

Remedi Expands



Remedi were successful in winning the contract to deliver victims services across Derbyshire. Our colleague Jo Reynolds was appointed as manager to this new service and has additionally taken on the local management of our adult and youth Restorative teams as well.



Jo says....“The team have done an absolutely fantastic job in getting the service up and running. We are also working proactively to raise the profile of the service across the County and will be ‘out and about’ at various community events over the next few weeks to really get the service known. I can’t thank the team enough for how positive, enthusiastic and dedicated they have been. Exciting times ahead”

Meet the Derbyshire Victim Services Team: Welcome to... **HILARY ALLWRIGHT, DEBBIE WHITE, ELEANOR JACKMAN, HAYLEY RICE, NATALIE CARROLL, JINDY KAUR, PAUL WADDINGHAM, ANGELA ANDREWS, TANYA COGINGS and ADRIAN DUDLEY**





**Derbyshire
VictimServices**
Supporting Victims of Crime






“ Just knowing that there was someone there to listen and support me has made all of the difference in the world.”






“ I didn't have anyone to talk to about what happened. Then I found Derbyshire Victim Services. The support I received made a huge difference.”






“ I didn't have anyone to talk to about what had happened and then I found you. Thank you for everything you have done.”

GOT YOUR BACK



“ I just needed to know where I could go for help. It was so easy and they helped me so much.”

GOT YOUR BACK



“ This is the first time I felt able to talk to someone about how the robbery had affected me.”

Remedi Expands More!



Remedi welcomes the New Cheshire RJ and Mediation Team (from the left) Nicola (Asst Director), Julie Woolvine (Practitioner), Kimberley Jones (Administrator), Lisa Gill (Manager) and Stephanie Dearden (Practitioner)

Lisa, our new Manager in Cheshire said 'This is an exciting time for Remedi and the people of Cheshire, initial meetings with partner agencies have identified that there is a need for victims to access restorative justice and mediation, we will be working closely with Cheshire Cares, Witness Cares, Community Safety Teams, Probation and local prisons to ensure that the victims needs are being supported. We will also be offering training to partner agencies and schools to strengthen an already skilled team. We are offering victims a new way of accessing the service by Freephone number and confidential email address'

The Cheshire Service launched at the Victim Services Workshop at Police Headquarters in Winsford, The Police and Crime Commissioner David Keane spoke during the event about the importance of working restoratively with victims, he will be spending the afternoon with the Cheshire team at their base in Ellesmere Port Police Station to meet with the staff and talk to people who have benefitted from Restorative Justice and Mediation.

Remedi welcomes the New Cumbria Team David Bates, Coordinator Megan Wright. Practitioner

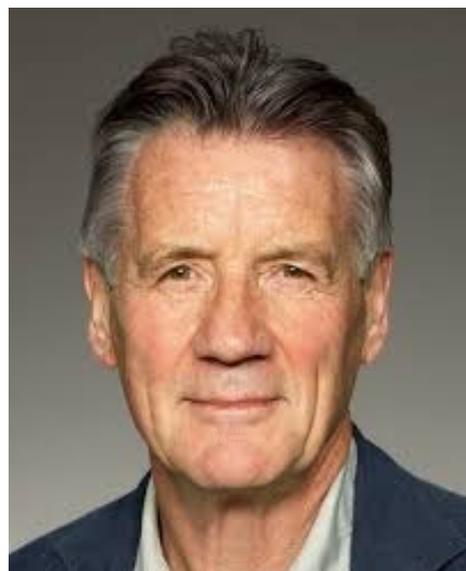


The new Cumbria Restorative Justice service funded by the Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner is up and running and has quickly established itself in the county. We will feature a fuller update of what's happening there in the next edition (They're just too busy at the moment!)

Remedi Reveals New Patron

In April 2016 Remedi were delighted to announce that we had secured the support of our first ever Patron. The actor, writer and presenter Michael Palin very kindly agreed to add his name and support to our charity. He is a keen supporter of welfare rights for victims and offenders and has had a developing interest in restorative practice over the last few years.

Chris and Steve will be travelling to London to meet Michael in August and to film a message from him to be shown at the celebration event in November. He has also very generously offered to facilitate a fundraising event for us at some point in the not too distant future. We are absolutely delighted to have his support and look forward to working with him in the months and years to come.



Michael said ***“I am delighted to have been asked to support Remedi. I have to say how impressed I am with everything I've heard. You should all feel incredibly proud of your achievements and long may that continue”***



*Remedi- Restorative Services
20th Birthday Celebration*

*Showroom Cinema Paternoster Road,
Sheffield, S1 2BX*

*You are invited to join us on
Wednesday 16th November 2016*

RSVP to tracy.holmes@remediuk.org

12.00 noon for lunch 1.00pm showtime

*Guest Speaker:
Jon Collins, CEO Restorative Justice Council*

Wednesday 16th
November 2016:
Celebration event
Sheffield
Showroom
Confirmed
speakers: Jon
Collins CEO
Restorative Justice
Council, Hardyall
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and crime

Nottingham Team Update



Welcome to Rachael Price who joined our team of RJP-Victim workers in January, covering the Mansfield/Ashfield area of the County and welcome back to Keely returning from maternity leave on 31st May who will be working alongside Rachael at the Mansfield YOT.

Can I also say a big thank you to Cherry, Lurleen and Fran for their hard work achieving our contractual obligation of almost 41 % victim representation at Referral Order panels, as well as achieving 63% of RJ support for all contactable victims, not only in this last quarter but over the length of the 3 year contract. A remarkable achievement by the entire team, especially as we had one staff member on maternity and one staff member who moved on to pastures new, leaving rest of the team to cover the staffing short fall for last 6 months of the contract.

For the third year running; Gemma, Fran and the team of sessional workers have achieved a remarkable 100% completion of referred reparation hours that was within Remedi's control. An unbelievable feat considering that over the length of the 3 year contract nearly 13,000 hours of reparation were referred to the team with the vast majority of young people starting within 20 days of the referral being received and the majority of the young people undertaking their reparation within 5 miles of their home address. so again well done to; Gemma, Fran and all the sessional workers.

It's totally down to the entire Nottinghamshire Youth team, working and pulling together that they have managed to achieved such remarkable figures as mentioned above, and done this at times with; fun, laughter and at times tears but they have always been; committed and professional in supporting and caring for both the young people and the victims that they have supported over the past few years, which has led Nottinghamshire Youth Justice Service to extend our current contract for a further year and have started negotiations with us to further extend the contract to March 2018.

Tony & Arlene Jackson



The venue is booked, the date is set....

**Friday 16th December 2016
The Viper Rooms, Sheffield City Centre
(Never too early to start getting excited!)**

Huge Congratulations to....



Martyn Ellis became a father again
Name: Alexandra ELLIS
14th February 2016
8lb 14oz.



Sadie Hampstead gave birth to baby number one on Sunday 10th January 2016 at 9.31am weighing in at 10lbs
Name: Barnaby Robert

(VERY BELATED)

CONGRATULATIONS TO GEMMA WILSON

(ADMIN NOTTS)

ON HER ENGAGEMENT ON CHRISTMAS DAY TO JOHN JENNINGS.



Well done from all of your friends
at Remedi xx

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Remedi Staff Away Day 2016

All Remedi staff were invited to attend a full staff away day in July with the primary aim of revising and re-defining the organisation's Mission Statement.

There were so many good ideas and input that we are now able to launch our refreshed commitment to working **WITH** our service users, our partners agencies and our colleagues.



What a team !

Mission Statement

Remedi want to work **WITH** people to enable them to be the people they can and want to be.

We want to be the biggest and most reputable provider of restorative services and training and be leaders and innovators in the field of restorative practice.

We want our staff and volunteers to feel valued, respected and included in everything we do, so they are motivated to be happy, helpful and supportive to others.

Above all we want the people we work **WITH** to be confident and empowered individuals who feel unique, safe and understood.

We believe that everyone we work **WITH** has something to contribute and, by listening to and caring for each other, we can all become the best we can be.

Core Values

WITH: Remedi work 'WITH' people, expressing high levels of care for and belief in others.

The people we can and want to be: Everyone has the right to explore and realise their own needs and desires with the care, support and belief of others.

Biggest and Reputable: Remedi have a proven track record of delivering high quality restorative services and training. We actively promote the use of restorative principles and practice wherever people form personal or professional relationships

Leaders and Innovators: We will be at the forefront of designing and delivering restorative practice in diverse fields and situations. We will be recognised as the go to organisation for advice and training in restorative practice.

Valued, Respected, Included: Everyone we work WITH has a right to feel proud of things they have achieved and to be told when they have done well. Their views deserve to be heard without judgement and they should feel an integral part of any professional relationship.

Motivated and Happy: People do things better when they want to do them and are positive about doing them.

Helpful and Supportive: The core aim of everything we do is to support and guide people to become the people they can and want to be.

Confident and Empowered: Being confident and empowered means we can make good choices that achieve positive outcomes for ourselves and others. It allows us to be free to choose and follow our own path with the support of others.

Unique: Remedi recognise the diversity of the people we work WITH. We ensure training and working practices are flexible and personalised to individual needs.

Safe: Everyone has a right to feel safe from harm. Our policies, services and training provide safeguarding for all the people we work WITH.

Understood: Remedi utilise restorative skills to ensure we communicate in a way that promotes mutual understanding, even where there is disagreement.

Belief, Listening, Caring: Relationships are integral to everything we do and positive relationships exist where there is high belief, listening and care between organisations and individuals.

Reparation Stories



Local residents were very happy with the clearing of Waterloo Road winter debris. A small community area near to where Sarah lives.

Sarah Kendrick,
Barnsley

This certificate is to acknowledge work that we do for Bluebell Wood Children's Hospice delivering charity bags.

We complete a monthly bag drop in the Brinsworth area and last year there was around 200 bags extra collected in the area from the previous year.

Luke McShane, Rotherham



South Yorkshire Y.O.T

for supporting the Bag It Up at Brinsworth 2015 resulting in

2507

bags being donated



www.bluebellwood.org
@Bluebellwoodch

The children pictured all visit Bluebell Wood and wanted to share their photos with you to show how grateful they are for your support.

Remedi Reparation Recognised at Land Trust Awards 2016



Letter from Land Trust with regards to excellent work

Hello

On Wednesday I went down to Cannock to represent the South Yorkshire team at the annual 'National Land Trust Awards 2016'. I'm glad to announce Phoenix Park was shortlisted for two awards-

- Community Space of the Year
- Site of the Year

I am delighted to say Phoenix Park won- **Site of the Year 2016**, for exceeding targets for Health activities, Volunteering, Community Events, Education and the Environment.

I wanted to share this award with- All partners I have worked with in the Local communities of Thurnscoe, Goldthorpe and wider Dearne areas. All local schools and Children centres (Sacred Heart, Dearne ALC and Wath. Embankment, Station House and Dearne Children's centre) who have visited the park or attended events with me. Local scouts, guides and youth groups. All the volunteers from public sessions to those who visit from Phoenix Futures, Hesley and Autism Plus. All the local Charities and partnerships I have worked with in the area including Thurnscoe Big Local, Goldthorpe Big Local, Goldthorpe Development Trust, Thurnscoe History Group, Thurnscoe Park, Dearne and District Football club, Dearne Valley Landscape Partnership, OPAL, Mexborough Radio Society, Voluntary Action Barnsley, Barnsley Council Dearne Area Team, **Remedi** and many more. To the groups who have attended my Guided walks, Dearne Valley Ramblers and Barnsley U3A or my public open walks. To Everyone who helped organise and run Large events in the park such as the 'Tour De Dearne' and the 'Thurnscoe Spring Show'. And all the dog walkers, cyclists, runners and daily park users I see on a daily basis.

It's been a great year and it's been an honour and pleasure to work with you all, we couldn't have won the award without you! Phoenix Park has shown its potential over the last few years and there is so much more we can do on the park, hopefully I will be around to work with you all on future projects and take the Park to the next level to the benefit of everyone in the local Community.

Starters, Leavers, Movers, Returners...

STARTERS

1. MEGAN KAY - NORTH YORKS
2. BRYONY HOLLERAN- NORTH YORKS
3. ALEX GOSNEY - SCHOOLS TEAM
PREVIOUS TEMP COVERING MAT LEAVE
4. DAVID BATES - CUMBRIA
5. MEGAN WRIGHT - CUMBRIA
6. RACHAEL PRICE - NOTTINGHAM
7. DERBYSHIRE VICTIM SERVICES TEAM

HILARY ALLWRIGHT, DEBBIE WHITE,
ELEANOR JACKMAN, HAYLEY RICE, NATALIE
CARROLL, JINDY KAUR, PAUL WADDINGHAM,
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MOVERS

1. MARTYN ELLIS - DERBYSHIRE VICTIM
SERVICES YOUTH
2. CHELSEA LAMBETH - DERBYSHIRE VICTIM
SERVICES YOUTH
3. ANGIE MELLIUSH - COORDINATOR
DERBYSHIRE VICTIM SERVICES
4. RENNY MAME - DERBY PCC
5. NADINE TOWLER - FAMILY BSly

RETURNERS!!!!

1. JACLYN CUNNINGHAM - BSly
2. SUKHI MANN - DERBY
3. KEELY GRAINGER - NOTTS
4. SADIE HAMPSTEAD - SHEFF (AUGUST)

ALL RETURNING FROM MAT LEAVE

LEAVERS

1. PAUL WINSTANLEY (DONC)
2. PAT HINDER (DONC)
3. JANETTE RAWSON (BSly)
4. CAROLINE LEWIS (MANC)
5. DEBBIE HUBY (ADULT TEAM HQ)
6. FIONA PRESSLAND (KIRKLESS)
7. ANDY KING (KIRKLEES)
8. COURTNEY SMITH (KIRKLESS)

Competition Time

Caption Contest

Come up with a caption for the picture below and email to tracy.Holmes@remediuk.org. Closing date 1st September. The best caption will win a £20 Amazon Voucher.

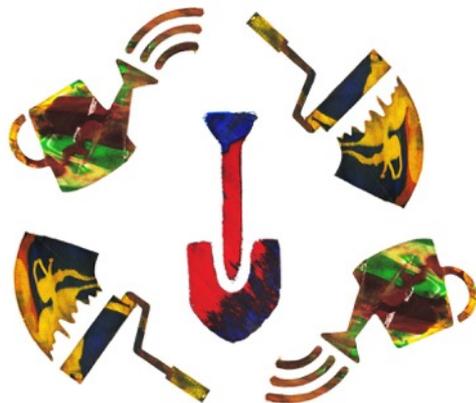
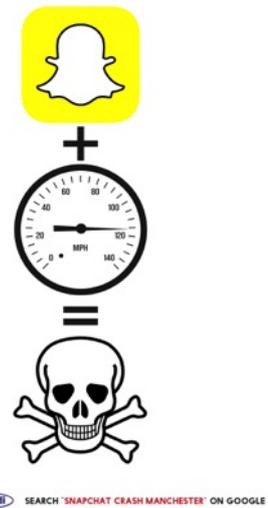


NEWSFLASH

Remedi will be entering the Howard League for Penal Reform Awards 2016. Winners announce in November- Fingers crossed everyone

Artistic approach to Reparation in Manchester

A colleague of ours, Mike Hodson, has been utilising his graphic design skills to support young people in Manchester to create awareness raising posters as part of their community reparation work. We have circulate these to all Youth Offending Teams to see if anyone wants in to buy Mike's expertise to deliver this project with their young people.



MAKE AMENDS
Regain Respect
RESTORE TRUST

Remedi provides community reparation projects for young people involved in the Criminal Justice System. This not only pays back to the community but allows young people to gain experience and skills in things like gardening, horticulture and painting and decorating. For further information about Remedi and restorative justice services, please visit our website:

www.remediuk.org

These posters were designed and hand screen printed by young people in Manchester in conjunction with Manchester Youth Offending Service, Remedi and Mike Hodson Design.



SHOW SOME RESPECT

WHEN PARKS AND CEMETERIES ARE DAMAGED AND LITTERED, IT HURTS EVERYBODY IN THE COMMUNITY.



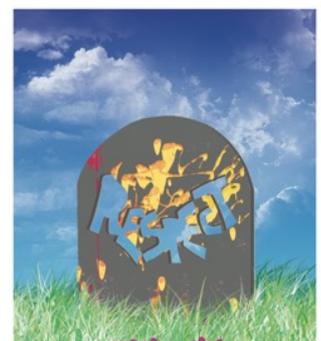
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