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"Caring for people with lupus"

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Dear Members and Friends

You must have been wondering what has happened to the *Dorset Lupus Group*! The committee is still here but I have been unwell for the past two months so events have not been organised and no local newsletter has been written. Thank you for those who have phoned to wish me well. It really helped to have some lupus friends at a time like this.

Thank you to everyone who helped to make our summer events so enjoyable. It seems a long time ago that we were having strawberry teas, beach hut fun, and ducking from the Red Arrows display flying over.

Well, we are getting back to normal now and I have two dates for your diary. The first is for a coffee morning next Saturday. The second is our Christmas Lunch. I do hope you will be able to come to these events. You are always welcome to bring along friends and family and those of you who have been before will vouch to the others what a relaxed, friendly time we have.

COFFEE MORNING

Saturday 11 November 2006, 10:30 – 12:30
The Howard Centre
Christchurch Hospital
Fairmile Road
Christchurch

(Further details from: Margaret Hosking, 01202 884809)

Hopefully our library and Lupus Goods Stall will be available and we will have our usual raffle.

CHRISTMAS LUNCH

Sunday 10 December 2006
Yenton Hall Hotel
East Cliff
Bournemouth

Details and Bookings: Yvonne & Guy Hosking, 01202 575924

Last year we had a really good time at the same venue so do put this date in your diary and contact Yvonne and Guy for a reservation.

We have recently signed up a number of new members whom I would like to take this opportunity to welcome to our Group. If you can along to next Saturday's Coffee Morning it would be lovely to meet you.

Kind Regards

Margaret