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WHITECHAPEL ALTOGETHER

Oct 2011



**Whitechapel's Service User involvement
Group**

**Next meeting on
Friday 28th Oct 2011, 2.30pm at
The Whitechapel Enablement Centre,
Langsdale Street Everton, L3 8DU**

The **Whitechapel Altogether Group** is for anyone who receives or used to receive a service from the Whitechapel Centre. Its an opportunity to meet new people, share experiences and get involved in shaping services and being a voice for all service users. We meet on the last Friday of every month and there are opportunities to have a role in the running of the group.

At the last meeting we spoke about how we plan to organise and prepare future newsletters that can go to all Whitechapel service users. One of the group is going to take the lead in arranging this.

We also discussed who would be involved in talking about the group to all Whitechapel staff at a staff meeting in November and two members of the group are going to speak to student social workers with a Whitechapel manager about their experiences. We feel it is important that other professions develop a greater understand about the needs and experiences of homeless people.

Wonderful feedback was given from those who attended the homeless games.

The next meeting:

We will be asking for ideas for session to be run at our centre and reviewing the smoking policy.

Please let us know if you would like something in particular put on the agenda.

**Next meeting Friday 28th Oct 2011.
2.30-4pm at The Enablement Centre**

Other activities you can get involved in

Our enablement centre runs a lot of different groups and sessions that may help improve your confidence and get you out trying something new in a safe environment.

The following is open to anyone who receives a service from Whitechapel— **so come along and try them out!**

[Mon 17th and 24th Oct 12.30 to 2.30pm](#)

Brush up literacy skills

[Tues 18th and 25th Oct 12.30 to 2.30pm](#)

Alcohol Awareness: support group for abstinent or more stable drinkers.

[Wed 19th Oct 12.30 to 2.30pm](#)

Wii Bowling: compete with your friends. Prize for the winner.

[Thurs 20th and 27th Oct 12.30 to 2.30pm](#)

Alcohol awareness: support group for current & chaotic drinkers
Brush up maths.

[Fri 21st Oct and 28th Oct 12.30 to 2.30pm](#)

Hope Club: Job search, interview skills, CV's for those ready to look for employment

[Weds 26th Oct 12.30 to 2.30pm](#)

Mystery afternoon out! Just turn up and jump on the mini bus.

Also don't forget our fabulous MOVE (move on to voluntary employment) project with its own programme of activities in the portacabin every Mon and Fri afternoon. See Pauline or your worker for more info.