



## 'The Rogues Gallery'



*Elaine*

At tonight's meeting we will be delighted to welcome District 9 Chairman Elaine. It's not an official visit, which we hope will be in person in March 2021, but just to meet us and see what we do.



*Pattie*

We decided to keep little photographs of members with the Club membership file. Then we decided to show photos of everyone, if possible, on the newsletter, so the newer members who have had little time to get to know the rest will at least know who has been calling them every week. This time we start with some of the Committee.



*Jackie*



*Kay*



*Linda*



*Sheila*

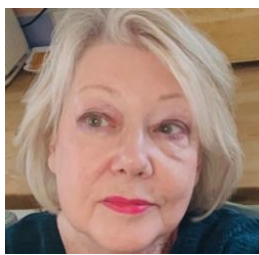


*Alison*

Donations made during the summer, which included some from Breakout meetings, have brought in £170 for One Can and £216 for Rennie Grove. I'm going to ask that we make the sums up and send them off now. I also suggested last time that we concentrate on my main Charity, Rennie Grove, for September and October for any donations members might like to make. They sent me an impact statement of how the coronavirus pandemic has affected their income. Fundraiser income will be 50 -75% down this year against the budget. I'll put this to the meeting tonight.



*Avril*



*Jan*



*Joan*



*Pauline P*



*Gwyneth*



Maddy had an email from Kori including photographs of babies wearing the Fish&Chips jumper sets. We think one of them was made by Marlow. So glad they are being used and don't they look cute.



We are pleased to have had news from 3 of our Link Clubs.

- **Lymington** has had a couple of socially distanced coffee mornings but postponed a walk and lunch. The town has been busy. President Alisson has been working on her programme, but like the rest of us finds it difficult to plan. They are having some Zoom meetings and concentrating on keeping in touch.
- **Ilkley** has been in lockdown, part of the Bradford Metropolitan District. They are hoping to have a Committee meeting in September and move on from there.
- **Narre Warren**, in Melbourne, Victoria was half way through Stage 4 coronavirus lockdown with masks and curfew when the email and newsletter came. They hope for easing of restrictions so the Inner Wheel Clubs can come out of hibernation and get back to what they do best - serving the community and enjoying each other's company. They have a lot of Zoom things on the go and are trying to keep positive and buoyant in their attitude and virtual activities. Spring is not far away, everyone is looking forward to some warm sunny days. For me it just rubs it in that our evenings are getting darker earlier and it is much cooler. But at least we are free to move around – at the moment. I hadn't realised that Narre Warren is near Beaconsfield.

The Breakout Coffee mornings and Afternoon Teas have continued and are proving very successful. We hope to continue these but may have to be more inventive as the weather cools. Please remember to take photos for the newsletter. I need to have something to put in!



**Birthdays**      **September - Ann and Kay**

**End piece**

**Life isn't measured by the number of breaths you take but by the number of moments that take your breath away**

Stay safe and well and keep in touch



*Pattie*

**Dates**

**Committee meeting Monday 28<sup>th</sup> September 10am on Zoom**

**Club meeting Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> October 8pm on Zoom when Pauline Wyllie will tell us about her family castle**

With a forlorn longing for normality we have booked Liston Hall for the 2 Clubs Supper on Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> January 2021 – watch this space ...