

# Basingstoke Breast Cancer Self-help Group

## Minutes of the Monthly Meeting

Held on 25<sup>th</sup> April 2023

Chairman: Angela Bennett

Treasurer: Renee Smith

Newsletter: Liz Janes

Secretary: Heather Bounaouara

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### Attendees

18 ladies attended.

## Welcome

Angela welcomed everyone and a new member called Jane.

## Minutes

Heather read out the minutes of the monthly meeting held at the Ark on 21st March 2023. They were then signed by Angela.

## Chairman's Report

Angela thanked the two DTC nurses, who specialise in lymphodema treatment, for their excellent talk.

Fundraising and/or social events coming up were then spoken of:

1. Renee is organising a quiz night for October, and the dates will be decided nearer the time.
2. There are 3 spaces left on the canal trip.
3. As many people can no longer make the chocolate trip next Friday 5<sup>th</sup> May, Liz has decided to postpone it until 8<sup>th</sup> September so that it will be closer to Halloween and Christmas. Liz will reproduce the list for that date, and it will be distributed in the next few group meetings. Only four people going really was not enough to go ahead. Sorry if this is an inconvenience.
4. The line dancing evening may be September 1st - to be confirmed.
5. Skittles evening at the bowling club is on August 22nd, and numbers are needed for the buffet ordering. The cost will be around £5. Angela has a list for names to be put down.
6. The Nearly New Sale on May 14th will be at Worthing House, More of the Good Stuff Cafe. Times are from 10.30am to 3pm. Please bring clothes, jewellery, bags, purses, shoes, craft items and bric a brac (no electricals though). Items can be dropped in the day before, Saturday between 3.30pm and 4pm. Please label the price and the size if it is clothing or shoes. We need hangers, carrier bags and hanging rails if anyone has some please. On the Sunday, please arrive around 10am and bring cash.

Angela met a lady from Knitted/Aqua Knockers and there are leaflets available if anyone is interested.

The meeting closed at 8pm.