

The East Wicklow Branch News

Hope everyone is well, enjoyed our snow & keeping well wrapped up from the cold.....

2018 Calendars

Yet again this year our MS Ireland calendars sold like hot cakes, We still have a small number left if anyone would like one, or two.

St David's School, Greystones Christmas Fair

In late November we were very kindly given a stall at the Christmas fair, lots of Calendars & Cards sold, as always half the proceeds of all sales stay within our branch. Thanks again to those who Manned/"Womaned" our stall.

AGM / Annual Lunch

We hope you will all join us at The Glenview Hotel on Saturday March 24th, starting with refreshments at 12:30, we are hoping to have 2 speakers, a short meeting to bring everyone up to date on branch activity, followed by a delicious lunch & chat with friends.

Remembrance Service

We have all lost loved ones through the years, please join our short but very special inter denominational service in The Glenview Hotel on Saturday April 21st, at 12:30, followed by tea & warm scones.

World MS Day / Reading Evening

Our Creative Writing group invite you to a reading evening at The Glenview on May 30th, to celebrate World MS Day. During the evening they will also launch a Book of their short stories, which all proceeds of will be given to the MS Care Centre.

Friday Coffee at The Arklow Bay

Everyone is always welcome to coffee every Friday at 11 am, relaxed environment & great chat.

Another Diary Date

Super Valu in Greystones are very kindly giving us 3 flag days on 5th/6th/7th July, over the past years this location has year on year been are most successful collection venue. To cover 3 days we have 36 slots to fill, nearer to the time a rota will be circulated, **please** give just 2 hours of your time to help, Remember flag days are our main source of branch income, so *No helpers.... No collection.... No Money*

Big Thank You's

Over the past few weeks there have been a number of Fund Raising events held in aid of the East Wicklow Branch, resulting in, exceptionally generous donations, thanks go to all involved in the organization of these events, people who gave of their time & talents, sponsors & those who supported each event, with special thanks to ... Geraldine Cooper with a night of Dancing, The Glenview Hotel Staff, who wore Christmas Jumpers for MS, Wayne Kinsella with his Darts group & The Gallery Bar, Arklow, for their sponsored Darts Night **AND** Major thanks to Selina Lennox & her wonderful friends Jennie & Cathy who organised "***Wear your Dress for MS***" at The Grand Hotel in Wicklow Town, a fantastic night of great music by The Chosen Few Band, plenty of dancing, lots of spot prizes & mountains of raffle prizes, proceeds to date from this night are at just €3,000.

Outings

As the weather improves we will circulate dates of outing & coffee meet up's

Our Database

It is very important that we keep our contact list up to date, if you know of anyone we should be in contact with please let us know, Also please forward your own mobile numbers & email addresses if we don't already have them.

Don't just be good to others Remember to be good to yourselves too

On behalf of the EWB committee, take care, keep warm & be happy

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