

Patient Participation Group (PPG)

Patients of Woolstone (POW)

Woolstone Medical Centre
25th September 2018
1.30 @ Woolstone Medical Centre

Minutes

Present: Noel H; Lynette Simpson, Ray Bishop, Jenny Reynolds, Harry Reynolds, Matilda Aldo, Glenis W, Coralie S.

Woolstone Staff: S Younsi (PM) and Dr Ramesh Babu

1. Welcoming and thanks

2. PPG Health Informative session

Dr R Babu gave a small presentation on Men's health(in particular Prostate cancer), symptoms and what to look for.

Advice on how to get treatment was also available

3. Flu clinic feedback

WCM had a flu clinic on Saturday 22/09/2018 during which we also had a Macmillan cancer cake bake to raise funds for this same organisation.

I am delighted to inform that we have raised over £250. This initiative was organised by Dr Bandara, with the support of the PPG group in particular Lynette Simpson.

4. New Chair of the PPG

A new PPG chair was elected. From October 2018 it will be Lynette Simpson

5. News from the Practice

- New GP recruitment – SY informed that a new GP was be appointed soon in order to cover 5 clinical sessions per week.
- WIFI available to patients at the WCM – SY informed the PPG that WIFI is available to all practices so that patients do have access to the internet when visiting their Practices.

6. Christmas event

PPG would like to organise another Christmas event and raise funds to St Christopher Hospice.

We have decided that the cake morning will take place on Monday 10th December:

Stall cover will be as follows:

9 am to 11.30 – Lunette and Coralie

3pm to 5.00 – Jenny and Ray.

We hope to have many cakes donated. Sandra to put a flyer up in the waiting area informing our patients.