



## Coffee Morning

*Left: Eve, Valerie and Ann on the bric-a-brac and book stall*

*Below: First of many visitors*

Our Coffee Morning this year was held on 26th April 2014 at St Luke's Hall, and our Cake and Produce Stall, Bric-a-Brac Stall, Books and Tombola all did a roaring trade. We also had a plant stall and skin care stall, with the local Guides selling cards, key rings etc, all to raise funds for their International trip next year.



Meetings are held in St Luke's Church Hall on the 4th Tuesday of each month, at 7:30pm please ring our Secretary Thelma Dutton on 01477 537989 or our President Linda Taylor on 01477 533762 if you'd like to join us.

Have a look at our website for more information  
[holmeschapelwi.weebly.com](http://holmeschapelwi.weebly.com)

## Village Fair

The Village Fair on Sunday 4th May was a great success. Well done to the Victoria Club for all their hard work. The weather was kind and the rain held off so we had lots of visitors. The Fair culminated in a fly pass by a Hurricane aircraft. We held our usual 'Cork in a Bottle' tombola which was great fun for everyone who took part.



Most of our Committee with Fiona Bruce MP



One lucky winner



Better luck next time Fiona



## Success at the Cheshire Show

One of our members, Françoise Rothery, again had a winner in two categories in the Cheshire Show this June. Well done.



In July our Speaker, Gill Adlington, showed us how easy it is to paint and showed us in stages how to make this lovely picture. She donated it to raffle at our Christmas Party.

## WW1 Exhibition

The exhibition described the work of the Local History Group of the U3A on how the First World War affected life in the village. It described not only the men who went to war but how life at home was affected: Belgian refugees, agriculture, the local hospital, rationing, rules and regulations and much more.



The Exhibition was excellent and all their hard work was rewarded as it was well attended on both days. A series of 11 booklets covering various aspects of the war's impact in and around Holmes Chapel can be found on their website.

We were honoured to be asked to provide refreshments for the Saturday and our members donated cakes to be sold to raise money which we donated to the local British Legion.



Photo courtesy Nigel Player Photography

