

August - October
2023



Arun Sunshine Group

For Adults With A Learning Difficulty



September

WE ARE BACK!!

Well folks we are all pleased to be back after the summer break, and Are now in our new location...The Girlguiding Hall, Duke Street Littlehampton, with more space, a kitchen and a garden to use. - WOOHOO!



Littlehampton Town Show and Family Fun Day

On a very hot day in September, we had our stall set up at Rosemead, selling tombola tickets, our ever popular car game, a wide selection of bread and cakes and the beautiful cards you, our members helped create.

A big thank you to George, Nicola, John, Susie and Ashleigh for helping us on a day when everyone was struggling with the heat.

We also welcomed our Trustees Janis, Thomas and Monika, our Chairperson Gary and volunteers, all of whom were a great help both in managing the stall and getting the public spending their money with us.

We raised just over £500.00.



Handcrafted Cards

After hard work by two different groups of members, we have produced 78 individually decorated cards for us to sell, raising funds for our group.

Goring Hall Hospital has kindly agreed for us to sell our cards to their staff and patients, so very well done to all our card makers 😊

Next we start on christmas cards and gift tags.

There are two sizes of card, large (£3.00) and smaller (£2.00) if you know anyone who would like to buy them.



Lottery Fund

Gary (our Chairperson) and Valentina, applied to the National Lottery back in July, asking for £9500.00 for funds to help us improve and update our website and help us with other projects through the coming year.



Other Activities

In September we enjoyed an afternoon of mixed activities including Japanese themed colouring, Kumihimo bracelet weaving and assorted games and puzzles.



Our invitations to the upcoming Halloween Tea were also written on the cards that were decorated at our first September meeting. These were posted to a variety of potential guests and we are receiving replies.....

We also enjoyed making a variety of Halloween themed painted decorations which will help us with our decorations on the day.

And Into October....

We are looking forward to watching Grease on the 1st October, and then dinner out. The George is again our venue for the annual meal out on the 15th October. We will meet outside at 2.00pm; please remember to bring money for your meal and drinks. The menus can be seen online if required.

Halloween - 29th October

A different afternoon, don't forget your costumes!
Kim is planning a prize for the best one, and we have invited His Honour, The Mayor to come for tea.



PANTO THIS YEAR

The Lions Charity support

The Lions – Dream Scheme have helped us out this year by providing us with funds of £450.00, so that the club can go to a pantomime this year –
oh no they haven't, OH YES THEY HAVE!



Members will be paid for by the Group, however carers must pay for themselves – costs to be confirmed, but we are asking for a £10.00 deposit.



IMPORTANT

If you wish to come to the Panto, your name **MUST** be given to Danny by 15th October, together with your carers deposit of £10.00 per ticket.