



Leslie Batchelor had a Birthday on June 6th



We all hope you had a lovely day Leslie

Gwyn Davies' Virtual Mount Everest Climb:

Gwyn Davies is one of Age UK Wiltshire's home visiting volunteers. He featured in the Salisbury Journal in June because he was completing a virtual climb of Mount Everest.

Gwyn was one of a group of 5 who took part in the virtual climb of Mount Everest over 7 consecutive days to raise money for a charity called Kidasha who help children living in extreme poverty in Nepal. They climbed an estimate of 58,070 stairs at home between them! Gwyn individually climbed 11,733 of them.



The climb replaced Kidasha's annual charity trek through Nepal's Annapurna range, which normally raises crucial funds for the charity. Due to government enforced lockdowns in both the UK and Nepal, the charity's supporters decided to get creative with their fundraising efforts at home.

Gwyn took part in Kidasha's annual charity trek last November, where he raised over £1200 for the charity. Gwyn was excited to take part in this year's fundraiser because he said, "the lockdown has had many of us feeling somewhat helpless, so it's encouraging to know that we can still make a huge difference from home".

A big well done from all of us at Age UK Wiltshire Gwyn, you are a huge inspiration!

If you are interested in inspirational stories and activities you can get involved with on the internet, check out www.weboftheweek.com. This website has lots of interesting stories, videos and activities you can engage with to beat the lockdown boredom, and [get online](#).

5 of your Favourite Films or Plays?

1. **Margaret Townsend** and **Pearl Gannon's** favourite film is Singing in the Rain with Gene Kelly.
2. **Joyce Packer** and **Elsie Brokenbrow's** favourite film is Titanic.
3. **Margaret Wood's** favourite film is The Sound of Music, she loves musicals.
4. **Margaret Ridd's** favourite film is Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs. This is the first film she ever saw in 1937. She prefers cartoon films.
5. **Geraldine Jones** loves the Carry On films for their good old fashioned humour.

Next Week's Question: What's the bravest/scariest thing you've ever done or overcome?

A History Themed Quiz:

1. In which year of the 1970's did Mozambique gain independence, the Khmer Rouge take control of Cambodia, and the Vietnam War end?
2. What name is common to the Kings of England in 1119, 1219, 1419, and 1519?
3. What object, exhibited in parliament, caused war with Spain?
4. In what year was the present UK system of car number plates introduced?
5. What were the surnames of Bill and Dave who, in 1939, founded what would become an eponymous computer manufacturing company?

Guess the Phrases from These Clues:

- a) 13 in a B _____ ' D _____
- b) 90 D _____ in a R _____ A _____
- c) 60 S _____ in a M _____
- d) 22 B _____ in a G _____ of S _____
- e) 3 W _____ in a H _____ T _____
- f) 200 P _____ for P _____ G _____ in M _____
- g) 9 P _____ in the S _____ S _____ (but not anymore)
- h) 25th D _____ is C _____



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Poem of the Week:

“I think these difficult times have helped me to understand better than before how infinitely rich and beautiful life is in every way and that so many things one goes around worrying about are of no importance whatsoever”.

- ***Karen Blixen*** (1885-1962)

Answers to Guess the Phrases Game:

- a) 90 Degrees in a right angle
- b) 60 seconds in a minute
- c) 3 wickets in a hat trick
- d) 200 pounds for passing go in Monopoly
- e) 9 planets in the solar system
- f) 25th December is Christmas
- g) 13 in a baker's dozen
- h) 22 balls in a game of snooker

History Quiz Answers:

1. 1975
2. Henry
3. Captain Jenkin's Ear
4. 2001
5. Hewlett and Packard