



**LDAA MEETING  
DISCUSSIONS/ACTIONS**

**1<sup>st</sup> DECEMBER 2014**

10:00 – 11:30

Town Hall, Committee Room 3

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1.	<p><b>Attendance :</b></p> <table border="1" data-bbox="304 629 1189 1189"> <tr><td>Yvonne McKinlay</td><td>POhWER</td></tr> <tr><td>Claire Stockwell-Lance</td><td>Alzheimer's Society</td></tr> <tr><td>Gill Kuspert</td><td>Singing Café Stopsley</td></tr> <tr><td>Teela Hughes</td><td>Music 24</td></tr> <tr><td>Elaine Fountain</td><td>Carer</td></tr> <tr><td>Stephen Dibble</td><td>LBC</td></tr> <tr><td>Fiona Marriot</td><td>Luton Culture</td></tr> <tr><td>Kim Radford</td><td>LBC</td></tr> <tr><td>Rose Winter</td><td>LBC</td></tr> <tr><td>Clare Warren</td><td>SEPT</td></tr> <tr><td>Collette McKeaveney</td><td>Age Concern Luton</td></tr> <tr><td>Gail Robinson</td><td>SEPT</td></tr> <tr><td>A.S Marshall</td><td>The Singing Café</td></tr> <tr><td>Pete Buckingham</td><td>Beds Fire &amp; Rescue</td></tr> <tr><td>Yvonne Weldon</td><td>L&amp;D</td></tr> <tr><td>Helen Ryder</td><td>Volunteer / Carer</td></tr> </table> <p><b>Apologies :</b> Jaki Wittred, Ruth Connelly, Lawrence Fagbayi, Matt Corder, Maria Collins, Simon Barker, Tracey Fitzsimmons, Mark Golby, Nicola McLaughlin, Pam Garraway. <b>Note-taker :</b> Rose Winter</p>	Yvonne McKinlay	POhWER	Claire Stockwell-Lance	Alzheimer's Society	Gill Kuspert	Singing Café Stopsley	Teela Hughes	Music 24	Elaine Fountain	Carer	Stephen Dibble	LBC	Fiona Marriot	Luton Culture	Kim Radford	LBC	Rose Winter	LBC	Clare Warren	SEPT	Collette McKeaveney	Age Concern Luton	Gail Robinson	SEPT	A.S Marshall	The Singing Café	Pete Buckingham	Beds Fire & Rescue	Yvonne Weldon	L&D	Helen Ryder	Volunteer / Carer	
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2.	<p><b>Introductions and Apologies</b> The minutes from the last meeting were agreed and signed off.</p>																																	
3.	<p><b>Updates</b></p> <p><b>Kim Radford – LBC</b> The LDAA now has 21 members and we are working with four others to get their work plans completed. We are in the lead as far as members within the East of England. Kim Radford has been presenting and attending many events and workshops including having a table/ stand at the NDAA in London. Five Champions have been trained and 103 have attended the dementia awareness training making a total of 220.</p> <p><b>Alzheimer's Society</b> They are raising awareness through the media and carrying out some case studies of support within shops and local amenities. The Dementia roadshow / bus shall be visiting Luton for two days in April.</p> <p><b>POhWER</b> POhWER are making it mandatory for their staff to attend the Virtual Dementia Tour.</p> <p><b>Stopsley Singing Café</b> They now have 15 Dementia Friends, and shall have 4 new</p>																																	

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	<p>Dementia Champions in the new year. They are running the tent project and working closely with Joe Biskupski around loneliness issues.</p> <p><b>SEPT</b> SEPT still hasn't signed up to the LDAA but plan to very soon. A meeting will be set up with Clare and Gail. The Memory Diagnosis Service is up for audit in January. They are working in partnership with the police to around engaging with people living with dementia.</p> <p><b>Music 24</b> They are running new therapeutic sessions for younger people living with dementia and concentrating on raising funds.</p> <p><b>Age Concern Luton</b> We need to update our plan but have completed all tasks. 20% of their clients have dementia.</p> <p><b>Beds Fire</b> The virtual dementia Tour held by LBC in March had positive feedback. They have refurbished Hazard Alley – a fire / safety awareness training house in Luton. They are having dementia and safeguarding training in January. They are now part of the loneliness project.</p> <p><b>Yvonne Weldon L&amp;D</b> The VDT company Training2Care are training some staff at the L&amp;D to carry out VDT's of their own – this will only be available to Hospital staff. They are collecting feedback from carers, this will be passed on to the CCG and Trust Board. Carers in Bedfordshire have a room within the hospital offering support. The hospital has 10 new volunteer dementia support workers.</p> <p><b>Fiona Marriott – Luton Culture</b> They now have 4 champions; there has been a delay in training due to the libraries and community centres being refurbished. They are starting a reading agency where books, games, puzzles etc. are provided for carers and people living with dementia. This will launch at the end of January.</p> <p><b>Active Luton</b></p> <div style="text-align: center;">   An update for Active Luton.docx </div> <p><b>CCS Update</b></p> <div style="text-align: center;">   Update for the meeting re CCS.docx </div>	
4.	<p><b>VDT</b> We will be holding our third VDT day on the 22<sup>nd</sup> of January; places are available to book but are limited to two per organisation as we want to encourage a good amount of carers.</p>	
5.	<p><b>Co-production bid</b> A new bid has been submitted for a new service which is focused upon prevention of carer breakdown / crisis. The decision on whether this will be given the go ahead shall be made on the 12<sup>th</sup> of December.</p>	
6.	<p><b>Date and Time of next meeting: 30<sup>th</sup> March, 10 – 11:30 Town Hall, Committee Room 2</b></p>	

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