



Hello everyone,

We all enjoy a good old natter about the old days and there is something special about bringing back memories. We all enjoy remembering with friends what we did in the 40s, 50s, and 60s - talking about the hobbies and activities that we loved with others who also enjoyed them - hearing about what Debenham and the surrounding villages were like all those years ago and what it was like where we grew up. That is what **"Way Back When"** is all about every 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday afternoon in Dove Cottage.

Last month, Debenham's Gerry Baxter, was our special guest bringing his reminiscences of life as a Pearly King. This month it will be about the Suffolk Weavers and the ladies who worked there. So if you would like to come along - **it is open to everyone** - just give Steve Robbins a call on 01728 860304. We'd love to welcome you.



And, whilst we are thinking about how quickly time passes, The Debenham Project was launched in 2009. So we shall reach our 10<sup>th</sup> anniversary next October. Do you have thoughts on how we could celebrate it's achievements and especially recognise everyone in our community for all they have done to help support those who have been, and are, living with the impact of dementia on their lives - a special event, a project, an award, etc. – if you have any ideas please let me know.

Finally, thank you so much for all your donations and support, and please remember that we can receive donations via the Co-op (just ask for your dividend to be given to **609313**) and on-line using the button on the home page of our website (below). Also don't forget, we have wheelchairs for loan if you need one for a few days

With best wishes, Lynden

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