



Chairperson - Sue Albins. Secretary - Brenda Lambert. Treasurer -Christine Clark

Newsletter for October 2021.

September Meeting. Our September meeting was held at Stanway Community Hall for the first time since March 2019, and it was wonderful to see so many of our members attend. We started the evening with a drink and some nibbles and then we all sat down to watch Georgie Godbold demonstrate a standing witch wobbly. I hope that more of you will join us for our next meetings.

October meeting. We have Liz Ungless demonstrating for us as Glenda Price has had to cancel on 28th October, please bring a cup for your tea or your own refreshments. We are still keeping our chairs socially distanced and would prefer it if masks could be worn and a home covid test done before coming please.

November Meeting. This is our Christmas Social Evening and we will have our usual evening of drinks, food, and frivolity. We are going to have our Christmas cake competition and will also be collecting cakes and savouries to be taken to Beacon House. Please make sure that any food donations are clearly labelled. (see attachment regarding labelling).

Future Events.

Programme for September 2021 to April 2022

October 28th Glenda Price Hydrangea

November 25th Christmas Social Evening. Christmas cake competition

January 27th 2022 TBC

February 24th Brenda Lambert Chocolate Rose

March 31st Zoe Hughes TBC

April 28th A.G.M Anne Reynolds.

All meetings are open to visitors £5.00, B.S.G. and N.S.A. members £4.00

Membership Fees. Membership fees were due in September, £24.00, this includes the monthly meeting fee, please send a cheque to Christine Clarke 2 Orchard Close Elmstead

Market Colchester C07 7AS or pay on the night. The yearly fee of £40.00 will come into effect in April.

Other news and events.

Insurance. The club's Public Liability Insurance which is part of our affiliation fee to the National Sugarart Association has been renewed and covers club members who make cakes for friends and family but does not cover people who run a business. If you need more information about the insurance please contact me.

There are some new regulations regarding labelling of food products which are being sold or consumed by the public please see the attachment which explains this in more detail. Please can we ensure that all food is labelled with all the ingredients and any allergens are written in bold. Information regarding allergens and labelling can be found on.

Cake International Birmingham 5th -7th November. Still going ahead at the moment.

There are still some demonstrations on Eventbrite organised by various sugarcraft clubs and via zoom, very reasonable prices usually around £3 -£4.

Chelmsford Sugarcraft has started meeting again, see their facebook page for details.

Hannah Collison who demonstrated a fault line cake for us has lots of demonstrations available including the Faultline cake and buttercream piped flowers as a workshop.
www.inspiredcreations.uk.com.

Liz Ungless has silicone veiners and cutters of leaves that are not available from other manufactures which she and her husband have designed and manufactured. She is selling via her website

Hints and Tips. If you have any hints or tips you would like to pass on to other members please contact me and I will include them in the newsletter.

For Sale. We have had a donation of cake tins, round and hexagonal and wedding cake stands, 1 gold, 1 silver square plastic. Open to offers, they will be available on the sales table this month. We will have our sales table again, please ensure that everything is labelled with your name and price and that you collect unsold items as we do not have storage. 10% goes to our funds.

Raffle prizes are always appreciated. Please remember to bring a cup for your tea or coffee.

If you would like to contribute to the newsletter please contact me.

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Looking forward to seeing everyone again. Regards Sue