

CUK Sheffield Group

Newsletter

Winter 2020

Hi everyone

The meeting last September was well attended when we had a presentation from Nick Trott who many of you will know is the dietitian at the Royal Hallamshire Hospital. Voakes were kept busy selling lots of fantastic GF pies, Gillian Goddard who is also a dietitian was available to talk to members and we had a couple of children to keep amused at the Children's Corner. The Christmas Lunch was again a great success when we occupied 7 big tables at St. Mary's Church. The food as always was fantastic and the event rounded off with a raffle.

Our next meeting will be held on **Saturday 14th March at St. Mary's Church and Conference Centre, Bramall Lane, Sheffield, S2 4Q**, when we will hold our AGM followed by a presentation from Dr Iain Croall, PhD, Research Fellow at the University of Sheffield. The Hall will be open at just before 10am for you to have refreshments and to buy those wonderful Voakes GF pies. They will only be there till 11am so buy early. Gillian Goddard, a community dietitian, will be available to anyone who would like to talk to her and we will have our Children's Corner. We will hold our usual raffle which is drawn whilst the talk is taking place and the winning tickets put on the prizes. If you wish to donate a prize for the draw it will be gratefully received. The AGM and the presentation from Dr Iain Croall will take place in the Conference Room at 11am. We urgently need new people to join the committee so if you are interested please let us know at the meeting or send us an email to Sheffield@coeliac.org.uk. You will be made very welcome.

Looking further ahead, our Autumn Meeting will be held on Saturday 10th October at St. Mary's Church. We are delighted that Prof Marios Hadjivassiliou has accepted our invitation to give a presentation. Marios is a leading authority in the neurological complications of coeliac disease. This should be a very interesting presentation which will be of special interest to many people. Please make a note in your diaries.

You may be aware that the Sheffield Group does not receive any funding from Coeliac UK. Our funds although healthy at the moment are rapidly reducing. Any donations will be gratefully received. They can be posted to our Treasurer, Linda Stevenson, 43 Old Park Avenue, Sheffield, S8 7DQ. Cheques should be made payable to "For Coeliac UK – Sheffield"

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Best wishes

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