

TWINNING NEWSLETTER



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New Year Greetings from Suzanne Clark, Chair of the Wirksworth Twinning Association

Happy New Year! Bonne Année! Glückliches Neues Jahr! 'Our celebrations in 2013 have shown that Twinning has enriched the life of the whole town. We plan at least one visit to Die and of course the many informal and cultural links will also play an important part in bringing our towns together. Our task this year is to ensure that the benefits of twinning are spread even wider in the community. In planning for this year's work, the committee has been really pleased to receive so many positive ideas for the future of twinning from the white cards distributed in the town. Your ideas really count, and we always look forward to your ideas.'

Visits to Die

As you may know, the Frankenau Twinning Association will be visiting Die for "La Transhumance" in June. Dates for a visit at this time would be **19th to 23rd June**. Die have told us that for those who can only visit in school holiday time, they would also be happy to arrange a visit in **October, 25th to 29th**. More details to follow.

Northern Light French Film Week

Northern Light Cinema will be showing seven French films from 19 to 23 March:

Journal De France - Dans la Maison - Blue is the Warmest Colour - Les Intouchables - Renoir - Les Vacances de Monsieur Hulot - La Vie en Rose

If you haven't visited our new cinema on North End yet, this will be a great opportunity to do so. We will be using the event to promote twinning and are hoping that, as part of this, Die's cinema, Le Pestel, will be able to make a short introduction to the films. For further details look out for the March brochure, which will be available online to the public from 7 Feb (members from 1 Feb).

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Election of Officers 2014

At the meeting of the Committee on 14 January the following Officers were proposed, seconded and elected:

CHAIR	Suzanne Clark
TREASURER	Barry Austin
SECRETARY	Sue Cunliffe
VICE-CHAIR	Nic Pollock
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Well Dressing - Wirksworth Carnival 25th May

We are exploring the possibility of doing a well dressing again this year. If you have any ideas for and/or would like to be involved in the design, drawing or petalling, please get in touch with Sue Cunliffe (details above).

Reminder that Membership Fees are now due

New members are always welcome. Please feel free to introduce us to any friends or others who would like to be involved in bringing twinning to a wider audience. Annual fee for adults - £10, children under 18 years are free.

Please send cash/cheque made out to "Wirksworth Twinning Association" to:

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