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Wirksworth Carnival, Monday 26 May

Calling all Dollies and Shauns!

We'll be joining the procession again this year and, following the "Transhumance" theme of our trip to Die next month, our mystery shepherd is hoping for a large flock of WTA members, friends and family to herd through the streets of Wirksworth. So, whatever the weather, please put on your fleeces/woollies/sheepskins and meet us at Millers Green at 12.30 on Carnival Day. Prize for the best-dressed French (or German) sheep!



Well Dressing

Although we won't be creating our own well dressing this year, we will be helping St Mary's group with theirs. If you'd like to assist with puddling the clay on the weekend of 17-18 May, petalling the following week or gathering petals and other materials, please contact Sue on 01629 822124 for more details.

October trip to Die

If you're not able to join the trip next month (and even if you are), there's a second chance to visit Die later in the year.

Dates: Saturday 25 October to Wednesday 29 October 2014

Please contact Sue on 01629 822124 if you are interested.

Mamadou Dieng Cisse

WTA is supporting this Senegalese artist and accompanying musicians in a proposed visit to Wirksworth around the time of the Arts Festival in early September. Possible projects include liaison with the Eco Centre, visits to local schools and musical/street performances during the Festival. If you think you could help provide accommodation (possibly self-catering) or food/meals during that time, please contact Pam Taylor on 01629 824457.

WTA Photo Album

We're hoping to put together an album of members' photos - you may have seen Barry Austin's email about this. Barry's giving us all summer to get snapping and let him have any photos we've taken that we think capture the essence of Wirksworth. There'll be a competition for the best ones - to be judged by Betty and Fred Rosindell.

Email Barry: barry.austin357@btinternet.com



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