



Lots of June Birthdays to celebrate !!!!!

Our Founder Dawn Cockburn celebrated her birthday on 2nd June. Our lovely Trustee therapist Gillian Smissen, from Dover recently celebrated her "O" birthday. Gillian very kindly held her party at The Thatched Barn at Great Farthingloe, by kind permission of Gill and Colin, with a Hog Roast, Magician etc - a beautiful birthday cake made by Charlotte Conroy. Gillian asked for no presents and that money be donated to The Trust. It was an amazing day and Gillian has some truly wonderful friends - The sum donated was £1000 - Thank you to everyone who attended and donated so much. And a huge thank you to Gillian for such a generous thought.

Our annual High Tea, celebrating The Queen's 90th Birthday was very well supported - Thank you to Morrisons, of Sheerness for providing the sandwiches and Strawberries, to Charlotte Conroy, Julia McDougall, Bev Nolker, Amanda Thrift, and Vickie Couzins who made the most amazing cakes. Lyn Baseley who produced the timeline. The weather was very kind to us and £167 was raised.

Claire Fosbeary, the Community Champion of Asda, at Sittingbourne presented The Trust with a £200 cheque from the "green token" scheme. In the picture above from left to right - Julie Murby, Julia McDougall, Rita Couzins, Claire Fosbeary, Dawn Cockburn and Maggie Keen.

Some other thank you's

The Latino Dance evening, was a huge success. Many thanks to Matthew Bromley and Marilyn Carmilleri who hosted the event. To Steve Eden and The Paradox Dancers who showed everyone some amazing Salsa, Merengue & La Rueda. To Sheerness East Working Men's Club and all the team, Sheppey FM Community Radio who provided the sound equipment, and to Barry for setting it all up and for coming back late, late in the evening to collect it - A total of £611 was raised.

Rhiannon Rae - Thank you so much for a magnificent evening of song, which was held at The Avenue Theatre, in Sittingbourne. A wonderful £400 was raised

Thank you also to the Wednesday Wobblers who sponsored our lovely Maidstone therapist, Pauline Brown, for a cycle ride raising £63.

Our amazing Jeff Payne took part in a Dart's Tournament in Gravesend. He received so much support for The Steve Townson Memorial Shield Competition that a donation of £1050 was given to us. Once again thank you to everyone who supported this event.

The lovely ladies, from The Wire Belt Company, in Sittingbourne, who are assembling our happiness kits can hardly keep up with the demand. They are doing such an amazing job but we are running short of marbles and new pennies, so if anyone can donate any we would be very grateful.

REMINDERS:-

Dawn will be manning a stall at the Arts and Crafts Fair, on Saturday 25th June, at Trinity Hall, Sheerness - 11 am - 3 pm. Music from Sheppey FM - please come along and show your support.

Don't forget Whitstable Regatta on August 6th & 7th. We will be there with our Teddy Bear's Instant Raffle.

We truly are very grateful to all our supporters who share our passion and drive to help as many people as we can into "wellness and wellbeing" and to lift their spirits in times when life can be so uncertain