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GREETING ON GLORIOUS FIRST OF JUNE



001 FORESTERS LOTTERY RESULTS - MARCH, APRIL AND MAY 2018

The Foresters Lottery winners for March are: (with apologies for late notification)

1st Prize: £30.00 - Mr D Bowser of Eastwood, Nottingham

2nd Prize: £20.00 - Mrs H A Bates of Bilsthorpe, Nottingham

3rd Prize: £10.00 - Col C N Cullen of Belper, Derbyshire

The Foresters Lottery winners for April are:

1st Prize: £30.00 - Mr I G Edwards BEM of Derby

2nd Prize: £20.00 - Mr A Taylor of Hereford

3rd Prize: £10.00 - Mr D Bowser of Eastwood, Nottingham

The Foresters Lottery winners for May are:

1st Prize: £30.00 - Col P R Haslam of Stroud

2nd Prize: £20.00 - Mr H Blagg of Car Colston, Nottingham

3rd Prize: £10.00 - Long Eaton Branch WFRA

Museum of the Mercian Regiment (WFR Collection) News



Nottingham Castle is to have a major redevelopment from July, and the last day that it will be open to the public is Sunday 1 July. From 2 July the Castle (and the Regimental Museum) will be closed.

June 9 sees the opening of the first of our mobile displays in Mansfield Museum. The Museum will be touring an exhibition titled "Remembering WW1: Museum of the Mercian Regiment on Tour". The exhibition focuses on the Sherwood Foresters in 1918 and the role they played at the end of World War One as well as having a section on what happened after the end of war. We will also be running some events alongside the exhibition; comprising Family History Research help, Meet the Curator talk and meet a soldier. More displays will be on their way for the rest of 2018, 2019 & 2020, whilst the Castle is closed for refurbishment.

The West End show, the Wipers Times is coming to the Theatre Royal Nottingham from August 28-1 September and the museum will be involved in the events that the theatre has planned.

002 WFR REGIMENTAL REUNION - 2 JUNE 2018

This year's WFR Regimental Reunion will be held on Saturday 2 June 2018 at Sixways Stadium, Worcester. Entrance cost is £2 per adult

PROGRAMME OF EVENTS






1200 hours Reunion opens along with the bar, food points, and display stands
1200/1245/1315 hours Coach from Silver Street to Reunion (1st come, 1st served basis)
1330 hours Tenbury Town Band plays
1440 hours Parade Officer and Standard Bearers briefing with Parade CSM
1445 hours Bar closes until after the parade
1450 hours Parade forms up
1500 hours Drumhead Service, Address and March Past
1530 hours Bar re-opens (bar will open after the March Past)
1600 hours Raffle Draw
1700 hours Coach to City
1730 hours Reunion Ends
1800 hours Coach to City

003 **LOST TOUCH**

23946427 CSgt Gerald (Nobby) Clarke is trying to trace LCpl J Laws formerly The
Worcestershire Regt who was last known to be living in the village of Irby, Wirral Merseyside.
Any information please text to 07947865678

A H L McDOUGALL
for Executive Committee

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