



November 2019

Children In Need Fundraiser



Over £650 was raised for Children in Need at a recent Coffee & Cake event at Tinney's Youth Club. The well attended event was organised by the Rotary Club of Sherborne Castles, together with young people and members of various U3A user groups from the Youth Club.



Generous donations of baked goods ensured there was an excellent selection of cake and biscuits on offer in addition to tasty soups, sandwiches and cheese scones for lunch.



President Sue with Mr & Mrs Tresidder

There was also an interesting story behind an additional donation of £70 given by Mr & Mrs Tresidder, which demonstrates that Rotary is a worldwide organisation. While visiting their son in the USA, who is a member of the Rotary Club of Mariposa, Yosemite, they were given £35 worth of British currency from a Rotarian who had recently had a holiday in England. The Rotarian asked them to give it to charity, upon their return to the UK.

Mr & Mrs Tresidder generously decided to match fund it and saw the Coffee & Cake event as an ideal way to donate.

Sherborne International Film Festival



The 10 films shown at this year's Sherborne International Film Festival were well received by audiences who supported the event and helped us to raise over £2,000 for the 'Mercy Ships' charity and other good causes. The Festival is another Rotary organised event.

In Brief

- Rotarian Bob Twiggins gate crashes the Sherborne Town Band's rehearsal to hand over a £1,000 cheque from the proceeds of the Historic Vehicle Rally (HVR)!



- Another £1,000 cheque from HVR was presented to Tinney's Youth Club at the Coffee & Cake fundraiser.



- Come and meet a Rotarian at the **Sherborne Festive Shopping Day** on Sunday 1st Dec. We will be helping out around the town and would love to meet you and tell you all about Rotary!

World Polio Day, Oct 24 - Buildings around the country, including St John's Church in Yeovil, were illuminated in purple to raise awareness of Rotary's worldwide Polio+ Campaign, which is close to eradicating the disease.

To find out more about the Rotary Club of Sherborne Castles visit:
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