**Warwick Twinning Association – Annual Town Meeting report 2023**

As you probably are aware the Warwick Twinning Association Association was revived at the beginning of 2022.

We now have new officers Linda Butler Secretary - George Palmer - Treasurer and myself as Chairman.

We had a successful and well attended BBQ last summer and a Quiz night in the Autumn (sadly had to change due to the death of our Queen)

We have gained more members and will in the future be holding more events to promote and keep alive our twinning connections.

The annual Summer BBQ will be held on June 23rd at The Unitarian Chapel and we will have a short AGM beforehand.

On August the 4th again at the Unitarian Chapel we will host a BBQ for our Eurocamp participants and all members and councillors will be invited should they wish to come.

Further details on to be sent out nearer the time.

I have been working with the Head of Languages at Kings High School to organise an exchange in Saumur. This was at the request of parents at the school.

It looks like we have success but as it’s half term in Saumur we won’t have confirmation for a couple of weeks.

The School will be organising this but we are just facilitating the introductions as over the years I have gained many friendships in Saumur who are helping with the introductions and language! The School we have approached is in the centre and is off a similar demographic to Warwick Boys/Kings High and already organise exchanges with Verden.

I am also back in touch with Innes who has run the Verden partnership association for many years and we will be meeting in April to discuss new opportunities. If you are interested in becoming a member or coming to one of our events please email info@warwicktwinningassociation.co.uk

Onwards and upwards

Mandy Littlejohn

Chairman Warwick Twinning Association