

# Spring Newsletter

Coordinator Diana Morris & team



## February Meeting and Dame Mary Perkins

The story of how Specsavers developed from the embryo of an idea, around and indeed on a kitchen table in Bristol to the worldwide business that it is today was fascinating to hear, notwithstanding *that* catchphrase. Dame Mary and her husband Doug together with their family have created a massive concern which, when many of us travel and see that familiar shop signage, will always be thought of as being very much a part of Guernsey.

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## March Meeting at the College of Further Education.

Helen Wood, who hosted a coffee morning on March 1<sup>st</sup>, arranged the annual presentation of Inner Wheel awards to those CoffE catering students who have been recommended by their tutors.

Patricia Nolga was judged to be the First Year Catering Student of the Year and Daniel Le Maitre was the Access Student of the Year.



Patricia, pictured with her husband and three of their four children, had achieved excellent results despite Dutch being her native language.

The Access Award is given to a student who has excelled in their course work when often having to overcome some difficult personal challenges in order to do so.

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## 3<sup>rd</sup> June Saffrey Rotary Walk Training Inner Wheel Relay Team

Sue Spruce has started training sessions for the team, but anyone can join in these gentle walks on the flat even if they are not participating in the event. Details will be circulated as and when walks are planned.

## Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> April Club Business Meeting 7 for 7.30pm at La Villette Hotel

Rotarian Dave Parish will speak about his 'Unexpected Iraq Experiences'.

Vice-president Amanda Milsted will be chairing this meeting and members are encouraged to discuss how they feel the 'seasonal coordinators' process worked this year.

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## Wednesday 31<sup>st</sup> May – Social Evening and Supper

Coordinator Diana Morris would be interested to know if members can recommend or suggest a venue for this social event.

Contact Diana on 265766 or email: [modram@cwgsy.net](mailto:modram@cwgsy.net)

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## Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> May – A walk with Sue Spruce

Members are invited to assemble and park at the Vale Douzaine Room at 2.30pm, which is where we will finish. The walk will take approximately 1 to 1½ hours followed by optional tea at Earlswood Garden Centre.

## *A Fashion Show by Alpha Fashions*

at La Villette Hotel on Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> May at 7pm

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Menu £20 including a glass of prosecco on arrival.

Duckling with orange sauce

Salmon au Gratin

Baked Sweet Peppers

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Strawberry Pavlova

Fresh Fruit Salad with OR without ice cream

Ice cream

Cheese & Biscuits

Please bring your friends to this very popular and enjoyable evening.

Members & guests names & menu selections to Val Campbell on 236496 or [campbell@cwgsy.net](mailto:campbell@cwgsy.net)

Raffle prizes will be gratefully received (*please give to Sue Spruce*).

## BIRTHDAY GREETINGS

### APRIL

Sue Spruce \* Sue Oliphant \*  
Ann Norman \* Barbara Steer \*

### MAY

Barbara Chandler \* Gill Girard \*  
Marie-Francoise Goldsbrough \*

## **"GET WELL SOON" TO ALL MEMBERS AND THEIR FAMILIES.**

Please notify THE SECRETARY Donna-Mae Acton 253668 with news of ill members and their families.