

# Camberley Care Trust

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## Camberley Care by Numbers

### Number of car trips Jan-Nov

3,373 (89,993 miles covered)

### Volunteer drivers

62

### Total client donations

£30,691

## New Chairs in Town - Angela and Ros Take the Helm!

For the past 20 months I have had the pleasure of chairing Camberley Care Trust's Board of Trustees, a highly capable team charged with the day-to-day responsibility of running the charity on behalf of our volunteers.

We have faced and addressed some significant challenges in that time, ranging from the threat of a funding crisis through to the successful reintroduction of our handy person service last month.

As we prepare for another year serving our community, Camberley Care is in excellent health, both financially and operationally. My thanks to everyone involved in this significant achievement.

Balancing the role of chairperson with the demands of my full-time employment and the need for frequent overseas travel has proved increasingly difficult.

This has been a challenge I have struggled to address. For this reason, and with the support of the Board, I have been working to identify a successor.

I'm delighted to say that our work has reaped double dividends. For the first time, Camberley Care Trust will benefit from the stewardship of not one, but two chairs.

With immediate effect, my fellow trustees Angela Barnatt and Ros Terry become joint chairs of Camberley Care Trust.

Angela and Ros are both duty officers with experience as volunteer drivers too. Each brings a high level of commitment, energy, enthusiasm and knowledge, the ideal mix for driving our charity forward into 2019 and beyond.

## / new chairs in town.....

Both Angela and Ros will be attending our Festive celebration event at St Paul's Church on December 12.

They look forward to meeting everyone and celebrating another outstanding year.

For my part, I will remain on the Board as a Trustee, supporting the day-to-day operation of our charity in other ways.

Sincere thanks for all your support during my time in post.

**John Neilson, past chair**

## Treasurer Troubles Behind Us

I'm delighted to confirm that after one year of searching, Camberley Care Trust has a new treasurer!

Frimley resident John Rouse, who has served other local charities in a similar capacity in the past, was unanimously voted into post at our late November Board meeting. In taking up this role, John also becomes a Trustee of Camberley Care.

John succeeds Bryan Dunford who has provided outstanding support to our charity since the departure of Malcolm Price in November 2017. He has graciously agreed to provide support in an advisory capacity while John settles in.

I hope you will join the Board of Trustees in thanking Bryan for his commitment and service to Camberley Care Trust and wishing him all the best for the future.

## Farewell to Roy - Welcome to Maureen, Sue and Tim

A forthcoming relocation to another part of the UK has seen Roy Barnley resign from our Board of Trustees. Always someone with great energy and enthusiasm, Roy will be missed by the team and we wish him well.

The Board of Camberley Care is delighted to announce a further strengthening of its membership with the appointment of Sue Collett and Tim Fitzgerald as Trustees, with immediate effect.

Also joining the team, as Board secretary, is Maureen Warwick, who fills the vacancy left following the departure of Annette Campbell earlier this year.

### The Board of Camberley Care Trust now comprises:

- Angela Barnatt: Co-chair / trustee / voting member
- Ros Terry: Co-chair / trustee / voting member
- Derek Laken: Vice chair / trustee / voting member
- John Rouse: Treasurer / trustee / voting member
- Janet Chapman: Trustee / voting member
- Tim Fitzgerald: Trustee / voting member
- John Neilson: Trustee / voting member
- Pat Parry: Trustee / voting member
- Natasha Foster: Office mgr. / not a Trustee / non-voting
- Maureen Warwick: secretary / not a Trustee / non-voting

## SLEIGHBELLS RINGING

Don't forget the date for our annual Christmas Tea Party on Wednesday, December 12.

The fun begins at 2.00pm and will continue until 4.00pm.

Venue is St Paul's Church, Camberley.

Please remember to wear your lanyard and name badge on the day so we all know who is who.

Natasha or Sue in the Camberley Care office can provide further information, if needed.

**Look forward to seeing you there!**

## Welcome New Drivers

A big thank you to the following volunteer drivers who joined our Camberley Care team during 2018.

Jaime Alcorn  
Stephen Belgum  
Martin Bowers  
David Divine  
Neo Ferekkides  
Dee Hatto  
Peter Heath  
Steve Wakerley  
David Hughes

And a huge thank you to Sue Pearson and all duty officers for their compassion and hard work in 2018.