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# December Newsletter



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**Our Christmas Post Box will be in the entrance hall from Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> December**

**Donations of Mince Pies and After Dinner Mints for our clients' Christmas Lunches would be gratefully received**

### **CHRISTMAS RAFFLE**

**Don't forget your Raffle Tickets  
Our Christmas Raffle will be drawn on Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> December.**

**GOOD LUCK!**

### **ONE STEP FORWARD CLUB**

See inside for details.

## Receiving our Cheque from the Co-Op



## Well Done to the Bromley Lions – Winners of the Quiz Night held on 2<sup>nd</sup> November



## Pratts Bottom Christmas Market



### Christmas/New Year Opening

**The Day Centre will be CLOSED on Friday 27<sup>th</sup> December.**

I would like to clarify that ICARE will be open on 23<sup>rd</sup>, 24<sup>th</sup>, 30<sup>th</sup>, 31<sup>st</sup> December and 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> January. Clients that are unable to attend ICARE on these days will not be charged. **DIAL-A-RIDE HAVE PHONED THIS MORNING (WEDNESDAY 4<sup>TH</sup>) TO CONFIRM THAT PERMANENT BOOKINGS FOR ICARE CLIENTS WILL BE HONOURED ON MONDAY 23<sup>RD</sup> AND TUESDAY 24<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER. THE PERMANENT BOOKINGS WILL THEN RESUME FOR ALL CLIENTS ON MONDAY 6<sup>TH</sup> JANUARY 2020.**

### Exchanging Christmas Cards

Thank you to our clients, volunteers and staff who have donated to ICARE rather than exchanging Christmas cards.

### Christmas Lunch

Christmas lunch will be served week commencing Monday 16<sup>th</sup> December and will be followed by Christmas entertainment. Donations of Mince Pies and After Dinner Mints would be gratefully received.

### Fundraising:

#### Events:

**Pat Whibley's Coffee Morning with a Twist - Monday 27<sup>th</sup> January 10.00 a.m. – 12.30 p.m.**

65, Glentrammon Road, Green Street Green, BR6 6DG. The twist is take along an unused, unwanted gift towards ICARE's table sales throughout the year. There will be a raffle.

**Quiz Night (hosted by Mike Deves) - Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> February - 7.15 p.m. – 10.30 p.m.** St. Mary's Church Hall, Worlds End Lane, Green Street Green. £8 per head; tables of 8. Bring your own drinks and nibbles.

**Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> February - Paper Quiz – "Connections"** £3 per pack. Pack will be on sale at the Quiz Night and available at the Day Centre from Monday 10<sup>th</sup> February.

### Update on Past Events:

**Quiz Night – Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> November:** Congratulations to the Bromley Lions, the overall winners on the night. The fantastic sum of £1,603.05 was raised.

**Co-Op Community Fund:** Sue and Adrienne, one of our Tuesday volunteers, collected the cheque, amounting to £8,533.22 from the Co-Op Store on Carlton Parade on 23<sup>rd</sup> November. Thank you for nominating ICARE.

**Pratts Bottom Christmas Market – Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> November 10.00 a.m.-2.00 p.m. Village Hall:** Thank you for your support, both with donations and coming along on the day. In excess of £200 was raised.

### Thank You to the following who have made donations to ICARE:

Mr. & Mrs. Holledge; J. Argue; Rotary Club of Orpington.

### One Step Forward Club

Friday 6<sup>th</sup> December

Music Quiz

Friday 20<sup>th</sup> December

Christmas Party

See you again in February 2020

Wishing you all a very Merry Christmas and the very happiest and healthiest of New Years.

Best wishes,

Sue and all the team