



Public Launch

The Debenham Project

7.30 Wednesday 7th October 2009

The Community Centre, Gracechurch Street

A Groundbreaking Local Project

DEMENTIA is an illness primarily of old age, and as we all grow older it will come to affect more and more of us. Most of us have had direct or indirect contact with someone with Dementia. For those who care for them the cost is frustration, depression, stress, exhaustion and guilt. It is estimated that there are between 70 and 100 people with the illness in and around Debenham and, perhaps, 1 in 3 of the population will develop some form of dementia in their later years. It will come to dominate the budget of the NHS and place severe strain on the Social Services.

All Welcome

Come and find out what **The Debenham Project** is doing to support all in our area who care for those with Dementia and those for whom they care. We shall also have senior speakers representing the NHS, Suffolk County Council and the Charities to tell us how they are tackling the problem.