COLLINGHAM WI
Minutes of Birthday Meeting
Tuesday 15th October 2019

1. **Apologies** – Lynne Carter, Margaret Cotton, Diane Hughes, Margaret Rowland, Barbara Green and Cassie Hovey. 17 members attended.

2. **Minutes of September’s meeting** – tba

3. **Finance** – although our bank accounts are healthy, they are down on last year and fund raising will be necessary.

4. **National Correspondence** – Lyn Blundy will go to the AGM.

5. **National Correspondence b/f** – none

6. **County Correspondence** – 4 activities were read out – Walk of Light, Talk at Notts Uni, Burns Lunch and Murder Mystery evening. All notification details are on the County Website.

7. **Collingham Business b/f** – the majority voted to receive the Hornblower on-line. 2 printed copies will be available for members to read at meetings.
   Thanks were extended to Barbara Barrie for organising the minibus for the trip to the Autumn Concert.
   Lynn P is in the process of setting up an account with AmazonSmile for our WI to raise funds.

The Birthday Party celebrations began with a short Spooky story read by Chris, then Hot Dogs, filled pitta bread and nibbles were enjoyed, washed down with various ciders/apple juice.

The room was decorated for Halloween, and 2 more Spooky Stories were read to members by Lynn and Helen. Gill B. held a Halloween quiz.

ACWW competition of a beaded necklace was won by 1st – Helen Flarry, 2nd – Lynn Phillips and 3rd – Gill Riley.

Best Hat was won by Lynn Phillips.

Raffle was won by 1st – Carole Barker, 2nd – Caron Ballantyne and 3rd – Betty Porter.

Next Meeting – Tuesday 19th November 2019 – Speaker is Emma on Soapology. Please bring Christmas Gift for child for Salvation Army.

ACWW Competition is a pretty soap dish.