

SOUTHAMPTON SPECIAL PURPOSE WORKSHOP LTD

Service users meeting

Thursday July 1st

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SUGGESTIONS

Get your carers or staff to write out your suggestions and put in the suggestion box.
Suggestion box is opened at the meeting.

This month's suggestions are:-

Lots in suggestion box.

Places to go on trips and place to eat.

BBQ at farm. See trip list

Hats still missing. Please look at home and bring in if not yours.



1. Sailing is weekly on Tuesdays until October. If you would like to go I will try and fit you in, just let me know.
2. Santa Pod car is ready and we have had a few trips this year already.
3. Shop sales are still very slow and this will have to reflect in some of our trip costing.
4. Farm open day went very well and we had about 80 people turn up to look around. We have now been asked to do more of these..... We welcome visitors; it does not have to be an open day.
5. FARM. The turkey and Guinea fowl eggs did not hatch. But we still had 10 ducks and 5 bantams. We now have 6 pigs and hopefully 2 are in pig. 5 Donkeys -2 are in foal, one due this month and another due September. Lots of chickens, 6 Pygmy goats. 10 sheep and 6 lambs. Lambing was good and quite a few people saw them being born. 1 Rabbit and a baby born today. If anyone wants to visit the farm please feel free, make it a ½ day out, come for a coffee, a walk and someone will give you a guided tour. (Please ring first as we are not there every day).
6. We had an art / drawing day at the farm, enjoyed by all, a nice relaxing day drawing, talking and just looking at the animals. (What a life!!!!)
7. Talked about trips for the future. See trip list.
8. Please be aware that due to hot weather we can not put everyone's lunches in the fridge, please bring a cool bag if required.
9. Over the past months we have had new service users, some people getting additional days, and one person leaving due to ill health.
10. Dave Cunningham – an ex member of staff, has sadly passed away
11. My Jacuzzi is broken at present and I was asked to get it fixed. I will soon.....

Trips out

Meeting and trip list are:-January – March – May - July – September – November.

All trips to be pre-booked and paid for in advance. Some Trips have limited places. Early booking may be needed. PFO stands for Pay for Own. (These Trips must be pre-booked and bring money on the day to pay for food and drinks).

Trips can only to be booked on days that you attend the workshop. (Unless pre-arranged)

Remember, you still need to pay for drinks and any extras. Workshop covers all staffing cost.

If trips work out cheaper than expected all service users will get a refund of the difference.

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1. **Thursday 15th July**
Walk Portsmouth and Chinese buffet at Water Margin, Gunwarf Quays. PFO
You will need at least £10.00
2. **Thursday 22nd July**
Mystery tour of London.
We may go on London eye (£15.00) so bring extra spending money £10.00
3. **Wednesday 27th July**
Pizza hut lunch buffet Buy you own drinks and sweet. £6.60
4. **Wednesday 4th August**
Badminton PFO
5. **Friday 6th August**
Thrupton to watch car testing £1.00
6. **Tuesday 10th August**
Sailing or watch, then a day on the beach. £2.50 sailing £1.00
7. **Monday 16th August**
BBQ lunch at the farm. Walk and animal tour. £2.00
Visitors welcome please book
8. **Friday 27th August**
Thrupton to watch car testing £1.00
9. **Thursday 2nd September**
BBQ and curry lunch at the farm. Pat is providing this for Jims 70th. FREE
10. **Friday 10th September**
Royal Armouries Fort Nelson £1.00
11. **Thursday 16th September**
Chinese evening at the farm (buffet style)

Bring your own drinks.

£7.50

Trips for the future

These are trips that I have been asked for but have not yet booked.

I will book them as soon as possible or as appropriate.

You can put your names down for these but remember I have not booked them.

*Longleat*Portsmouth Football Club*Train ride*Horse Riding*

*Paultons Park£18.50*IOW on hovercraft £14.00*

*Windmill visit*Beaulieu*Boat trip Portsmouth harbour*

Closing dates

Monday 30th August

Friday 24th Monday 27th Tuesday 28th and Friday 31st December
(*Open Wednesday 29th and Thursday 30th December for booked service*)

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