



COVENTRY & WARWICKSHIRE SOCIETY OF ARTISTS

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING 2018

Leek Wootton Village Hall, Leek Wootton
Saturday March 24th 2018 - 2.30 pm – 4.30 pm

Dear Member,

I do hope you will be able to attend our Annual General Meeting on Saturday March 24th which will begin promptly at 2.30pm. After the meeting tea and cakes will be provided and if you would like to bring along a sample or two of your work, Jane is only too happy to give any helpful advice. You are reminded that the Annual Exhibition will be at East Lodge, Leamington Spa, from 30th May until 10th June.

All members of the Executive Committee retire annually but are eligible for re-election. Nominations for the election of Officers and Committee members shall be made to the retiring Executive Committee and circulated in writing to all members not later than 14 days before the AGM. Further nominations may be made by any member before or at the meeting, the consent of the nominee must be obtained first.

Jane Powell is prepared to continue as President. Since the AGM last year, Jane undertook again the role of vice-chair and when Edith was unable to continue as chair due to immense personal difficulties, Jane undertook the position of acting chair. Happily, Edith now feels able to take on the mantle of chair once more and Jane can now breathe a sigh of relief!! Also, Maureen Townsend has remained as secretary during this year and is happy to continue in this role. Uthaya Swoboda is equally willing to remain as our Treasurer.

Nomination forms are included with a separate AGM Agenda. In the event of more than one nomination for the same post, votes from the floor would be taken to decide the winner. You are requested to submit your nominations for this year's officials on these slips. It should be sent to the Hon. Secretary, Maureen Townsend, not later than Saturday, 10th March, 2018 or handed in at the AGM. *The consent of the member to be nominated must be obtained first.* We would also be happy for any member to put forward their own name if they wish to do so. Jacqui Smithson has expressed a willingness to take on the position of vice chair as backing for Edith. We would appreciate hopefully two additional committee members, maybe to work together to provide backing and support for exhibitions and events. It's a great experience.

Subs are due - £20 for the year. Without them you cannot take part in any CWSA exhibitions, including the Consortium.

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Attendance Form to be returned by Saturday 10th March to

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Members name.....

Attending the AGM YES.....NO.....

Interested in becoming a Committee member YES.....NO.....