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January Newsletter



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The opportunity to write a review is about
half-way down.

Thank you

Unveiling the Aphasia Poster



Picking the Christmas Raffle



News from ICARE:

Christmas 2021 Entertainment: Unfortunately we had to postpone the Christmas Entertainment because of Covid. It is planned to re-schedule this as soon as we are able. In the meantime, despite everything, we had a lovely Christmas week and thank you for your kind donations towards the celebrations.

ICARE Daily Charge: A reminder that our daily charge will be increasing to £30 and £25 for non-attendance from 1st January 2022.

Counselling/Chatting Service: Amanda Dalson, our accredited Counsellor, who is registered with British Association for Counselling & Psychotherapy, is offering a Counselling/Chatting Service for our clients and carers in a variety of ways – telephone (**07974 814104**); in person or via Zoom. If you would like more details or make an appointment, either speak to Sue or contact Amanda directly.

Aphasia Poster

Eleanor, our Speech Therapist, would like to say thank you to all the clients living with aphasia who helped to design and give their voices to the 'Aphasia' poster. Communication difficulties not only affect the person with aphasia but everyone in their lives too. The better we understand aphasia the better our conversations can be. If you have any questions or want to ask anything to do with communication difficulties, please don't hesitate to get in touch with me or Eleanor.

Thank You Very Much

To all our volunteers for their hard work and dedication to ICARE; it really is very much appreciated, and we look forward to working with you all in 2022.

Fundraising:

Do you order via Amazon? If so, you are now able to select ICARE as a charitable organisation to receive a small donation on every purchase at no cost to you. The Scheme is called Amazon Smile.

Events:

Paper Quiz – Monday 6th December – Monday 10th January

Don't forget to return your ICARE Paper Quiz before the closing date of Monday 10th January at midnight. Good luck and thank you for your support.

Quiz Night – Saturday 26th February

Unfortunately we are still limited with numbers because of the Covid restrictions, and this event is sold out. However, once again watch this space for future quizzes.

Pat Whibley's "Bring Along an Unwanted Gift" Coffee Morning – FRIDAY 28th JANUARY 10.30 a.m.–12.30 p.m. at ICARE, The Old School House, High Street, Green Street Green, BR6 6BJ. Tel: 01689 862883

***** PLEASE NOTE CHANGE OF DATE AND CONFIRMATION OF NEW VENUE *****

PLEASE UNDERTAKE A LATERAL FLOW TEST BEFORE ATTENDING

£5 for as much tea, coffee and cake as required. Thank you, once again, to Pat for very kindly organising and hosting this event. The venue has changed to comply with Covid regulations. There will be a raffle.

Update on Past Events:

ICARE Christmas Raffle – November/December 2021:

Congratulations to all our prize winners. Thank you all for your support. The grand sum of £363.00 was raised.

Staff and Volunteers join me in wishing you all a very Happy and Healthy New Year.

Best wishes,
Sue and all the team