

BGNS Promotions Meeting – Tuesday 28th June – Connie Club

Present: Laura, Andy NS, Karen, Sue P, Ginnie, Annette

Event Date	Discussions and actions:
Thurs 21st July	Craft afternoon – Ceramic Tile workshop at Connie Club. Approx 20 participants plus 2- 4 to assist. Items painted on the day, then taken away to be fired. Sheeting protection for tables is provided but wearing of older clothes to be encouraged. Andy would like to see if an 'in-house' Christmas themed event could be organised. Will try to source some plate stands. Tea/Cake to be booked. Transport to be arranged. Andy, Sue F and Annette.
Wed 27th July	AGM - Connie Club at 7pm. All Volunteers are encouraged to attend.
Thurs 18th Aug	Volunteer summer walk – similar to the one held last year. Start approx 6:30 tbc. Circular 45-60 walk from Navigation. Laura to check if Navigation can host approx 20 for small bar meal (3 options?) at approx 7:30 and update via WhatsApp. Details to Volunteers once confirmed – Annette/Sue F
Thurs 8th Sept	Afternoon Tea Dance – Connie Club booked. Event to start approx 2pm. Afternoon Tea at CC £8pp to be booked. It was agreed to limit numbers attending to between 30-40. Confirmed details including a 'play list', still require to check music/speakers requirements. Promotional posters etc including transport to be arranged Karen, Sue P and Annette/Sue F
Wed 5th Oct	Craft afternoon – Smartsy Glass workshop at Connie Club - booked for 1:30pm limit of max 20 attendees. More details to come nearer the time. A contribution to funding for this event has been received from the family of Frances Lowe. Annette.
Wed 16 Nov tbc	Afternoon Tea – Connie Club 3pm - Ginnie to speak to Connie Club about date, numbers and costs etc
Dec tbc	Volunteer Skittles evening including a bar meal - Ginnie to speak to Connie Club about date, numbers and costs etc
2023	General - We will have limited funding next year once current Co-op funding has been utilised. CBC Members grants could be applied for from Cllr Ranson and Fryer. Annette to discuss with Nick (Treasurer)
2023	Trip out on a canal boat – spring/summer next year and we may join up with a trip with Bishop Beverage Club. We will also need to confirm direction of travel – Mountsorrel or Zouch. Ginnie to continue discussions with Peter LaMarchant.
2023	Great Central lunch tbc - very popular.
Other Discussions	
How to attract more volunteers – Posters on FB has attracted very limited enquiries but it was agreed to continue to promote requests. Hard copy posters (all varieties) to be distributed around the village. Annette to print and arrange distribution with team.	

Date of next Meeting: [Tuesday 26th July 6:30 pm Connie Club](#) – all volunteers are invited to meet up with the team after the Promotions team meetings – approx 7:30.