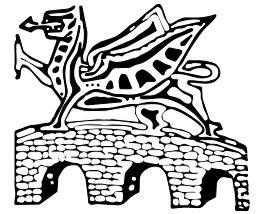


CHELMSFORD and DISTRICT WELSH SOCIETY



Secretary: Gwenno Pope 134 Stock Road, Billericay, Essex CM12 0RT Tel: 07724144432

Website address: www.chelmsfordwelsh.org.uk/home

Email: chelmsfordwelsh.org.uk@outlook.com

Facebook: www.facebook.com/chelmsfordwelsh

MARCH NEWSLETTER / CYLCHLYTHYR MIS MAWRTH 2018

Annwyl Gyfeillion . Dear Friends,

Our Society members have enjoyed a busy few weeks. In our February meeting we enjoyed an interesting talk with plenty of fun and humour by Medical Consultant Marsha Morgan. We celebrated St David's Day with our annual dinner on the 2nd March. The dinner was held at The County Hotel, Chelmsford, but unfortunately due to the exceptional weather conditions a few members and friends were unable to attend. All who attended enjoyed a fine meal and great entertainment. The guest of Honour was Peter Davies, with musical entertainment provided by Rachel Bartels on the harp. A special 'Thank you' to **Liz Armishaw, Kay Bright** and **David & Edith Brown** for organising such a successful event, and also 'Thank you' to **Shirley Moody** for providing all the table decorations. 'Thank you' also to **Gwil Williams**, who was our MC for the evening.

Our St David's Day Service, on Sunday 4th March at Little Baddow URC has been CANCELLED due to the weather.

Details of the next monthly meetings and other events are listed below:

MIKE'S MUSICAL MISCELLANY - PLEASE NOTE THE NEW DATE IS FRIDAY, 16TH MARCH 2018 AT 7/7.30PM

The evening will be held at Radley Green Farm, CM4 0LU. Tickets are £15 each to include a fish and chips supper. There are only 40 tickets available for this event, and **please note that attendance is by ticket only**. Please ring **Ivy Price on 01277 210541** or **Eddie Alcock on 01245 603448** to reserve your place.

'A Style & Colour Matching Presentation'

Thursday, 22nd March 2018 at Chelmsford Cathedral Chapter House at 7pm for a 7.30pm start.

Refreshments and Raffle prizes- **Rosina Jones, Heulwen Newman and Glenys Freeman**

WELSH CLASSES—The next classes will be held on **Monday 5th and 19th March 2018 at Radley Green Farm at 2.00pm**. Please ask for more details if you are interested in joining the Welsh classes for a fun afternoon of Welsh conversation and scrabble!

CHARITY COFFEE MORNING on Thursday, 19th April 2018 at 10.30am hosted by Sina Williams. The address is Chalk End House, Chalk End, Roxwell, CM1 4LG. If you require directions please ring Sina on 01245 231279. Donation of £5 per person and a raffle prize will be much appreciated.

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT

FROM MAY ONWARDS OUR MONTHLY MEETINGS WILL BE HELD ON THE 4TH WEDNESDAY OF EACH MONTH. THE APRIL MEETING WILL BE ON THURSDAY, 26TH APRIL, THEN THE MAY MEETING WILL BE ON WEDNESDAY, 23RD MAY. THE CHANGE HAD TO BE MADE TO FIT IN WITH THE AVAILABILITY AT THE CHAPTER HOUSE. I HOPE THAT MOST OF YOU WILL STILL BE ABLE TO ATTEND OUR MONTHLY MEETINGS ON THE WEDNESDAYS.

VISIT TO BLACKWOOD MAY 13th–16th, 2018 If you are interested in joining us on the trip to South Wales, please get in touch with Carys Williams on 01621 778711.

ANNUAL CONCERT AT CHELMSFORD CATHEDRAL ON SATURDAY 9TH JUNE 2018

This concert will feature the Aber Valley Male Voice Choir with soloist Emily Griffiths. Tickets are £16 and are available from Arthur Williams on **01621 778711**, or from **Allegro Music**, 95 High Street, Chelmsford. We have 500 tickets to sell for this popular event. It will require a big effort by all our members to ensure that we have another full house.

SOCIETY NEWS

- All the best to **John Styles** who has recently moved to Manor Lodge Care Home in Chelmsford.
- Best Wishes to **Clive Bright** following his recent operation.
- It was lovely to welcome back **John Armishaw** at our February meeting following his illness last year.
- Best wishes to all members who have been unwell recently and we hope to see you all soon.

Cofion Cynnes,
Gwenno Pope