

## **SINGERS AND ENTERTAINERS RAISE OVER £1,000 FOR WELLSRING COUNSELLING AT MAY CABARET**



***Las Chicas***

Backwell WI Hall was packed as supporters of the charity gathered to hear local entertainers Tim Lewis and Sheila Furneaux with their quirky take on *The Wind in the Willows*. Backwell School's singing sensations Las Chicas wowed the audience with their lovely harmonies and the lively Irish Nailsea Session who, were joined by wonderful vocalist Katie-Jane McVean for a couple of numbers. When everyone heard the purity of Katie's voice a pin dropping could have been heard. The whole evening was hosted by former Avon Chief Constable, now raconteur and avid supporter of various charities, David Shattock.

The audience and entertainers also enjoyed generous cheese platters, wine and a summer punch supplied by Waitrose in Nailsea. Other local business contributors were Burchills and Pring & Co.

Director of Wellspring, Chris Daniels said: "*We're delighted with the response to this fundraiser. It was a fantastic evening and it raised much needed funds to help us continue providing counselling support for people in Nailsea, Backwell and the surrounding local villages. Thank you to everyone who supported the event*"