

## Newsletter No 3

### Change of Venue

Our rehearsal venue has been changed and, starting on 29 March, all choir rehearsals will be held in the large Wing Village Hall, starting at 5:00pm; the doors will be open from 4:30 and we will be using the entrance on the left, that leads to the Library. For those unfamiliar with Wing, the Village Hall is on the opposite side of the road from the Sports & Social Club and about 100m closer to Leighton Buzzard. There are some parking spaces at the Village Hall and more in the larger public car park adjacent to the Club's entrance.

We will be responsible for moving (using 2-wheeled trolleys) chairs from the storeroom to the Hall and returning them at the end of the rehearsal. A few folding tables will also need to be moved into place at/near the entrance.

### 'Leighton Buzzard Project' Rehearsals

Please note that the first rehearsal for those taking part in the Leighton Buzzard Project will start at 4:45pm, immediately before the main rehearsal.

### Annual General Meeting – 29 March

Please try to attend the AGM, which we will be holding immediately after the rehearsal on 29 March. Amongst other things, we will be deciding on the subscription we will be paying for the next year – so it will affect you! We'll also be electing our Committee and agreeing our Constitution.

Do think about putting your name forward for the Committee. It won't be a difficult job and will mean that you have a chance to help shape and run the choir. This could be an ideal chance for a young adult to have a gentle taste of how Committees work.

### Accompanist

We announce the excellent news that Wendy Lambros has agreed to be our accompanist, starting with the rehearsal on 19 April. This will release Jill to be (even) more instructive – so no doubt we'll all be working even harder!

### 31 March – Small Village Hall, Wing

At its meeting on Tuesday 31 March in the small Village Hall, at 8pm, the Wing Parish Council will be considering applications for the 2015 Community Grants. This will include our application for a grant towards buying a digital piano, music stand, speaker, microphone, a small library of music and folders for performances. Members of the public are entitled to attend these Council meetings, so it would be terrific if a number of us were there to show our support for the bid and to hear if we are successful.

Successful bidders will have their cheques presented at the Wing Annual Parish Meeting, in the large Village Hall, on Thursday 16 April – and will be expected to put on a small display of some type. What should a choir do?

### The Wing Singers at Wendover Flower Festival – Sunday 3 May

Many have already let us know, but those who are still in two minds, do please tell us either by telephone, in person or via email whether you are able to be part of our choir at Wendover – all are welcome.

## Facebook

Thanks to the efforts of Jenni Marr, the choir now has a Facebook entry. Search for '*The Wing Singers*' and you will find it - and be able to contribute.

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