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Hello and welcome to the Carers Federation Carers Hub Newsletter for May 2025

Please find support group details below for May 2025. If you wish to book on for face to face or virtual events please contact us. See details below:

Tel: 0808 802 1777

Email: carershubinfo@carersfederation.co.uk

WhatsApp or Text: 07814 678460

Visit the Carers Hub website

or scan the QR code below



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Carers Week 2025!



The theme for Carers Week this year is: "Caring about Equality highlighting the inequalities faced by unpaid carers, including a greater risk of poverty, social isolation, poor mental and physical health."

Please save the date and join Carers Federation for a special celebration of Carers Week 2025 on the 11th June.

Activities in your area

(ordered by date)

District Date/Time

Mansfield Carer Support Group with Aliya held at Friends Meeting House, 124 Rosemary Street, Mansfield NG18 1_{RB}

Guest speaker: Notts Fire & Rescue -**CHARLIE**

Friday 2nd May 10am - 12pm

29/04/2025, 14:36 Carers Hub Newsletter - May 2025 Subscribe **Past Issues** Translate ▼ **Rushcliffe Carer Support Group with** Tuesday 6th May Husna St Luke's Church, Leahurst Road, 1.30pm - 3.30pm West Bridgford NG2 6GL Guest speaker: British Red Cross First Aid Training **Broxtowe Carer Support Group with** Wednesday 7th May Natalie held at Middle Street Resource 10am - 12pm Centre, 74 Middle Street, Beeston NG 9 2AR Guest speaker: Specsavers - Home eye tests **Newark Carer Support Group Noreen** Thursday 8th May held at Newark Beacon Centre, Gresham 10am-12pm Suite, Cafferata Way, Newark, Notts NG24 2TN Guest speaker: Community Dental Service **Bulwell Carer Support Group with Ella** Monday 12th May

held at Ravensworth Road Methodist 1pm - 3pm Church, Ravensworth Road, Bulwell NG6 8FN

Guest speaker: Notts Fire & Rescue

Ashfield Carer Support Group with Monday 12th May **Imaan** held at Ashfield Wellbeing Centre, 1pm - 3pm Portland Street, Kirkby in Ashfield NG17 7AE Group chat & cake

Gedling Carer Support Group with Tuesday 13th May Sally held at Gedling Road Methodist 10.30am - 12:30pm Church, Gedling NG4 3EX

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Worksop Carer Support Group with

Helene held at The Crossing Church,

Newcastle Street, Worksop,

Nottinghamshire S80 2AT

Guest speaker: Green Doctor

Wednesday 14th May 10am - 11:30am

Asian Women Carer Support Group

with Noreen held at Carers Federation,

21-23 Pelham Road, Carrington,

Nottingham NG5 1AP

Guest Speaker: Bina Menz - Estate

Planning (tbc)

Tuesday 20th May 11am-1pm

Parent Carer Support Group with

Helene held via Zoom, book on to

receive the link

Wednesday 21st May 7pm-8pm

City Carer Support Group with Imman

held at Carers Federation Ltd, 21-23 Pelham

Road, Carrington NG5 1AP

No group due to Bank Holiday

Young Adult Carers Support Group

with Ella

crazy golf at the Corner House - contact the Carers Hub team to book (details at

the top of this newsletter)

Thursday 22nd May 7pm-8.30pm

New Carer Group in Wollaton held at

Wollaton Park Community Centre, Harrow Road, Wollaton NG8 1FG

Tuesday 27th May 10am - 12pm

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Annalise held at The Well, Hospital Road, Retford, Nottinghamshire DN22 7BD

Guest speaker: Social Prescribing

Service

Evening Carer Support Group with Jo

held via Zoom, book on to receive the link (details at the top of this newsletter)

Thursday 29th May **7pm - 8.30pm**

10am - 11.30am

Clifton Carer Support Group with <u>Aliya</u> held at Clifton Community Centre, Southchurch Drive, Clifton NG11 8AR

Guest speaker: Trading Standards -

Fraud & Scams

Friday 30th May
12pm - 2pm

Carers Hub Drop-In held at Carers Federation, 21-23 Pelham Road, Carrington NG5 1AP Opportunity for carers to drop in, have a cuppa and talk to a support worker Friday 30th May 10am - 12pm

Carefree Breaks



Short hotel breaks for unpaid carers, time & space to look after your own wellbeing. Carefree is a multi-award-winning digital charity with a mission to offer every full-time unpaid carer in the UK the chance of an annual short break.

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and you are responsible for transport, food, insurance etc and you must have interim care in place for the person you look after, you can take a friend but not the person you care for.

To be eligible you must be 18+ and a full-time unpaid carer (30+ hours per week)

How to register:

For more information or to request a referral to Carefree Breaks contact Carers Hub Service on carershubinfo@carersfederation.co.uk or 0808 802 1777

Health & Wellbeing Membership

We have free health and wellbeing memberships on offer, you can pick one day a week and attend a leisure centre of your choice for 12 weeks in the following areas:

Gedling choose from: Arnold, Carlton Forum, Redhill and Calverton Leisure Centres

Bassetlaw choose from: Worksop, Retford and Bircotes Leisure Centres

Rushcliffe: Rushcliffe Arena

Newark & Sherwood choose from: Newark, Southwell, Blidworth Leisure Centres

For more details contact Husna at the Carers Hub on

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amilies of children and young people with additional needs

Parent Carer Coffee

Morning In our Carer's Cafe

In partnership with SEND PaCT Notts

Thursday 15th May 10 - 11.30am

Carers Federation, 21-23 Pelham Road, NG5 1AP

We have parking at the back of our building on Clinton Avenue and disabled parking available. We have disabled access into the property and a lift.



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Please see below for information from other providers that might be useful for carers:

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Do you look after someone with dementia? Specialist information is now available for All unpaid Carers



are pleased to announce their next **FREE** Programme for carers of those with dementia at:

Bulwell Riverside

Main Street Bulwell

Nottingham NG6 8QJ

30th April 2025 to 11th June 2025

Every Wednesday 1.30 pm – 3.30 pm

Making Sense of Dementia

What carers need to know

This programme of special support sessions for carers of people with dementia will give an improved understanding of all aspects of dementia.

The free seven-week programme has experts guiding the group and also offers mutual support from other carers, refreshments and a chance to get your questions answered in a relaxed and informal setting. Help with respite care may be available (subject to suitability).

Booking is required

For more information or to reserve a place please contact us on 0115 9786133

(Our centre is open Monday to Thursday 9-3)

email sue.cain@radfordcaregroup.org.uk





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<u>Community Peer Hubs for Dementia – Bassetlaw</u>

Whether you've had a dementia diagnosis or awaiting one you may be very worried and confused about what support there is available in Bassetlaw to help you. The Alzheimer's Society have developed a Community Peer Hub which meets monthly and gives you the opportunity to obtain guidance and resources from local services as well as meet and talk to others who are living with or caring for dementia.

A variety of services from Bassetlaw will be on hand to discuss the support they can offer you including social services, memory group representatives, Talking Therapies, benefit services and social prescribers. Whilst you may not need anything at the moment it will enable you to understand what is available in the future as and when needed.

We would like to invite you to one of our next meetings as shown below. Each hub runs on a Tuesday (Worksop) and a Thursday (Harworth) from 11am to 1pm and parking and refreshments are available. If you are unable to attend any of these but would like to access future ones, please let us know and we can get the details of future hubs to you.

Kilton Golf Club Worksop 22nd April, 20th May, 17th June, 22nd July

Devonshire community Centre Harworth 24th April, 22nd May, 19th June, 24th July

We hope to see you there and if you have any queries please do not hesitate to call us.

Best wishes

Sharon Grocock and Hazel Tengku Chik Melewar Dementia Advisers – Bassetlaw Tel: 0333 150 345

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apprenticeship program. Enrol today and let's make a difference together

Counselling Skills Level 2 Many people find it helpful to seek counselling at some point in their lives, and a counsellor can provide support for people in all sorts of situations. If you're interested in supporting people to improve their personal well-being, this course will provide you with the correct understanding, knowledge and skills to do that. You'll learn about core counselling skills and how to use them in a counselling relationship. You will also be taught about counselling theory and the ethical framework that informs how counsellors use their skills.

Mental Health First Aid Level 2 It's important that employers are transparent and open about mental health issues, and this qualification builds an understanding of mental health problems and the support available to colleagues. Increasing the understanding of the mental health of staff at all levels builds a culture of care and support.

<u>Understanding Autism Level 2</u> This course will give you an understanding of autism and the principles of supporting individuals with autism. You will look at the personcentred approach and the influence that positive communication methods can have and will gain an understanding of how individuals with autism can be supported to live healthy and fulfilled lives.

Carers in Hucknall Self-Help Group

Everyone welcome you don't have to be a carer to attend, just someone who needs support, come along for a cuppa.

Dates: every 1st and 3rd Tuesday of the month

Time: **1.30pm – 3.30pm**

Venue: John Godber Centre, Ogle Street, Hucknall, NG15 7FQ

Tel: 0115 9530 746

Website: https://carersinhucknall.wordpress.com









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