

Colchester Sugarcraft Association

ESTABLISHED 1984

Chairperson; Sue Albins; Secretary; Lorraine Dunn; Treasurer; Christine Clark;

Our next meeting is Thursday 29th NOV 2018. 7.00pm

OCTOBER MEETING; we had Wendy Wright demonstrating Wafer Paper Flowers. Wendy demonstrated a White poinsettia. It was a brilliant demonstration and we learnt quite a lot about wafer paper. We hope you enjoyed the evening.

NOVEMBER MEETING; Social Raffle; squares are selling very well. Prizes are being purchased. There is a main prize and we are giving a £20 voucher for the lucky winner to renew their one year subscription for free. There is a fruit basket, chocolates and biscuits with more to follow. The more squares you buy, the more prizes we can buy, the more you could win. Squares will be on sale this month. **NOTE;** you must be there on the night to play. So please don't buy if you are not attending the Christmas Social.

Also we hold our Christmas Cake Competition. The cake has to be at least 6in square or round and a Christmas theme decoration. There are 3 categories; **NOVICE;** this group is for members entering for the first time, **INTERMEDIATE;** this group is for members who have won the NOVICE group, **ADVANCE;** this is for members who have won the **INTERMEDIATE** group. Plaques will be presented in the January meeting 2019. We will also be taking Christmas cake donations for charity. If you would like to donate a cake then please do so. All donations are appreciated. Coloured counters will be handed out on the evening one colour for each category.

We are opening the hall up early on the night at 6.30 for 7pm start.

We are going to eat first, then play a game and then the 'Social B.... raffle will be played.

A MESSGAE FROM SUE;

I have a price list available from Daveys which is at Tollgate for boxes boards drums and icing. They are willing to let us shop there and you can buy individual items or bulk . Also there is a shop at Brightlingsea called Spirals in Victoria place which sell cake boxes and boards.

Anne and myself did a snowman cupcake workshop for Rayne WI for 48 people which was very successful and entertaining and we have received a positive thankyou.

JANUARY MEAL; This is at the Havester Stanway. 7pm.if you would like to attend please add you name to the list.

WORKSHOP; JUNE 22ND 2019; A workshop for 'Gelatine Flowers' has been organized with Estelle Mann. The cost is £35. More details to follow, but if you are interested please let one off the committee know. The Scout Hut in Villa Road has been booked for the workshop.

THE COMMITTEE WOULD LIKE TO WISH ALL OUR MEMBERS A VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS AND A HAPPY NEW YEAR.

OUR NEXT CLUB MEETING IS ON JANUARY 31ST 2019. TINA AND GRAHAM FROM THE OUTRAGEOUS CAKE COMPANY WILL BE DEMONSTRATING CHCOLATE PASTE.