

FDM – For Disability Mobility



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Supporting Health, Choice, Independence & Social Inclusion
through accessible community transport

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Newsletter Winter 2017

Happy 20th Birthday 1997 – 2017



In October FDM celebrated 20 Years of serving the local community of South Leeds. Our Patrons, the Lord Mayor of Leeds and our many friends and partners made it an afternoon to remember. A big thank you to Leeds City Council for funding to help towards the cost of the event.

A lot of our volunteer drivers, user group members and social club members were able to attend and enjoyed meeting each other and singing along with our singer Emma James in the afternoon. We also raised over £148 at the event. Thank you to everyone . We are now looking forward to our Silver Anniversary!

FUNDRAISING - How you can help

Aviva Community Fund

Please ask Friends and Family to vote for us online. Simply:-

- Visit the Aviva Community Fund website
- Register to vote
- Search for FDM
- Cast your 10 votes for our 5000 Miles of Smiles Project

Rothwell Christmas Fair

Saturday 25 November

We have a tombola stall – Pat to confirm –

So please come along and support us at the event. We are running the bus to Blackburn Hall that day for just £3.

Please bring any tombola donations to the FDM Office. Thank you.

Pie & Peas

Fundraising Supper

Monday 11 December

7pm - 10:00pm

at the Hare & Hounds
Rothwell

With Entertainment
£10 (£3.00 extra if transport required)

Please Phone Katy on
Weds 10am -12noon and
2pm to 4pm to book

Please turn over for more news.....

Social Club update and future events.....

New Social Club Co-ordinator

Katy Frost (no relation to Ron!) has joined FDM as the Social Club co-ordinator, and is looking forward to getting to know more of our members over the coming weeks.

We wish Gail every success in her new role and I am sure we will still see her at events from time to time.



Oh no it isn't.....Oh yes it is.....See what's coming up early next year



We have enclosed a sheet with our planned trips for November & December, which includes The Lion, The Witch and the Wardrobe at the West Yorkshire Playhouse, as well as the Lord Mayor's Carol Concert.

Coming up in January we will be running two trips for matinee performances on 10th and 17th January to see our Patron Billy Pearce in Cinderella at the Bradford Alhambra. **Many thanks to the Rothwell Lions** for their kind donation which will enable us to keep the price down. See our January Programme for details.

In February we will also have two afternoon trips on Saturday 3rd and Sunday 4th to see the Morley Amateur Operatic Society perform the Pantomime Sleeping Beauty.

Watch out for our February Programme.

VOLUNTEER DRIVERS

The aim of the charity is to help reduce isolation and loneliness amongst the elderly and people with a disability within the community. If you or anyone you know would be interested in joining our team of volunteer drivers please contact the FDM office for more information 0113 2889000 - 8.30am to 12.30pm



FDM offer both in House & Outside Agencies MIDAS Training

