

# CHATTY NEWS

## We ‘Popped into Parklands’ Age UK IW Has Found a New Hub at Parklands

The Chatty Brew event held on the 9th of July at Parklands Café was a cosy and lively gathering, with attendees enjoying good company and conversation. The café was bustling with participants, including the regular knit and natter group that meet there. Although there was no raffle due to space constraints, the event still received generous donations that will help sustain future gatherings and activities.



Dementia Care Navigators @ Parklands

### Pop Into Parklands Every Friday

You can now find Age UK Isle of Wight’s Dementia Care Navigators, also known as Older Person’s Mental Health Navigators at Parklands every Friday from 11am - 1pm. Access the valuable support they provide. No appointments necessary – simply drop in and connect with the team.



## NEXT EVENT

### IOW BUS AND COACH MUSEUM

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## MOVING TOWARDS A MORE COMMUNITY-FOCUSED APPROACH



We are excited to announce that we have found a new, more cost-effective space that will better suit our needs and allow us to continue to serve the community in the best way possible. This move will not only help us to better utilise our funds, allowing us to allocate resources more efficiently towards our core services, but it will also allow us to be more accessible and visible to those who need our services the most.

Our old location at St Thomas' Chambers on Newport High Street will be going up for sale. With more staff working in community hubs or across the island, the current building no longer meets our needs.

Our new offices will primarily serve as back-office functions, with meeting rooms available for when necessary. However, our main priority is meeting those we serve in the communities where they reside, at accessible locations that are convenient for them.

Thank you for your continued support, and we look forward to welcoming you to our new, more community-focused space at Age UK Isle of Wight.

*There will be more updates to come on this, but please do not hesitate to ask any questions.*

## SEPTEMBER'S CHATTY BREW

Taking place at the Isle of Wight Bus and Coach Museum, this event is a wonderful opportunity for older people to get together.

At the event, you can enjoy refreshments available from the museum's café and explore the museum at your leisure. It's a great opportunity to enjoy some Island history, vintage vehicles and a good chat.

Address: The Bus Depot, Park Road, Ryde, IOW, PO33 2BE

**12th September, 2pm - 4pm**



## SAVE THE DATES

The dates for our upcoming Chatty Brews:

12th Sep - IW Bus & Coach Museum 2pm - 4pm

9th Oct - The Old Smithy 2pm - 4pm

12th Nov - Location to be confirmed

11th Dec - Busy Bees 2pm - 4pm