



SCOTTISH WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

AYTON BRANCH

SYLLABUS 2024 -25

A warm welcome
to all who come to our
meetings which are held on
the fourth Wednesday of
each month at 7.15pm in the
Community Hall.

Membership £25.00
or £4.00 per visit

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Ayton SWI Cups & Trophies

Margaret G. Gilchrist Memorial Trophy – presented each month to the person who wins the 'make' competition.

Stewart Salver – presented at the AGM for the most points gained in the 'make' section throughout the year.

Crystal Vase – presented at the AGM for the most points gained in the 'bring along' section throughout the year.

Points: 1st - 5: 2nd - 3: 3rd - 2:
entering - 1 point

Berwickshire SWI

Handcrafts & Homeskills

These meetings take place on the first Saturday of October, November, February & March. A separate schedule will follow

25th September 2024

Get ahead for Christmas with seasonally themed Lino printing with Victoria Lowe.

Competition: Make – a photo taken on holiday/this summer!

Bring along – a printed item.

Hostess: Isabel & Judith

Sat 5th October – H&H Meeting
@ Chirside 2pm

16th October @ 11am

A tour of the Distillery including tasting & Museum at Ad Gefrin, Wooler. Also available are shop and café.

Sat 2nd November – H&H Meeting
@ Gavinton 2pm

27th November

Making Christmas Cake decorations with Anne Burgess.

Competition: make – 3 butterfly cakes

Bring along: Favourite cake related item.

Hostess: Wendy & Jen

11th December

Christmas Party

Venue: The Cross Inn, Paxton

Please bring a newly bought Christmas present to the value of £8.

Competition: The gift wrapping!

22nd January 2025

Ricky Hope from Hastings Legal will advise us on Living Wills, POAs etc.

Competition: make – 3 cheese straws.

Bring along: A baby photo of you.

Hostess: Sarah & Isabel

Sat 1st February – H&H Meeting
@ Birgham 2pm

24th, 25th or 27th February

We will try our hand at Origami, the ancient art of paper folding with Lara (Sarah's friend)

Competition: Make – a handcrafted item in yarn.

Bring along: a humorous card

Hostess: Wendy & Jen

Sat 1st March – H&H Meeting @
Coldstream 2pm

26th March

Marvel at "Dewa's Sri Lankan Delights" as she gives us a cookery demo with a difference.

Competition: Make – a bounty bar

Bring along: Something carved

Hostess: Judith & Sarah

23rd April

Lou Washington will demonstrate her amazing talent with willow weaving. Competition: Make – A small treacle tart.

Bring along: A woven item (any material)

Hostess: Jen & Isabel

25th & 26th April Federation Show @
Volunteer Hall, Duns

22nd May - AGM and fish supper in
the hall at 6pm