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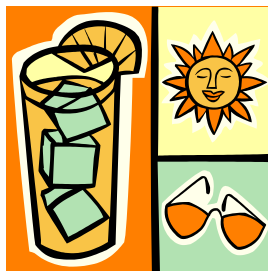
Leicestershire Leicester and Rutland Headway
Providing support for people with brain injuries

Headway Skittles Night

by Joe and Graham, Friday Volunteers



Headway's
Summer BBQ!
Saturday
30 August 2014
1 pm til 4 pm



As always we are on the look out for raffle and tombola prizes. If you have some nearly new gifts, please get in touch with our fundraiser,
Alison Leight

To be held at
4 Hospital Close
Leicester LE5 4WP
Tel 0116 2739763
Tickets – £2.50
(children and volunteers – free)



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To celebrate Volunteers Week we had a brilliant game of skittles, a fantastic meal and enjoyed great company. It was a pleasure to meet volunteers from different days, trustees and their partners.

The competitive spirit grew with every bowl when we realised that there were prizes and certificates involved!

There was some impressive bowling going on! We played a game called 'Killer' where we had to score more points than the previous player. It was a great choice by Mary to play this game as lots of laughs were enjoyed by all. The Rose & Crown pub was brilliant and had a great atmosphere, especially with the first

game of the World Cup grabbing our attention!!

The evening came to a close, folks drifted home and a good time enjoyed by all.

A big thanks from the volunteers for providing the evening for us!

For the Love of a Brother

Rachel Sandy from Leicester lost her beloved brother Jay to a brain injury just before Christmas 2011 at the age of only 24. She is raising money for us by cycling from London to Paris in August. The trip is paid for, and any donations will come direct to us. Rachel explains why she chose us:

"Jay passed away in December 2011 of a brain aneurysm. He died almost instantly. To this day we still don't know what caused it and perhaps never will. Since losing Jay I feel I would like to do

something challenging and rewarding that can in some way enable something positive to occur from such an awful tragedy. I have decided to fundraise for Headway Leicester. Supporting such a charity is important to me as I believe that in doing so families will not have to go through the same ordeal as we all have in losing a loved one. I hope that research will lead to health care professionals being able to detect brain injuries and disorders sooner, and in turn enable them to provide fast and effective health



care. I wish to raise enough funds to allow me to cycle 466km from London to Paris.

*In order to achieve this I need to raise £1,450, any more than the cost of the trip will also be donated straight to: **Headway Leicester**"* Rachel's just giving page is: <https://www.justgiving.com/jaysrules>

Hoe, Hoe, Hoe

by Warren

Since the beginning of this year, I have been gardening with Ben! We've produced broad beans!!

Gardening Headway through
and through

Runner beans

Green beans

They're both green

Hoeing, raking and digging

Soon we'll have a carrot

or even an onion from the spring

Winter, we'll have potatoes,

cabbages, brussels and leeks

then it's prepare for spring

Hoe, hoe, hoe, dig, dig, dig!!!



Warren—showcasing his latest crop of veg



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