

MEET THE REST OF THE FAMILY



CARESCO
meeting needs in our local community

- CHARITY SHOP**
Fundraising by recycling
- THE CAVE**
All about social connections, sharing skills & building friendships
- CHATTERBOX**
Support, a listening ear & advise for carers
- CAR SCHEME**
Volunteer drivers providing transport for local people
- GREEN END DAY CLUB**
Providing fun, friendship & good food to it's members
- COFFEE SHOP**
Share a cuppa & cake with friends
- COMMUNITY SUPPORT**
Co-ordinating everyday errands for local people
- VOLUNTEERING**
Helping CARESCO to support our local community
- CHRISTMAS DAY PARTY**
Food, fun & festive celebrations
- FUNDRAISING**
Help us help others
- SOUNDS GOOD**
A social group who enjoy music & the spoken word
- SAWTRY FOODBANK**
Providing emergency food for local people in crisis
- SAWTRY EYE**
Village magazine offering local news for local people

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CARESCO CAR SCHEME

Providing transport for local people

07810 476979

Operated by CARESCO
*(In partnership with
Cambridge & Peterborough
Combined Authority)*

ABOUT CARESCO

CARESCO is here to serve the community in and around the village of Sawtry in Cambridgeshire. We run a range of services for the benefit of local people thanks to our wonderful team of volunteers from the surrounding area.

Most of our activities run from our purpose-built Centre in the middle of the village, unless otherwise specified.

As a charity, CARESCO is managed by a team of trustees who have oversight of the organisation, which they delegate on a day-to-day basis to the team of paid staff members.

Funding comes from a range of sources including our own fundraising, grants, donations and fees.

CONTACT

Find out more about CARESCO by

Visiting our website at:

www.caresco.org.uk

Emailing us at:

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Or calling the CARESCO office on:

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WHAT IS THE CAR SCHEME?

The Car Scheme offers door-to-door transport for local people who do not have the use of a private car and are unable to use conventional public transport for medical appointments only.

HOW DOES IT WORK?

Journeys are arranged by phone through the Co-ordinator and lifts are provided by volunteers using their own cars. Bookings are accepted between 9am and 5pm Mondays to Fridays at the discretion of the Scheme Co-ordinator and are dependent upon the availability of drivers.

The types of journeys undertaken include, but are not limited to medical appointments at the GP surgery / hospital / opticians / dentist.

HOW MUCH DOES IT COST?

Passengers pay a contribution of 45p per mile (minimum charge of £2.00) which goes towards the cost of proving their journey. In addition, any necessary car parking fees must also be paid by the passenger.

Mileage calculation begins from the driver's home; and so the cost of a particular journey can vary depending on which driver is providing the transport.

Passengers must pay their contribution to the driver on the day of travel, in cash.

HOW CAN I FIND OUT MORE?

Call the Car Scheme Co-ordinator on:

07810 476979