

# Papworth Trust



## Operations

Through delivery of our core areas of Housing, Care, Employment and Day Services, we make a difference to the lives of disabled people every single day of the year. Our priorities over the next year include:

- our care efficiencies work to ensure we get the most out of every pound we spend to deliver care to individuals with complex care needs.
- understanding how we can best develop accessible housing for disabled people going forward.
- a renewed focus on embedding our day service activities in their local communities
- supporting employers to become more Disability Confident, using our new Leadership status to help them offer more work and training opportunities to disabled people.



## New Ways of Working

In November, we said goodbye to our Head Office in Papworth Everard as we moved to our Saxongate Centre in Huntingdon. Keen to maintain a strong presence in our home village, our Housing Team moved across to Pendrill Court.

This also gave us a great opportunity to adapt and enhance how we operate across the organisation. New Ways of Working offers greater flexibility to staff and volunteers across our core areas and locations and is already paying huge dividends.



It has been a fantastic year at Papworth Trust. We have celebrated so much achievement and positivity – with many of the highlights shown on this very page.

It never ceases to amaze us what amazing staff and volunteers we have at Papworth Trust. All go above and beyond to support our work with disabled people across the East of England.

Their commitment and dedication – coupled with the support of our local communities – is what makes this charity so great.

## The Leadership Team

## Trustees

This year we welcomed Brian Stewart as our new Chair of Trustees. Brian replaced Rob Hammond, who had done so much for our charity in his nine years as a trustee. Brian has quickly made his mark, utilising his wealth of experience as well as energy and drive to set about change and improvement.

Alongside this, we also launched a trustee recruitment campaign as we prepare to say goodbye to some long-standing and fantastic trustees. The strength of applications, that have come from this campaign, show the level of support that we are fortunate to have.



## Fundraising

We were delighted to have the support of 9 volunteers who took on the London Marathon on our behalf. We also continued to develop relationships with our Centenary Circle of volunteers and our much valued corporate supporters. The outcomes of all this hard work have included a new state of the art kitchen in Basildon for our customers to learn independent living skills and an accessible minibus to enable our Cambridge customers to access activities in the community.



May we wish you all a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year

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