



Hello everyone,

As I write this we are all looking forward to three big events that, for me and so many others, make summer in Debenham special – the Fete of the Seven Parishes, the Street Fair, and of course the Debenham project's annual Garden Party – and I am hoping that each will have been a great success. Of course the Garden Party was all about saying a big thank you to everyone (I hope we didn't miss anyone, but if we did please accept our sincere apologies) who directly helped The Debenham Project as participants, volunteers, dementia advisors, professional support workers and carers, and those in the background. You will also have seen that the project, as part of its dementia awareness and fundraising campaigns, launched **Debenham's Pop-up Department Store** with the generous support of all our shops and businesses. And, of course, I am sitting here wondering whether my appearance at the fete as Lord Kitchener maintained the project's reputation for being truly innovative if not always accurate.

If you know someone who cannot get out without help, or has great difficulty in walking, how about borrowing our wheelchair and inviting them to join you for a stroll. Just give me a call.

Also please remember that you can donate your Co-op "divvy" to the project simply by asking for it to be given to The Debenham Project – Number **609313.** 

With best wishes,

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