

## AFTERNOON TEA at Osgathorpe - August 18th

Despite grey skies there was a good turnout for afternoon tea at the home of **Joan and Alan Foster**. In fact there were plenty of sunny intervals and a group of



twenty to thirty members and guests enjoyed a convivial few hours with good company and an alluring variety of sandwiches, scones and cakes, washed down with wine, tea and coffee. As always, our hosts provided a warm

welcome to their charming garden and to supply and deliver the goodies, a team of willing helpers to whom we offer our grateful thanks and appreciation for a most pleasant summer afternoon.



### The "Pudding Club" Competition

Unfortunately on the date chosen there were not enough people able to attend to make it viable, so we were obliged to cancel. Thanks to all who showed interest/support for the idea of a Pudding Club Evening. Perhaps we will try it another time.

### 2020 Calendars.



The 2020 Twinning calendars are selling fast at £7.00 each from Ann Shilton. So place your order, now. Cheques (*made payable to Ashby/Pithiviers Twinning Association*) should be sent to her address: 16a Lincoln Way, Midway, Swadlincote DE11 7LB. They will be available at the remaining events of this year, as well. If you have any questions Ann may also be contacted at [annshilton16a@gmail.com](mailto:annshilton16a@gmail.com) and by telephone on 01283 225067.

## ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

The AGM of the Association will take place at **19.30 on Monday 25th November at the Ivanhoe Social Club**. A separate convening notice will be issued by the Secretary. Copies of the Charter and current Constitution are available on request or on the Association's website. Postal votes are available in the case of contested elections but only paid-up members will be eligible to vote.

**As membership subscriptions were due on 1st September, all members should ensure they have paid to protect their voting rights. A further membership form is included overleaf.**

## THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

<b>Chairman</b>	Margaret Barnett	Tel: 01283-552636	e-mail: <a href="mailto:mhbarnrtt8@yahoo.co.uk">mhbarnrtt8@yahoo.co.uk</a>
<b>Vice-Chairman</b>	Joan Foster	Tel: 01530-224494	e-mail: <a href="mailto:joan.inchley@talktalk.net">joan.inchley@talktalk.net</a>
<b>Secretary</b>	Elaine Shaw	Tel: 01530-564077	e-mail: <a href="mailto:ptva@hotmail.co.uk">ptva@hotmail.co.uk</a>
<b>Membership Sec.}</b>			
<b>Treasurer</b>	Alan Briggs	Tel: 01530-414934	e-mail: <a href="mailto:willesley@tiscali.co.uk">willesley@tiscali.co.uk</a>

### Committee Members:

Les Aldrich - Linda Brown - Geoff Cort - Wendy Fry - David Harris - Cynthia Hutchinson - Tom Redfern - Ann Shilton - Peter Wilkinson

**Town Council Representative:** Cllr. Dan Harrison

**There is still one vacancy on the Executive Committee.**

**If you would like to become a member, please contact Margaret or Elaine, above.**

## 2019 FORTHCOMING EVENTS

**Saturday 26th October:**  
**Monday 25th November:**  
**December:**

Quiz with cider and sausage supper @ St Helen's Heritage Centre. (*Booking form: below*).  
Annual General Meeting @ Ivanhoe Social Club, Ashby.  
Christmas Walk and Lunch @ Mount Pleasant, Repton.

### Social Lunch Programme

For the future programme Ann Shilton has arranged the following venues:

**Tuesday 8 October 2019 - 12.30 The John Thompson, Ingleby, Nr Melbourne DE73 7HW**

**Friday, 15 November 2019 - 12.30 The Queens Head, 2 Long Street, Belton LE12 9TP**

If you would like to come, please let her know so she can give them the numbers:  
[annshilton16a@gmail.com](mailto:annshilton16a@gmail.com) or telephone: 01283 225066 (leave a message if she is not around).



### Next Year's Visit from Pithiviers

The 2020 visit from our French friends will celebrate 60 years of Twinning between our two communities and is scheduled to take place from Thursday June 4th to Tuesday June 9th. Plans are already well advanced and will be published in forthcoming newsletters as they are firmed up. Hopefully we can all get fully involved to make this special occasion really memorable.

## October Quiz with Sausage and Cider Supper

**Saturday, 26th October 7.30 prompt at St. Helen's Heritage Centre, Ashby**

We are looking forward to another evening of Alan and Jane Brigg's unique "landmine" Quiz with a Sausage and Cider Supper. It is bound to be a popular event so get your tickets early: £12.50 per person. We are hoping for teams of 4-6 members. Please bring your own drinks and glasses.

Please book ☐ places for the Quiz Evening at £12.50 each. I enclose cheque for £ \_\_\_\_\_.

Name: ..... Tel. Number: .....

Address: .....

E-mail: .....

Please return with cheque made payable to "Ashby/Pithiviers Twinning Association"  
to Margaret Barnett, 8, Grange Road, Newhall, Swadlincote, DE11 0SZ **by 21st October.**

## MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL FORM

I/We enclose membership subscription for the year 1st September, 2019 to 31st August, 2020.

Please indicate which subscription category applies to you. (See Constitution clause 3).

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Individual: £12.50\*

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Family: £19.00\*

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Group: £19.00\*

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Junior: £1.00

Name: ..... Address: .....

Post Code: ..... Telephone Number: .....

E-mail address: .....

Please return with cheque payable to Ashby/Pithiviers Twinning Association  
to Elaine Shaw, 187 Nottingham Road, Ashby, LE65 1DP.