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## Introduction to ACSIL

**What we do:** We provide free and confidential support in the Liverpool and Merseyside area for people for whom an amputation may be necessary or who already are amputees, this also extends to their families, partners and carers.

**Support:** Based on first hand experience we can provide advice, practical help and support when and where needed. Much of our support is given in hospital prior to the

operation and just after the operation.

**And after:** The Amputees and Carers Support Group is an active and dynamic group who meet regularly and organise social events to benefit members.

Our **social day** is every **Thursday between 10.30am - 4.15pm** where you can chat and socialise with other people in a similar situation as yourself. We also provide day trips on specially adapted vehicles.

Interested? Then contact ACSIL between 9.30am - 1pm Monday to Friday on 0151 261 1166 or come along to our office and

drop-in centre at:

**ACSIL**

**The Liverpool Six**

**Community Association**

**99 Queens Road**

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Visit our website to view or print the latest Newsletter:

**[www.acsil.com](http://www.acsil.com)**

## NEXT MEETING:

**5th September 2019**

**10.30am at the office.**

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At **PotterReesDolan**, our expert solicitors are here to help you claim the compensation you deserve following an amputation through **personal injury** or **clinical negligence**.

*We have seen first-hand how traumatic the experience is and how difficult it is to overcome an amputation.*

Our solicitors are highly experienced in helping amputees to gain the compensation that is crucial for re-adjusting to their new circumstances.

Amputation claims typically have a **three year limitation** from the date of your injury, so you should speak to an expert as soon as possible.

**3 YEAR LIMITATION**

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# News

## Please Note

Please be aware that upstairs will be closed on the 15th of August 2019 but the office will be open as normal.



It is with great sadness that we inform you of the sad passing of our dear friend Bernard Clarke. From all staff and members at ACSIL XX

We would like to thank Sarah Gick for running in the Liverpool Rock 'n' Roll Half Marathon in memory of the late Alan Gick and helping to raise money for ACSIL



## OUR SUPPORTERS

Heartfelt thanks to our sponsors, dignitaries, volunteers, members and carers for all the help and support given in 2018. We know that we couldn't continue our work without you all, Thanks very much to all of you!



Congratulations to Michelle & Paul who are getting married on the 10th August 2019. Wishing you both all the very very best on starting your future together as husband and wife from all your friends at ACSIL XX

## Please Notice

There is now a new constitution out now, if any member would like a copy please notify the office.

We would like to thank Potter Rees Dolan for their continued support over the last few years, we at ACSIL cannot thank them enough for their continued support which has helped us immensely and we would like to say many, many thanks also the support we have from Richard Edwards and all the colleagues at the firm their contribution to us has been unbelievable and thank you for all the help and advice you have given us over the last few years. From all your friends at ACSIL



8<sup>th</sup> Carla Dodd  
14<sup>th</sup> Brian White

## THANK YOU!

We would like to thank Mary, Sue, Olive and Bob for their wonderful donation from the Tardis Team, it is greatly appreciated from everyone at ACSIL.

Da vinci mobility for their continued support.

Billy Nelson & Ray Hackett for their visits to hospitals.

We would like to send a big thank you to LFC for inviting us to their breakfast.

We would like to thank Chris and Jeanette Murphy, many thanks for your kind donations of brick - a-brack throughout the year and your continued support to ACSIL is greatly appreciated

Thank you to Mr & Mrs Western for their donation.

Thank you Stuart and staff at Hamilton House for doing guess the name of the Teddy

Elaine Chambers for her kind donation from the sale of home made cards.

## Notice to All Members

Please be advised, if anyone buy's anything from the office, it is to bought Sold - as - seen and there will unfortunately be no refunds.

## GET WELL SOON

We would like to send our warmest wishes to Billy Lambert. Hope your feeling better soon. From all your friends at ACSIL X

# Upcoming Events

The committee has decided that ALL trips whether free or not will require a **£10 deposit** to be paid to secure a place, ALL trips must be paid for in full no later than two weeks before the trip. **NO EXCEPTIONS!**



## Llandudno Trip

**Wednesday 14th August 2019.**

We are now taking names for the Llandudno trip,

Please see Ronnie in the office to put your name down A.S.A.P as spaces are limited.

£10 - Adults, £5 - Children



## Rivington Hall Barn

**Wednesday 11th September**

a concert & Lunch with the Houghton Weavers.

If there is any interested in this event can you please see Ronnie in the office as soon as possible as space is limited and we need to book early. £20 per person

## SWIMMING

**Disability Swimming at Ellergreen Lifestyles**

**Ellergreen Road  
Liverpool L11 2XY**

**Thursdays 6 - 7pm**

**£3**

No need to book, just turn up and ask for Diane Robinson

ACSIL are arranging many days out over 2019 so you *must* get your name/s down as soon as possible to avoid disappointment. We try to be as fair as possible but numbers *are* restricted, latecomers usually miss out! Ring Ron ASAP to book early.

## Members Notice

Please note the committee will not tolerate any abusive language or behaviour, any member being abusive in any way will be asked to leave.

If any members have any complaints please pass it on to a committee member in writing and it will be dealt with as soon as possible.

**THIS APPLIES TO ALL  
MEMBERS**

## VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

It is with great sadness that we have to once again ask for volunteers to help at the Royal Hospital and the Prosthetics and Wheelchair Centre at Aintree. Unless we get more volunteers, we won't be able to offer these services.

## DON'T LEAVE IT TO OTHERS

Volunteers are only needed on a monthly basis for one or two hours at Aintree and the Royal to meet and greet other amputees who might need help or advice.

We are making giant strides to get into the Royal and hopefully we will have our own room where we can talk to people in private. Ladies can be accommodated with a lady amputee if required to offer help and advice from a female perspective.

**We are trying to be more environmentally friendly by sending out our newsletter electronically, if you would prefer to receive your monthly newsletter by email can you please contact the office to let us know.**





Join Give as you Live and donate to ACSIL every time you buy something from hundreds of shops.

It's dead easy to join and access, a small drop down menu lets you donate to Amputees & Carers Support in Liverpool. It's FREE to join... Here is the internet address:

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We now have 2 mobility scooters to be used by members, these can be borrowed from the club but must be returned in the same condition as they leave, any damage must be paid for by the person using it. [The scooters are for members only!](#)

If you would like to use one please contact the office.

ACSIL have electric scooters, ramps, and other aids available for members to borrow on a first come first served basis. Ring the office to check availability and we will try to accommodate you.

Please note: these can only be allocated to our own members and must be returned as supplied originally.

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