



Meeting : Dementia Friendly Congleton Group 22nd Meeting

Date : Wed 24th March **Time:** 1.30pm

Location: via Zoom

In attendance:- Mike Smith, Diane Ritherdon, Adriana Jaracz, Clare Sheard, Martha Hayes, Susan Munro, David Morris, Wendy Townley, Glen Williams, Helen Williams, Peter Munro, Jackie MacArthur, Sharon Bailey, Elizabeth Stubbs. Debbie Coxon, I Enticott & S.Jacklin.

Guest:

Item	Agenda Item / discussion	Action / comment
1	<p><u>Welcome & Apologies</u></p> <p>Meeting was chaired by D.Ritherdon</p> <p>Round robin to introduce new members.</p>	<p>Apologies were received from L.Williams, S.Turner, H.Meachin,J.Norton, D.Coyne,S.Foster,A.Bignell.</p>
2.	<p><u>Minutes / Matters Arising from the last meeting (3.2.21)</u></p> <p><i>The minutes were accepted as a true and correct record of the last meeting.</i></p> <p>Item 2. Churches Together Criteria. Clare has kept in touch and will look at a possible restart of the programme. NLC put together “Bags of Joy” for the Forget Me Not Group members.</p> <p>Item 3. AgeUk Scams Presentation. MS circulated Sally Wilson’s presentation to all on the distribution</p>	

	<p>list.</p> <p>Item 2. Relaunch of the Dementia Buddy Scheme. Information about the scheme to go out in the gift packs.</p> <p>Item 6 Improve social media coverage. DR to invite Debbie Coxon to the next meeting and to join the PCSO project working group. Actioned. Next working group meeting 13th April</p>	
3.	<p><u>PCSO Project – Working Group Update.</u></p> <p>Press release gone out in The Chronicle, plus a social media report around the project from both Cheshire Police and Ourselves (Debbie).</p> <p>The Lions have already received a request for a gift pack.</p> <p>All 3 surgeries have been approached:-</p> <p>Lawton House - have 144 potential clients. They will letter drop all of these clients sending out details of the scheme and Diane's contact details for gift pack deliveries. They do not want any stock at the surgery.</p> <p>Meadowside - have 33 potential clients, will send out a letter, and a PC friend of Katie's will handle the requests.</p> <p>Readesmoor – Diane to contact Lisa after Easter</p> <p>Care Homes – PCSO looking after the care homes.</p> <p>Delivery – PCSO and The Lions mainly in and around Congleton.</p> <p>Packing – Diane to approach Jo Money about using space at The Electric Picture House, Spindle Mill, Congleton.</p> <p>Bear Necessities – looking to get a report into BN just after Easter.</p> <p>AgeUK have sent us 150 of their activity packs.</p>	<p>DR</p> <p>DR / J.Money</p> <p>Diane / Debbie</p>

	<p>Next working group meeting 13th April may have numbers and then can work out pack value/ budgets.</p> <p>Clare to send MS a copy of the Sporting Pink Paper for consideration, MS circulate the group for feedback.</p> <p>Twiddle Boards – Clare’s husband’s design has been taken on by Eaton Bank Academy and a further 2 produced at no cost. CHS also looking to produce some boards. David Morris is still waiting a reply from North Rode Timber re chipboard, the PCSO’s are running a collection bucket / scheme for items to go on the boards. Anyone can drop items into he bucket at the Police Station. Sarah Jacklin suggested that some of the family members may like to get involved in supplying odds and ends for the boards.</p> <p>Knitting Yarn – Diane to pick up spare yarn from Sue Munro.</p> <p>All funding has now been received.</p>	<p>CS / MS</p> <p>DR / SM</p>
4.	<p><u>Dementia Friendly Congleton – Relaunch.</u></p> <p><i>Feedback from around the group re possible start-ups.</i></p> <p>H.Williams – Memory Café approx. Sept.</p> <p>Clare Sheard – Forget Me Not – approx. Sept but with a new structure.</p> <p>D.Ritherdon – Wild and Wild café Project – Hopefully July.</p> <p>Ian Enticott – Big Lunch Club at St Johns from 17th Sept, with United Reformed Church 2022.</p> <p>Bromley Farm (M.Butcher) intends ti restart but again late summer / early autumn if possible.</p> <p>Ayres walks. No longer possible on a Monday, but if volunteers can be found then likely to start up on a Friday.</p> <p><i>This will now be put back until the next meeting when we may have a better view of what will be possible.</i></p>	

5.	<p>A.O.B</p> <p>There was no AOB.</p>	
6.	<p>Meeting finished at 2.45pm</p> <p>Next Meetings :- Tuesday 18th May , 1.30pm, Via Zoom.</p> <p>Join Zoom Meeting https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87474732274?pwd=T2ZPU1dyOW9lZ1R3NVdsczk9idkN4UT09</p> <p>Meeting ID: 874 7473 2274 Passcode: 033737</p>	

