**News from Bottisham Medical Practice Patients’ Participation Group**

**News:**

**Appointments:** There were **47** missed appointments in August. Please inform the surgery if you are not going to attend your appointment so that other patients may benefit from using the slot.

**Dispensary:** There are still difficulties in getting delivery of supplies. Please continue to follow the 5 working day gap between ordering repeat prescriptions and collecting them..

**Transport:** There is a group looking at the current bus service and investigating what changes could be possible to improve this. They are including how it affects the patients from the village getting to the surgery for appointments and a survey will be set up to monitor this. Sadly we have not be able to reset up the dedicated car service for patients.

**NAAFI Break:** Next get together is on 1 November at 10am in the café at Anglesey Abbey cafe as usual. Gary will be wearing a green Help the Heroes shirt. This will continue in future months on the first Wednesday of the month.

**The Patient Participation Group:** As usual we are looking for new members to join the committee, all patients of this Practice are eligible. Please contact our chairman as below to find out more information and how you can be involved.

**Change of Meeting:** We have postponed the next meeting from December. This will now be at 6.30pm 25 January 2024 in the Surgery waiting room. If you wish to join our meeting, please email our chairman [s.j.gilson@btinternet.com](mailto:s.j.gilson@btinternet.com).. Or speak to reception.

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