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One of the best things about the past year in the Folly, is the opportunities it has brought for working more closely with other local groups and businesses to promote all that Settle and North Craven have to offer. We are therefore especially grateful that three of these – Rotary Club of Settle, Settle and District Community News and Vibrant Settle – are generously supporting our exhibitions and events leaflet for 2013 and thereby helping us and the town to attract more visitors.

We have a fantastic programme planned for 2013 with our largest ever number of events: more details next month! This means that we have to recruit more volunteers to help, not only front-of- house in the Folly, but behind the scenes in looking after our collections of local material and dealing with the many enquiries we receive from far and wide. The work is very rewarding and we provide full training and follow up support. Interested? Then please look at our volunteering page on our website www.ncbpt.org.uk/folly/volunteer or get in touch with Anne Read on (015242) 51388 for a chat.

Please remember that although we are closed to the public for the winter, the Folly is very much open for special events bookings. We can accommodate private parties, meetings, workshops, book launches etc. and are always happy to discuss people's individual requirements. Just recently we had our first ever breakfast celebration in front of a blazing log fire in the inglenook!

Wine Tasting evening

Celebrate St David's Day and enjoy a wine tasting evening at The Folly on March 1st at 7.00. You don't need to be an expert to take part in the tasting quiz with prizes. There will also be a raffle. Tickets are £8.00 each for a fun evening with all proceeds going to the Folly Appeal. Ring Margaret on 01729 822 893 to make sure you get a ticket.

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