

Centre Points

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FRODSHAM COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION NEWSLETTER

June 2019

We Got it!



The Queen's Award for Voluntary Service

The MBE for volunteer groups

You may remember that FCA was nominated by the U3A for the Queens Award for Voluntary Service and went through a quite testing process of form filling and a meeting with two of the Deputy Lieutenants of Cheshire last November. They were impressed by the group and many thanks to everyone who participated.

It is therefore with great delight that we can share the good news. "We were delighted to receive and consider a nomination for your volunteer group for The Queen's Award for Voluntary Service 2019. The work your group does for the community was very much admired by the Independent Assessment Committee, chaired by Sir Martyn Lewis CBE, and *I am delighted to inform you that your group has been selected as a recipient for The Queen's Award for Voluntary Service (QAVS) 2019.* This represents a tremendous achievement for your organisation and we hope that everyone involved, and particularly your volunteers, will feel immensely proud of it."

Well done and thank you everyone!

Winners!

As winners of the QAVS we will receive a signed certificate from Her Majesty The Queen presented by the Lord Lieutenant of Cheshire, Mr David Briggs MBE and a crystal award with the logo insignia. It is a tremendous acknowledgment of all the FCA volunteers who, for more than 50 years, have created and supported The Centre.



Anita Boardman and Sue Thomson were very pleased to attend a Garden Party at



Buckingham Palace along with other recipients of the QAVS.

Jean Littler left on Friday 31st May after 20 years on the booking desk and to mark the occasion she was presented with a large bouquet of flowers.



Jean will still carry out her duties in connection with Frodsham Panto for the foreseeable future and rumour has it that she is also considering joining one or two of the groups who meet at the Centre. She knows when you you'll be there!

Louise Marshall joins the team on Monday, June 3rd. Her hours of work are 1:30pm to 3:30pm each week day and we look forward to working with her.

All booking enquiries should continue to be emailed to bookings@frodcomm.org.uk, and general enquiries to info@frodcomm.org.uk.

Emails to Jean@frodcomm.org.uk will be forwarded on to Jean.

FCA AGM Wednesday 26th June

To all Club Representatives, Societies, Members of Council, Members of FCA and friends.

The Annual General Meeting will be held on Wednesday 26th June at 7.30pm followed by a short FCA Council Meeting for Group & Member Reps.

Refreshments will be available from 7pm and after the meeting we hope you will stay and celebrate the achievements of FCA

Who's Running?

With only 250 places available for the Frodsham Downhill Run, entry is now CLOSED!



However if you can't run we hope you will come to Castle Park and enjoy all the fun of the Festival in the Park and cheer the runners at the finish.

We have had a fantastic response to the request for 'Golden Donations' and over fifty names will be on the shirts this year as sponsors of the run.

The **Golden Donations** will also support an exciting weekend of events in October so thank you to all the groups, businesses and individuals who have made a donation.

Family Barn Dance

Celebrating The Centre at 50

Saturday 29th June 2019

Live Music & Caller - "Change of Key"

Sponsored by  Frodsham TOWN COUNCIL

The Centre, Fluin Lane, Frodsham WA6 7QN

Barn Doors Open 6.30pm

 Dancing Starts at 7.00pm

TICKETS:
Adults £10 & Under 16s £2.00
Available from:
Dandelion Gifts, The Centre,
centre.frodcomm.org.uk



All Proceeds to FCA Registered Charity No 520051

200 Club Winners May '19

No 40	J Ackroyd	£50.00
No 101	B Bateman	£25.00
No 37	B White	£15.00
No 16	S Warren	£15.00



JUNE

Frodsham Community Centre

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Thursday 6th 7.30pm	Women's Institute	Life Health Emi Howe	01928 732761
Wednesday 5th 7.30pm	Frodsham Panto Group	Alice in Wonderland Meet the Production Team	07974 560640
Friday 7th Registration from 6.00pm	Frodsham Panto Group	Alice in Wonderland Principal Auditions	07974 560640
Sunday 9th Registration From 9.00am	Frodsham Panto Group	Alice in Wonderland Chorus/Dancer Auditions	07974 560640
Tuesday 18th 7.30pm	Townswomen's Guild	Pottery John Christopher	01928 733061
Thursday 20th 2.00pm	U3A	Cheshire Boas Martin Smiddy	search 'Frodsham U3A'
Friday 21st 7.45pm	Music and Arts Club	AGM and Social Evening	01928 724296 frodshammusicandarts@musicinchester.org.uk
Monday 24th 7.30pm	Gardening Club	AGM & 20 Ways to Enhance & Improve Your Garden Ray Bailey	01928 735194 frodshamgardeningclub.org
Wednesday 26th 7.30pm	Frodsham Community Association	AGM & Council Meeting	01928 732222
Thursday 27th 1.45pm	Afternoon Flower Club	Fierce Creatures Derek Morgan	01928 732313 s.walne@btopenworld.com
Saturday 29th Doors 6.30 Dancing from 7pm	Frodsham Community Association	Family Barn Dance	01928 732222