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| **NATIONAL WOMENS REGISTER**  **TAUNTON GROUP**  **PROGRAMME 2025 V 3** | | | | |
| To enable lively discussion please consider the topic **prior** to the meeting.Please note that reading directly from an Ipad or phone is not encouraged.  Your participation is central to the ethos of NWR  **\*\*\* Please notify your host if you WILL be attending\*\*\*** | | | | |
| Date | Start | Activity | Host | Contact Details |
| Tues 7th January | 19.00 | **‘Connections’ . The annual NWR theme for 2025.**  Research & Talk about whatever the topic means to you |  |  |
| Thurs 16th January | 10.30 | Coffee and Chat |  | Cosy Club |
| Tues 4th February | 19.00 | **The History of Somerset Place Names.**  A fascinating insight into some local names, kindly presented by John Parksinon | Val P |  |
| **Thurs 20th February** | 10.30 | Coffee and Chat |  | Cosy Club |
| Tues 4th March | 19.00 | **Jane Austen’s 250th Anniversary.**  Research and discuss any aspect of Jane Austen’s life or works or the period she lived in. | Judi T |  |
| **Thurs 20th March** | 10.30 | Coffee and Chat |  | Cosy Club |
| Tues 1st April | 19.00 | **The Letter ‘T’**  Research & discuss anything to do with the letter T | Jan |  |
| Thurs 17th April | 10.30 | Coffee and Chat |  | Cosy Club |
| Tues 6th May | 19.00 | **The History of different items of clothing and accessories**  Time to think outside of the box and research the topic. Could be uniforms or items worn by certain professions. | Jayne |  |
| Thurs 15th May | 10.30 | Coffee and Chat |  | Cosy Club |
| Tues 3rd June | 19.00 | **A fun Map Reading Quiz Night**  Bring your clue solving , map reading brain to participate in a team event. | Ginnie |  |
| Thurs 19th June | 10.30 | Coffee and a Chat |  | Cosy Club |
| Tues 1st July | 19.00 | **Female Scientists through the ages**  Research & discuss | Judi T |  |
| Thurs 17th July | 2.30 – 4pm | **A GardenTea Party at Judy’s**  In honour of Jane Austen’s anniversary wear a hat/ bonnet in the style of the era. | Judy D |  |
| Tues 5th August | 19.00 | **Country of the year : The Channel Islands**  3 people to research and present | Ginnie |  |
| Thurs 21st August | 10.30 | Coffee and Chat |  | Cosy Club |
| Tues 2nd September | 19.00 | **Bird Migration:**  Research and discuss this amazing wonder throughout the world | Karin |  |
| Thurs 18th September | 10.30 | Coffee and Chat |  | Cosy Club |
| Tues 7th October | 19.00 | People/items that have disappeared | Jan |  |
| Wed 15th October | 2.30 | Annual Planning Meeting |  |  |
| Thurs 16th October | 10.30 | Coffee and Chat |  | Cosy Club |
| Tues 11th  Nov | 19.00 | Annual TTT | Karin |  |
| Thurs 20th Nov | 10.30 | Coffee and Chat |  | Cosy Club |
| Tues 2nd Dec | 19.00 | Linda Messham Play reading |  |  |
| 9/10/11Dec | TBC | Christmas Lunch |  |  |
| Thurs 18th Dec | 10.30 | Coffee and Chat |  | Cosy Club |

**Book Group Meetings are held on the 3rd Tuesday of each month.**

**The aim of NWR is to offer all women the opportunity to take part in informal discussions, to promote confident friendships, self-education and a better understanding of others' point of view. NWR also offer an annual National Conference, day conferences, workshops, area meetings, local quizzes and Postal Book Groups, Correspondence Magazine and a pen friend Group.**

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