



Cefn Hengoed Ladies' Choir

Newsletter January 2023

We've been SO very busy over the last few months it has been difficult to keep track! So here is a flavour of what we have been up to.....

ANGELIC CHOIR ON FILM!



Back in September we were asked to take part in a short film which is now available in iPlayer. It's called "Heaven is Overrated" from a series of films called "It's My Shout: Short Films from Wales". Six members of the choir took part and they had a fantastic day. What an experience!

DERWENDEG SCHOOL PRESENTATION

Margaret Church from the choir committee was very proud and pleased to present Derwendeg Primary School with a cheque for £450 raised by our 75th Anniversary Concert. The money will be used straight away for projection equipment for the school's hall.



CHRISTMAS CELEBRATIONS

We celebrated our last meeting of the year with a High Tea provided by Cozy Café in Cefn Hengoed. The food was wonderful, the quizzes brain teasing and we finished a happy evening with an alternative version of the 12 days of Christmas along with our traditional Secret Santa.



ANNIVERSARY CONCERT!

Thank you so much to everyone who came along to our 75th Anniversary Concert on Friday 25th November. It was



a very successful evening attended by our Caerphilly MP Wayne David, the deputy mayor Mike Adams, and our local councillors who have all given us so much support over the years. Garndiffaeth Gleemen and Derwendeg Primary School performed wonderfully with us. In total we raised over £450 for the school, a fabulous amount!

VALLEY VIEW CHRISTMAS!

We were very pleased to have been invited to sing to the residents at Valley View Residential Home in Cefn Hengoed in December. It was lovely to see the residents enjoying themselves and singing along to carols and Christmas songs.



SINGING IN TESCO'S!

The choir had great fun singing in Tesco in December resplendent in our Xmas jumpers. The shoppers seemed to enjoy the carols and songs and we had several stop to watch and sing along. We raised £41 which we were pleased with.



Choir restarts on Wednesday 11th January. New members are very welcome, we meet at Derwendeg Primary School 7pm-9pm in term time.