THACS - TEWIN HORTICULTURAL ARTS & CRAFTS SOCIETY

Creative Writing Workshop

Our Creative Writing Workshop scheduled for 16th March was cancelled because of concerns about the potential for transmission of the Covid-19 virus. However, *THACS* writers don't give up so easily; one of our number proposed that we spend some of the day writing at home, and even suggested titles for our work. Our tutor, Frances Wilson agreed with some enthusiasm to review our efforts. Out of this initiative came the idea of not only publishing that day's writing on the village website but also keeping it going with a new piece each week.

Please go to the *THACS* webpages of the Tewin village website and have a look at the news item and the latest pieces (at the top of the left-hand column). There will be a new poem or story every Sunday morning. We hope you enjoy the reading as much as we have enjoyed the writing.

Tewin Open Gardens on Sunday 17th May - CANCELLED

The *THACS* Open Gardens event had planned to bring you a visually splendiferous day to wander around our village and view the beautiful gardens. The present position of a lockdown has forced the cancellation of this event.

We know that the Open Gardens events are enjoyed by a large number of visitors, who will be disappointed that the event has had to be cancelled. Many of our gardeners were looking forward to it and had already started preparing their gardens to ensure that they would look their best on the day, so we are now working with them to develop an alternative way of giving you a safe and timely view of the results of their good works. This will be in the form of *Virtual Open Gardens*, using photographs taken by the gardeners during April and early May and (hopefully) available for you to view on the *THACS* webpages of the Tewin village website by the end of May.

Forthcoming Events

We have decided that it will not be feasible to organise a garden visit this summer. The remainder of our planned events will be kept under review.