

**WOMEN IN NEWARK MINUTES OF  
MEETING OF THE 10<sup>TH</sup> MAY**

1. Kate Hindmarch welcomed the ladies and the new attendees. The agenda for the next few months was confirmed as follows: -
  - a. Meeting 14<sup>th</sup> June 4:00 - 6:00pm meeting at Reeds Restaurant where we shall be treated to a talk from an opera singer and vicars wife Olivia Blackburn.
  - b. 12<sup>th</sup> July an evening at Natural Health on Lombard Street, the time of this is to be confirmed later.
  - c. 9<sup>th</sup> August an evening of wine at Ann Et Vin's wine shop (to be confirmed).
  - d. 13<sup>th</sup> September 4:00 - 6:00pm Linda Clark of Newark & Sherwood College has offered the facilities at Newark & Sherwood College perhaps combined with a tour for this evenings meeting. It is hoped that a speaker on behalf of the Crusader Boat Charity will be able to speak as well.
  - e. 11<sup>th</sup> October a demonstration of the Weekenders line of fashion with opportunities to purchase
  - f. 8<sup>th</sup> December 4:00 - 6:00 a presentation by Kate Mercer wife of Patrick Mercer MP on "a day in the life of an MP's wife"
  - g. 13<sup>th</sup> December Christmas meal at Reeds Restaurant.
2. If the ladies have any other proposals for meetings or presentations they should not hesitate to contact Kate Hindmarch. Kate can be contacted on [k.hindmarch@sillslegal.co.uk](mailto:k.hindmarch@sillslegal.co.uk) until the 27<sup>th</sup> March or as ever through [womeninnewark.co.uk](http://womeninnewark.co.uk). Members are reminded that if they wish to attend a meeting they should let Kate Hindmarch know (so that catering facilities can be made) and it would also be useful if apologies were sent.
3. Elaine Ellison confirmed the accounts were in a healthy state. There was some discussion about how we might raise money for future charities and the proposal made by Linda Kingsman of Kingsman Interiors for a raffle at the Christmas event. If any members would like to propose raffle prizes or indicate their support for this please let Kate Hindmarch know. There is a discussion forum on the website that can be used also.
4. Andrea Edlin apologised for the website not being updated recently and not containing last month's minutes. Niddocks have had staffing problems but will get on top of the website in the near future. Any member who has paid a £10 joining fee can register her details on the members directory upon the website by filling in her details on the "becoming a member page" and submitting it to Andrea.
5. With regard to other matters Jo Maltby of Business Link Notts

confirmed that Business Link are seeking to act as a facilitator by creating a newsletter for all women's groups within the Nottinghamshire area. There will be a meeting with Business Link on the 15<sup>th</sup> June to discuss this. It is likely that Kate Hindmarch and Elaine Ellison will attend. A report will be made back to WIN after this. Kate Hindmarch moves to a different practice as of the 31<sup>st</sup> May and will let all members know of her new contact details after that date. Gemma Clawson Kate's assistant and administrator to WIN will also be moving with Kate.