

Sandwell Community Information and Participation Service

July Newsletter

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SANDWELL DEAF COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION (SDCA)

Sandwell Deaf Community Association (SDCA) was set up in 2003 to work in partnership with SMBC to deliver specialist services for Deaf people on behalf of SMBC.



We are a registered charity and offer services and support to anyone with any form of hearing loss, from people experiencing some degree of hearing loss through to profoundly deaf people.

We support people who also have a variety of additional needs that include, but are not limited to, learning difficulties, physical disabilities and mental health needs in addition to their deafness.

SDCA are based at the New Deaf Centre, Summer street in West Bromwich and have a number of services and community support groups available. The services we offer are as follows:

Advice and signposting.

Advocacy services – ensuring individual rights are upheld.

Support service – offers 1-1 support to maximize and maintain independence.

British Sign language (level 1 – 6) and Deaf Awareness training

Sign language Interpreters and Interpreters for Deaf-Blind people

A wide range of support services for Deaf people, including community support groups and social clubs

Specialist section 7 assessments for people with dual sensory loss

Specialist consultation services

Welfare rights

Services and support for young deaf people

Hearing aid support (batteries and tubing)

SDCA's community groups are led by members of the Deaf community and take place at the New Deaf Centre and include Social Groups, Hard of Hearing group, Deafblind group, Deaf women's group and many more.

If you would like some more information about any of SDCA's services or community groups please pop along to the centre, contact us 0121 553 0201 or Email: info@sdca.co.uk or visit: www.sdca.co.uk



******Peter Hopkins from SDCA will be speaking at July's General ******



CONGRATULATIONS

TREVOR AND SANDRA PURCELL

In recognition of outstanding contribution and commitment as a volunteer



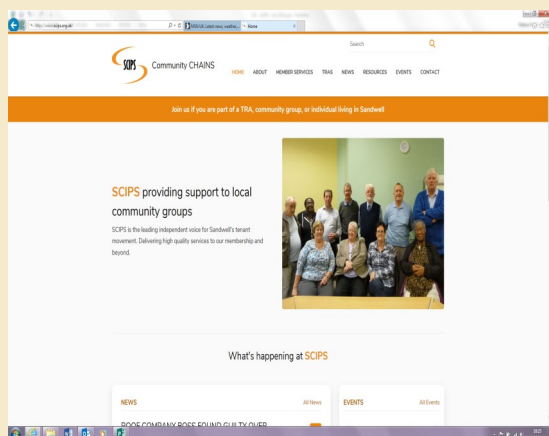
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www.scips.org.uk



SCIPS General Meeting

Tuesday 23rd July 2019

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10:30am

Speaker - Peter Hopkins

Sandwell Deaf Community Association



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