

## COLUMN FLOWER CLUB

### CHAIRS REPORT FOR AGM at BELVIDERE SCHOOL 7.30pm TUESDAY 22nd SEPTEMBER 2015

Good evening everyone and welcome to the AGM for Column Flower Club.

A big thank you to everyone for your continued support and I hope the club continues for many years to come.

Welcome to the members who have joined us since our last AGM and I hope you will continue to enjoy our flower club and have many happy years with us.

Over the last year we have had varied programme with demonstrations and practical evenings for floral and craft work. My thanks go to Barbara who works very hard in putting together our programmes.

Our web-site is regularly up-dated and you will find the programmes past, current and future there for your information/reference plus other items that may interest you.

The biggest event this year was our Open Evening on 2<sup>nd</sup> June held at The Cross Houses Community Hall with guest demonstrator Jacqui Cooper from Fauls Flower Club (Whitchurch). This proved to be a very successful and profitable evening all due to the commitment of you all. I'd like to thank you all for your hard work beforehand, on the night and the donation of all the lovely homemade cakes we were able to sell too.

Again the Competition at our Christmas "Bring and Share" evening was a great success and once again a thank you to Carol's Husband Trevor who judged the competition for us.

Congratulations to those of you who have been involved with competition work. The standard of work in these competitions is extremely high and I'm glad to say our club members' work has achieved some very positive results and some awards.

Thank you to all for tea/coffee making throughout the year and for being hostess on demonstration evenings.

Finally I would like to thank the Committee who have taken on various tasks on behalf of the club, without their commitment running the club would be extremely difficult.

Trish Payne (Chair)

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