

Warm Winter Wednesdays

The parish council has been approached by a group of ladies in the parish who wish to organise a safe and warm space for residents of the parish who may need additional support and connection during one of the coldest months of the year. This support is particularly relevant during the cost of living crisis which many people are experiencing.

The proposal is that the Women's Institute Hall be hired for four Wednesdays in January where people of all ages can gather for free tea, biscuits and soup etc and spend time at card games, board games jigsaws etc.

The WI would be hosting the events and providing refreshments.

The parish council can support activities of this nature through its S.137 funding.

Recommendation:

That the parish council authorise a payment to the Women's Institute to cover the cost of hire of the WI hall on Wednesdays throughout January at not more than £96.00.