

ACSIL News

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ACSIL New Committee

Bobby - Chairman

Peter - Treasurer

Ronnie - Concert Secretary

Richard - Secretary

Carla - Assistant Secretary

Diane - Fundraiser

Phil - Sports Coordinator

Theresa - Carers Representative

Robbie - Outdoor Events (Fishing)

LAY MEMBERS

Ken & Mary Roberts

Barbara Hill

Roger Johnson



A bowls day out has been arranged by Andy Brittles from LimbPower to take place in Liverpool, details to follow. Anyone interested get in touch to get your name down ASAP.

NEXT MEETING

Thursday 2nd November

10.30 am. at the office.

Please attend, it is important that
we have as many members as
possible at the meetings.

WELCOME!

Roger Johnson was a Lord Mayor and an Alderman for 39 years and played a major part in the design of the flyover at the Rocket.

Welcome also to Carla as Assistant Secretary/Photographer.

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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**.

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NEW OPENING HOURS

We hope to open 5 days a week and are looking for volunteers to work 3 hours on a Friday. Contact us!

The committee has decided that ALL trips whether free or not will require a £10 deposit to be paid to secure a place. No exceptions!

FIRST AID

We are looking for two able bodied people to go on a First Aid Course. This will be paid in full by ACSIL. Get your name down ASAP, date and venue to be finalised. If you are interested, contact the office ASAP.



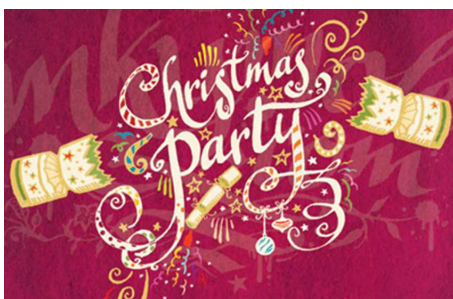
30 years of bliss!



Congratulations to Robbie and Diane who celebrate their 30th wedding anniversary this month.

GET WELL SOON ROBBIE

Positive vibes please for Robbie who is back in hospital. He is going through a bad time at the moment and all his friends at ACSIL are with him and Diane 100%.



Make a note in your diary for the ACSIL Christmas Party on 2nd December 2017 at 7.30pm. Venue is the Liverpool Irish Centre, Boundary Lane L6 5JG.



Ronnie's Disco

North West Charity Singers

Lee Roy James

Many of our members have joined the Wheel Meet Again Organisation, details at right...



Sports Program

If you are interested in taking part in a sports program can you please fill in questionnaire and return them to Phil Grace at the office ASAP.

Website Update

Keep your eyes open for the latest updates on our website, we hope to add pages of interest, photographs and new events.

THANK YOU!

Many thanks to our new Concert Secretary Ronnie Jones for organising some fantastic days out this year.

Grateful thanks to our secretary Richard Edwards for his time and effort to help ACSIL. His help throughout the year has not gone unnoticed and we are very grateful to him.

Many thanks to all our members and friends for their kind donations, continued help to keep the organisation running, well done!



'Wheel Meet Again'

294 - 296 Mill Street, Liverpool, L8 6QW 0151 708 0435

Lottery funded over 50's club based at South Central Community Transport in L8 and other various venues around the city. Some classes are free and all activities highly subsidised.

Activities include:

IT, job club, pamper day, fully accessible exercise classes, ukulele lessons, quizzes, games, arts & crafts, day trips and cinema trips.



We can also provide subsidised door to door transport and have a fleet of 9 minibuses which are all wheelchair accessible.

"I enjoy going to 'Wheel' Meet Again to meet people"

"Love all the trips and activities"



"This project is working with the age group that really need wheels. It is the answer to loneliness that's the scourge of old age"

"It's been a life line, making friends and activities. Thank you"

"Excellent project, brilliant staff"

"Enjoyed meeting with new people"



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BIRTHDAY WISHES

Ken Roberts

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.

ACSIL have electric wheelchairs, ramps, zimmer frames 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.

NEWSFLASH

ACSIL are arranging many days out over 2018 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.

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 on a Thursday between 10.30am and 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 and 1.30pm Monday to Friday on 0151 261 1166 or come along to our office and drop-in centre at:

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Your help and support would be greatly appreciated

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Many thanks to Mark and Tony from Davinci for their continued support. We very much appreciate the advertising revenue from this company.

Events

Fishing Trips to Rosemary Wood in October/November. If interested, contact Robbie ASAP.

Christmas Party will take place on 2nd December at Liverpool Irish Centre. Some fantastic turns including Lee Roy James, NW Charity Singers and a Disco.

November/December we are planning a theatre break, details to follow.

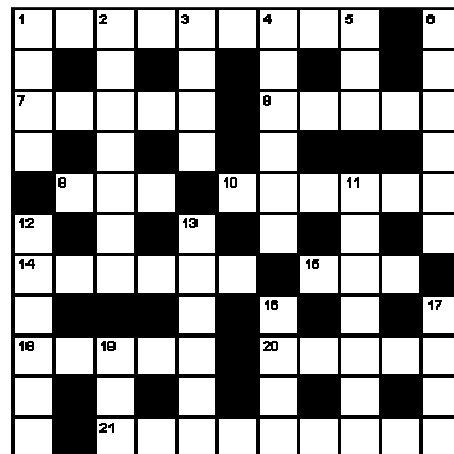
Crossword #3 Solution

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**LARGE TEDDIES AND
WINE WANTED**



See Diane!



Tea Time Crossword #4

Across

1. Group of musicians (9)
7. Eye socket (5)
8. Jockey (5)
9. Epoch (3)
10. Part of the foot (6)
14. Shrewd (6)
15. Cacophony (3)
18. Thighbone (5)
20. Ice hut (5)
21. Court game (9)

Down

1. Woodwind instrument (4)
2. Floor show (7)
3. Consumes (4)
4. Despot (6)
5. Assistance (3)
6. Precipitous (6)
11. One of three (7)
12. Perplex (6)
13. Gaped (6)
16. Flightless bird (4)
17. Metal money (4)
19. Disorderly crowd (3)



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