

Paying in Details

For paying in contributions, please use the following details:

Account Name = **Village Care Milford and Witley**

Sort Code = **30-93-49**

Account Code = **00928560**

Many thanks



Village Care

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Costs and Contributions

Our revised charges are as follows:

Milford or Witley Journeys	£ 3.00
Godalming	£ 5.00
Haslemere	£10.00
Cranleigh and Guildford Hospitals	£12.50 (each way)

(For hospital visits, please encourage clients to contact **Hospital Hoppa** in the first instance.)

Other journeys are charged at 49p per mile.

Any parking charges would also need to be paid.

Volunteer Newsletter Spring/Summer 2024



As always, a BIG thank you to all our volunteers!

A big thank you to all for your time and commitment to the local community. Milford and Witley Village Care is a much-needed service and is appreciated by all – THANK YOU!

**May we take this opportunity to
wish every volunteer a very lovely spring
and enjoyable summer.**



News and Updates

Please also see also our client newsletter for Spring/Summer which is being posted to all our clients.

We had a successful AGM on Monday 22nd April followed by drinks and nibbles for all our volunteers.

The new booking system is working well – thank you for your patience whilst all the co-ordinators have a turn with it.

A couple of points came up at the AGM:

We hope all appreciate that 'chat' is kept to a minimum so it doesn't become annoying for anyone. Now the system has settled in, jobs are picked up quickly and the co-ordinators are finding it much easier to source and allocate the most appropriate driver.

Also, we will try and ensure if a client has a walker/needs an arm we will put this in the notes section.

You will see from the client newsletter – there is a charity called **Witley Charitable Trust** which is able to help families and individuals living with both Milford and Witley. If you mention this to a client and they would like to know more information about this, or seek assistance, please tell them to apply by email to:

witleycharitabletrust@gmail.com

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News and Updates (cont'd)

Also from the client newsletter, from time-to-time, thanks to the generous donations from our clients, we are able to make contributions to local good causes, and recently, we contributed to the Burton Pavilion where our afternoon teas are held and also our committee meetings.

The pavilion executive kindly let us use the facilities free of charge and with our donation they purchased two tables which we can use for our tea parties.

The second donation we made was to The Chandler CofE Junior School specifically for children with special educational needs. As soon as a leaky roof is fixed, the donation will be used for providing sensory toys and experiences for the children in their dedicated classroom.

We are always looking for new volunteers, so please spread the word if you can. Naturally, the more volunteers we have, the less onerous the commitment is for each volunteer.

A reminder that we have Blue Badges which are kept at both Milford and Witley surgeries. The Blue Badge is helpful if a client does not have their own and needs to be taken closer to their destination.

Costs & Contributions

You should by now be aware of our new charges (contributions). These are also detailed in the latest client newsletter.

Please remember to guide clients towards the **Hospital Hoppa** for hospital visits. The client newsletter has all the details regarding **Hospital Hoppa**.