

## Thornborough & Thornton WI 2020 Programme

### **12<sup>th</sup> January T&T WI 83<sup>rd</sup> Birthday lunch**

*Supporting our local enterprise "Through the Looking Glass".*

### **5<sup>th</sup> February Improving Women's Healthcare in Sierra Leone; David Holmes**

*David will talk about his work in Kambia District, Sierra Leone, the most dangerous place in the world to have a baby.*

### **4<sup>th</sup> March Diabetes & Women's Health; Dr George Gavriel, Shelley Wagstaff (Nurse Manager) and Emma Vye (Clinical Quality Manager)**

*A presentation & opportunity to ask questions – no appointment necessary!*

### **Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> March BFWI Investigation & Discovery day, Aylesbury**

*And then we had the 1<sup>st</sup> lockdown so our programme moved to Zoom...*

### **1<sup>st</sup> April White Wine Tasting; Nick Percival**

*Knowing which grape varieties, you like and dislike is the single most important factor in whether you're going to like a wine. Tasting 6 different white grape varieties from around the globe.*

### **1<sup>st</sup> May WI Resolutions & Quiz on Women**

*Considering the resolutions for voting at NFWI in June. Materials available on the NFWI website & My WI. Sue P will then provide an entertaining quiz.*

### **Friday 8<sup>th</sup> May VE Day celebrations, Thornborough including WI cream teas**

### **Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> May BFWI Annual Council Meeting, Aylesbury**

### **3<sup>rd</sup> June Costa Rica; Ray Rowson**

*An illustrated talk with an emphasis on the abundant wildlife.*

### **Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> June NFWI Annual Meeting, Royal Albert Hall**

### **~~1<sup>st</sup> July The Women at Bletchley Park; Pamela Wignall~~**

*By the start of 1945, nearly ¾ of Bletchley Park's workforce was female. BP Volunteer Pam Wignall will explain why this was so, who these women were and how they contributed to the war effort.*

### **~~Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> July BFWI Centenary Garden Party, Waddesdon~~**

### **~~5<sup>th</sup> August Annual Garden Meeting & Poppy workshop~~**

*Members are asked to bring a plate of sweet or savoury food as refreshments for our annual social event. Followed by a workshop making poppies for a Remembrance wreath. Venue to be advised.*

### **~~Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> August Bucks County show & craft fair.~~**

### **~~2<sup>nd</sup> September The Holy Land; Sue Percival, Jo Bursell and Di Franklin~~**

*Our own WI girls will recount their fascinating journey in Israel 2018.*

### **~~7<sup>th</sup> October How art became mainstream; Robert Cummings~~**

*Tales of a Greek family connection*

*\*\* Nominations for the T&T WI Committee 2021 \*\**

### **4<sup>th</sup> November Our WI Annual Meeting; plus, how we spent our**

**bursaries. Sue P, Gwynne, Annie, Pam, Kate, Penny & Sandra**  
*Reports for our WI will be given by the Secretary, President and Treasurer. Committee members will be elected and our President appointed followed by short talks from those awarded bursaries.*

### **2<sup>nd</sup> December Christmas crafts**

*Some Festive entertainment to finish the year!*

*Essentially we improvised each month and invited various speakers to talk to us via Zoom.*