

Doynton Parish Pump

Doynton and Wick WI: *(President Tina Holbrook writes)*

“We hope those of you who were able to join us enjoyed the June speaker. Robert Harvey's wonderful photography of landscapes, wildlife and flora around 'The Islands of the British Isles' was breathtaking! Members were taken to 12 of the 4000+ islands that form the archipelago of our British Isles (194 of which are inhabited). Following the latest Government announcements the WI is no longer able to host a garden party as originally planned on July 3rd. Nor are we able to return to our monthly meetings quite yet, as we had originally hoped. So it is with our fingers firmly crossed that we are planning to reschedule our July meeting and to combine it with a Garden Party at Doynton Village Hall instead. The rescheduled July meeting (**Reunion Garden Party**) will now take place on **Wednesday July 21st, 7.30 p.m.**, at Doynton village hall. The fundraising raffle in aid of NHS charities will take place then. We hope that we can resume fun and friendship with you all on this date after what seems like an awfully long time!”

Summers Field Community Orchard: Join us for a cream tea on **Sunday July 25th, 3.00-4.30 p.m.** Price £4.00 per head – cash only, please. All proceeds to the orchard.

Doynton Village Market will run on Saturdays July 3rd and 17th (no market Saturday 31st) and August 7th and 21st, 10.00 a.m. to 11.00 a.m. Come along and buy locally produced vegetables, eggs, meat, fish, baked produce, preserves and more. Please adhere to social distancing

and wear a mask, unless exempted. Contact Elizabeth Crew on 0117 937 3168 by Wednesday with your food orders. The **market hopes to start serving coffee and tea** again from August, Government restrictions permitting – fingers crossed for the premier social occasion in town!

Doynton village hall: the hall is open for hire once again, in line with prevailing Government regulations. New handrails have been fitted to the front steps for your safety and comfort.

Don't forget the fascinating Doynton history books on the village website

<http://www.doyntonvillage.org/history/doynton-history-books.html> – well worth a read!

Contact the **Doynton Mutual Aid Group** at doyntonvillage@live.co.uk to join the WhatsApp group, stay informed and get access to help within the village.

Doynton foodbank: villagers have donated a number of food items which can be found in a box in the church porch; please feel free to help yourself if you are in need. Also a big thank you for your continued support for **North Bristol Foodbank**, which is needed now more than ever. Please leave any tins or packets you can spare in the box in the church porch (please make sure they are at least three months within their use-by date).

*The Pump will be spending the summer ...
well, anywhere but at home, with a bit of luck!*

See you in September!