



Huntington's Disease Association, Sussex Branch –
Newsletter

October 2014

Dear Members,

A big thank you goes to Jo Johnson for a great talk regarding her new book 'Can you Shrink your Smirch'. If anyone missed the talk and would like more information then please let us know.

This Month's Meeting

This month's meeting is on **Wednesday 29th October** in Lewes from 7:30pm

Sandra, our Chairperson will be giving an update from the AGM, which was held in Telford at the beginning of October

Also Sue, our Secretary will be re-doing her personal HD story which she talked about at the AGM and also at the Youth Conference earlier this year.

Fiona Sturrock, our Regional Care Advisor will be present at this meeting and there will be plenty of time for a cup of tea and a chat after these talks

Meetings and Events – 2014/2015

Meetings are held at Cliffe Parish Hall, Cliffe High Street, Lewes, East Sussex, BN7 2AH unless otherwise stated. They are the last Wednesday of the month, starting at 7:30pm.

Wednesday 26th November – Social Get Together – The annual Christmas Party with lots of food, wine and music for a little boogie if anyone fancies it!!

Wednesday 28th January 2015 – Meeting – More details to follow!

For professional support contact Regional Care Adviser Fiona Sturrock on 01580 212276 or write c/o HDA, Suite 24, Liverpool Science Park, Innovation Centre 1, 131 Mount Pleasant, Liverpool L3 5TF

Coffee Morning – November 2014

There will be a coffee morning being held in Seaford at **The Pomegranate, 45a Broad St, Seaford, BN25 1NG**, dates will follow nearer the time

And also dates to be confirmed nearer the time for the coffee morning which will be held at Crawley at **Esquires Coffee House, Library Buildings, Southgate Avenue, RH10 6HG**.

For precise dates, more information or to confirm that you are attending, please contact Sandra on 01424 716907

These are open to all members and friends of the HDA Sussex Branch and it would be lovely see some of you there!

Research Update

For anyone who missed Dr Salman Haider's talk, below are some links that will bring you up to date with what's going on, all of which is very positive!!!

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Ww53c-lxBc>

<http://vimeo.com/104198653>

<http://curehd.blogspot.co.uk/2014/09/moving-toward-potential-treatment-isis.html>

<http://www.curehd.blogspot.co.uk/2014/08/news-flash-isis-and-roche-hope-to-start.html>

General Info

If you need to contact Head Office, please email info@hda.org.uk or phone 0151 331 5444.

Welfare Grants are available through the Branch. Initial enquiries should be through Fiona Sturrock (Regional Care Adviser) on 01580 212276.

We are always glad of donated items for our Monthly Branch Raffle.

Visit our branch website www.hdasussexbranch.org.uk or the National website www.hda.org.uk

If you need further information please contact our Secretary, Sue on: 07881 811995 or email sussexsecretary@gmail.com

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