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NEWSLETTER OF THE WESTBURY AND DISTRICT FRENCH TWINNING ASSOCIATION

14th February 2018

Next Event: Saturday 24th February 2018 - Annual General Meeting

Future dates for the diary:

Saturday 24th March - Quiz - more details later.

Wednesday 25th April - Monday 30th April 2018 - Visit to Château du Loir

Annual General meeting - Saturday 24th February 2018

Another year has slipped by and we will be meeting for our AGM on Saturday the 24th of February at The United Reformed Church Hall. We will start with the business part of the meeting at 7.30 pm so please arrive in time to be seated so we can start promptly. As you know we always do our best to make the business part as short as possible.

May we ask you to consider joining the committee as we have several vacancies this year, the commitment is not onerous as we only have a committee meeting just before an event, so it only amounts to ten or eleven a year and the meetings only last for about an hour.

Supper will consist of soup, bread, cheese, paté and salads. We don't charge for this meeting but a donation towards the food would be appreciated. Please bring your own drinks and we will have a raffle. Just a reminder that subs will be due, so you might like to bring your cheque book with you, and please let us know if you will be coming to help us to know how many to cater for.

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Not the Burns Night - Saturday 27th January 2018

Our Burns celebration this year was only two days after the correct date! Thanks to you all for coming, we had a record number, and thanks also to all the cooks and those who helped with the preparation of the hall and the washing up. The entertainment kept us laughing and we hope more of you will be encouraged to join the entertainers next year.

Château du Loir visit 2018 - Total cost of trip £190 per person

We are sure you all know the dates for our visit to Château du Loir this year but just a reminder they are 24th April - 30th April inclusive. Maryse has been busy sorting out the hosts and the programme for our visit and she will let us know as soon as she has completed all the arrangements. At the same time we have been busy compiling the itinerary for the Wednesday and Thursday morning and we will give you all the info at the AGM.

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The first tranche of the deposits have been paid, the second one for the hotel, and the final payment to Brittany Ferries are due the first week of March, so we now have to ask you for the remainder of the cost for the trip, that is £140 per person. (£190 less £50 deposit already paid). We are happy to receive your cheques at the AGM or by post to Jean at 2 the Tynings, BA13 3PZ if you are not coming that evening.

We hope we have found parking places in Westbury for anyone coming from out of Town, so if you haven't received an email about parking please mention it during the evening after the business meeting at the AGM. We will give you all the news and the details of the trip at the quiz night on the 24th March or in the April Gemini.

AND FINALLY

Your comments: None -You have all been very quiet since Christmas.

Thank you all for your comments in the past - please keep sending them in. We welcome any more items of news from you so if you have anything you would like to share with our members, please send them to an email address below. We would especially like more of your feedback on any of the events.

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