

Blandford Heart Forum (BHF)

Newsletter for June 2015.

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Dear Members,

'Flaming' June is upon us, although the night time temperatures would make you think otherwise ! All down to "el ninio" in the Pacific Ocean according to the weather men ? However , it has not stopped the Dorset Countryside and gardens looking particularly beautiful this Spring and the promise of a bountiful fruit harvest looks real this year.

Our next meeting will be on Thursday 18 June at 2.45 PM in the Studio Common Lane, (off East St.,) Blandford and our Speaker will be Colin Dean giving us his talk "Bobby on the Beat in the 1960's". Plenty of interesting stories in times most of us well remember ! Please make every effort to be there and give us your valued support. Friends are also most welcome.

You will be glad to learn (see May newsletter) that Louis is back home, but still faces possible cardiac procedures in hospital when he is strong enough. We were very pleased to see him back at our Committee meeting last Thursday morning, and hopefully he will be able to attend our meeting on the 18 June.

Isabel too is now back home in her apartment in Savoy Court, Bimport Shaftesbury (see May Newsletter) following a knee operation in New Hall hospital near Salisbury. She is still receiving medical treatment after a painful and complex operation.

I hope you will be happy to learn that as a result of improving numbers attending BHF meetings following our move to the Studio and adopting the afternoon option, the Committee has decided to continue meetings of BHF through to Christmas following our AGM in September. Our financial situation has also improved after careful management to reduce expenditure in various 'areas'. Grateful thanks are due to our Treasurer Andrew Munden who manages our finances diligently and voluntarily .

We have an especially interesting Speaker for you on the 16 July (please note) who was between 1981 and 1989 serving as a Royal Protection Officer with special responsibility for the Protection of Princess Diana . Many fascinating and 'inside' stories covering these years of drama and change. A truly unmissable talk !!

All Best Wishes

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