

Newsletter



January 2023

Adele's jottings

Dear Members.

Happy and Healthy New Year to you all.

We have had such seasonal weather recently but it is good to see the snowdrops and daffodils poking their heads through the soil – the sign of things to come! As I get older I definitely feel the cold more so seeing the bulbs gives me hope of warmer times soon.

We had a wonderful Christmas Open Meeting with Ian Buxton – thank you to members and friends for your support. It was a lovely evening and I am glad to report that Ian is feeling a lot better. It was a fitting end to our 50th year with a real feeling of friendship and flowers.

We look forward to seeing you all at our **AGM on Thursday 2nd February at 7.30 pm**. Tea, coffee and quizzes will be provided so please join us for the AGM and a chat.

This is my last newsletter as I am standing down from being chairman. I have been on the committee since 1996, initially running the sales table then chairman for 3 years, with a year off before the last 13 years back at the helm! I have loved being part of Costessey Flower Club and will continue to be a member – having more time to have a chat with all of you!

Thank you all for your support and friendship, particularly the committee, and I know the committee will continue to do a fantastic job with your support and help as we go into our 51st year.

Adele

Pictures from Ian Buxton's demonstration in December





Dates for the diary:

Thetford Flower Club Thursday 16th March 2023 at 7.30

Carnegie Rooms Thetford

Demonstrator Gill McGregor – tickets £15

Area Social Day Saturday 1st April 2023 10.00 – 4.00

Jubilee Centre, Mildenhall

A day of interest, skills, art & crafts - price £20 to include buffet lunch

NAFAS National Show 2023, 12th – 13th May 2023

Gloucester Cathedral

ICT Travel are arranging a trip to NAFAS National Show at Gloucester Cathedral, includes dinner bed and breakfast plus entry ticket to the show for £175. Details are on the ICT Travel website (ictravel.co.uk) where you can book and pay. When you book, if you say you are from Costessey Flower Club they will try to seat you together on the coach.

Royal Norfolk Show

Wednesday 28th – Thursday 29th June 2023



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