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# The Wychwood

I WAS TAKEN TO TASK by a much respected reader regarding my reference to obituaries in the last issue. Perhaps I should have said that we do not include an obituary section *per se*, however we still request articles of interest about local residents, past or present, as that is really what the magazine is all about, interesting articles on local people, by local people, for local people, so please keep them coming.

Mrs. Janet Wallace was presented with a selection of stainless steel garden tools from the surgery and a cheque for £350 donated by the people of the Wychwoods on the occasion of her retirement. We are pleased to have a photograph of the occasion and a short article of thanks for her dedicated service to us all.

Mrs. Joyce Ward of Milton-u-Wychwood has had poetry published in a book "Quiet Moments" by The International Library of Poetry who record that her favourite subject is concern for nature. We are pleased to include her short poem, which, together with that of our regular contributor, is giving us something of a 'Poets' Corner'.

This issue being the first of a new volume, contributing readers should by now have received a visit from their distributors requesting £1.20. Should you have been missed, would you please be kind enough to contact them.

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