



25 April 2019 – Third meeting of the year for the Over Peover branch.

The President Mrs June Leach opened the Meeting and welcomed 26 Members and 1 visitor. This was followed by the singing of Jerusalem.

It was noted that next month would be the Resolution Meeting with the two resolutions for discussion being “Don’t Fear the Smear” and “The Decline in Rural Bus Services”. It was agreed that as the meeting did not have a speaker the tables would be arranged differently to enable Members to circulate.

It was reported that the recent trip to the Walker Art Gallery in Liverpool had been most enjoyable.

Further arrangements were made for the Cheshire Show on the 18th and 19th June – Over Peover WI are submitting 20 entries.

Details of the trip to David Austin Roses on the 10th June were confirmed.

Trips to the Amazon Warehouse (probably in October) and a visit to Rudd’s Tomatoes later in the year are being considered.

It was confirmed that the August Social Meal would be held at the Lambing Shed.

The Christmas Flower arranging classes have been booked for the 3rd and 17th December.

Over Peover WI are to host the Cheshire Group Spring Meeting in 2020. This year’s Spring meeting was held at Byley on 16th April and 8 Over Peover Members attended. The speaker was Lillian King who gave a most amusing talk about her life in the Police Force. The Group Autumn Meeting will be at Mere Golf Resort and Spa in October.

Seven Members had volunteered to plant up the flower tubs outside the village hall in time for the Garden Meeting in June. A list for volunteers for watering of the tubs was circulated.

The next County Walk on 4th June is to be organised by Over Peover WI and will be at Lyme Park. The next Over Peover walk on 8th May is to Bosley Cloud.

It was noted that the Parish Council were organising a meeting at the Village Hall on 3rd June to distribute security marking kits so that people could mark their valuables, the kits would be on sale for £10 which is considerably less than the usual price, more details will be provided at next month's meeting.

This month's speaker Lisa Lowe from Cheshire East gave a most interesting and informative talk on recycling. We learned what happens with our waste once collected by the bin men. There was also a quiz about which items go in which bin and most ladies learned something from that! Rigid hard plastic items go in the black bin, soft plastic, egg boxes and yogurt pots in the grey bin and lightbulbs in the black bin. Batteries should be taken to recycle points as they can cause a fire. Towards the end of this year Cheshire East are looking to introduce a system where food waste will go into the green bin.

The evening ended with the traditional tea and cakes 😊.

If you are interested in joining, look out for the notices and come along to the Village Hall, last Thursday in the month at 7.30pm. It's a wonderful way to meet local ladies and if you don't want to come by yourself just contact our president June Leach, june_leach48@yahoo.co.uk or 07500 250969 and we'll make sure you receive a warm welcome.