



# chELMSFORD and DISTRICT WELSH SOCIETY

## MARCH NEWSLETTER CYLCHLYTHYR MIS MAWRTH 2020

We have enjoyed a very busy few weeks!

**Thank you** to **Buddug & Ray Rowland Frank** for hosting a lovely **coffee morning** at their home in Upminster, where we raised over £230 for our charity fund.

Our members enjoyed another excellent evening organised by Mike Price in our February meeting. We were all thoroughly entertained with his video presentations. Thank **you** to **Mike Price** for providing such an enjoyable evening.

The highlight of the month was our annual **St David's Day dinner**, at The County Hotel. Our 57<sup>th</sup> annual dinner was another successful evening. The dining room was beautifully decorated and 93 of our members and guests enjoyed great food and entertainment, provided by **Rachel & Ken Bartels**. Our Guest of Honour was Garry Owen from the BBC. A special '**Thank you**' to all involved with organising this special event-**Liz Armishaw, Kay Bright, David Brown** and **Shirley Moody**. Thank you also to **Gwil Williams** who was our MC for the evening.

Our **St David's Day service** at Little Baddow URC was well attended by our members. Thank you to **Shirley Moody, Ann Simpson** and **David Brown** for organising the service.

Photos of all of our events are available on the society's website.

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### MIKE'S MUSIC MISCELLANY

Complete with fish (or chicken) and chip supper

On Saturday 21st March at 7.30pm

This event is now fully subscribed.

Please contact **Ivy Price** on **01277 210541** for more details or to be put on the waiting list.

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### A MUSICAL EVENING WITH DAFYDD WYN JONES and MEINIR WYN DAVIES

On Wednesday, 25<sup>th</sup> March at 7.30pm

At The Cathedral Chapter House

Refreshments and raffle prizes- Ivy Price and Ann Hunt



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### WELSH CLASSES

The next class will be on **Monday, 23<sup>rd</sup> March** at **Radley Green Farm** at **2.00pm**.

Please call **Ivy Price** on **01277 210541** if you would like any more details

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### CALAN in Maldon

The young, modern Welsh folk band **CALAN**, managed by Huw Williams, will be performing in **Maldon** on the **14<sup>th</sup> April, 2020**.

For more information, please contact **Kay Bright** on **01245 380543** or email [kay.bright14@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:kay.bright14@yahoo.co.uk)

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### VISIT TO LLANGOLLEN

May 17th - 20th, 2020

The balance of the payment for the Llangollen trip will need to be paid by the end of March. **£300** for a **double room** and **£345** for a **single room**. Please make your cheques payable to '**Chelmsford & District Welsh Society**' and send to **Carys Williams**, 3 Englefields, South Street, Tillingham, Essex 7AT, or bring with you to the next monthly meeting

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### SOCIETY NEWS

- We are sad to announce the recent death of our past member, Reverend Rowland Webb. Rowland was a very active member of the society officiating at our church services for many years. We have very fond memories of his time with our society.
- Best wishes to Ron Jones who had a fall recently. We hope to see you soon.

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