

Memory Café Update 10

As at 14May 2018

We had a warm, sunny morning at the Memory Café which brings a joy in the heart and a spring in our steps – or least as much as we can manage!

We were privileged to have two events. Jenny Oxley, the Royston Town Curator, came with a reminiscence box covering royal weddings and coronations. The contents were passed around, generating much interest and bringing back old memories. It is an important resource and the Museum deserves all our support.

Next, we had the Hand Bell ringers who gave us a delightful concert starting with the syncopation of Scott Joplin and finishing with “Rule Britannia”. It brought back memories for Iris Newling who once dressed up as Britannia including shield, trident, brass helmet and of course all wrapped round with a Union flag.

Thus, we had a really enjoyable morning with 22 guests including eight new folks who heard about us at the May Fayre and by word of mouth. We seem to be going from strength to strength, I am pleased to say.

At the next meeting on 11th June we will receive a cheque from Queens Road, Methodist Church as a result of their cake and plant stall. This will provide a major contribution to the future costs of the Memory Café. Brian Norwood and the Rev. Charity Nzegwu will make the presentation to the Club. Meanwhile, Clarice is working hard on a “sporty” theme and keeping us all in suspense!

So, it is a big thank you to you all for your support especially Iris Newling, Glynis Smyth, Lesley Izod, Howard Peacock, Sefhrone and Jim Webb.

