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We have just had our fourth AGM and I can't believe where the last four years have gone and how much CANadda has achieved in that time.

I have got some wonderful news that I have been awaiting to share with you all. As from the 1st October we have an office in the new Learning Disability Hub in Lincoln which used to be known as Queens Park School. We hope that by having this office we will be able to offer a better service to people as they can come and see us.

We are going to be busy over the next few months getting CANadda's office set up and ready. Once we have moved in properly and we have sorted out what services we are going to offer in the future we will let you know.

Please be aware for the time being we are not planning any more future support meetings which means our last support meeting is on Monday 18th November at 7pm.

CANadda hope you will come along and support us as this is our year end get together and to say good bye to the Washingborough Methodist Church who have been very good to CANadda over the past four years.

Please don't forget to book and come along to our next bowling event on Saturday 26th. There will be a poster sent around for more information.

On Saturday 30th November and Sunday 1st December we will be having a stall to raise money for CANadda more details below please come along and support us, thank you.



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No October Meeting

Support Meeting

Dates 2013/ 2014

October—No Meeting.

18th November (7pm) Year End Get Together and to say good bye to WMC.

Currently this will be our last support meeting on Monday 18th November. This is our year end get together and to say good bye to WMC that has been our home for the last four years.

Please note there is a small charge for refreshments.

Methodist Church, Lincoln Rd, Washingborough, LN4 1AT.

Social Events

Saturday 26th October (5pm) Bowling at Lincoln bowling.

Monday 18th November (7pm) Year End Get Together and to say good bye to the Washingborough Methodist Church.

Dyspraxia Research

For this first study Dr Hudson was aiming to concentrate on adults with a diagnosis of dyspraxia/DCD. If you are interested in taking part please contact Dr Hudson as per below.

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DIARY DATES



Saturday 30th November— CANadda has a Stall at the Branston Christmas Market.

Sunday 1st December—CANadda has a stall at the Heighington Christmas Market.

Come and support CANadda at these two events and help us raise some funds.

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Autism Spectrum Disorder

Autistic kids miss non-verbal clues when listening
<http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/science-environment-24031986>

Why the diagnosis of Asperger Syndrome will disappear
<http://www.autismsupportnetwork.com/news/why-diagnosis-asperger-syndrome-will-disappear-autism-29283792>

Brain differences found between Asperger's and autism
<http://www.foxnews.com/health/2013/08/05/asperger-and-autism-brain-differences-found/>

Dyslexia / Dyscalculia

NHS <http://www.nhs.uk/Conditions/Dyslexia/Pages/Introduction.aspx>

Dyspraxia in Adulthood http://dyspraxiafoundation.org.uk/services/ad_living.php

Developmental Coordination Disorder (Dyspraxia) / Dysgraphia

Developmental Coordination Disorder
<http://www.minddisorders.com/Del-Fi/Developmental-coordination-disorder.html>

Dysgraphia
<http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Dysgraphia>

ADD/ADHD

50 Tips On The Management of Adult ADHD
http://www.hi2u.org.uk/adhd/adhd_50tips.html

Worried about your child?
http://www.youngminds.org.uk/for_parents/worried_about_your_child

ADHD Foundation
<http://www.adhdfoundation.org.uk/index.php>

Famous Asperger's Syndrome Quote

He said: "Sophie (Anderton) was telling me that I need to come out of my shell and really shine. It's good advice, I can't knock that, but what people don't know about me is I've got this condition, it's a kind of autism called Asperger's."

"It's a personal thing but it makes it difficult for me in certain scenarios when people want the sparkly bright Abz all the time. I only found out a couple of years ago so it's all new to me, but I'm trying to make the best of it."

Abz Love—Singer, rapper, dancer, producer and DJ. He has sold over 20 million records as a member of boy band five and he was the runner up on celebrity big brother 2013.



Dyslexia Awareness Week
14th—20th October 2013

Dyspraxia Awareness Week
13th -19th October 2013

Anti Bullying Week
18th—22nd November 2013

Josh said: "Mum I want to raise money to find a cure for Asperger's,"

I said "I'm not sure what the 'cure' would be Josh."

He replied, "A cure would be if everyone understood, and people like me didnt feel so ... wrong or sad anymore"