

#### **AMPUTEES & CARERS SUPPORT IN LIVERPOOL** AND ALL AREAS OF MERSEYSIDE

**2011 WINNERS OF** THE LIVERPOOL NIGHT OF HONOUR & THE BRIAN LABONE CORINTHIAN CUP

for our work in the community

# November 2019

With thanks to our wonderful members, carers, sponsors, supporters & friends...

Tony Barton (Singer & Comedian ) **Our Patrons** Andy Cooke (Chief Constable) Lee Roy James (Entertainer) Potter Rees Dolan Serious Injury Solicitors **LOTTERY FUNDED** 

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# Introduction

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

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** 

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**Everton** 

Liverpool

**L6 2NF** 

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### **NEXT MEETING:**

7th November 2019

10.30am at the office.

We need as many people as possible for this meeting.



## News

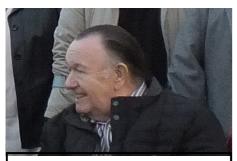


It is with great sadness that we announce the passing of our dear friend Billy Lambert who sadly passed away on Wednesday. Thinking of the family at this sad time. Love all your friends at ACSIL XX

Funeral Arrangements:

3pm St Peters Church, Langrove Street, off Roscommon Street. 4pm at Anfeild Crematorium then onto May Duncan's, Heyworth Street

Family Flowers Only and all



It is with great sadness that we lost one of our members Jimmy McCabe who sadly passed away on Friday deepest condolences to the family. From all at ACSIL X

We would like to send our heartfelt condolences to Lorraine and family on the sad loss of her daughter Tracy. From all at ACSIL X

#### **Please Notice**

We have updated our constitution, if any member would like a copy please notify the office.

#### **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.

We would like to thank Christine Mounsey for inviting us to LFC on Thursday 7th November for a fund raising event.

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



14<sup>th</sup> Pat Hodgson 14<sup>th</sup> Billy Nelson 28<sup>th</sup> John Morley

# **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, Bob Hodgson & Ray Hackett for their continued visits to hospitals.

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.

Diane Winterson for the donation of £42.10p from the Llandudno coach raffle.

Elaine Chambers, Heather Billington and Bernie Ponting for their kind donation from the sale of home made cards.

Ken Roberts for your kind donation



#### **OUR SUPPORTERS**

Heartfelt thanks to our sponsors, dignitaries, volunteers, members and carers for all the help and support given in 2019. We know that we couldn't continue our work without you all, Thanks very much to all of you!

## **Upcoming Events**

The committee has decided that <u>ALL</u> 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 latter than two weeks before the trip. <u>NO EXCEPTIONS!</u>

#### **Christmas Party**

#### Saturday December 7th 2019.

We are now taking names for the Christmas Party at the Liverpool Irish Centre, Boundry Lane.

7.30 - Late

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

£5 - Members & Carers. £10 - non Members.

Price includes raffle tickets

#### **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

#### **WCF 75**

#### **November 22nd**

Joel Lampkin, Billy Lamberts grandson is doing a charity boxing match and some of the proceeds are going to Acsil,

if anyone would like to sponsor him please put your name on the sponsor form in the office.

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.

# Give as you Live®

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:

www.giveasyoulive.com

Your help and support would be greatly appreciated

We trying are to arrange a local day trip or to a show if we hopefully can, sometime in February or March 2020

Watch This Space



Every bouquet sold will bring a donation to ACSIL - Bouquets are delivered to your door and are always fresh and beautiful!

#### **FREE Computer Classes**

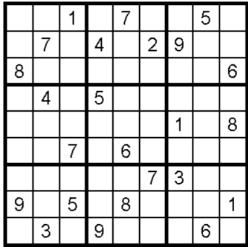
EDT run computer classes on a drop-in basis at their centre on 98 Great Homer Street L5 3LF

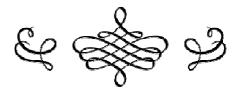
Call in to find out more or

Tel: 482 2780

Courses are available for everyone complete beginners right through to expert.

www.edt.org.uk







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 is the same condition as supplied originally, any damage must be paid for by the person using it. We are unable to deliver, all items must be picked up from the office.

The scooters are for members only!

