair she thought she could wear any shade of green but that is not so and was also surprised to know that colours she had avoided would suit her colouring.

It was good to see so many people support the duck race arranged by the scouts as we always appreciate it as a fundraiser which enables us to give members quality speakers and to run workshops. We have paper craft workshops organised and have other ideas for workshops later in the year.

Warwickshire Federation Annual Meeting was held at Dallas Burston Polo Ground, Southam, and because of the bigger venue more members were able to attend. It was very interesting to listen to some of the inspirational ladies who told us about the work they do. One such lady has taken cake making to a different level by using all her savings to make cake for members of the armed forces who have been disabled and having to spend time long stays in hospital. She said they appreciate that homely touch as often family and friends are unable to visit often because of distance.

I believe a rather noisy time was enjoyed by some members when they had a gin evening at the Rose and Crown which I am told was high spirits and not the gin!

Half a dozen of us spent an enjoyable evening at Learnington Theatre to see the musical "Cats" which was performed by some very talented singers and dancers.

Our next meeting on Thursday, 11 May we will be joined by some members of Binley Woods W.I. when we will be discussing our resolutions which this year are the Decline of Rural Bus Services and Don't fear the Smear.

Jean Morgan