

Woore Women's Institute was established in 1918. A group of around 34 members now meet on the 2nd Thursday of each month at 7.30pm in the Victory Hall. We are a friendly, lively active group of women. Each year we plan a varied programme of talks, demonstrations and visits. We also raise money for our chosen charity for each year.

We link up with the wider WI community both at a county and national level.

During the past year we have welcomed 6 new members and the trend is continuing this year with two new members joining already.

2023

In 2023 we were delighted to donate £1000.00 to our chosen charity Sam's Gift, set up to help young cancer patients through difficult times. Fundraising activities included a Bridge Drive, a bottle stall at the school Village Fete and a Christmas Fair.

We were instrumental in establishing a Walking Netball team which meets weekly in the hall. It is open to non WI members and in fact from this we have had new people join us.

2024

Our chosen charity for 2024 is the Brain Tumour Charity which researches into a cancer that affects a large number of people under 40 years of age.

Our meeting schedule in 2024 includes talks on herbs and natural history, an Indian cookery demonstration followed by an Indian meal. Our meeting in October is an open meeting where anyone is welcome to attend and see some interesting photographs accompanied by music.

We have a rolling programme of visits planned for the year. These include a visit to the Emma Bridgewater factory, participation in a Murder trial, a Ladies Day trip to the races at Uttoxeter, and trip to Blist Hill museum.

We also collaborate with a wider group of WIs from the local area enabling participation in additional activities and visits.

For the wider local community this year we plan to hold our usual Christmas Fair, the open meeting already mentioned and a stall at the Village Fete.

We are also contacted during the year to participate and contribute to village events such as last year's Coronation Tea party and the annual Remembrance Service.

If you would like know more or wish to join us please visit our Facebook page Woore WI - you would be very welcome.