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### **May Meeting**

This was a very informative talk given by Lindsey Johnson from the 'Falls' team of the Gloucestershire Health and Care NHS Foundation Trust. She told us of many ways to avoid falling over, especially in later life, including obstacles to avoid and wearing suitable shoes and glasses.

### **Lanyards**

We have purchased green (WI colour) lanyards for members wishing to have one instead of using a pin that could damage clothing. They will be available at the next meeting in June. Should you not have a hole punch then I'm happy to bring mine and attach your lanyard to your name badge, so please ensure you bring it. If you would like to give a small donation, a pot will be available.

### **Birthday party**

I'm sure you would agree that we had a wonderful celebration for our 103rd birthday. As usual, the Catering Committee provided us with delicious food, thank you. This year we were entertained by our Line Dancing Group and the audience was invited to join in - what fun!



### **June Meeting**

The D-Day landings in France took place 80 years ago and we will mark this very important occasion by singing 'God save the King' followed by a minute's silence.

## **Wedding Celebration**

Nicky Wye's daughter was married last week and celebrated the reception in our WI hall during the afternoon. The weather was glorious and a wonderful time was had by all attending!



The hall looked amazing!

## **Celebration of the toilet refurbishment**

This is to take place on June 12th and tickets are £6-50 to include a delicious afternoon tea to celebrate the opening of the newly refurbished toilets. Tickets will be available at our next meeting or you can pay by BACS which is the preferred method of payment.

## **Fashion show**

There will be a fashion show on Monday September 2nd at a cost of £10-00 to include a glass of wine and nibbles. We will be inviting our local WI groups and expect the evening to be very popular. Stylish clothing is to be provided by Bodega, a fashion shop that is based in the Suffolks in Cheltenham. Members will be invited to be models!



### **Regular groups**

All our regular groups are meeting again. They include Tai Chi, Books, Walking, Ukelele and the Wednesday Afternoon Social - so come and join if you wish.

### **Charity donations**

Please keep donating to Open Door, Cheltenham Community Project and Unstoppable (goods or money) Your generosity is much appreciated.

### **June 10th meeting**

The subject for next month's meeting is the Midlands Air Ambulance, which should be very interesting.



This information can be found on [www.Prestbury-wi.org.uk](http://www.Prestbury-wi.org.uk)

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