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MAKING A DIFFERENCE THROUGHOUT BASSETLAW

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INTRODUCTION

WHY WE HAVE PRODUCED A DIRECTORY OF OLDER PEOPLES SERVICES

Bassetlaw is fortunate that it has many active groups to support and improve lifestyle. Access to information about how and where services are provided is very important.

As a result, Bassetlaw Action Centre produced this Directory to inform Older People about the services available.

UPDATING THE DIRECTORY

We want to keep the information in the Directory as up to date as possible. It will be amended every twelve months. An on-line version is available at www.bassetlawactioncentre.org.uk

We have tried to include as much information as possible but there may be gaps. You may know about a service/group that should be included in the Directory or a service/group that no longer exists. If you want to make amendments to the information, please contact

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Twitter: [@BassetlawBAC](https://twitter.com/BassetlawBAC)



GROUPS & CLUBS IN BASSETLAW

District-Wide

AGE UK NOTTINGHAM AND NOTTINGHAMSHIRE

The largest, local, independent charity supporting older or vulnerable people in Nottingham and Nottinghamshire. We share the Age UK brand and have a national body who lead on research and policy work, but we are wholly independent. All our work is delivered locally and benefits local people and communities.

Age UK Nottingham & Nottinghamshire provide a range of services which enhance the quality of life of local older or vulnerable people. Despite our name, many of our services aren't limited to older people.

Registered office: The Sybil Levin Centre, 577a Nuthall Road, Nottingham, NG8 6AD.

Please contact us to find out more about how we can help.

Call: 0115 844 0011

Email: info@ageuknotts.org.uk

Visit: www.ageuknotts.org.uk

AGE CONCERN – HARWORTH AND BIRCOTES

Contact: Hilary Jones (Organiser)

Telephone: 07790 230673

Coffee Shop:

Mondays, Thursdays and Fridays

8.45am - 12.30pm

Community centre, Devonshire Road, Harworth

ALZHEIMER'S SOCIETY

Website: www.alzheimers.org.uk

For further information, help and advice please see our website or call our **National Dementia Helpline on 0333 150 3456**.

AURORA WELLBEING CENTRE – WORKSOP

The Aurora Wellbeing Centre in Worksop is a unique, community-based service supporting people affected by cancer and long-term health conditions across Bassetlaw. We empower individuals to be active participants in their own wellbeing, working alongside them to support both physical and emotional health.

Our Bassetlaw services are delivered from the historic Old Library and Museum building in Worksop. The Centre is open to the public Monday to Friday from 9am to 4pm, with therapy appointments running until 5pm. Valerie's Tearoom, located within the Centre, is open from 9am to 3pm.

Therapy Suite

Our Therapy Suite provides specialist cancer support alongside a wide range of therapeutic services. These include beauty and holistic therapies, one-to-one and group counselling, wellbeing workshops, counselling for young people affected by cancer, and regular peer support groups.

Heritage Hub

Through our Heritage Hub, we use local history and heritage to enhance wellbeing. Activities include art therapy groups, History Maker family sessions, and heritage-inspired social groups. Visitors are welcome daily to explore Worksop's history through hands-on objects and shared stories.

The Curve Gym

The Curve Gym offers a programme of specialist exercise sessions for people affected by cancer, using a range of fitness equipment. Alongside these, we run other exercise sessions open to the

general public, including Tai Chi, Pilates, and Yoga, to support movement, strength, and relaxation for everyone.

Community Space

Our Community Space includes Valerie's Tearoom, a volunteer-led charity shop, and a range of meeting and community rooms. Valerie's Tearoom sits within the Centre, overlooking the park, and serves home-cooked food in a welcoming setting. Community rooms host support groups including bereavement support, prostate cancer groups, partners' groups, and drop-in sessions for people living with long-term health conditions. Rooms are also available to hire for meetings, workshops, and training.

Our Approach

Aurora Wellbeing is open to everyone. We offer a varied programme of sociable, supportive, educational, and relaxed activities, events, and projects designed to improve wellbeing and reduce isolation across our community.

For more information, you can contact us in many ways.

Pop in: The Old Library Building, Memorial Avenue, Worksop, S80 2BJ

Email: admin@aurorawellbeing.org.uk

Call: 01909 470985

Check out our website: www.aurorawellbeing.org.uk

Follow us on social media:

Facebook: @AuroraWellbeingCentreBassetlaw and Heritage & Health at Aurora Wellbeing

Instagram: @aurorawellbeingcentre and @heritageaurora

NOTTINGHAMSHIRE MIND

Nottinghamshire Mind, 6 Hardy Street, Worksop, S80 1EH

Telephone: 0800 470 0203

Email: enquiries@nottinghamshiremind.org.uk

Website: www.nottinghamshiremind.org.uk/

Support and guidance to people experiencing mental health problems. Free, confidential services include: Community support groups, one-to-one counselling, and information and advice on mental health issues.

INDEPENDENT AGE

No one should face financial hardship in later life.

Independent Age is the national charity focused on improving the lives of older people facing financial hardship. We offer free impartial advice and information on what matters most: money, housing and care.

Helpline: 0800 319 6789

Website: www.independentage.org/

Email: advice@independentage.org

INSPIRE CULTURE, LEARNING, LIBRARIES

For information and enquires please contact our friendly ASK Inspire team:

Telephone: 01623 677200

Email: ask@inspireculture.org.uk

Website: www.inspireculture.org.uk/

RETFORD u3a - LEARN LAUGH LIVE

General Meetings with Speakers are held on the 4th Thursday of every month at The Well, Hospital Road, Retford from 1.30pm - 3.30pm. Retford u3a offers a wide range of special interest groups to promote life-long learning in a relaxed and social environment. In addition we offer participation in social events and visits.

Membership is open to anyone who is no longer in full time employment, the annual membership is £20 which covers monthly General Meetings and access to a wide variety of interest groups. Social events and theatre visits are also arranged.

Website: www.u3asites.org.uk/retford/welcome

Facebook: Retford u3a

Telephone: 07936424887

Email: memsec@retford-u3a.org.uk

AREA SPECIFIC

BARNBY MOOR - VILLAGE HALL

Kennel Drive, Barnby Moor, Retford,
DN22 8QU

Email: Clerk@Barnby-moor.com

RECREATION ROOM

The Green, Beckingham, Doncaster, DN10 4NL

For the Venue

Email: clerk@beckinghamcumsaundby-pc.org.uk

Website: www.beckinghamcumsaundby-pc.gov.uk/laneaham-village-hall1

BECKINGHAM & SAUNDBY VILLAGE HALL

Southfield Lane, Beckingham

Coffee Morning- every Monday 10.00 to 11.30am

Seated Exercise – currently fully subscribed

Taekwondo – every Monday 5.30 to 8.30pm

U3A Art Class – every other Tuesday – 13th and 27th January

Archery Club – every Tuesday 7.00 to 9.00pm

Bingo – every other Thursday – 15th and 29th January

Snappers Camera Club – 1.30 to 3.30pm – 9th January

Line Dancing – every Friday 7 to 8.30pm

Telephone: 01427 848756

Website: beckingham-northnotts.org.uk/

BECKINGHAM & SAUNDBY –HISTORY GROUP

Recreation Room, The Green, Beckingham

Contact: Mrs Freda Proudly

Telephone: 01427 848226

Meet last Thursday of the month at 7pm

BECKINGHAM BOWLS CLUB

Bowling Green, Village Hall, Southfields Lane, Beckingham, North Notts, DN10 4QN

Contact: John O'Hare

Telephone: 01427 848032

E- mail: johnoharehome@btinternet.com

BIRCOTES – SMILEY MILERS

Contact: Malcolm Funnell

Telephone: 07853 725262

Email: malcfunnell67@gmail.com

Meet 10am every Wednesday from the Sports and Social Club, Scrooby Road, Bircotes.

Step 2it Dukeries – Thursdays at 10am from Kilton Forest Golf Club

BARNBY MEMORIAL HALL

High Street, Blyth, S81 8EW

For the Venue Contact; Julia Evans 07486 563254

Website blythvillagehallnotts.co.uk/

BOTHAMSALL VILLAGE HALL

6 Main Street, Bothamsall, DN22 8DT

Telephone: 07968 177230

CLEVELAND CLOSE COMMUNITY CENTRE

Cleveland Close, Rotherham Baulk, Carlton In Lindrick, Worksop, Notts, S81 9BG

To book hall telephone: 0800 590542

Website: www.bassetlaw.gov.uk/sport-leisure-and-culture/community-centres/hiring-information/

CARLTON-IN-LINDRICK CIVIC CENTRE

Carlton in Lindrick Civic Centre,

Oakham Drive, Carlton in Lindrick,

Worksop, S81 9RE

Telephone: 01909 541127

Email: enquiries@civiccentre.org.uk

Website: www.civiccentre.org.uk

MONDAY

Pilates 9:30am – 10:30am

Carlton Bowles 2pm – 3:30pm

Seated Exercise 2pm – 3pm

Legs Bums & Tums 6:00pm – 7:00pm

Lindrick Players - Just come along 7:30 – 10pm

TUESDAY

Canasta Group - every 1st and 3rd Tuesday of each month

Bingo Doors open 6:30pm Eyes down 7:30pm

Parish Council Meeting 2nd Tuesday of each month 7pm (No meeting in August)

WEDNESDAY

60+ club, Friendship & Fun Keep fit, bowls & refreshments 1:45pm – 3:15pm

Keep Fit 6pm – 7pm

SenshinRyu Karate 4:00pm – 5:45pm

Yoga 6pm – 7:30pm

Burlesque Chair Dance 7:30pm – 8:30pm

Circuit Training 8pm – 9pm

FREE Boccia for all - Last Wednesday of each month 11:00am – 12:00noon

The Arts Society Dukeries lecture (1st Wednesday of each month) 11:00am – 12:00noon

THURSDAY

Choose to Lose 9:30am – 10:30am

Luncheon Group 10:30am – 1:00pm

Scorpion Taekwondo: -

4:45pm – 5:30pm Marvel Kickstars. Age 4 – 7

5:30pm – 6:30pm, Age 8 – adult, mixed ability

6:30pm – 7:30pm, Age 8 – adult, mixed ability

Rock Choir 7pm – 9:30pm

U3A Every 3rd Thursday of the month 2:00pm – 3:00pm

FRIDAY

Blocks, Balls and Broomsticks with Lindy 9:30am – 10:30am

SenshinRyu Karate 5pm – 7pm

CLARBOROUGH VILLAGE HALL

Main Street, Clarbrough, DN22 9LN

Bookings 07442 105268 or clarboroughvillagehall@gmail.com

DUNHAM VILLAGE HALL

Low Street, Dunham on Trent, Newark,
NG22 0FJ

What 3 Words: caller-scaffold-protest

Telephone: 07973 560773

Email: dotvillagehall@aol.com

Website: www.dunhamontrentvillagehall.com

EAST MARKHAM VILLAGE HALL

Lincoln Road, East Markham, Newark,
NG22 0SS

Hire of Hall

Telephone: 07817 203946

Email: emvhbookings@gmail.com

ELKESLEY MEMORIAL HALL

High Street, Elkesley, Retford, DN22 8AJ

For the Venue

Email: elkesleymemhall@outlook.com

EVERTON VILLAGE HALL

Everton Village Hall Caretaker and Bookings

Dr Douglas Haynes

Home Tel: 01777816673

Email address: thecaretaker@metcalfect.org.uk

GRINGLEY- ON- THE HILL COMMUNITY CENTRE

West Wells Lane, Gringley on the Hill,
Notts, DN10 4QY

Hire Hall contact

Telephone: 07545 968961

Email: info@gringleycommunitycentre.org.uk

HARWORTH & BIRCOTES METHODIST CHURCH

Parish Hall, Waterslack Road,

Bircotes, Doncaster

Contact: Mrs J Dennis 01302 751094

Email: harworthmethodist@gmail.com

DEVONSHIRE ROAD COMMUNITY CENTRE

2 Devonshire Road, Harworth, Doncaster, DN11 8JF

For bookings telephone: 0800 590542

Website: www.bassetlaw.gov.uk/sport-leisure-and-culture/community-centres/hiring-information/

HAYTON VILLAGE HALL

Church Lane, Hayton, Retford,

DN22 9LD

Telephone: 01777 705206

Email: haytonowl47@outlook.com

HEADON CUM UPTON VILLAGE HALL

Church Street, Headon, Retford, DN22 0RD

Contact: Paddy Thorpe 01777 248368

Email: paddythorpe@btinternet.com

LANEHAM MEMORIAL HALL

Main Street, Laneham, DN22 0NF

Email: lanehammemorialhall@gmail.com

LANGOLD CENTRE THE VILLAGE HALL

Markham Road, Langold, Worksop, Nottinghamshire S81 9SW

Mandy Merrills

Telephone: 07973 597030

Email: Langoldvillagehall@outlook.com

MATTERSEY VILLAGES TOGETHER GROUP

The Meeting Room, Mattersey Church

Every 4th Tuesday 1:45pm – 3:45pm

This is a large and lively group that has a wide variety of activities, talks and visits.

Contact: Sue

Telephone: 01777 818880

MISSON COMMUNITY CENTRE

Vicar Lane, Misson, Doncaster,

DN10 6EG

Contact: Janis James

Telephone: 07885 576274

MISTERTON METHODIST HALL & SCHOOL ROOM

High Street, Misterton, Doncaster

Contact: Mrs Veronica Riley

Telephone: 07814 824533 (brief texts only, please)

Email: lettingsmmc@hotmail.com

NORTON & CUCKNEY VILLAGE HALL

Norton Lane, Cuckney, Mansfield, NG20 9NR

Cuckney Village Hall – 07967 632617

Email: ncvillagehallbookings@gmail.com

HALLCROFT COMMUNITY CENTRE

Randall Way, Hallcroft, Retford, Notts, DN22 7GR

For bookings telephone: 0800 590542

Website: www.bassetlaw.gov.uk/sport-leisure-and-culture/community-centres/hiring-information/

RAMPTON VILLAGE HALL

Manor Drive, Rampton, Retford, Nottinghamshire, DN22 OJU

Email: clerk@ramptonandwoodbeck-pc.gov.uk

Website: www.ramptonandwoodbeck-pc.gov.uk/rampton-village-hall1

RANSKILL & TORWORTH WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

St. Barnabas Church. Great North Road. Ranskill.

meetings commence at 2p.m. on the 4th Tuesday of the month.

Telephone: 01777 818519

Email: pblatchford@talktalk.net

ROTARY CLUB OF RETFORD

Monday 6pm for 6:30pm start
Ye Olde Bell, Barnby Moor, Retford,
DN22 8QS
Website: rotaryclubofretford.co.uk/

RETFORD CIVIC SOCIETY

Contact: Mr Turner
Telephone: 01777 702929
Email: retfordcivicsociety@hotmail.co.uk
Website: www.retfordcivicsociety.org.uk

The Retford Civic Society is a non-political, conservation and amenity group that cares about Retford. The Society's aims are to protect the architectural and natural environment of Retford and to improve Retford's public amenities for present and future generations, whilst offering its members a varied and interesting social programme of events.

RETFORD & DISTRICT PHOTOGRAPHIC SOCIETY

Every Monday 7.30pm from September to May at St Joseph's Church Hall, Retford
Contact: The Secretary
Email: secretary@retford-photographic.co.uk
Website: www.retford-photographic.co.uk

The Retford and District Photographic Society has presentations by expert photographers, competition and practical and learning sessions to improve technique.

RETFORD GOLF CLUB

Brecks Road, Ordsall, Retford, DN22 7UA
Playing and promoting the game of golf
Telephone: 01777 703733
Email: office@retfordgolfclub.co.uk
Website: www.retfordgolfclub.co.uk/

RETFORD GOODWIN HALL

Chancery Lane, Retford, DN22 6DT
hosts veterans breakfast, Dash depression group, Bassetlaw Hospice friendship group ,macular society, fire brigade advice group, plus our community cafe

HALLCROFT COMMUNITY CENTRE

Randall Way, Hallcroft, Retford, Notts
For bookings telephone: 0800 590542
Website: www.bassetlaw.gov.uk/sport-leisure-and-culture/community-centres/hallcroft-retford/

RETFORD COMMUNITY SINGERS

The Grove Street Methodist Church, 65 Grove St, Retford DN22 6LA

Meet on Tuesdays from 7pm

If you want to sing for enjoyment not for performances, give singing a try with us. About 35 come along most weeks. No need to be a great singer or to read music. No auditions. Everything is taught by ear by an inspiring professional choir leader.

Contact: Pat or Bruce

Telephone: 01777 704154

Contact: Judith

Telephone: 01777 704038

Email: rcs@retfordcommunitysingers.co.uk

Website: www.retfordcommunitysingers.co.uk/

RETFORD LITTLE THEATRE

Wharf Road, Retford, DN22 6EN

Telephone: 01777 702002

Email: boxoffice@rlt.org.uk

Website: www.rlt.org.uk

Amateur dramatic society producing 5 plays a year plus special events and home to The Screen@RLT. We also have a thriving Youth Theatre.

MS SUPPORT IN RETFORD & BASSETLAW

is a friendly welcoming group of like-minded people of a wide age range who are brought together by a diagnosis of Multiple Sclerosis.

Being part of the group is fun and newcomers are always welcome.

We arrange a wide range of weekly and monthly events for members and include:

MS Drop in Clinic, Monthly Newsletter, Self Help Information, Signposting for professional help, fundraising for local MS Community, Art Class, Neuro physio based Pilates exercise, Swim/float sessions, Meals out and a Monthly Coffee Cake and Chat morning.

Group Coordinator: Barbara Ramsden

Email: retford@mssociety.org.uk or contact@mssupportretford.org.uk

Group Telephone: 01777 704687

THE WELL

Retford Baptist church and Community Centre

Hospital Road, Retford, DN22 7BD

Telephone: 01777 702344

Email: admin@thewellrbc.org

Website: www.thewellretford.org/

ST. SAVIOUR'S CHURCH RETFORD

Lidget Lane

Retford

DN22 6QW

Contact Church Office

Telephone: 01777 704222

Email: office@stsavioursretford.org.uk

Website: www.stsavioursretford.org.uk/

ST. MICHAELS CHURCH

Tuesdays 10am to 4 pm

Tea / Coffee 10am to 12noon

Lunch soup & roll 12noon to 2pm

crafts 2pm to 4pm

It's all free

Although you can make donation if you want

You can stay all day or just pop in if you want to

It's not just open to seniors everyone is welcome

SHIREOAKS VILLAGE HALL

Shireoaks Road, Shireoaks, Worksop, Nottinghamshire, S81 8LX

Contact: Mr Peter V Stanley

Telephone: 01909 477391

SHIREOAKS - WELFARE SPORTS AND SOCIAL CLUB

Shireoaks Road, Shireoaks, Nr Worksop, Nottinghamshire S81 8NA
Telephone: 01909 472817 - Club

SOUTH LEVERTON MEMORIAL INSTITUTE

Town Street, South Leverton, Retford, Nottinghamshire
Contact: Bookings Secretary
Email: ians987@hotmail.co.uk

NORTH & SOUTH WHEATLEY VILLAGE HALL

Sturton Road, South Wheatley,
DN22 9DL
Website: wheatleyvillagehall.org.uk/
Email: booking.wheatleyvillage@gmail.com

STURTON LE STEEPLE VILLAGE HALL

Brickings Way, Sturton Le Steeple, Retford, Nottinghamshire, DN22 9HY
Contact: Bookings Secretary
Telephone: 07887 703348

STYRRUP VILLAGE HALL

Serlby Road, Styrrup, Nr. Doncaster,
DN11 8NA
Contact: Bookings Secretary
Telephone: 07975 615573

SUTTON CUM LOUND VILLAGE HALL

Town Street, Sutton cum Lound, DN22 8PT
Telephone: 01777 854392
Website: www.suttonvillagehall.net/
Email: suttonloundvillagehall@gmail.com
District Councillor Surgery
Monthly consult www.suttonvillagehall.net/calendar/ for dates
Sutton Village Hall Committee Quiz
Second Sunday of the month, doors open at 7:00pm quiz starts at 7:30pm
Sutton cum Lound Parish Council
Second Wednesday of the month 7:00pm – 9:00pm
Art Club
Every Friday morning 10.00-12.00pm
Lunches for Locals
Every 3rd Thursday in the month 12.00pm to book
Needles & Natter
Monthly consult www.suttonvillagehall.net/calendar/ for dates
Sutton cum Lound & Barnby Moor Gardening Club
Every 2nd Thursday of the month 7.30pm
Contact: gardeningclub@suttoncumlound.net
Austin Adicts
The fourth Thursday of the month
from 7.00pm to 9.00pm

TRESWELL VILLAGE HALL

Town Street, Treswell, Retford, Nottinghamshire, DN22 0EG
Contact: Marylin Papworth
Telephone: 01777 248805

THE BEECHES COMMUNITY CENTRE

Birch Court, Tuxford, Newark, Notts
Bookings contact telephone: 0800 590542
Forget Me Not Club
Tuesday & Friday 12noon – 3:30pm

WALKERINGHAM VILLAGE HALL

Stockwith Road, Walkeringham, Doncaster, DN10 4JD
Contact: Bookings Secretary Telephone: 01427 890848

BALMORAL COMMUNITY CENTRE

Sandringham Crescent, off Valley Road, Worksop
Bookings contact telephone: 0800 590542

WORKSOP - COMMUNITY RESOURCE CENTRE

Worksop Library
Memorial Avenue
Worksop
S80 2BP

Telephone: 01909 535333

We provide day service care for people with enduring mental health problems. We offer group and individual support.

THE CROSSING CHURCH, CENTRE & CAFE

Newcastle Street, Worksop, S80 2AT
Minister: Deacon Emily Hoe-Crook - Telephone: 07739 018908
Trustee with an overview of operations: Anne Taylor - Telephone: 07816064050
Clare Biddle Facilities and Community Manager: 07895553224
Telephone: 01909 473375
Email: admin@thecrossing.co.uk
Website: www.thecrossing.co.uk/

CROWN PLACE COMMUNITY CENTRE

Sandy Lane, Worksop, Notts
Bookings contact telephone: 0800 590542

KILTON FOREST COMMUNITY CENTRE

15 Longhurst, Kilton, Worksop, Notts, S81 0DA
Bookings contact telephone: 0800 590542

RAYTON SPUR COMMUNITY CENTRE

Rayton Spur, Worksop, Notts, S81 0HF
Bookings contact telephone: 0800 590542

THIEVESDALE COMMUNITY CENTRE

Thievesdale Lane, Worksop, Notts
Bookings contact Telephone: 0800 590542

WORKSOP PROBUS CLUB

St John's Parish Centre, Carlton In Lindrick
Alternate Fridays 10am - 12noon
Between September and May
Contact: Chris Stanton
Telephone: 01709 818927
Website: www.probusclubofworksop.co.uk/

RYTON CHORALE

The Holy Family School, Netherton Road, Worksop S80 2SF
Rehearsals Mondays 7:30pm to 9:30pm in term time
Visit website www.rytonchorale.org.uk
Email: sing@rytonchorale.org.uk

Bassetlaw Tenants and Residents Associations

HARWORTH AND BIRCOTES TENANTS & RESIDENTS ASSOCIATION MATTERSEY THORPE TENANTS & RESIDENTS ASSOCIATION BALMOROL TENANTS & RESIDENTS ASSOCIATION

Would you like to join our new Bassetlaw Tenants and Residents group who meet on a monthly basis? We are called Voices of Bassetlaw and we are looking for new members to work alongside us and the Councils Housing Service, give us your views be the voice of your community. Help to influence improvements in your homes and communities.

More info or an informal chat contact

VoicesofBassetlaw@gmail.com

Conversations@bassetlawconversations.gov.uk

We also have three active Tenant and Resident Associations in Bassetlaw you may wish to join. Find out whats going in in your local area, new members welcome.

Harworth and Bircotes TRA

Mattersey Thorpe TRA

Balmoral TRA

Website: www.bassetlaw.gov.uk/council-housing/tenant-and-resident-engagement/tenant-and-resident-associations-tras/

Telephone: 07725 768 474 Anita Fairweather Tenant and Resident Engagement Officer

Churches & Faith groups in Bassetlaw

ALL HALLOWS CHURCH OF ENGLAND

Contact: The Priest in Charge
The Rectory, All Hallows Street,
Ordsall, Retford, DN22 7TP
Telephone: 01777 702515
Website: www.achurchnearyou.com/church/5451/

ALL SAINTS CHURCH OF ENGLAND

The Incumbent, Babworth Rectory,
Babworth, Retford. DN22 8ET

ALL SAINTS CHURCH OF ENGLAND

Contact: Reverend Jackie Johnson
The Vicarage, Tickhill Road, Harworth,
DN11 8PD

ALL SAINTS CHURCH OF ENGLAND

Retford Road, Mattersey, Doncaster
The Incumbent, Abbey Lane, Mattersey, Doncaster, DN22 5DX
Telephone: 01777 817364

ALL SAINTS CHURCH OF ENGLAND

Markham Clinton (West Markham)
Contact: The Church Warden
April Cottage, West Markham, Newark,
NG22 0PN
Telephone: 01777 870520

ALL SAINTS, CHURCH OF ENGLAND

The Incumbent, The Vicarage, Torksey Street, Rampton, Retford, DN22 0HT

BIBLE4HEALTH MISSIONS

86 Kingsway, Worksop, Nottinghamshire, S81 0AG
Mobile: 07454 983076
Email: africa4health@africa4healthmissions.com
Website: www.africa4healthmissions.com

CHRIST CHURCH CENTRE – CHURCH OF ENGLAND

Thievesdale Lane, Worksop, S81 0XS
Contact: The Priest in Charge
Telephone: 01909 530127

CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY CHURCH

Doncaster Road, Langold, Worksop, S81 7NP
Contact: The Leader

CHURCH OF THE LATTER DAY SAINTS

17 Underwood Gardens, Worksop, S80 1YL
Contact: The President
Telephone: 01909 484427

CHURCHES TOGETHER

C/o 41 Dunstan Crescent, Worksop, S80 1AE
Telephone: 01909 473847

An international association pledged to help people less fortunate than ourselves.

DIOCESE OF SOUTHWELL

Contact: The Archdeacon of Newark,
Dunham House, Westgate, Southwell,
NG25 0JL
Telephone: 01636 814331

HOLY TRINITY, CHURCH OF ENGLAND,
Church Street, Everton, Nr Retford, DN10 5BB
Contact: The Incumbent
Abbey Lane, Mattersey, Doncaster
Telephone: 01777 817364

JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES
Kingdom Hall, Central Avenue,
Worksop, S80 1EW

METHODIST CHURCH - CARLTON-IN-LINDRICK
Methodist Schoolrooms, High Road,
Carlton-in-Lindrick, Worksop
METHODIST CHURCH - HALLCROFT, RETFORD
Hallcroft Road, Retford, Notts

METHODIST CHURCH - HARWORTH & BIRCOTES
Contact: The Secretary
3 Grange View, Harworth, Doncaster,
DN11 8QP
Telephone: 01302 742016

METHODIST CHURCH - MISTERTON
Contact: The Minister
4 Ashdown Way, Misterton, Doncaster,
DN10 4PB
Telephone: 01427 890050

METHODIST CHURCH - RETFORD
Contact: The Minister
Grove Street, Retford
Telephone: 01777 702786

METHODIST CHURCH - RETFORD CIRCUIT
Contact: Reverend N. Vickers
Telephone: 01777 702573 / 702468

METHODIST CHURCH - RHODESIA
Contact: The Minister
5 Shepherds Avenue, Worksop, S81 0JD
Telephone: 01909 472609

THE BRIDGE CHURCH
26-32 Bridgegate, Retford, DN22 6AA
Telephone: 01777 711377
Email: info@bridgechurchretford.com
Website: www.bridgechurchretford.com

NEW TESTAMENT CHURCH
Cheapside, Worksop, S80 2HX
Contact: Rev Keith Clark
Telephone: 01909 487940

OASIS CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP

Westhill Community Centre Ordsall Retford.

Contact: Mr Williams

Telephone: 07882 797104

PAROCHIAL CHURCH COUNCIL – SHIREOAKS

Contact: The Secretary – Peter Stanley

15 St Annes Close, Worksop, S80 3QS

POPLARS CHURCH

Church Office

The Golden Ball, 3 Victoria Square, Worksop, S80 1DX

Telephone: 01909 532620

Sunday meeting at the Golden ball, Victoria Square, Worksop at 10.30am

Email: admin@poplarschurch.co.uk

Website: www.poplarschurch.co.uk

PRIORY CHURCH OF ENGLAND

Contact: The Incumbent

Priory Vicarage, Worksop, S80 2HX

Telephone: 01909 472180

Email: vicar@worksoppriory.co.uk

Website: www.worksoppriory.co.uk

RELEASE INTERNATIONAL

7 Long Meadows, Everton, Nr Doncaster, DN10 5BL

Telephone: 01777 818297

A holistic ministry that identifies with and supports Christians who are persecuted for their faith.

RHODESIA CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP

Methodist Church, Rhodesia

Contact: Tim Edmunds

Telephone: 01909 473988

SALVATION ARMY - RETFORD

Contact: The Commanding Officer

Telephone: 07980 199616

SALVATION ARMY - WORKSOP

Contact: The Commanding Officer

4 Langdale Road, Worksop, S81 0NL

Telephone: 01909 473979

SOCIETY OF FRIENDS - QUAKERS

The Crossing Church and Centre,

Newcastle Street, Worksop, S80 2AT.

10:15am on the 2nd and 4th Sundays of each month

7:15pm on the 2nd Thursday of the month in member's houses.

Contact: Gordon Moodie

Bardwell, Sparken Hill, Worksop

Telephone: 01909 475299

ST ANNES, CHURCH OF ENGLAND

Contact: The Incumbent
The Vicarage, 11 Poplar Close, Worksop,
S80 3BZ
Telephone: 01909 472069

ST. BARNABAS, CHURCH OF ENGLAND

North Road, Ranskill, Nr Retford
Contact: David Stacey
20 Southfall Close, Ranskill
Telephone: 01777 818303
Email: david.stacey@talktalk.net

ST GILES, CHURCH OF ENGLAND

Contact: The Incumbent
Elkesley Vicarage, 3 Maple Drive, Elkesley, Retford, DN22 8AX

ST HELENS ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

Main Street, Oldcotes,
Nr Worksop, S81 8JF
Contact: Rev Peter Hunt
Telephone: 01909 487368

ST JOHNS CHURCH OF ENGLAND

Contact: The Incumbent
Overend Road, Worksop, S81 1QG

ST JOHNS CLARBOROUGH AND ST PETERS HAYTON CHURCH OF ENGLAND

Contact: The Incumbent
The Vicarage, Clarbrough, Retford

ST JOHN THE BAPTIST, CHURCH OF ENGLAND

Contact: The Incumbent
The Vicarage, Church Street, East Markham, Newark, Notts

ST JOHN THE BAPTIST, TRESWELL & HOLY TRINITY COTTAM

Contact: The Church Warden
Cottam Road, Treswell, Retford, DN22 0EP

ST JOHN THE EVANGELIST, CHURCH OF ENGLAND

Contact: The Rector
The Rectory, High Road, Carlton-in-Lindrick, Worksop, S81 9EF

THE PARISH CENTRE

Contact: Jeff Lewis
18 Craithie Road, Carlton in Lindrick
Telephone: 01909 731342

ST JOSEPHS ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

Babworth Road, Retford, DN22 6BP
Contact: The Parish Priest
Telephone: 01777 703373

ST JOSEPHS THE WORKER ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

Contact: The Parish Priest
The Rectory, Wingfield Avenue, Worksop,
S81 0SF
Telephone: 01909 473373

ST LUKE'S CHURCH OF ENGLAND

Contact: The Priest in Charge
1 Potters Nook, Shireoaks, Worksop, S81 8NF
Telephone: 01909 479350

ST LUKE'S CHURCH OF ENGLAND

Church Street, Langold, Nr Worksop
Contact: The Priest in Charge,
The Rectory, High Road, Carlton-in-Lindrick, S81 9EF
Telephone: 01909 730222

ST MARTINS CHURCH OF ENGLAND

Contact: The Incumbent
The Vicarage, North Vicarage, North Leverton, Retford, DN22 0AA
Telephone: 01427 880882

ST MARY'S ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

Contact: The Parish Priest,
The Rectory, Park Street, Worksop, S80 0SF
Telephone: 01909 476045

ST MARY AND ST MARTINS CHURCH OF ENGLAND

Contact: The Incumbent,
The New Vicarage, St Martins Close, Blyth, Worksop, S81 8DW
Telephone: 01909 591229

ST MARY'S AND ST WINIFREDS HOLBECK CHURCH OF ENGLAND

Contact: The Incumbent
Cuckney Vicarage, Cuckney, Mansfield

ST MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL CHURCH OF ENGLAND

Rectory Road, Retford, DN22 7AY
Contact: The Incumbent
11 Poplar Close, Worksop, S80 3BZ
Telephone: 01777 719816

ST OSWALD, CHURCH OF ENGLAND,

Contact: The Incumbent,
The Vicarage, The Green, Dunham on Trent, Newark

ST PATRICK ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

Harworth, Nr Doncaster
Contact: Rev Peter Hunt
Telephone: 01909 487368

ST PETER, CHURCH OF ENGLAND

Wiseton Road, Clayworth
Contact: The Incumbent,
Abbey Lane, Mattersey, Doncaster
Telephone: 01777 817364

ST SAVIOURS CHURCH OF ENGLAND

Rectory Road, Retford, DN22 7AY
Contact: Canon Tony Walker
Telephone: 01777 704222

ST SWITHUNS CHURCH OF ENGLAND

Canon Square, Retford, DN22 6PJ
Contact: Canon Tony Walker
Telephone: 01777 704222

ST WILFRID, CHURCH OF ENGLAND

Low Road, Scrooby, Nr Retford
Contact: The Incumbent,
The New Vicarage, St Martins Close,
Blyth, Worksop, S81 8DW
Telephone: 01909 591229

WORKSOP CHRISTIAN CENTRE

Vicars Walk, Worksop, Notts, S80 2HJ
Telephone 01909 489521
Email: life@wcc-church.com
Website: www.wcc-church.com

WORKSOP CHRISTIAN CENTRE

Vicars Walk, Worksop, S80 2HJ
Contact: Pastor Florin Mocanu.
Telephone: 01909 489521

WORKSOP SPIRITUALIST CHURCH

37 George Street, Worksop, S80 1QJ
Telephone: 01909 531962
Email: worksopspiritualistchurch1@gmail.com

SERVICES IN BASSETLAW

WHO CAN HELP ME ACCESS INFORMATION ON SERVICES TO KEEP ME SAFE AT HOME?

BASSETLAW, NEWARK AND SHERWOOD COMMUNITY SAFETY PARTNERSHIP

Telephone: 01909 533533

Website: www.bassetlaw.gov.uk/community-and-living/community-safety/

CRIME STOPPERS

Telephone: 0800 555111

LIFELINE SERVICE

Our Lifeline Service is for anybody who feels vulnerable or may need extra reassurance in their home. Our lifeline service includes an alarm unit with a pendant, which is linked to our monitoring centre, which monitors alarms 24/7. When your alarm is activated, the monitoring centre will take the most appropriate action, based upon any information you are able to give at the time, and any information that we know about you. If necessary, they will call the Emergency Services, or may contact the keyholder(s) or contact names you have given us. We will contact you at least annually to check if all the information we have about you, including contact names and numbers, is correct.

Our choice of three packages will provide security and peace of mind for you and your family. Contact us for more information and prices.

Housing contact centre: 0800 590 542.

Email: customer.services@bassetlaw.gov.uk

Website: www.bassetlaw.gov.uk/council-housing/supported-housing/lifeline-service/

NOTTINGHAMSHIRE FIRE AND RESCUE

Contact: 0800 022 3235 Helpline for Safe and Well visits

- Free home safety check
- Smoke alarms with 10year batteries
- Free smoke alarms for the deaf

NOTTINGHAMSHIRE POLICE

Crime Reduction manager

Telephone: 101

Advice and information on crime reduction including:

- Alarms
- Security devices
- Property marking
- Advice on heating oil theft

SUPPORTED HOUSING SERVICE

Telephone: 01909 533533

Email: customer.services@bassetlaw.gov.uk

Website: www.bassetlaw.gov.uk/

MEALS AT HOME

The Meals at Home service delivers a wide range of frozen or hot meals to people who may have difficulty preparing a hot meal themselves. The meals can be supplied for the long-term or to cover short-term situations or whilst you are re-learning cooking skills.

Telephone: 01623 490015

Website: www.nottinghamshire.gov.uk/care/adult-social-care/help-living-at-home/meals-at-home

HOW CAN I KEEP WARM AT HOME?

ENERGY SAVING TRUST

Telephone: 0800 098 7950

www.energysavingtrust.org.uk/

WARM HOME DISCOUNT SCHEME

Website: www.gov.uk/the-warm-home-discount-scheme/what-youll-get

ENERGY ADVISOR

Can provide energy tariff advice and energy cost saving efficiencies for people within Bassetlaw, to help them remain warm in their own homes.

Telephone: 01777 709650 Monday to Friday 9:00am to 1:00pm

Email: enquiries@actioncentre.org.uk

Website: www.bassetlawactioncentre.org.uk/energy/

THE PRIORITY SERVICE REGISTER

If a power cut happens and you are a member of the Priority Service Register Western power will:

- Give you a direct number to call in the event of a power cut so you can get straight through to them
- Agree a password with you before a visit (to protect you from rogue callers)
- Provide special help, if needed, through the Royal Voluntary Service or British Red Cross
- Ring and tell you of planned interruptions to your electricity supply
- Keep you as informed as possible in the event of an unplanned power cut.

To register for this service telephone Western Power Distribution, East Midlands:

Telephone 0800 096 3080

WHERE CAN I GET HELP WITH MONEY?

BASSETLAW DISTRICT COUNCIL MONEY ADVISORS

You can access our money advice team for help with any worries you have about claiming benefits. They can advise you if you are claiming all of the benefits you should be or give general advice if you have debts. If you need help contact our Money Advisors, on 01909 533 744 or email us

at money.advice@bassetlaw.gov.uk

CITIZENS ADVICE NORTH NOTTINGHAMSHIRE

100 Bridge Street, Worksop, S80 1HZ

(Telephone opening times: Monday – Friday 9:30am – 2pm)

General Advice Telephone: 0300 561 2800

Debt Advice Telephone: 01909 498890

Cancer Related Money Advice Telephone: 01909 498889

Website: www.canns.org.uk/

BENEFITS ADVICE AND INFORMATION

Disability Living Allowance Helpline: 0800 121 4600

Attendance Allowance Helpline: 0800 731 0122

Pension Credit Claims: 0800 99 1234

Carers Allowance Unit: 0800 731 0297

The Pension Service Enquires: 0800 731 0469

Personal Independence Payment Claims: 0800 917 2222

CHRISTIANS AGAINST POVERTY

The Well, Hospital Road, Retford, DN22 7BD

Telephone: 0800 328 0006

Website: www.capuk.org/

Free, impartial debt counselling service by appointment only.

COAL INDUSTRY SOCIAL WELFARE ORGANISATION (CISWO)

The Old Rectory, Rectory Drive, Whiston,

Rotherham, South Yorkshire, S60 4JG

Telephone: 01709 728115

Fax: 01709 839164

Email: mail@ciswo.org.uk

Website: www.ciswo.org.uk/

CISWO is a national charity which has a focus on the key role of delivering community and personal welfare services within mining and former mining communities.

NOTTINGHAM COUNTY COUNCIL CONTACT

Need help or have a question about a council service? Use the contact options below to get in touch with us.

Quick ways to get in touch

Send an online enquiry - we'll reply within two working days

Call us on 0300 500 8080 (standard call rate)

Talking with us directly

Our lines are open:

Monday to Thursday: 8.30am to 5pm

Friday: 8.30am to 4.30pm

Calls cost no more than a standard geographic charge and are included in discount packages and inclusive minutes schemes.

Website: www.nottinghamshire.gov.uk/contact-and-complaints/contact-us/contact-us

RETFORD CITIZENS ADVICE

c/o County Contact, Market Square, Retford, DN22 6EU

Telephone: 0300 4568369

VETERANS WELFARE

We provide free support for veterans and their families, including a helpline, Veterans Welfare Service, Defence Transition Services and injury/bereavement compensation scheme payments. Veterans UK is part of the [Ministry of Defence](#).

We also provide welfare support for veterans of any age, and their families through the Veterans Welfare Service and the Veterans UK helpline: 0808 1914 218.

Who we are

We provide compensation, pension and welfare support to serving personnel and veterans and facilitate access to appropriate support from other government departments, local authorities, independent bodies and the charity sector.

Our responsibilities

[Free help with compensation claims for injury in the armed forces](#)

Information and forms that will help you access MOD compensation payments for injury or illness caused by armed forces service.

[Armed Forces Compensation Scheme \(AFCS\)](#)

You can claim under the Armed Forces Compensation Scheme (AFCS) for an illness or injury that was caused as a result of service on or after 6 April 2005. You do not need to have left the armed forces before claiming.

[War Pension Scheme \(WPS\)](#)

Assessment, award, payment and maintenance of war pensions, related allowances and other payments for those disabled or bereaved through service before 5 April 2005.

[Armed Forces Pensions](#)

Assessment, award, payment and maintenance of all pensions relating to service in the armed forces. This includes the armed forces pension schemes and reserve forces pension scheme.

[Help and welfare for veterans and those leaving the armed forces](#)

Help and support for service leavers and veterans from the Veterans Welfare Service, Defence Transition Services and other organisations.

[Veterans Welfare Service \(VWS\)](#)

Provides support to all veterans, their families and dependants. The Veterans Welfare Service focuses on providing assistance where a change in circumstances may have resulted in a welfare need. One to one advice is provided by phone or home visit when needed.

[Defence Transition Services](#)

Defence Transition Services (DTS) provides a full range of transition support for Service Leavers and their families, who are facing a challenging transition out of the military.

[Help and support when a veteran or service person dies](#)

The death of a family member is a difficult time. We provide a number of free services to families when a veteran or service person dies.

Veterans UK helpline

Our helpline staff offer specific advice on war disablement pensions and the armed forces compensation scheme.

The helpline also deals with queries from Veterans, serving personnel, their families and third parties regarding claims and can refer on to the Veterans Welfare Service and service charities if required.

Iford Park Polish Home

[Iford Park Polish Home](#)

Residential and nursing care home in Devon for former members of the Polish forces under British command in World War 2, or who were displaced from Poland following World War 2, or their spouses. Iford Park Polish Home meets a wartime UK government promise made by Winston Churchill.

Contact us

Veterans UK

Tomlinson House

Norcross

Thornton Cleveleys

FY5 3WP

Email veterans-uk@mod.gov.uk

Freephone (UK only): 0808 1914 2 18

Telephone (overseas): +44 1253 866 043

8.00 am to 4:00 pm Monday to Friday

When the helpline is closed, callers will be given the option to be routed to The Samaritans 24hr helpline.

WHERE CAN I GET PENSIONS ADVICE?

YOUR PENSION CENTRE:

The Pension Service 15, Post Handling Site B, Wolverhampton, WV99 1AS

Telephone: 0800 731 7898

Fax: 01925 793101

Text phone (for those with speech or hearing difficulties) 0800 731 7339

Opening Hours: Monday to Friday 8am to 6pm

NEW STATE PENSION CLAIMS

(8am to 6pm Monday to Friday)

Telephone: 0800 731 7898

Text phone: 0800 731 7339

NEW PENSION CREDIT CLAIMS

(8am to 6pm Monday to Friday)

Telephone: 0800 991 234

Text phone: 0800 169 0133

PENSION TRACING SERVICE

With our assisted pension tracing service, we can help you to trace your lost pension and then contact your pension providers to update your details. We will help you to establish what exactly is in your lost pension, what your pension can do for you and with the help of a pension expert inform you of the options available to you. Our entire service is designed to offer more assistance than that which is available direct from the DWP government website and is available to you completely free of charge.

For more information, contact us at

Telephone: 0800 122 3170

Website: www.pensiontracingservice.com/

WHERE CAN I GET HELP WITH HEALTHCARE/FALLS?

BREAST CARE SUPPORT

Bassetlaw Hospital, Blyth Road, Worksop, S80 0BD

Telephone: 01909 500990

Support group for women having treatment for breast cancer or recovering after treatment as well as on going friendship and fun.

CARDIAC SUPPORT GROUP

Post Graduate Centre, Bassetlaw Hospital, Blyth Road, Worksop, S80 0BD

Telephone: 01909 500990 ext. 2944

A support group, which also has a social element, occasional visits and speakers are arranged on medical and non-medical topics. Affiliated to the British Heart Foundation.

FOR NURSE ADVICE AND HEALTH INFORMATION

NHS non-emergency number for when you need medical help that is not a 999 emergency.

Telephone: 111

FOR FALLS PREVENTION

Contact: NHS Bassetlaw through the Single Point of Access:

Telephone: 01777 274422

LIFELINE SERVICE

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Housing contact centre: 0800 590 542.

Email: customer.services@bassetlaw.gov.uk

Website: www.bassetlaw.gov.uk/council-housing/supported-housing/lifeline-service/

MS SUPPORT IN RETFORD & BASSETLAW

is a friendly welcoming group of like-minded people of a wide age range who are brought together by a diagnosis of Multiple Sclerosis.

Being part of the group is fun and newcomers are always welcome.

We arrange a wide range of weekly and monthly events for members and include:

MS Drop in Clinic, Monthly Newsletter, Self Help Information, Signposting for professional help, fundraising for local MS Community, Art Class, Neuro physio based Pilates exercise, Swim/float sessions, Meals out and a Monthly Coffee Cake and Chat morning.

Group Coordinator: Barbara Ramsden

Email: retford@mssociety.org.uk or contact@mssupportretford.org.uk

Group Telephone: 01777 704687

DRUGS AND ALCOHOL SUPPORT

We commission drug and alcohol support services across Nottinghamshire.

Change, Grow, Live (CGL) provides adult drug and alcohol recovery services across the county in a range of community settings, making treatment more accessible.

This service is open to anyone over the age of 18 living in Nottinghamshire. If you are experiencing issues around drug and/or alcohol use, please contact CGL on 01158 960 798 for more information or to make an appointment. CGL are open Monday to Friday 9:30am - 5:00pm

EMERGENCY DENTAL SERVICES

If you have a regular NHS dentist and need urgent treatment, contact your dentist for advice. If you do not have a regular NHS dentist, you can contact NHS non-emergency number on 111. They can give you details of out-of-hours dental services in your area.

RAPID RESPONSE

The team supports adults who have become unwell but are medically stable and are in crisis at home. The service operates 7 days per week until 9pm.

Telephone: 01777 274422

HOW CAN I FIND OUT ABOUT HOUSING OPTIONS AND CHOICES?

BASSETLAW INDEPENDENT LIVING

Independent Living schemes which are ideally suited for elderly or vulnerable tenants who wish to live independently, yet be part of a community setting.

Our Independent Living schemes are spread throughout Bassetlaw and offer the choice of one or two bed flats and a small number of bedsits. All have access to communal rooms and gardens as well as an onsite warden.

Telephone: 01909 533533

Website: www.bassetlaw.gov.uk/council-housing/supported-housing/independent-living-centres/

HOUSING OPTIONS

Have you ever considered the changes that you might need to make to your home to ensure it remains suitable and meets your changing needs throughout your later life?

The Bassetlaw Housing Choice Case Worker can help you put into place anything you need to remain in your existing property or help you to find other suitable accommodation.

If you would like some help, support, advocacy and information on what housing options are available; you can book an appointment with the caseworker or you can book an appointment to attend our housing surgery in Retford.

Contact: Craig Chadburn

Telephone: 01777 709650

Email: SILS@actioncentre.org.uk

SLOWICKES ALMSHOUSE CHARITY

2 Carolina Court, Lakeside, Doncaster, DN4 5RA

Telephone: 01302 243933

A charity providing accommodation for people over 60 years of age.

ANCHOR TRUST

Anchor has more than 40 years' experience of working with older people and providing residential care homes – so we know how to help you get the best out of life.

For more information, Call 0800 731 2020

www.anchor.org.uk

HOUSING NEEDS

If you are being threatened with homelessness or are homeless please contact one of the Bassetlaw District Council team on Telephone: 01909 533533

EXTRA CARE HOUSING SCHEMES IN NOTTINGHAMSHIRE

Each scheme is different and what is available varies from site to site.

However, each scheme will have:

- Housing - a range of modern and affordable one or two bedroom homes available to buy, rent or part own which are purpose-built or adapted for your care and support needs
- Personal care support - staff are available 24 hours a day to offer you support
- Communal areas - these might include a cafe, hairdressers, library, guest accommodation for your visitors, a day centre with organised activities and outings
- Neighbourhood facilities - extra care schemes are based within local communities so the usual range of neighbourhood facilities are close by such as leisure centres, shops, GP surgeries and public transport.

Some extra care sites have dementia units which provide specialist care in a community setting.

Website: www.nottinghamshire.gov.uk/care/adult-social-care/somewhere-to-live/housing-with-care

Telephone: 0300 500 80 80

WHERE ARE THE CARE HOMES IN BASSETLAW?

Residential and Nursing Homes are now called Care Homes. They provide personal care, meals and accommodation to people who are no longer able to look after themselves. For each facility the number of people catered for is indicated, including specialist provision (in brackets). For further information contact:
www.carechoices.co.uk

County Council Customer Service Centre: 0300 500 80 80

OLDER PEOPLE NURSING

Ashley Care Home

Sunnyside, Worksop,
Nottinghamshire,
S81 7LN
Telephone: 01909 500541
Places: 48 (Dementia, Mental Health)

Blyth Country House Care Home

Spital Road,
Blyth,
Worksop,
Nottinghamshire,
S81 8DU
Telephone: 01909 212137
Places: 30 (Old age)

Cherry Holt Care Home

28 Welham Road,
Retford,
Nottinghamshire,
DN22 6TN
Telephone: 01777 710347
Places: 52 (Old age, Physical disability)

Forest Hill Care Home

Forest Hill Park,
Worksop,
Nottinghamshire,
S81 0NZ
Telephone: 01909 283000
Places: 64 (Old age, Dementia)

Gateford Hill Care Home

Worksop,
Nottinghamshire,
S81 8AF
Telephone: 01909 521236
Places: 65 (Old age, Physical disability)

Lound Hall Nursing Home

Town Street,
Lound,
Retford,
Nottinghamshire,
DN22 8RS
Telephone: 01777 818082
Places: 30 (Dementia, old age, physical disability)

Rufford Care Centre

Clumber Unit,
Gateford Road,
Gateford,
Worksop,
Nottinghamshire,
S81 7BH
Telephone: 01909 530233
Places: 25 (Physical disability) 35 (Dementia Over 65) 50 (Old age)

Westvilla Nursing Home

Westfield Road,
Retford,
Nottinghamshire,
DN22 7BT
Telephone: 01777 701636
Places: 35 (Old age, Physical disability, Dementia, Past or present alcohol dependency)

OLDER PEOPLE RESIDENTIAL

Ashley Care Home

Sunnyside,
Worksop,
Nottinghamshire,
S81 7LN
Telephone: 01909 500541
Places: 48 (Dementia, Mental Health)

Avondale Residential Home

Whitehouse Road,
Bircotes,
Doncaster,
South Yorkshire,
DN11 8EQ
Telephone: 01302 743673
Places: 31 (Old age, Dementia)

Barnby Court Care Home

Barnby Moor,
Retford,
Nottinghamshire,
DN22 8QS
Telephone: 01777 705902
Places: 25 (Old age, Dementia)

Beech House Care Home

294 Carlton Road,
Worksop,
Nottinghamshire,
S81 7LL
Telephone: 01909 472149
Places: 32 (Old age, Mental health,
Dementia)

Brailsford House

1 Main Street,
Harworth, Doncaster,
South Yorkshire, DN11 8LE
Telephone: 01302 742156
Places: 20 (Old age, Dementia)

Branthwaite Care Home

34 Welham Road,
Retford,
Nottinghamshire,
DN22 6TN
Telephone: 01777 706720
Places: 21 (Mental Health, Dementia)

Farthings Residential Care Home

The Old London Road,
West Drayton,
Retford,
Nottinghamshire,
DN22 8ED
Telephone: 01777 838219
Places: 13 (Old age)

Glenesk Care Home

The Crescent,
Queen Street,
Retford,
Nottinghamshire
DN22 7BX
Telephone: 01777 702339
Places: 22 (Old age)

The Hollies

19-23 London Road,
Retford,
Nottinghamshire,
DN22 6AT
Telephone: 01777 707750
Places: 22 (Old age, Dementia)

Langwith Lodge Care Home

The Park,
Nether Langwith,
Mansfield,
Nottinghamshire,
NG20 9ES
Telephone: 01623 742204
Places: 54 (Old age, Dementia)

The Old Vicarage Care Home

Newcastle Avenue,
Worksop,
Nottinghamshire,
S80 1NJ
Telephone: 01909 475521
Places: 38 (Old age, Dementia)

Rose Farm Care Home

Main Street,
Styrrup,
Doncaster,
South Yorkshire,
DN11 8NB
Telephone: 01302 744664
Places: 54 (Old age, Dementia)

South Moor Lodge Care Home

South Moor Road,
Walkeringham,
Doncaster,
South Yorkshire,
DN10 4LD
Telephone: 01427 891204
Places: 40 (Old age, Dementia)

St. Saviours Care Home

5 Lidget Lane,
Retford,
Nottinghamshire,
DN22 6QW
Telephone: 01777 703040
Places: 40 (Old age)

Tuxford Manor Care Home

143 Lincoln Road,
Tuxford,
Newark,
Nottinghamshire,
NG22 0JQ
Telephone: 01777 872555
Places: 42 (Old age, Dementia)

Victoria Care Home

Memorial Avenue,
Worksop,
Nottinghamshire,
S80 2BJ
Telephone: 01909 476416
Places: 93 (Old age, Dementia)

Westwood

Talbot Road,
Worksop,
Nottinghamshire,
S80 2PG
Telephone: 01909 490009
Places: 78 (Old age, Dementia, Physical disability)

NURSING CARE FOR UNDER 65 YEAR OLDS**Gateford Hill Care Home**

Worksop,
Nottinghamshire,
S81 8AF
Telephone: 01909 521236

Rufford Care Centre

Clumber Unit,
Gateford Road,
Gateford,
Worksop,
Nottinghamshire,
S81 7BH
Telephone: 01909 530233
Places: 25 (Physical disability) 35 (Dementia Over 65) 50 (Old age)

RESIDENTIAL CARE FOR UNDER 65 YEAR OLDS**Mason House**

6 Bracken Lane,
Retford,
Nottinghamshire,
DN22 7EU
Telephone: 0800 328 6091
Places: 8 (Learning disability)

Branthwaite Care Home

34 Welham Road,
Retford,
Nottinghamshire,
DN22 6TN
Telephone: 01777 706720
Places: 21 (Mental health, Dementia)

Carlton Road Care Home

181-183 Carlton Road,
Worksop,
Nottinghamshire,
S81 7AD
Telephone: 01909 473831

Dyscarr Grange Care Home

Doncaster Road,
Langold,
Nottinghamshire,
S81 9RJ
Telephone: 01909 540607
Places: 7 (Learning disability)

Holles Street Short Breaks Service

Holles Street,
Worksop,
Nottinghamshire,
S80 2LJ
Telephone: 01909 535220
Places: 10 (Learning disability)

Limetree Avenue Care Home

23 Limetree Avenue,
Retford,
DN22 7BB
Telephone: 01777 708725
Places: 6 (Learning disability)

Home Redbank House Care

Town Street,
South Leverton,
Nottinghamshire,
DN22 0BT
Telephone: 01427 880716

Rivers

Blyth Road,
Oldcotes,
Worksop,
Nottinghamshire,
S81 8HU
Telephone: 01909 731429
Places: 6

Rose Meadow Residential Home

119 Station Road,
Misterton,
Doncaster,
South Yorkshire,
DN10 4DG
Telephone: 01427 891190
Places: 10 (Learning disability)

Rutland Crescent (25-27) Care Home

25-27 Rutland Crescent,
Harworth,
South Yorkshire,
DN11 8HZ
Telephone: 01302 759636
Places: 7 (Learning disability)

WHERE CAN I GET ADVICE AND SUPPORT IF SUFFERING BEREAVEMENT?

BASSETLAW BEREAVEMENT CARE

Offers support and practical assistance to the bereaved, both at Bassetlaw District General Hospital and one to one support in the community.

Bassetlaw Hospital, Blyth Road, Worksop, Notts, S81 0BD

Telephone: 01909 502779

DYING MATTERS

We're here for people in the last years of life, their families, carers and friends. We offer links to local services, information and a supportive online community.

Website: www.dyingmatters.org

THE TOMORROW PROJECT- SUICIDE BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT

The suicide bereavement service has been developed directly from the needs of the bereaved to provide a dedicated, innovative service for anyone facing this devastating experience.

We will help liaise with other services and provide emotional and practical support to anyone affected by a suicide.

For more information or to contact our team

Telephone: 0115 880 0280

Email: bereavement@tomorrowproject.org.uk

Website: www.harmless.org.uk

WHERE CAN I GET A WHEELCHAIR?

SHOPMOBILITY

Provides scooters, power chairs and manual chairs

Retford - Chancery Lane Car Park Telephone: 01777 705432

Tuesday - Saturday 9am – 4pm

Worksop - Priory Centre Car Park Telephone: 01909 479070

Monday - Saturday 9am – 4pm

PARKGATE MOBILITY WORKSOP

38-40 Eastgate

Worksop

S80 1RF

Telephone: 01909 286019

FOR A PERMANENT WHEELCHAIR

(An assessment is required)

Single Point of Access (S.P.A)

Telephone: 01777 274422

WHO CAN HELP ME TO MANAGE MY LONG-TERM CONDITION?

STAYING WELL PROGRAMME

The Staying Well Programme is a six-week course for anyone living with a long-term health condition. Its aims are to help you take control of your health by learning new skills to manage your condition better on a daily basis. Each session lasts for two and a half hours and is facilitated by trained tutors who are themselves living with a long-term condition. The Staying Well programme complements existing health care programmes and treatments, empowering participants to be more informed and better able to develop partnerships with their medical practitioners.

Topics covered by the programme:

- Dealing with pain and extreme tiredness
- Coping with feelings of depression
- Relaxation techniques and exercise
- Healthy eating
- Communicating with family, friends and professionals
- Planning for the future

Contact Paula on 01777 709650

Email: stayingwell@actioncentre.org.uk

Website: www.bassetlawactioncentre.org.uk

HOW CAN I GET SOME HELP WITH ADAPTATIONS AND SOCIAL CARE?

BASSETLAW ADULT AND SOCIAL CARE SERVICES CAN ARRANGE FOR ESSENTIAL HOME ADAPTATIONS

Other services include:

- Personal care within your own home
- Day care
- Help with discharge from hospital
- Meals At Home
- Disability Equipment

You can visit the Nottingham County Council Customer Service Points at:

- Queens building, Potter Street, Worksop Monday – Friday 8:40am – 5pm
- 17b The Square, Retford Monday – Friday 9am – 5pm

Or telephone Customer Service Centre 0300 500 80 80

HANDY PERSON ADAPTATION SERVICE (HPAS)

The Handy Person Adaptation Service provides help and support to keep people safe and secure in their home with free or low-cost but high quality essential adaptations and small practical jobs. This service is available to people living in Nottinghamshire (except the City of Nottingham) who are either:

- aged 60 or over
- disabled.
- Adaptations
- Adaptations are jobs such as fitting stair rails and grab rails which help you move around your home and stay steady on your feet.

These are supplied and fitted in a single job and are free of charge.

- Handy person jobs

- Handy person jobs are small jobs such as fixing curtain rails, putting up shelves or fixing loose carpets or trip hazards.

The cost of a handy person job is £15 which should be given to the trader. You will also need to supply all the materials for the job. But if you have difficulty getting what's needed, you may be able to give the money to the trader so they can buy the materials for you. These prices are subject to change, so please check when requesting a job to confirm the price.

- How long does it take to get the work done?
- Jobs inside the house are usually completed within 5 working days.

If you have been discharged from hospital the job will be completed within 2 working days. The work is carried out by professional traders from our approved trader register regulated by Trading Standards.

To apply for the handy person and adaptation service call the scheme co-ordinators on 0300 500 80 80

For more information visit; [Contact us | Nottinghamshire County Council](#)

Or for Adult Social Care; [Adult Social Care hub | Nottinghamshire County Council](#)

Website: www.nottinghamshire.gov.uk

WHERE CAN I GET SOME HELP AROUND THE HOME?

BDC REFUSE COLLECTION

Telephone: 01909 534501

Bassetlaw District Council provides Assisted Refuse Collection for Elderly and Disabled Residents.

HOME SUPPORT SERVICE

Offers a range of services including

- General housework
- Laundry/Ironing
- Shopping
- Help with correspondence
- Medication prompts
- Sitting service
- Light meal preparation
- Accompanied shopping
- Social visits

This is a chargeable service. Please ring The Bassetlaw Action Centre for further details.

Telephone: 01777 709650

Email: homesupport@actioncentre.org.uk

Website: www.bassetlawactioncentre.org.uk

HOW CAN I GET OUT AND ABOUT?

BASSETLAW COMMUNITY CAR SCHEME

The Community Car Scheme is available to Bassetlaw residents who are unable to access any other forms of public transport or where none is available. The scheme can be used to visit friends or social clubs, attend appointments or maybe just go shopping. It is a door-to-door service; volunteer drivers will allow you one-hour maximum from dropping off before returning you home. If you know you are going to be more than one hour, please state at time of booking as there will be an additional charge in this circumstance. In order to use the scheme, you must register.

Registration and journey charges apply.

Telephone: 01777 709650

Email: transport@actioncentre.org.uk

Website: www.bassetlawactioncentre.org.uk/index.php/bassetlaw-community-car-scheme/

BASSETLAW COMMUNITY CAR SCHEME PLUS

The Community Car Scheme Plus vehicle has been fully adapted for wheelchair users and offers a door-to-door service for people of all ages. For an affordable fare, you can travel in safety and comfort to make those important appointments, get to work or simply socialise with friends. This vehicle is also able to carry a wheelchair and up to 3 passengers. Registration and journey charges apply.

Telephone: 01777 709650

Email: transport@actioncentre.org.uk

Website: www.bassetlawactioncentre.org.uk/index.php/car-scheme-plus/

BASSETLAW DISTRICT COUNCIL – ACCESSIBLE TAXIS

Information regarding Taxi firms with wheelchair accessible vehicles is available.

Licensing Unit, Queens Buildings, Potter Street, Worksop, Notts S80 2AH

Telephone: 01909 533533

Email: licensing@bassetlaw.gov.uk.

Website: www.Bassetlaw.gov.uk

DIAL A TRIP COVERING THE VILLAGES AROUND TUXFORD

DAT is a Social Car Scheme offering transport for those people unable to access public or private transport to get to medical appointments such as GP's, Dentists, Chiropodists, Opticians as well as some social events. Once registered and the yearly fee has been paid, we are only a phone call away, but we do ask for 48 to 72 office hours' notice for trips.

Dial a Trip is administered and run by volunteers who use their own cars. The office is open from 9.30am to 12.30pm Monday to Friday for bookings. All other times there is an answer machine which is monitored regularly. This is because as volunteers we administer and drive.

Telephone: 01777 948384

Email: dialatripltd@gmail.com

BASSETLAW ACTION CENTRE COMMUNITY MINIBUS

This service is managed by Bassetlaw Action Centre and is a wheelchair friendly minibus offering community groups throughout the district access to a flexible and affordable mode of transport. Any group wanting to take advantage of this opportunity is required to have obtained membership through the Bassetlaw Action Centre. Both annual and day memberships are available. We also offer a wide range of Day Trips open to the general public.

For an up to date list of trips contact Bassetlaw Action Centre or visit our

Website: www.bassetlawactioncentre.org.uk/index.php/community-mini-bus/#trips

We now have gift vouchers available to purchase so why not treat your family or friends; they would make a great Christmas or Birthday present.

Booking and payment arrangements for day trips:

Registration is required before you book onto any of the trips.

You will be at your destination for a minimum of 3 and half hours unless otherwise stated. Times may vary due to unforeseen circumstances or circumstances beyond our control. Payment is to be made at the time of booking for all daytrips. Bookings that are not paid will only be held for 7 days. If a trip is shown to be fully booked you can put your name on a reserve list and we will contact, you if a place becomes available.

Payment can be made by cash, debit/credit card over the phone or in person or by BACs.

For more information or to book a trip contact Bassetlaw Action Centre, Canal Street, Retford DN22 6EZ Monday to Friday 9:00am to 1:00pm Telephone: 01777 709650

WHERE CAN I GET TRAVEL INFORMATION?

TRAVELINE

Telephone: 0871 200 2233

(Please note that there is a charge 12 pence per minute from landlines and mobiles for a call to 0871 200 22 33; your phone company may add its own access charge but it will tell you about this.)

www.traveline.info/

NATIONAL RAIL ENQUIRIES

Telephone: 03457 484 950

www.nationalrail.co.uk

FREE CONCESSIONARY TRAVEL SCHEME

Who is eligible?

The scheme no longer provides a free pass automatically at the age of 60. Instead, the qualifying age is now linked to the state pension age. To see when you will qualify for a free pass on age grounds, have a look on www.gov.uk/calculate-state-pension

You are an eligible disabled person if you:

- are blind or partially sighted
- are profoundly or severely deaf
- are without speech
- have a disability, or have suffered an injury, which has a substantial and long-term adverse effect on your ability to walk
- do not have arms or have long term loss of the use of both arms
- have a learning disability - a state of arrested or incomplete development of mind which includes significant impairment of intelligence and social functioning, or
- would have an application to drive a motor vehicle refused due to your disability.

When can you use your pass?

The National Concessionary Pass allows you to enjoy free off-peak travel on local buses anywhere in England. The national free entitlement operates between 9:30am and 11:00pm Monday to Friday and all day at weekends and on public holidays.

How do you apply for your travel pass and how much does it cost?

The concessionary travel passes are initially free of charge, however if you lose your pass a fee may be charged for the replacement.

Telephone: 0300 500 80 80

Website: www.nottinghamshire.gov.uk/transport/public-transport/apply-for-a-concessionary-travel-pass

WHO CAN TELL ME ABOUT LOCAL GROUPS AND CLUBS?

For a list of groups and clubs in your area contact the following organisations:

BASSETLAW ACTION CENTRE

Bassetlaw Action Centre is a Community Resource Agency linking individuals and organisations with help and support.

Canal Street, Retford, DN22 6EZ

Telephone: 01777 709650

Email: enquiries@actioncentre.org.uk

Website: www.bassetlawactioncentre.org.uk

BCVS - BASSETLAW COMMUNITY AND VOLUNTARY SERVICE

The Priory, The Old Abbey School, Priorswell Road

Worksop, Nottinghamshire S80 2BU

Telephone: 01909 476118

Email: bcvs@bcvs.org.uk

Website: www.bcvs.org.uk

BCVS is a registered charity that works to challenge deprivation, health inequalities and social exclusion through supporting local residents and voluntary and community group across Bassetlaw and Bolsover.

We aim to create, support and develop a sustainable and vibrant third sector. Our work involves both direct support and communicating and facilitating strong and effective community voices which will have an influence locally, regionally and nationally.

DO YOU WANT TO TAKE RESPONSIBILITY FOR YOUR OWN HEALTH AND KEEPING ACTIVE?

OBESITY PREVENTION & WEIGHT MANAGEMENT SCHEME & STOP SMOKING YOUR HEALTH NOTTS

Nottinghamshire County Council commission Your Health Notts to support everyone living in Nottinghamshire including children, young people, adults and families to get active, lose weight, reduce alcohol intake and quit smoking. The service also provides support for falls prevention and family weight management.

For the most up to date information on Your Health Notts and to refer yourself, please visit their

Website: yourhealthnotts.co.uk/

Telephone: 0115 772 2515

Email: yourhealth.notts@nhs.net.

STAYING WELL PROGRAMME

A free six-week course helping people to better self-manage their long term health condition.

Courses are available in various locations throughout Bassetlaw.

Telephone: 01777 709650

WHAT HEALTHY ACTIVITIES/LEISURE SERVICES ARE AVAILABLE?

BASSETLAW DISTRICT COUNCIL – PARKS AND OPEN SPACES

To Rent a Council Owned Allotment

Telephone 01909 534525

Email: Allotment.Enquiries@bassetlaw.gov.uk

BIRCOTES LEISURE CENTRE

Whitehouse Road, Bircotes, Doncaster, DN11 8EF

Telephone: 01302 743979

Facilities:

- 20m Swimming Pool
- 2 Squash Courts
- MUGA – Multi-Use Games Area/Outside Pitch
- Sports Hall (4 Badminton Courts/Aerobics)
- Fitness Suite
- Sauna
- Dance Studio/Conference Room

RETFORD LEISURE CENTRE

Old Hall Drive, Retford, DN22 7EA

Telephone: 01777 706500

Facilities:

- 25 metre Swimming Pool
- 12 metre Training Pool
- Fitness Suite
- Aerobic Studio
- Conference Room
- Steam Room
- Sauna
- Viewing balcony
- Vending Area

WORKSOP - SAVOY CINEMA - SILVER SCREENINGS

Exclusively for the over 50s every Wednesday at 11:30am. Admission is £5.15 including complimentary tea or coffee.

Telephone: 01909 481900

Website: savoyworksop.co.uk/SavoyWorksop.dll/Home

WORKSOP - CLUMBER PARK

Worksop, Nottinghamshire, S80 3BE

Telephone: 01909 476592

Email: clumberpark@nationaltrust.org.uk

Website: www.nationaltrust.org.uk/clumber-park/whats-on

WORKSOP LEISURE CENTRE

Valley Road, Worksop, S81 7EN

Telephone: 01909 473937

Facilities:

- 25 metre Swimming Pool
- 12 metre Training Pool
- Fitness Suite
- Aerobic Studio

- Conference Room
- Steam Room
- Sauna
- Viewing balcony
- Vending Area

BASSETLAW DISTRICT COUNCIL LEISURE AND WELLBEING SERVICE

Telephone: 01909 533533

Email: LeisureServices.ITS@bassetlaw.gov.uk

Website: <https://www.bassetlaw.gov.uk/sport-leisure-and-culture/>

The Leisure and Wellbeing team at Bassetlaw District Council supports local clubs that offer activities for the older person. Specific activities developed and promoted include; health walks, seated exercise classes, dementia groups, allotments, exercise classes for falls patients as well supporting weekly Walking Football, Walking Netball, Walking Tennis and Walking Cricket sessions across the district.

NORTH NOTTS COMMUNITY ARENA

Worksop - North Notts Community Arena Eastgate, Worksop, Notts. S80 1QS

Venue 01909 480164

Email: d.layden@nnca.org.uk

Website: www.nnca.info/

WALKING IN NOTTINGHAMSHIRE

Walking in Nottinghamshire www.walkinginengland.co.uk/notts. is a website packed with useful information for walkers.

With hundreds of walks to download and print free, it also has books of walks, contact details for all the walking groups in the county and much more. Whether you want to walk on your own or with a group all the information is there in one place.

With walks from half a mile to twelve miles plus long, and a note of suitability for pushchairs and wheelchairs, everyone can find a walk to enjoy.

For more information, contact John Harris

Website: www.walkinginengland.co.uk/notts.

Email: john@walkinginengland.co.uk

Telephone: 07740 306189

WHERE CAN I FIND HELP TO STOP SMOKING?

YOUR HEALTH NOTTS

Telephone: 0115 772 2515

WHAT IS ABUSE OR MISTREATMENT?

Abuse or mistreatment can be many things.

Physical including hitting, slapping, punching, kicking or the misuse of medication on someone. Sexual including rape or sexual assault acts which the person has not consented to. It may be non-contact such as teasing or being photographed.

Psychological including threats, humiliating someone, controlling or intimidating.

Financial including stealing or tricking the person out of money or material possessions like their house or jewellery.

Discriminatory including racist, sexist, that is based on a person's disability and other forms of harassment.

Neglect is also a form of abuse - leaving someone without food or heating, refusing to take care of personal needs and failing to provide access to appropriate health and social care may all be forms of neglect.

NOTTINGHAMSHIRE WOMEN'S AID LTD

The Farr Centre, Chapel Walk, Westgate, Worksop, S80 1LR. Telephone: 01909 491330.

Email: enquiries@nottswa.org

Website: www.nottswa.org

24 hour Freephone Helpline 0808 800 0340

VICTIM SUPPORT SCHEME

We are the national charity giving free and confidential help to victims of crime, witnesses, their family, friends and anyone else affected across England and Wales. We also speak out as a national voice for victims and witnesses and campaign for change.

We are not a government agency or part of the police and you don't have to report a crime to the police to get our help. You can call us any time after the crime has happened, whether it was yesterday, last week or several years ago.

We have offices throughout England and Wales and we run the Witness Service in every criminal court. For help, support or advice call our Nottinghamshire team now on 0800 304 7575.

Telephone: 08 08 16 89 111

Website: www.victimsupport.org.uk/

WHO CAN I HAVE A CHAT WITH WHEN I FEEL LONELY?

A CALL IN TIME

Call in Time is a FREE service where a trained volunteer could give you a friendly phone call once a week, on your preferred day, and at a time convenient to you, for a friendly chat to talk about just about anything you want to, from the weather to your favourite subject?

Telephone: 0800 434 6105

Website: www.ageuk.org.uk/services/befriending-services/sign-up-for-telephone-befriending/

THE SILVER LINE

The Silver Line is the only free confidential helpline providing information, friendship and advice to older people, open 24 hours a day, every day of the year.

Telephone: 0800 470 80 90 Website: www.thesilverline.org.uk/

BASSETLAW TELEPHONE BEFRIENDING

Face to Face Befriending

Our befriending scheme can receive referrals from anyone who is suffering from extreme loneliness. Befriending is a means to reduce isolation and increase independence.

Our clients are placed with a befriender who will visit them for one hour a week in their own home or telephone them to chat and encouraging them to make positive choices to help them to help themselves.

When the clients are referred to us, we match them with a volunteer, who may have similar interests and hobbies and lives in the same area. This service is free of charge, but there may be travel costs incurred for the volunteer mileage if they are visiting in the home.

Telephone Befriending

Our telephone befriending is a free service which offers weekly calls made to our clients by volunteers.

As with home visits, we ensure to match our clients with a volunteer who may have similar interests or hobbies, and the volunteer will encourage clients over the duration of the call to make positive choices.

For those clients who are unable to have home visits or use the telephone we may be able to offer befriending letters.

Peer to Peer Befriending

Peer to peer befriending is a great way for clients to support each other through weekly telephone calls. Befriending not only benefits the person who receives the call but also the person who provides the call. People often volunteer for Befriending as a way to reduce their own isolation and loneliness whilst helping another person.

As such we now offer Peer to Peer Befriending Support. This is where 2 clients waiting for a volunteer will contact each other via telephone and Befriend each other. This enables both clients to give and receive support, build friendships and help each other overcome their feelings of loneliness and isolation.

For more information, contact Bassetlaw Action Centre

Telephone: 01777 709650

Email: befriending@actioncentre.org.uk

Website: www.bassetlawactioncentre.org.uk/befriending/

WHERE CAN I GET SOME SUPPORT WHEN I LEAVE HOSPITAL?

ROYAL VOLUNTARY SERVICE HOME FROM HOSPITAL SERVICE

When you need more support than usual after returning home following a hospital stay, our volunteers can help you to get back on your feet and feel confident to remain independent. Our volunteers can provide support for a period of up to 12 weeks which will vary according to individual needs. Such needs may include practical help like accompanied shopping, making new connections with the local community or IT guidance and can also provide one to one or group exercise to improve functional muscle strength and balance. Our volunteers carry out Safe and Well checks each time that they visit.

Referrals can be made by calling 07714 898531.

or by emailing bassetlaw.syr@royalvoluntaryservice.org.uk

HOME SUPPORT SERVICE

Offers a range of services including

- General housework
- Laundry/Ironing
- Shopping
- Help with correspondence
- Sitting service
- Light meal preparation
- Accompanied shopping
- Social visits

This is a chargeable service. Please ring The Bassetlaw Action Centre for further details.

Telephone: 01777 709650

Email: homesupport@actioncentre.org.uk

WHO CAN TELEPHONE ME ABOUT VOLUNTEERING OPPORTUNITIES?

BCVS INVOLVE - VOLUNTEERING

Bassetlaw Community & Voluntary Service

The Old Abbey School, Priorswell Road, Worksop, Notts, S80 2BU

Contact: Kirstin Isherwood (She/Her) Bassetlaw Volunteer Coordinator

Email: involve@bcvs.org.uk

Office Telephone: 01909 476118 Ext 22

Work Mobile: 07923 256976

Website: www.bcvs.org.uk

THE BASSETLAW ACTION CENTRE VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

Volunteer Befriending

Do you like chatting to people? Are you a good listener? Could you offer an hour a week? If so; Befriending could be for you!

Our befriending scheme is available for people who are identified as socially isolated. We hope to reduce isolation and increase independence for our clients by providing befrienders who will encourage clients to make positive choices and help them to help themselves. The befriending service is currently telephone based and our volunteers offer their support to clients through regular phone calls.

Bassetlaw Community Car Scheme

If you enjoy driving and meeting people and are looking to help the local community, you are the ideal person to be a volunteer driver. Any amount of time that you are able to give to the scheme is welcomed, even an hour or two each week. We are all part of a friendly team and drivers help and support each other in addition to receiving support and training from the staff at The Bassetlaw Action Centre. We do not put any pressure on our drivers and are grateful for any amount of time that they are able to give to the Car Scheme. Many clients have managed to remain independent because of the valuable help they have received from our volunteer drivers. We pay 45p per mile for every mile that you drive on behalf of the scheme.

Bassetlaw Community Car Scheme Plus

We are also looking for drivers for our Community Car Scheme Plus vehicle. This vehicle has been fully adapted for wheelchair users and offers a door to door service for people of all ages. The vehicle is also able to carry up to 4 passengers. We provide all training for this vehicle which will help individuals to travel in safety and comfort to make those important appointments, get to work or simply socialise with friends for an affordable fare.

Bassetlaw Community Minibus

We are always looking to add to our bank of volunteer drivers for the minibus at The Bassetlaw Action Centre. The minibus has the facilities to enable wheelchair users to board and alight using a passenger lift and specialist equipment to secure both the user and their wheelchair. All our drivers must hold D1 on their driving licence and will undergo an enhanced DBS check and MiDAS training.

Office Administration

We have limited opportunities for volunteers to help within our Bassetlaw Action Centre offices, duties including, making and receiving telephone calls, using up to date computer packages and supporting our existing staff.

If you are interested in becoming a volunteer for the Office Administration, Community Car Scheme, Community Car Scheme Plus or Community Minibus or have any questions about any of the Schemes.

Contact: Bassetlaw Action Centre

Canal Street, Retford, Notts, DN22 6EZ

Telephone: 01777 709650 Email: enquiries@actioncentre.org.uk

HOW CAN I LEARN NEW SKILLS?

NORTH NOTTS COLLEGE:

Contact address below for details of available adult courses.

Website: www.nnc.ac.uk

Contact Us

You can choose to contact the College by email, telephone or post. Whichever way you choose, our staff will be pleased to help and will get back to you as soon as possible.

Learner Recruitment Team

The Learner Recruitment Team can help with course enquiries, financial support and general advice and guidance.

By Email: contact@nnc.ac.uk Telephone: 01909 504500

Main College

Telephone: 01909 504504

Fax: 01909 504505

By Post: North Notts College, Carlton Road, Worksop, Nottinghamshire, S81 7HP

WORKERS EDUCATION ASSOCIATION (WEA)

Training courses available from the WEA please call or go to the website

Telephone: 0300 303 3464, Monday – Friday 9am – 5pm.

Website: <https://www.wea.org.uk/>

WHAT SUPPORT SERVICES ARE AVAILABLE IN RURAL AREAS?

BASSETLAW DISTRICT COUNCIL RURAL OFFICER

Karen Tarburton is the Community Development and Funding Manager. Karen works for Harworth Town Council and delivers the community development and funding advice on behalf of Bassetlaw District Council within the district although this is mainly within the Rural Areas.

Email: ktarburton@harworthandbircotestowncouncil.org.uk

Website: www.bassetlaw.gov.uk/community-and-living/rural-communities/

THE MISTERTON CENTRE

The Misterton Centre & Library Building

52 High Street

Misterton

Doncaster

DN10 4BU

Telephone: Centre & Library 01427 890646

Email: theclerk@misterton-notts-pc.gov.uk

Website www.misterton-notts-pc.gov.uk

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF LOCAL COUNCIL NOTTINGHAMSHIRE BRANCH

Nottinghamshire Association of Local Councils, Minister Chambers,
Southwell, Notts, NG25 0HD
Telephone: 01636 81690
Email: queries@nottsalc.com
Website: www.nottsalc.com

WHERE CAN I FIND GENERAL INFORMATION ABOUT SERVICES FOR OLDER PEOPLE?

BASSETLAW ACTION CENTRE

Bassetlaw Action Centre is a Community Resource Agency linking individuals and organisations with help and support
Canal Street, Retford, DN22 6EZ
Telephone: 01777 709650
Email: enquiries@actioncentre.org.uk
Website: www.bassetlawactioncentre.org.uk

ROYAL VOLUNTARY SERVICE

Royal Voluntary Service
C/O 3 Bridge Street, Worksop, Nottinghamshire, S80 1DL
Telephone: 01909 484437
Email: bassetlaw.SYR@royalvoluntaryservice.org.uk

NOTTS HELP YOUR SELF

Where older people (and other local people) can find information about services, activities and support in their area.
www.nottshelpyourself.org.uk

WHERE CAN I FIND OUT ABOUT HELP FOR CARERS?

CARERS FEDERATION

Carers Federation Head Office
Christopher Cargill House,
21-23 Pelham Road, Nottingham, NG5 1AP
Website: www.carersfederation.co.uk/
Email: info@carersfederation.co.uk
Telephone: 01159 629 310
Fax: 01159 629 338

REACH OUT NOTTINGHAMSHIRE PLUS

Provides information & advice for disabled people & their carers
Room 6 Park Road Resource Centre,
53 Park Road, Mansfield-Woodhouse NG19 8ER
Advice line: 01623 625891
Admin/Office: 01623 658 060
Website: www.disabilitynottinghamshire.org.uk/
Email: advice@disabilitynottinghamshire.org.uk

DOES THE COUNCIL PROVIDE FINANCIAL SUPPORT FOR COMMUNITY GROUPS?

Councillor Community Grants Scheme

Each District Councillor is allocated a small budget and has the discretion to award grants to community activities that will benefit the community within their respective electoral ward areas. Councillors will consider grant applications for sports; culture and heritage; environment and sustainability; social welfare; and community activities.

Unsuccessful applicants will be unable to reapply to the Councillor Community Grants scheme in the same year. Applications will only be accepted once the activity has been discussed with the ward member of Bassetlaw District Council.

Funding for the following, are unlikely to be considered:

- Activities which cover an area that is the primary responsibility of another funding agency
- Additional funding from Bassetlaw District Council
- Activities that do not support Bassetlaw residents
- Activities that promote religious belief or political activities
- Civic events
- Expenses that have already been incurred or retrospective funding

For more information contact:

Your Ward Councillor, or Members Support, Bassetlaw District Council, Queen's Buildings, Potter Street, Worksop, Notts, S80 2AH. Telephone: 01909 533533.

WHERE CAN I FIND CONTACT DETAILS FOR MY LOCAL MP/COUNCILLOR?

For Members' Support, please contact 01909 533120 or email: rebecca.smith@bassetlaw.gov.uk or sue.symcox@bassetlaw.gov.uk further information is available on the websites below:

Local Councillors: www.bassetlaw.gov.uk/council-and-democracy - select 'Your local District Councillor' section

Local MPs/County Councillors: www.bassetlaw.gov.uk/council-and-democracy - select 'Your local District Councillor' section

USEFUL NUMBERS

Age UK: 0800 678 1602

Alzheimer's Society: 0333 150 3456

Aurora Wellbeing Centre: 01909 470985

Bassetlaw Action Centre: 01777 709650

Bassetlaw Hospice: 01777 200060

Bassetlaw Mind: 0800 470 0203

Bassetlaw Community and Voluntary Service: 01909 476118

Bereavement Care: 01909 502779

Citizens' Advice Bureau: 0800 144 8848

Carers' Federation: 0115 9629 310

Macmillan Cancer Information Service: 0808 808 00 00