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Warsop, Meden Vale, & District Branch

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Welcome to the February 2016 newsletter.

Another year has flown by, I am sure they get shorter as we get older?

Launch of out reach centre

The out reach will be launched on the 4th March at The Town Hall.

This will be open on the 1st Friday of each month from 10am to 12 noon. It is again a visible presence in our community and the chance for anyone to get information and if a beneficiary, help, from our great charity.

All are welcome to the launch, and anyone interested in learning more, please speak to me or Cliff (Pete/Cliff)

Xmas meal

This was again a lovely meal with entertainment by Julie Prince.

A number of presentations were made dur



ing the evening.

A certificate of appreciation to The Rev'd Bruce Rienstra for becoming branch Padre and his ongoing support of the branch.

Another certificate was presented to Allison Hunt and the other members of the household, Graham Kelly, Judy & Keith Gordon for their hard work during the Poppy Appeal in running the static point in Morrisons.

December meeting

Our December 'thank you' meeting was enjoyed by all with entertainment by the amazing 'Lily Lovejoy'

It was good to see so many friends of the branch in attendance. People who supported us during the Poppy Appeal and have given ongoing support throughout the year.

Our President kindly presented apprecia-



tion awards to Sharon Smith, President of the Inner Wheel Club of Warsop, To Craig and Val Moore for their contribution towards the Poppy Appeal and ongoing support of the branch, to the Warsop four, Cliff, Maureen, Geoff and Jon for their hard work all through the year, and lastly to Brian, our Chairman who along with the Warsop Four is out in all weathers promoting the branch throughout the year.

Our thanks go to all that attended and for the wonderful buffet.

Congratulations to Edwinstowe

I am pleased to announce that Edwinstowe were awarded the Small Branch Runners Up Certificate for increased membership at County Conference. In particular, Phil Jones has worked hard to gain new members to the branch.

Birthday Greetings

Slight mental blip on the birthday front last newsletter!

Belated Birthday wishes go to the following members;

Bill Adams
Keith Fairlamb
George Humphrey
Peter Jordan

Brian Marples
Maureen Meredith
John Nicholson
Dean Wakefield
Roy Pearcey

February birthday wishes go to the following members;

Leonard Appleby
Christina Bytheway
Jacky Carter
Christopher Guy
Alan Hill
Lauren Meredith
Craig Moore
Jeanette Nicholson
Kevin Usher
Marylin Woods

A very happy birthday to you all.

Membership

It is with sadness that I have to report a number of long term members declining to renew their membership for this year.

Some have worked for the branch/County over many years and I am sure we wish them all, well for the future. They will be missed.

Diary

8th February - meeting

4th March - Drop in launch Warsop Town Hall, 10 am

14th March - meeting

Next Meeting

Our next meeting will

be on Monday the 8th February.

The March meeting has our President sharing his experiences of the Falklands.

Meetings commence at 7.30pm at The Ex-Servicemen's Club, Carr Lane.

All are welcome to attend.



The wonderful Miss Lily Lovejoy entertained us at our December meeting

Pete