

SINEWS



We had a miniature horse at our June meeting!
 'Summer' the Therapeutic Horse.

A letter from our Presidents

We have had an eventful three months and want to thank all of you who gave us support and encouragement. The programme has had topics ranging from sustainable goals (*see later note on Sustainable Goals*) to Samantha and Summer, her falabella miniature horse.

We would like to bring more discussion into our meetings as we learn so much from each other when we take time to exchange views.



For example, "Flourish" deals with people who have been forced into horrific lifestyles and when freed require considerable support. Members responded quickly to the request for suitcases.; we have been giving further thought to assisting this charity which exists on a shoestring.



Discussions on sustainable goals will be followed up. This topic has been much in the news since the US withdrew from the Paris agreement on climate change, and the recent



announcement that all new cars after 2040 have to be electrically powered. We need to care more for this "Wonderful World".

Future Speakers and Events

2017/8

Meetings start at 7.30

Executive Committee 7.00

September

2nd Coffee morning at Stricklands

13th Business meeting

27th Speaker Kathleen Carragher

BBC 'Behind the Headlines'

October

11th Business & Speaker

Patricia Mackay: Planning in Ards & N Down

25th Fundraising Quiz

Helen's Bay Golf Club

November

8th Programme Action T Nixon

15th Pre Christmas Event: The Secret Garden. Candelight supper and demonstration

22nd Public Speaking

December

13th Business. International

President's Appeal

Mince pies & mulled wine

January 2018

10th Business meeting

24th Fundraiser: Fun night

