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Dear Members.

What a lovely summer break we have had! I am looking forward to taking over as Chairman of the Luncheon Club and relinquishing my responsibility for obtaining your speakers. This, now, we hope will be a concerted effort amongst members and committee. To obtain a higher standard of speaker we have had to increase our budget and I think this has been reflected in our current programme.

Please remember if you are unable to attend a lunch it is most important to notify our Treasurer, Elizabeth Weaver, as soon as possible and no later than 6 p.m. on the previous Friday. Elizabeth's email address for the luncheon club is: dllctreasurer@gmail.com **Only if you do not have email,** please call 01304 823 055 and, if necessary, leave a message on the answering machine. These details are on your programme.

Unfortunately, if you do not notify her in time, Elizabeth will send you a request to pay for your meal as it is unfair for the club to stand the cost.

I would also like to remind you that your order for **permanent dietary requirements** has to be **permanent**. It is impossible for the catering staff to cope with a sudden change.

I am very proud to be associated with a luncheon club that meets in such a stately venue and has wonderful occasions such as the Royal Wedding celebration lunch as well as convivial monthly lunches with good food and friendship.

There are varied events planned for 2018/19 so 'watch this space'!

I look forward to welcoming you back again on 26 September 2018.

With best wishes,