

Chairman's Report October 2018 – October 2019

I'd like to officially welcome Michelle Edwards to the Management Group. Michelle has taken up the role left open after Kate Hamilton-Ivory left and is organising the lunch club driving rotas and assisting with submitting the RCC subsidy claim.

Winter illnesses hit many of our volunteers preventing them from attending the 2018 Christmas meal at Jackson Stops, but the 20 or so who attending all reported having a good time. By moving the meal to a lunchtime this year, its hoped there will be a few more of our cohort around the table.

Since our last AGM a year ago we have settled into a steady rhythm of smooth running.

We are still offering a strong support network in the village not least by the transport provided for medical appointments and shopping etc along with our rotas for lunchtime clubs and prescription collection. We also briefly resumed the rota of volunteers taking a client to Brentingby.

This year we had a presence at the village Feast Week. An information table, decked with our newly purchased banner, was manned on the evening of the Six Run. Information leaflets and fridge magnets were handed out to the many people who showed interest in the scheme.

I'm happy to report that 2019 has been another successful and fulfilling year for our clients and volunteers.