

Season's Greetings from President Pam

December 2025

Ladies, I send my warmest festive greetings to you. It is a busy time for all of us in Inner Wheel as we celebrate together in our Clubs and Districts as well as offer support to a wide range of community activities and fundraising opportunities.



As I have travelled to visit 13 Districts so far, I have been given a warm welcome and an appreciative response to my address. I am especially pleased with the positive reaction I receive when I explain how the first Ronald MacDonald House came into being and what the houses do to support the families of very sick children in hospital. All the money to enable the houses to operate is raised by fund raising. To support their work there will be a Chocolate Tombola at conference with the proceeds going to RMHC. Please bring suitable items for the stall and cash to "have a go".



It has been wonderful to see and read about the variety of ways in which you all promoted Orange the World and raised awareness of "Prevent violence to women and girls". All of GB&I must now have a better knowledge of this worthy cause and of Inner Wheel in Action promoting it. The photograph shows me and ladies from D17 halfway

through our OTW walk taking the opportunity for a chat with Agatha Christie!

I have chosen as my theme for our Conference in Llandudno March 23rd - 25th 2026 the IIW 3-year Social Project - "Reach and Inspire for a Better World". The programme of speakers is now finalised with two young women talking on Tuesday to us on very differing topics about their involvement in conservation and sustainability. A Night at the Musicals by Welsh of the West End is planned for Tuesday evening so we can put on "glad rags" if we so wish.

Our main speaker on Wednesday afternoon is Patrick Grant - a presenter of The Great British Sewing Bee. As those of us who are regular watchers know, the middle challenge each episode is to repurpose items into a completely different garment. Some of the results are quite incredible. Wednesday evening's entertainment will give us an opportunity to dance the night away to a range of well-known songs. It is also an occasion to wear items from the era or to wear a much-loved outfit from your wardrobe.

I look forward to welcoming you to Venue Cymru for an uplifting and inspiring experience across the 2 days of our Conference.

My special wish is that we can all enjoy a happy and peaceful New Year.

Pam