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Partnership Support for remote working

Good news

Explore the stories behind museum Sheffield's exhibitions at www.ourfaveplaces.co.uk

On BBC radio 2 on 25th May there will be a bumper pop master quiz where different radio presenters battle it out against each other in hourly heats.

How can you help?

Some people on zoom calls are wearing headphones to promote confidentiality. If the headphones have a microphone, this can be helpful to minimise excessive background noise.

Your Questions answered

Should I promote the opportunity to volunteer with people I ring?

For some people the opportunity to be useful and support others is really important. Volunteering in the current climate can be more accessible than ever with more support being offered over the phone for example and not requiring mobility.

Is it possible to explore volunteering roles and making them accessible and flexible to more people?

Is there a pathway for some people you are supporting to give back in a variety of ways and link back into their community?

Exploring the possibility of volunteering and what that might look like might give an extra level of interaction for some people you are supporting as well as realising how valuable people are.

If you have any other questions regarding supporting people living with dementia through the pandemic, please contact me so I can help share best practice between different areas of the city.

Passing the time

I understand that many of the people you support will suddenly have lots of time on their hands so in this section I will share different ways to pass the time.

Create some poetry.

Let me know if you want to share your own with other partnership organisations and I can do this in your next support document from Enrichment for the Elderly- sharing is caring after all!

Joke of the day

What do you call a cheese that's not yours?

Nacho cheese!

I hope you have found this document useful. If there is anything that I should add or remove as a feature for next time, please let me know as I want to make it as helpful as possible for you. If you want to share your best practice, please let me know too.

Thanks for all that you do in making a big difference to people living with dementia and their carers.

Please take care of yourself and if there is anything, I can do to help please let me know.

Thanks,

Grace

Enrichment for the Elderly

Poetry starters

I am Poem

I am.....

I hear.....

I see.....

I wonder.....

I want.....

I am.....

OR

Use a newspaper

Use a newspaper and cut out words that mean something to you. Connect them together for you to create a poem.