

# Dementia Awareness Week 2017: 14th-19th May

## What's happening in Stockton-on-Tees

North of Tees Dementia Collaborative Funded By



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**Tuesday to Friday:** Information about dementia will be available in the hospital concourse at University Hospital of North Tees.

**10am-6:30pm Mondays & 10am-8pm Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays:** Free arts and crafts exhibition from the Staying out Group running from 11th May to 28th June at ARC Stockton, First floor.

Sunday 14th May	Monday 15th May	Tuesday 16th May	Wednesday 17th May	Thursday 18th May	Friday 19th May	
<p><b>Walk around Tees Barrage</b> 10:30am start</p> <p>Dementia Awareness Week will be launched in Stockton-on-Tees with a walk around the Tees Barrage, meeting at the Tees Barrage Café to start.</p> <p>The 1.5 mile walk will be fully wheelchair friendly, and people of all ages are welcome to join in to celebrate the launch.</p>	<p><b>Information Stall at Billingham Market</b> 10am-4pm</p> <p>Information available on dementia and local services at Billingham Market.</p>	<p><b>Dementia Friends Session</b> <i>Running between 10am-2pm @ ARC, Stockton.</i></p> <p>Drop in and find out more about what it means to become a Dementia Friend.</p> <p>To find out more, call 01642 525183.</p>	<p><b>Busking at Wellington Square</b> 1pm @ Wellington Square</p> <p>Come and see Stockton Synthonia Male Voice Choir performing a busking session at Wellington Square to help raise awareness of dementia.</p>	<p><b>Information Stall at Thornaby Market</b> 10am-4pm</p> <p>Information available on dementia and local services at Thornaby Market.</p>	<p><b>Dementia Advisory Group Meeting</b> 10am-12noon</p> <p>The Dementia Advisory Group will be meeting for a coffee morning, but will also be making the final judging decisions for the Dementia Awareness Week Poetry Competition.</p> <p>The Poetry Competition is open to all ages, and is separated into three categories:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 5-11 yrs</li> <li>• 12-18 yrs</li> <li>• 18+ yrs</li> </ul> <p>Every entry is entered into a competition to win an electronic tablet supplied by Tesco, and the winners of each category will win prize. For more information and to enter, visit:</p> <p><a href="http://www.stockton.gov.uk/DAWPoetry">www.stockton.gov.uk/DAWPoetry</a></p> <p><b>Entries close on 13th May.</b></p>	
	<p><b>Why Adaptive Environments Matter for People Living with Dementia</b> 10-11am @ LiveWell Hub, Thornaby</p> <p>A presentation on Dementia Friendly Design Principles.</p>	<p><b>Tombola and Information Stand</b> 10am-3pm @ North Tees Hospital</p> <p>Find us in North Tees Hospital for information on dementia and to have a go on our fundraising tombola.</p>	<p><b>National Memory Day Poetry Session</b> 1:30-2:30pm @ LiveWell Hub</p> <p>A poetry reading session involving St Patrick's School, celebrating National Memory Day. To book a place, contact the Hub on 01642 527363.</p>	<p><b>The Sense of an Ending (silver screening)</b> 2pm @ ARC</p> <p>£3.50, Certificate 15. 1hr 48 mins. To book, contact 01642 525199.</p>		<p><b>Pie, Peas and Entertainment</b> 11:45am-2:15pm @ memory lane Café, Marsh House Avenue, Billingham</p> <p>To book, contact 01429 279005.</p>
	<p><b>Young at Heart</b> 10-11:30am @ St John's Church, Stockton and 1-2:30pm @ The Hub, John Whitehead Park, Billingham</p> <p>More info in box to the right.</p>	<p><b>Young at Heart</b> 2-3:30pm @ LiveWell Hub, Thornaby</p> <p>Young At Heart is a friendship group for people with dementia and their carers to attend together. For more info call 07590 535448.</p>	<p><b>Information Stall at Stockton Market</b> 10am-4pm</p> <p>Information available on dementia and local services at Stockton Market.</p>	<p><b>Dementia Friends Session</b> 2-3pm @ Jim Cook Conference Suite, Stockton Central Library</p> <p>Come along for more information on Dementia Friends and how you can become one.</p>		<p><b>Personalisation and Dementia</b> 1:30-3:00pm @ LiveWell Hub, Thornaby</p> <p>A presentation on how the Stockton Personalisation Support Service can support people living with dementia. To book, contact 01642 527363.</p>
	<p><b>Book Chat Group</b> 2-3pm @ LiveWell Hub</p> <p>Social group for people with dementia and their carers.</p>			<p><b>Green Links Allotment Session</b> 10am-12:30pm</p> <p>Come along for food and fun. Meet at the LiveWell Hub for transport over to the allotment.</p>		

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