



MEMO FROM MARGARET

Welcome to June, summer, warm weather and looking forward to great days out and with many WIs celebrating anniversaries. A busy month for all of us with the gardens growing so quickly and so many activities to enjoy including the National Conference in London and the Royal Three Counties show at Malvern – do come and find us at the Friesian Bar for your refreshments.

Now, so topical – Friday, 7th June come to Munsley Hall at 2pm to enjoy afternoon tea and to talk to prospective MPs and councillors about the Clean Rivers Campaign and see the beautiful display of Green Hearts many WIs have sent in.

Many members will be preparing for the County Quiz – always so much fun and so well organised by Joy Edwards. I do hope that you have a team entered. For all crafters, remember the coach to the NEC on 1st August to the Festival of Quilts which includes many crafts as well as the fantastic quilts. At just £20 this is a bargain when you consider the cost of car parking. So much to look forward to and to plan for. WI Day in September and in November the Yule Fayre – book a table to raise funds for your WI at these events.

As you can tell, I could go on and on about all the WI offers you but I will just ask that you introduce a friend to our wonderful organisation.

Best wishes, Margaret



HFWI COFFEE AND CHAT



Do join us on **Saturday, 15th June** at Newton Court, Newton Lane, Nr Leominster HR6 0PF for a coffee and chat— a good chance to network and ask questions. **Open invite to all members.**

Do you feel lucky?

Join the HFWI 100 Club and test your luck!



The 2024-25 HFWI 100 Club is launched this month with the first draw taking place in August. For just £10 you will have 10 chances of winning one of the three monthly prizes. Your secretary will have the application form so do not delay, join today to be in from the first draw.

See back page for application form and for any further information contact admin@herefordshirewi.org.uk

WI House closed 13-17 June 2024. Office will re-open on Tuesday 18th June at 9.30am.

Craft and Chat Series Summer 2024



Craft and Chat

10 Craft and Chat Online Sessions (£5 per session or 10 sessions for £25)

22/04/2024 Felicity - Friendship Band

29/04/2024 - Alice - Watercolour Bubbles

Break

03/06/2024 - Stitched Cards

10/06/2024 - Felicity - Kusudama flowers

17/06/2024 - Liz - Summer Zen

24/06/2024 - Pat Lumsdale - Stitch with Pat

01/07/2024 - Liz - Zen Flourishes

08/07/2024 - Alice - Painting Sweet Peas

15/07/2024 - Andrea - Boro Stitching

22/07/2024 - Summer Stitching

10:00am - 12:00pm

<https://www.trybooking.com/uk/DJJC>



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ROYAL THREE COUNTIES SHOW 14—16 June '24

TREASURERS WORKSHOP—30 May 2024—10-12 or 1-3

In the Board Room, WI House, 90 St Owen Street, HR1 2QD

Bookings via: admin@herefordshirewi.org.uk

Parking in Bath Street car park adj to Police station £1/hr



On the eve of **Great Big Green Week 2024** you are invited to this informal Tea Party, meet local MPs, HFWI Climate Ambassadors and admire the wonderful handiwork of HFWI ladies in producing Green Hearts.

Our aim—to keep rivers at the top of the agenda for our local elected representatives.

Herefordshire Wildlife Trust Presents



Our River Wye—Wye Adapt to Climate Change?

Come along to find out how we can work to make our County more resilient to climate change on a landscape scale, using nature based solutions to improve river health and protect against future extreme weather events.

Hear from project officers Holly Thompson and Holly Williams

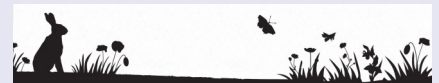
Herefordshire Wildlife Trust Community Organiser - Tracy Price - will also be giving a short update on the Wildlife Trust Coronation Gardens work and how you can get involved.

16 September 7 - 9pm at Hopelands Village Hall, Weobley HR4 8SN

24 October 2 - 4pm at Upton Bishop Millenium Hall, Upton Bishop, Ross-on-Wye HR9 7TX

Entry £5 (pay on door)

Refreshments available Raffle in collaboration with Herefordshire WI



May 2024 draw was made on 5/4/2024 and the lucky winners were:

1st Prize (£20) Ticket no 7
(Preston Wynne WI);

2nd Prize (£10) Ticket no 21
(Stoke Prior WI);

3rd Prize (£5) Ticket no 31
(Marden WI).

Join the HFWI 100 Club For details contact: admin@herefordshirewi.org.uk

HFWI Events Please apply for tickets through your Secretary/Treasurer/Booking Person. (Associate members may book direct with the HFWI office.) BACS or cheque payments shown on your bank statements will act as receipt of monies received by HFWI. Receipts will be issued for cash transactions. If the word 'non-members' is not printed on the application form, the event is for members only. If oversubscribed (too many applications for places received before the closing date), WI members have priority and a ballot may be held. Notification of cancellation or over-subscription will be sent to the Booking Person as soon as possible. If you can't attend, it is up to you to sell your ticket (as appropriate), no refunds are given unless the event cannot go ahead or is over-subscribed. Please note: All events except training are fundraisers for HFWI.



NEWS FROM NATIONAL

THE FUTURE FOR NFWI JUDGES

Last year, our Federation and I were asked to complete a questionnaire. This was part of a survey conducted by National to establish the current status of NFWI judging. (Cookery, preserves, craft, floral art and Interpretation and staging are the various disciplines)

Both the Herefordshire WI Board and I submitted our responses. Last month, we received notification that NFWI judges are being cancelled from the end of the year with no further judges training, continuous professional development support or maintenance of the 'On with the Show' competitions manual. In addition, we will not be able to wear our badges due to the training no longer being recognised.

Needless to say, a great number of judges are very concerned about this decision and have set up chat groups on social media and WhatsApp. Several flaws have been uncovered in the survey's circulation to judges and federations, but the biggest issue seems to be why this decision has been taken without consultation with WI members. To this end, there will be judges representation at the Annual meeting and we are proposing to petition against the decision for all WI members to sign. If there is no change in NFWI Board's stance, existing judges are keen to retain their status as respected professionals across the many organisations where we are invited to judge, everywhere from a local WI or horticultural show to federation, county and regional events hosted by WI, Young Farmers, Ploughing Societies and others.

The future of judging may currently seem set in stone, and if there is no reversal of the decision to cancel judging, there may be training possibilities outside the NFWI remit to consider. I appreciate I am the only active judge in the county, but I would be grateful for your support in any positive action to save this important aspect of the WI. Educating women is one of the main reasons why the WI was set up in the first place, so this decision blatantly contravenes this aim.

Please discuss at your meetings and get in touch with any comments or questions.

Thank you

Chris Lynch, Cookery, Floral Art & Interpretation & Staging NFWI Judge, Email chris.lynch54@btinternet.com 01531 670037

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Bookings all year - Adults £6

Historic Hereford ~ Alfred Watkins ~ The Kembles
Women in Hereford ~ Agriculture & Industry and more

See Website for details - herefordguidedwalks.org.uk
E mail or call Bookings Officer - 07947 924494



DIGITAL NEWS FOR JUNE 2024

You can find lots of information on the new DIGITAL INFORMATION page on our Herefordshire website.

Go to: <https://herefordshire.thewi.org.uk/digital-information>

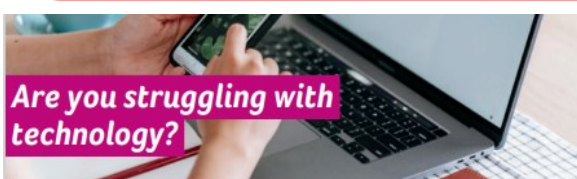
Find out about the WI Learning Hub, Facebook page, becoming a web editor for your WI and using the MCS. Don't hesitate to contact me if you need help in setting up your own WI website or using WhatsApp within your own WI.

Alison Lord

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Are you struggling with technology?

We can help you to enjoy the benefits of being able to use your mobile phone or computer, including:

- Connecting to the internet
- Sending and receiving emails
- Using everyday phone apps
- Sorting desktop files and folders
- Doing online shopping and banking
- Saving and sharing photos and videos

Our team of Digital Inclusion volunteers deliver their support across Herefordshire through:

- Individual sessions at selected venues and at home visits (if required)
- 'Quick fix' sessions at drop-in clinics at Talk Community Hubs
- Loan of tablet computer to 'try before you buy'



For more information and a chat, please contact Art:

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www.ageukwmh.org

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Ludlow North Group of WIs Brockton, Clee St Margaret, Diddlebury & Westhope, Hayton, Munslow Co-ordinators for 2024: Clee St. Margaret WI c/o Mrs. Liz Woodall, Hunter's Moon, Sheet Road, Ludlow SY8 1LH cleesmw@gmail.com 01584 878565 To WIs in South Shropshire and Herefordshire **Coach Trip to the Black Country Living Museum 29th June 2024**



Black Country Living Museum

Saturday 29th June 2024
£45
INCLUDES admission (£25+)
OR £41 if more than 35 go!
With Local Pick-ups

01432 370514
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Rural Concierge event
in partnership with
**Ludlow North Group
of Women's Institutes**

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Open to WI members in
Shropshire + Herefordshire
AND NON-MEMBERS!



Experience the sights, sounds, smells, and tastes of the Black Country as you meet costumed characters and explore over 80 shops, houses and industrial workshops.

From the Industrial Revolution to post-war prosperity, discover the history of a small region that made a big impact on the people, culture and industry of the world as you say "ow am ya" to the people that made this place home, from metalworkers and miners to nurses and schoolteachers – and even a pub landlord or two.

- Meet historical characters bringing Black Country history to life
- Experience life as an 1850s miner in our underground mine experience
- Test your times tables in a 1912 school lesson
- Watch a vintage film in our 1920s cinema
- Enjoy the tastes of the past in our 1930s fish and chip shop, baker's shop and traditional sweet shop
- Play old-fashioned street games
- Take a ride on one of our heritage vehicles
- See live industrial demonstrations, including chain and nail making
- Find out about weird and wonderful treatments in our chemist
- Quench your thirst in the Bottle & Glass Inn or Elephant & Castle Public House

Timings: Leave Leominster Fire Station Car Park 9:30am, Ludlow Park & Ride 10:00, Craven Arms Railway Station 10:15am and Bridgnorth (TBA) 10:45am.
Depart and arrive Bridgnorth 5:15pm, Craven Arms 5:45pm, Ludlow 6pm and Leominster 6:30pm.

Cost: Including return travel and concierge costs and entry to BCLM. £45 per person or £38 for children aged between 3 & 15 years (The cost could be reduced if more than 35 people join us)

Ladies, Our Group is organising this trip to the wonderful museum at Dudley (<https://bclm.com/>) We are throwing it open to fellow WI members in Shropshire and Herefordshire who would like to join us for the day, and to non-members – we shall be delighted to welcome husbands/partners, friends, youngsters, etc. There will be pick-up points at Leominster, Ludlow, Craven Arms and Bridgnorth. The event is being run in partnership with Rural Concierge, who have been doing outings for the Herefordshire Federation for some time, and I can vouch for the excellence of their service. See the above poster which gives full details. The ticket price includes admission to the museum (worth £25 or more), so you will only need to bring or buy lunch and refreshments. If we succeed in filling at least 35 seats the cost will fall to £41 per head, so there would be a £4 refund on the day. In any event, there is a discount for youngsters. We do hope that you will join us for a fabulous and fascinating day out together. To book please contact Rural Concierge or me. If you cannot come, perhaps you would be kind enough to spread the word to anyone else who might be interested.




ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE
A TALK BY
PROFESSOR MARK WHITEHORN
7.30pm Thursday
18 June 2024 AT
LLANGROVE HALL
HR9 6EX

Discover the truth about AI and how it affects our lives.
Listen to all the information,
ask questions and enjoy the refreshments.
A great evening for just £5

Gloucester 2024
Arts & Crafts
Group
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Summer School
Newent Community School
Monday 22nd—Friday 26th July 2024
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gillianpaula8080@gmail.com

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CRADLEY WI
Established 1938



OPEN MEETING (Open to all)
Thursday 6th June 2024 at 7.30pm
Cradley Village Hall
Visitors £5 including refreshments

Herefordshire Meadows
With Rory Johnson
Hereford Meadows Adviser

To conserve, restore and create flower-rich grasslands in Herefordshire
To include plant spotting in the church lawns (weather permitting)

HM Herefordshire Meadows



If you would like to know more about Cradley WI please contact -
Sue Humphreys, President, 01886 880165 or
Lesley Gregory, Secretary, 01886 880525



At Last! New Adviser Training

At long last, the all-new revised WI Adviser Training is here! It landed on the WI Learning Hub on May 3rd, and is free to download and to undertake.

There is little doubt that the WI Adviser Training needed an update. It was a huge commitment consisting of two residential blocks and four extensive modules. This all came at a financial cost to federations of course, potentially limiting the number of WIAs a Federation might be able to put forward for training, but the good news is that Adviser Training is now free of charge so that financial burden has gone,

The new training consists of 7 modules and should take approximately 3.5 hours altogether to complete, which can be done a module at a time in your own time. At the end of each module, you need to complete a short test, and on successful completion of all 7 modules and tests, WI Advisers will receive a certificate of completion.

The new training covers just one aspect of the Adviser role, that of governance, ensuring WIs comply with the organisation's legal constitutional requirements. Financial matters are no longer part of our remit, neither is running training sessions

Now it can't have escaped your attention that currently I am the only WI Adviser in the county and I very much need your help! You can help in two ways.

You could join the Membership Support Team by undertaking the Adviser Training or you could join the Membership Support Team by becoming a volunteer Adviser Helper. This would involve attending meetings with me (for now) to find out the sort of things we do when we visit WIs. Volunteering as an Adviser Helper also gives the opportunity for a person to decide if the Adviser role is for them.

Please do have a think about this and whether you have time to help, or how you can help. A WI Adviser is still the only person who can open, suspend, enlarge or reform a WI. It's a wonderfully rewarding role, if challenging at times, and affords the opportunity to get to know some wonderful people.

Please don't hesitate to get in touch with me if you would like to know more.

Joy Edwards, WI Adviser

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WI Adviser Joy Edwards will be back in WI House on Thursday May 30th between 10-30 and 12.30 for advice, support or just a general chat on all things WI.

Appointments aren't necessary but if there is anything in particular you would like to discuss then please get in touch with me beforehand so that I can come along prepared with the necessary information.

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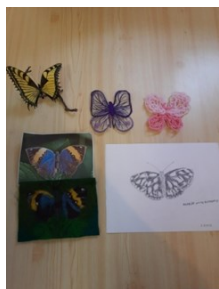
WI NEWS

HOLMER WI's May meeting, should have been a talk on "cyber security by DC W Sneddon – unfortunately he did not turn up, or contact us as to why. Still as all WI's we had a "plan B". A short overview of scams was given by Jenny Hare, and this was followed by a quiz prepared by Jackie Hancock. The first part of the quiz was 20 questions – the second part

was a music quiz, which ended up in a singalong we all joined in with.

May is the Birthday of Holmer WI – we were 83, the tea was party food – and our birthday cake was made by Frances.

The competition was "my favourite murder book" – the results of this were – 1st, Jenny Hare – 2nd, Maureen Graver – 3rd, Jane Jenkins.



There was also an additional competition, set by a previous speaker, Martyn Davies, who spoke on Butterflies of Peru, he suggested that some of

our members make an entry depicting a butterfly. Some of our crafters entered, and these will be judged by Martyn, and the results announced at our next meeting.



SALTMARSHE & DISTRICT WI were joined by DCs Will Sneddon and Rebecca Smith from West Mercia Police Cyber Crime and Fraud unit had us sitting up and listening intently as they took us through the ways to keep safe both on and offline. They managed to liven up what could have been a dry, daunting subject and it was jolly reassuring to learn that Will had recently been taken in by a fake QR code when he'd used a car park on his patch. They left plenty of leaflets behind too to reinforce what they'd said and we all learnt something from the session

We presented the first of The Salties Competition Shield to Rachel, our first winner.....but we have to keep going as there's space for a further 9 years in the future!

We officially welcomed two more new members meaning we now total 31 with another coming along shortly

A good time was had by all





WI NEWS

Holly Williams a project officer from The Herefordshire Wildlife Trust came to talk to **ASTON INGHAM WI** on 14th May 2024 about rivers, focusing on the river Wye. We heard how climate change has brought environment challenges, biodiversity loss, intensive land management, chemical loss. Since the 1970s there has been a dramatic loss of UK species. 2023 was the warmest year on record since 1850. The global temperature is increasing.

Holly and her team advise farmers on:-

1. Better soil management
2. Better livestock management
3. Hedgerow and tree planting
4. Creating ponds to increase biodiversity

We heard of DEFRA's plans for the river Wye:-

1. Look at a manure plan
2. Develop a 5-10 year catchment plan
3. Restrictions to exporting poultry manure
4. Sustained farming incentive - £35 million for poultry litter incinerators, producing ash which is a rich fertiliser.
5. Macro anaerobic digesters to improve manure management.
6. Grant for slurry stores.
7. Recovery schemes for landscape.

Though Holly and her team have done a lot of work on management of the river Wye DEFRA has not consulted them or any other national schemes. Her talk was very informative, if not a little alarming.



TUPSLEY WI first met in 1920 and this year celebrated its 104th birthday. Members celebrated by having a lunch at the Blue Diamond restaurant.

At our May meeting we learnt about the painstaking needlework undertaken by a small group of ladies, The Cathedral Broderers who meet each week to repair and restore textiles in the Cathedral. Sometimes they are commissioned to create a particular work for a specific place.

We agreed to support the WI resolution concerning the availability of dental facilities nationwide. but agreed that our representative could use our vote on the day as she thinks fit on the day.

A picture of our Walking group enjoying a very informative tour of Ludlow given by one of their Tour Guides.



THE SUTTONS WI went to Herefordshire Cathedral to enter the Escape Room. We were locked in for an hour. The objective was to work out who had committed a crime. By working together as a team and using all our problem solving skills we reached the correct conclusion with ten minutes to spare. In doing so we learnt a lot about The Vicars Choral Society at the Cathedral.





WI NEWS

Members of **SPARKLING WYE WI** were given a warm welcome by Made in Ross on 8th May, where they were able to enjoy their exhibition of a wide variety of arts and crafts and listen to four short talks by resident artists. Louise Pilditch told us about her methods of working towards her final beautiful sunrise paintings; Jan Matthews introduced us to wet felting and some of us had a go; Louise Coles gave us insights into her creations with glass and Jackie Poulter, silversmith, demonstrated casting pewter into small objects such as acorns and shells. Chris Champness, a talented maker of wire jewellery, also skilfully served teas! A fascinating glimpse into artistic processes and an inspiring evening.



The May evening sun shone as the Gardening group tended our Queen's Canopy Commemorative trees within Ross Community Garden, managed by Tim Shelley.

Tim also hosted our May coffee morning and the sun was there again!

PETERSTOW WI May members' meeting had a really interesting talk from Albert of Ross



Cider and Perry fame, he was so so interesting, talking about how his grand-father started farming the land originally and then his father taking

over the business and finally himself turning the business into the cider house it is today. The best part of his talk was tasting the cider and perry as he described them to us and how the taste was achieved. We would recommend Albert as a great speaker for any WI looking for speakers for their programme!



We are all looking forward to our first Open meeting on June 5th, it will be great to meet members from around the county who have bought tickets. We will be selling raffle tickets on the day to raise lots of money for St. Michaels Hospice so bring your money!!

CRADLEY WI met and discussed the Resolution followed by a Beatles drive - not your usual game but a reminiscence of all things Beatles group related. Three lucky members had seen the Fab Four. We played an anagram quiz of song titles. Can you decipher AABCEKPPR EIRRTW? Our monthly interest and social groups are flourishing and the new Supper club is proving popular especially with our members who work or are otherwise busy during the day. Our Federation Adviser, Joy and Secretary, Lesley visited our 2 trees in the Cradley Community Orchard and although still small have both blossomed and are setting apples now. They were planted in commemoration for Queen Elizabeth II and King Charles III.

The answer is: Paperback Writer





HEREFORDSHIRE FEDERATION WI DIARY OF EVENTS MAY-NOV 2024

DATE	EVENT	INFORMATION & VENUE	TIME	COST & DETAILS
4-5 June 2024	Coach Trip	Rural Concierge Trip to WI Conference, London, plus sight-seeing.	Hotel stop-over	WI Conference ticket to be booked separately
Tues 11th June	Morning Walk	The Mowley Project	Nr Titley	Bring your own picnic lunch
13th—17th June	Closure	WI House will be closed and will re-open on 18 June 9.30am	9.30-2.30pm	Sorry for the inconvenience
Fri 14-Sun 16 June	Show	Three Counties Show, Malvern Show Ground	8.00am-6.00pm	Come and visit or volunteer
Sat 15th June	Coffee & Catch-up	Newton Court, Newton Ln, Nr Leominster HR6 0PF	From 10.30am	Open to all members
Fri 28th June	HFWI Federation Quiz	Quiz Heats to be held at Longtown, Munsley, Kimbolton	7.00pm	£10 for a team of 4 WI members
Fri 12th July	HFWI Federation Quiz	Quiz Final to be held at Upton Bishop Millennium Hall	7.00pm	
Fri 19th July	Coffee & Catch-up	The Nest, Little Verzons Farm, Nr Ledbury, HR8 2PZ	From 10.30am	Open to all members
31st July 2024	HFWI Competition Deadline	The Eira Furlong Cup – Millinery Competition		Your Secretary has further details
1 August 2024	Coach Trip	NEC Quilting and Craft Show	Day trip	Entrance tickets to be booked by individuals
14 th Sept 2024	WI Day	HFWI WI Day at Credenhill Community Hall	10.00am-3.00pm	Booking of a table is essential. Refreshments available
16th September	Talk by Herefordshire Wildlife Trust	The WI & Wildlife Trust – Our River Wye Weobley Village Hall HR4 8SN	7-9pm	£5.00 on the door
23 rd Sept 2024	HFWI Competition	Cogan Cup – Murder Mystery. St John's Hall	7.00pm	£10 team of 4 WI members
Tues 15 Oct 2024	HFWI ACM	Federation Annual Conference, Ledbury Rugby Club	10.00-1.00pm	Booking form to be available shortly
24th October	Talk by Herefordshire Wildlife Trust	The WI & Wildlife Trust – Our River Wye Upton Bishop HR9 7TX	2-4pm	£5.00 on the door
Mon 4 th Nov	NFWI Competition	NFWI 'Not in My Name'		Design a Mug – any medium
Sat 16th Nov 2024 Please note date change	Yule Fayre	HFWI Yule Fayre at Withington Village Hall Stalls available	10.00am-3.00pm	Booking of a table is essential. Refreshments available

*Non-WI members will pay a surcharge on all trips. For more details email: admin@herefordshirewi.org.uk

**A great way for you to support us whilst having a bit of a flutter!
You MUST be in it to win it – so here's how it works**

A payment of £10 per annum buys you one membership number (that we will allocate), enters your number into the monthly draw. Draws will be made on the first Thursday of the month. There will be 10 draws per annum, missing out June and July. You can purchase more than one number. All participants must be over 16 and can be WI members or non-members. Only personal payments will be accepted (not from WI funds).

You can purchase from May 2024 onwards, with the first monthly draw being in August 2024. We will issue draw results in the following month's HFWI e-Newsletter, on HFWI Facebook & HFWI website. HFWI will allocate draw numbers to each entrant. Prizes will be £20, £10 and £5. If you win payment can be made via BACS or a cheque can be posted to your home address and the name of the winner published in the HFWI e-Newsletter, on Facebook and the HFWI's website.

To enter, please complete and sign the attached membership form and agree to pay £10 per entry, either by BACS, cheque or cash.

MEMBERSHIP FORM TO JOIN THE HFWI **100 Club**

I, _____ wish to join the HFWI '100 Club'.

I am/not a member of _____ WI and wish to purchase
_____ draw ticket(s) each at £10.00 per ticket

PAYMENT: * tick as appropriate

☐ **WI BACS payment*** quoting HFWI Reference: **HFWI100** to Herefordshire
Federation of Women's Institutes Sort Code: 30 65 22 Account No 76843268
OR

☐ Enclosed **cheque***, made payable to HFWI. All payments must be
identified with **HFWI100** written on the back of cheque. **OR**

☐ **Cash payment*** handed in at WI House, HR1 2QD (Tues-Friday 9.30-2.30pm)

If I am a lucky winner, please use these details to send my winnings:

Name on cheque: _____ Telephone No: _____

Postal address (to which winnings will be sent): _____

Account Name: _____ Account No: _____ Sort Code: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Please return this form to admin@herefordshirewi.org.uk together with your payment.
Thank you for your support and good luck!