



Hi everyone,

By the time you read this, as it seems our weather patterns have become much more changeable, we may have shed the shorts and summer dresses for our autumn wardrobes. But in the meantime, I am still enjoying the sunshine of late summer. May it continue for just a little longer.

Every year one of the special events in our calendar is the “Day Trip to Felixstowe” at the Hut – Fish and Chips, Ice Cream, Rickshaw Rides and, best of all being with friends right on the Sea Front and enjoying a singalong, sunshine and laughter. This year was no exception to the rule. Certainly, “A Grand Day Out”. And it is all down to Joy Walton. She does an amazing job of organising the event which starts way back in January with booking the venue, and then runs all the way through to the “night before” with sorting the posters and advertising, organising the fish and chips and refreshments, finding enough volunteers, managing the lifts and transport for the guests, worrying about the parking, etc. etc. And, especially, ensuring that everyone will be safe and secure. Thank you, Joy, together with all your volunteers, from us all.

Many of you will have seen our Information and Awareness stand outside the Co-op last month. This was marking the completion of the previous period in which the Debenham store had promoted the Project as its nominated charity to benefit through its Community Support Fund. We are so very grateful for their support and for all the donations made by their customers. We shall also be at Debfest on September 7th, so look out for us there.

I would like to specially thank the family and friends of Brian Holley for their generous donations made in his memory.

As ever, if you know of someone who may need a bit of help caring for a loved one, friend or neighbour, please don't hesitate to mention The Debenham Project to them.

With all my best wishes,

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