

Dear Friends

We are once again reaching the time for Christmas festivities and we are starting ours with the very popular Christmas Wreath Making on Wednesday 22nd and Thursday 23 November, to be held in the greenhouses. The cost this year is £17 for a table decoration and £20 for a door wreath, still very good value as all the materials are supplied along with help and tuition from Helen Taylor who has taken the past sessions for us. Any money made at this event goes into the funds to help students. To book a place email 'friendsofkirkleyhall200@btinternet.com'.

Then there is the Christmas meal that will be held in the banqueting Room at Kirkley Hall on Wednesday 13 December. As so many people said how wonderful the catering was last year we have booked the same buffet again. This works out at a cost of £25 per person (this is the actual cost as we subsidised last years meal because we didn't know the caterer). Unfortunately, the College is unable to provide a bar but has agreed that members can bring their own drinks. As usual there will be a quiz, guaranteed to be easy, and a raffle so any raffle prizes would be appreciated. There is a booking form below.

Try and support these events if you can and bring along your friends as well. Every booking matters as we can only hold these events if we have a viable number so, as a member of Friends of Kirkley Hall, please try to help make them a success.

If at any time you want information about the forthcoming programme then please visit our website 'www.friendsofkirkleyhall.org'. It's very easy to access and all the details are there. We are also on Facebook as well.

If we don't see you at these events then can I be first to wish you well over the festive season and in the coming year we hope to see you at our monthly talks.

Kind regards

Enid Saint

Chairman

Reminder

Please try and come to hear the November speaker who is Liz Finch. Liz will give an insight into the development of WALLINGTON HALL under the Fenwicks, Blackets and Trevelyan families.

The Families of Wallington Hall on 8 November 2023 at 2 pm.