Ness Neighbours coffee mornings were started in summer 2017 to provide a social focal point for Ness residents to meet up and get to know each other. We provide unlimited tea or coffee and homemade cake with proper china tea cups and plates and a friendly environment for social gathering. Since then we regularly have 30 to 40 participants, mostly over retirement age and mainly ladies, but since social restrictions have been relaxed we are seeing more new and younger people joining us.

We were moved to note that during the past two years our regulars stayed in contact and helped each other through the lockdowns and were back as soon as we were able to restart.

We have planned to do something special for the jubilee at our June coffee morning with special cake decorations, table settings and banners, but it would be nice if we could also serve in commemorative cups or plates that our regulars can keep as a souvenir.

For this we would hope to get a grant of £500 to cover the additional costs of decorations, cakes and souvenirs. A quick check on Amazon indicate that party packs are £22 for 20 people, cake decorations could be a similar cost depending on what we need and mementos from £6 to £10 each. A more precise and detailed budget could be submitted if necessary.

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Regards

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