

Minutes of the Coventry Lymphoma Association Support Group

1st February 2007 19:00 St. Mary's Church, Ansty Road.

Present

**Nathan Reynolds
Sunita Sharma
Sharron Sangha**

**Anne Townsend
Sue Sturdy
Steve Mowforth**

**Will Townsend
Eileen Salter
Jaszinta Panthera**

Apologies

Shelly McGonigle

Pete Salter

Shelly Harvey

The first meeting of 2007. A very warm welcome to 3 new attendees, Sharron Sangha, Jaszinta Panthera and Steve Mowforth. A warm welcome to the group was extended to them all and it is hoped that they will attend future meetings.

Treasurers Report

The group's funds remain at £107.62, although late the annual statement has now been submitted to head office for the 2006 years accounts.

BBC Cameras

This meeting was chosen by The Lymphoma Association head office to be filmed, to form part of the BBC1 Lifeline Charity Appeal.

The Lymphoma Association has secured a slot on this programme to help promote the charity and its hard work.

Filming was rather nonchalant and didn't affect any of the usual routine of the groups meeting.

The programme was due to be screened on Sunday 18 February at 17:15 and repeated on Wednesday 21 February at 13:00.

Rest of the meeting

The rest of the meeting was spent discussing events since our last meeting in November and chatting with the new attendees about their experiences and diagnosis etc.

Matters Arising

Posters

Nathan would try to make contact with Dr Narayannon at George Eliot Hospital in Nuneaton with a view to arranging having a poster placed at his hospital and promoting the group with his patients. New posters were also handed out to members of the group who felt that they could display one in an appropriate place.

Group Business Cards

The new business cards were also handed out amongst the group, these contain updated telephone numbers and contact points.

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Date of next meeting

The date of the next meeting was set as 1st March 2007 at 19:00.