

Dear Members / Supporters

I hope this letter finds you well and that you are looking forward to the festive season, which will soon be upon us.



Before I outline some of our activities leading up to this Christmas, I would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone of you who attended the annual general meeting. It was a joy to see you all and share what we as a community have achieved over the last year. I'm pleased that so many of you took the time to attend and ensure that LiNC goes from strength to strength.

Our festive Christmas Bazaar will take place on Saturday the 22nd of November with a range of stalls filled with seasonal tressures and gifts, accompanied by cake and coffee. The doors will open at 12 noon and everyone is welcome, so please spread the word and bring family and friends. If you are able to help out on the day, please contact Marita Fleming on maritafleming@outlook.com. who will welcome your help. If you can't attend on the day but would still want to help out, we would very much appreciate if you could support by baking cakes for the cake sale. These can be handed into the church in advance.

On the 6th of December we are celebrating the Finnish National day and all are welcome. If you wish to attend, please contact Marja Nurmikko by 30th November at marjanurmikko48@gmail.com to let her know.

Our Lucia celebration this year will be held on the 13^{th} December and due to the incredible demand for places we will be holding 2 services this year, one at 3:00 PM and another at 6:00 PM. If you, your daughter or son would like to take part in the Lucia choir please contact Cinna Hughes at <u>cinnahughes@hotmail.com</u>. Tickets are £7.50 and include coffee and cake. To reserve your tickets please email <u>chair@nordicliverpool.co.uk</u> with your name and the number of tickets you wish to reserve for your preferred performance. Tickets are limited.

Finally you are all welcome to our festive Christmas Eve service on 24th December starting at 12 noon, this will be followed with porridge and coffee arranged by Ulfar.

I do hope to see each and every one of you at some or all of these events as your support is greatly appreciated. Can I also take this opportunity to wish you and your family a very Merry Christmas and a Peaceful and Prosperous new year.



Eric Hughes - LiNC Chair



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