# **Launch Day Results**

On the 22nd of March, we had the Launch Day for Select Lifestyles Charitable Trust. We'd like to thank you all for your contributions that ensured this day was a success! We have counted all the proceeds and are proud to say, we have raised £2,361.64.

Thank you all, we certainly couldn't have raised so much without your efforts! The next time you will see us will be around the Summer Fun Fair with our collection boxes on the 18th of June 2022.

With the success of the Launch Day, we are pleased to announce that you can now put in your requests to access the funds. Please email info@selectlifestyles. charity to get a form. Should you wish to make any donation now or indeed set up a regular standing order the account details are:

Sort Code: 23-05-80 Account no: 44641569



## REMEMBER TO SPEAK TO

### **OUR STAFF**

AS YOU WOULD LIKE TO BE SPOKEN TO.

## A big welcome to...

#### New Service Users...

Rory Baker & Brandon Lucas at Dudding Road Jessica Homer & Phoebe Stanley at Doveridge Place Harley Goodin-Pryce at Goodison Gardens Tarenbir Cheema at St Marks Road Anysah Maria Saleem at Beeches Road

#### And to all new staff...

Vivian Okoro Elle-Mai Field Bradley Parker Kirsty Jade Moore Dawn Walker Mollie Crammond Samantha Blewitt Natalie Boot Kirsty Wright Francis Alengho Timothy Fellows Momodu Kelly Clabby Rachel Smith Panashe Salome Java Megan Morris Prudencia Gobina Oluwaseun Popoola Bradlev Creswell Sanjay Camron Sonia Ghuman Adelaja Ogunbase Asha Malik Ronan Bishop Keeley R Whittingslow Shane Bishop-Withnall

#### Thank you for your 10 Years of service

Chelsey Paige Evans

Kerriann Rashford (Oaks Crescent) Leanne Wood (Oaks Crescent) Katie-Jayne Dawson (Oberon Road)

Dipa Lekhi

## Select Lifestyles provides Mental Health First Aid access for all Staff.

Wayne Phillips and Emma Franks have completed a Mental Health First Aider course. Please email mentalhealthfirstaid@selectlifestyles.co.uk to book an appointment - this is completely confidential.

The team is available between 10-4 Monday to Friday.

If you are in distress outside of these times please call the Samaritans 116 123.

## Follow us on Social Media





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# Join the team!

As we continue to grow, we have numerous opportunities available at our services across the West Midlands. Simply go to our website to apply

www.selectlifestyles.co.uk/careers/vacancies/

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# Select Lifestyles **Quarterly News**

### A Message from the Managing Director

Dear Colleagues,

Welcome to our Spring newsletter. I hope you are all well and looking forward to the better weather.

I am delighted that we have been able to stay above the living wage again this year, with the coming pay rise in April, and keep the same variance for deputy managers and managers. All our ancillary and head office staff salaries will have their annual review in October in line with company practice.

The launch of Select Lifestyles Charitable Trust on the 22nd of March was a fantastic success! With over two thousand pounds raised, we are now accepting funding requests from clients. We will be holding more events throughout the year, and I hope we can again rely on you all to get involved. Finally, I would like to thank you again for everything you have done during the Covid pandemic, and hopefully, we are returning to more normal times. I look forward to seeing you all at the fun day on the 18th

Kindest regards **Nick Horton** 





















## Here is what's in the latest edition!

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# What have you been up to lately?

# **Service User Forum**

































Last month, The Service User Forum took place for the first time this year! The meeting is an opportunity for you to have a say, share ideas and help make a difference for the community!

Dan says: As the Select's Service User Representative, I would like to say how proud I am of the progress made so far in the past 9 months of running the forum. With the help of our service users, the forum meetings have always concluded with positive and beneficial outcomes. Excited to say that we have so much more opportunities on the way for the people Select Lifestyles support.

The next forum meeting will be on Friday 13th May 2022, between 11 am and 12:30 pm. If you would like to attend please email Dan Watkins at: dwatkins@selectlifestyles.co.uk with a list of who wants to attend.

# **Calvert Trust**

The Calvert Trust enables disabled people, together with their families and friends, to achieve their potential through the challenge of outdoor adventure in the countryside. They have created spaces by the lake where people with any sort of disability can enjoy holidays full of adventure and activities specially designed for their needs. Type of activities includes swimming, sailing, canoeing, riding, abseiling or sliding down a zip wire and much more!



If you would like to go visit the Lake District Centre, please let your Unit Managers know so that we can get planning! We can also discuss more in the next Service User Forum meeting.

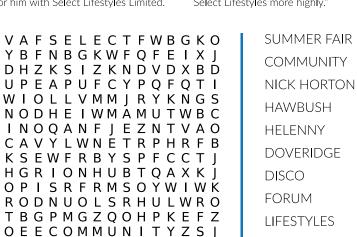
# **Success Story**

Rory Barker recently moved in at Dudding Road, and his father wanted to share a few words...

"The planning and preparation for our son's move to supported living was a long time in the making but we were determined that we would find a suitable place for him where we would be able to support him to make the transition while we are still able. He had reached the point where he felt ready for the challenge, and with the support of Wolverhampton social services, a possible place was found for him with Select Lifestyles Limited.

Our first visit to the accommodation was very impressive and we were made to feel welcome and at ease. A transition period was agreed and planned and within a matter of days, despite Covid's best efforts, our son moved into the property. He receives excellent and well-tailored support and has made the transition incredibly smoothly and he is very happy there. The staff are caring and appropriately supportive. They have not only listened to our comments but also acted upon anything that would improve things for all. We could not recommend Select Lifestyles more highly."

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