



BOOKHAM BEES WI

NEWSLETTER NO.23 - March /April 2020

We normally meet the first Wednesday of every month 7.30 for 7.45pm

**All Bookham Bees WI Meetings Cancelled
Until Further Notice**



Bees' Groups

Bee Creative

Contact: hphenix11@gmail.com

Book Club

The present Book Club is full but do feel free to start another Book Club

Coffee Morning

Contact: jevanshome123@gmail.com

Gardening Bees

Contact: diane.poole25@googlemail.com

Pub Nights

Contact: julie_ryder@outlook.com

Theatre Group

New Victoria Theatre, Woking

Contact: carol.teunon@googlemail.com

Walkie Talkie every Wednesday

Thursday and Friday Normally!

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email: Janice Evans Jevanshomr123@gmail.com or
Michelle Smith sloehouse2@gmail.com

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Thank you to all our wonderful Group Leaders for All the hard work you have put into getting the Bees together and participating in interesting activities

Outings We are actively looking at organizing some outings once life gets back to normal. Please let Julie Ryder know if you have any suggestions of interesting places to visit: julie_ryder@outlook.com

2020 Programme

A taster of what was planned

1 April Cancelled

2nd Birthday Party
with Speaker Rosemary Swinfield
'Where's the make-up Lady'

6 May Cancelled

Resolutions followed by a fun
Beetle Drive!

3 June probably cancelled

Speaker: Leoni Wright – 'EatWright'
'Stay Young, healthy, fit & slim forever'

1 July Bubbly on the Green

We shall see!

August – No Meeting

2 September Speaker: Lucy Quinnell
From Fire & Iron Gallery
'Rowhurst – A house built of stories'

7 October Speaker: Mary Braddock
'Rambling in Surrey'

4 November Annual Meeting
Followed by a surprise!

2 December Christmas Festive Evening

Check website for further details
www.bookhambeeswi.org





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News & Announcements



Coronavirus (COVID-19)

Unfortunately it is obviously necessary to cancel all Bookham Bees WI meetings until further notice. None of us know how long this pandemic will last but please do keep in touch with friends and family by whatever means you have available to you.

In addition to your many Bees friends willing to help, the **Community Coronavirus Care** has now issued a freephone number: **08003077111**.

St Nicolas' Church is setting up a helping hands group and would welcome any volunteers who would be willing to collect shopping etc. for people who are elderly or self-isolating. If you are able to volunteer please contact Rev Barbara McDonald:
barbara.mcdonald@stnicolasbookham.org.uk

Walkie Talkie

Up until last week a few members from the Walkie Talkie Group met up, at a distance of at least 2 metres apart, and strode through Bookham Common, enjoying the wildlife and beautiful spring flowers. The pictures of the primroses on page 1 were taken whilst we were striding through the Common and below are some of our Walkie Talkie Team keeping a distance but so photogenic! May I add that conversation is still possible even at more than 2 metres apart!!



Chat

Please do give your friends and neighbours a ring to have a chat, especially if they are on their own.

Also, I am always at the end of the 'phone so never hesitate to give me a buzz if you need anything or just want a natter. The Bees are good at chatting and that is what makes the world go round and a way for us all to keep in touch.

I sincerely hope we will all be buzzing around The Harrison Room in the not too distant future. We are very lucky to have all our splendid shops and lovely shop keepers in the village who will keep us stocked up with fresh food.

A BIG THANK YOU from all the Bees to Bookham shop keepers.