

---DATES FOR YOUR 2018-19 DIARY---

When arranging your annual outings please check the Ulster Countrywoman magazine for events organised by WI Headquarters - we may have something of interest that your members would enjoy and be happy to support.

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- * City of Belfast Autumn Flower Show - Botanic Gardens, Belfast - Saturday 15th & Sunday 16th September 2018
- * Arts Evening of Light Entertainment – The Burnavon Theatre, Cookstown – Friday 28th September 2018
- * Homecraft One Day School – WI Headquarters, Belfast - Saturday 29th September 2018
- * Festival of Food & Flowers – Sandholes Presbyterian Church, Cookstown – Saturday 6th October 2018
- * Festival of the Spoken Word – Second Saintfield Presbyterian Church Hall - Saturday 13th October 2018
(Proceedings from 10.30am)
- * World Rural Women's Day – Bannville House Hotel, Banbridge - Saturday 20th October 2018
(Proceedings from 10.15am – 11.45am)
- * Autumn Council Meeting – Bannville House Hotel, Banbridge - Saturday 20th October 2018
(Proceedings from 2pm)
- * Arts One Day School – WI Headquarters, Belfast - Saturday 27th October 2018
(There are two classes on offer: *Calligraphy* and *Acrylic Painting*)
- * Home and Garden Christmas Event - '*Christmas in the City*' – Crowne Plaza, Belfast – Saturday 3rd November 2018

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- * Arts Festival Painting/Decoupage/Calligraphy/Good Handwriting Competitions
(Theme for paintings & decoupage: '*A Breath of Spring*' - Deadline for entries: Thursday 31st January 2019)
- * Scrapbook Competition - Deadline for entries: Thursday 31st January 2019
- * Phyllis Gailey Literary Competition – *Title to be confirmed* - Deadline for entries: Thursday 31st January 2019
- * Arts Festival Coffee Morning - WI Headquarters - Friday 15th February 2019
(Proceedings from 10am – 12 noon)
- * Mary Boyd Competition – *Title to be confirmed* – Deadline for entries: Thursday 28th February 2019
- * Music Festival – Roseyards Presbyterian Church Hall, Ballymoney - Saturday 9th March 2019
(Proceedings from 10.30am)
- * Annual General Meeting – Europa Hotel, Belfast – Thursday 21st March 2019
- * Bowls Final – First Omagh Presbyterian Church Hall – Saturday 30th March 2019
- * ACWW 29th Triennial World Conference – Melbourne, Australia – Thursday 4th - Wednesday 10th April 2019
(Theme for the Conference: '*90 Years of Achievements. Building 90 Years of Opportunities*')
- * Homecraft Weekend – The Lodge Hotel, Coleraine – Friday 5th - Sunday 7th April 2019
- * Drama Festival – Macosquin Presbyterian Church Hall, Coleraine - Saturday 13th April 2019
(Proceedings from 10.30am)
- * Balmoral Show – Balmoral Park, Lisburn - Wednesday 15th – Saturday 18th May 2019
- * Quiz Final – Hillsborough Village Centre – Wednesday 9th May 2019 (Proceedings from 7.15pm sharp)
- * Golf Competition '*WI Golfer of the Year 2019*' – *Date & venue to be confirmed*

***** Please check your Ulster Countrywoman magazine for confirmation of the above dates, venues & times, as well as full details of other events and dates/venues/times not yet finalised
