# The Heathlands Project

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Welcome to The Heathlands Project's second newsletter. We've had, as ever, a busy three months and we're looking forward to another busy three months! We'd love to know what you think or if you have any thing you would like to add to the newsletter so please get in touch!

#### Sad News

We were all very sad to learn of the death of Heathlands member Simon Ward at the start of August. Simon was a well liked and respected member of The Heathlands Project and he will be greatly missed.

#### A Generous Donation: Thank you!

We would like to say a very big thank you to EdenLyne who generously donated £500 to us. We have used this to buy a loom for art, some new chairs, a trophy cabinet and some storage for our ever expanding bakery. We are all very excited about getting our presents and we'll have some pictures in the next newsletter.

### **Best Team**

We all know what a great place Heathlands is and what a fabulous team we have here at the project. So, early in July we thought we would enter The Heathlands Project into the Best Team Category of the Carlisle Living Awards. The awards are



# **Christmas Opening**

Over the Festive period we will be closed on the following dates:

Friday 25<sup>th</sup> December (Christmas Day)

Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> December (Boxing Day)

Monday 28<sup>th</sup> December (Bank Holiday)

Friday 1st January (New Years Day)



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sponsored by Carlisle Living Magazine as well as many businesses in and around the Carlisle Area and to win one is a prestigious honour.

Kath and Netty attended the glitzy awards ceremony, which was held at the 'Garden of Eden,' and were delighted when it was revealed that Heathlands had won in our category which only goes to reinforce what a fantastic team we have here. It's wonderful when all of your hard work is recognised by others so a big thank you and well done to everyone.

If you would like more information, there will be an article and pictures from the Awards evening in the October issue of Carlisle Living which is out now – so hurry and grab a copy before it's sold out!

Written by Janette Fisher

#### Thursday Evening Boccia Group

Nick has set up an open Boccia group on a Thursday evening at The Sands Centre. The session runs from 7.30-8.30 and costs £2.00. This is a great opportunity to improve your Boccia skills, meet people and make new friends. Please contact Nick Robinson for details on 07734275907.

## News from our Sections...

#### **Art and Textiles**

Outside In provides a platform for artists who find it difficult to access the art world. They are currently selecting work, via their online galleries, for their Radical Craft exhibition so we have been very busy in the Art and Textiles section making online galleries for several of our artists on Outside In's website. For more information and to see the galleries you can visit <a href="https://www.outsidein.org.uk">www.outsidein.org.uk</a>

#### **Sports and Games**

The Carlisle Friendly Boccia League is starting again soon, with matches taking place on a Wednesday morning between 10:15-11:45 am. Please contact Nick Robinson for details on 07734275907.

### Our News in Pictures...



Our newest award, well done everyone!



Felt picture by Anna Stubbs for her online gallery on the Outside In website



Mike Aitken (left) and Heather Dovaston (right) playing Boccia



Joanne and Anthony have a new puppy. Her name is Pippa, isn't she cute?

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