

## Newsletter May 2024

Dear Members,

I hope that all of you who attended the Annual Dinner enjoyed it as much as we did. We are lucky to have such an excellent facility locally that offers a reliable menu at reasonable prices.

### Forthcoming Events

! **May 13th. Bradley Dorrington, The Wine Cellar, BSE Great Barton Village Hall 7.30**

We are really looking forward to this interesting tasting and insight into the ups and downs of working in the wine business and hospitality. 8 wines will be accompanied by some of The Wine Cellar's signature English charcuterie and cheese.

**Deadline for booking is Monday 6th May (as the food will need to be ordered) – cost £15, code BD**

! **June 17th. Great Barton Village Hall 7.30 (NB 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday in the month)**

For our final meeting before we take our summer break we are organising something new - a tasting and quiz evening combined. Members will be put into teams allocated randomly on arrival (couples can opt to stay together or to separate) so this will be a good chance to get to know some new people and to work together on the various challenges of the evening. We will taste interesting wines as usual, but there will be some questions based on the wine. Additionally there will be sets of questions for the teams to answer. Some will involve tasting things; others will be based on food knowledge or wine and drink trivia.

Don't worry - we won't be expecting expert wine knowledge, and there will be questions to suit everybody. The winning team will be awarded a suitable prize. This should be a relaxed and good fun occasion - though we hope it will also involve some healthy and friendly competition. We hope that you will join us.

**Deadline for booking is Friday 7th June (nibbles and extras included)- cost £15. Code JQ**

! **Future dates for your diary**

- September TBC
- October 14<sup>th</sup>- **Fine Wine tasting** Rob Gow from Corney and Barrow. Event to be held at the Wine Cellar courtesy of Bradley Dorrington
- November 11<sup>th</sup>- **AGM with in-house tasting**
- December Christmas tasting TBC

**DIRECTORY OF MEMBERS' BENEFITS-please ensure you have your membership card with you at the time.**

**The Three Kings Fornham St Martin**, Hengrave Rd, Fornham All Saints, Bury St Edmunds IP28 6LA. Tel. 01284 658866

10% discount off the final bill (food and drink) subject to availability and the following terms and conditions: Offer agreed by Chris Lee (Owner)

- *A booking must be made in advance, mentioning your membership number of the WSFWS*
- *At least two courses of food from the restaurant's main or classics menu must be ordered*
- *Not available on special days such as Mother's Day, Valentine's Day, Easter Sunday etc. Please check availability if in doubt.*
- *There may occasionally be other special offers/events available to members (information will be in the monthly newsletter)*
- *The offer will apply to all members in a group as long as one diner is a WSFWS member*

**Adnams, Bury St Edmunds**-10% off any purchase. Offer agreed by Tom Crittenden (Manager)

**The Wine Cellar, Bury St Edmunds**-10% off any purchase. Offer agreed by Bradley Dorrington (Owner)

**The Angel Hotel, Bury St Edmunds**-20% off any bottle of wine when purchased with at least two courses from the à la carte menu. Offer agreed by Tom Clegg (Deputy Manager)

**Please support our partner businesses and take advantage of the discounts but report any difficulty you have redeeming the discounts.**

We look forward to seeing you at forthcoming events.

Kind regards

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