

Become a member of Home-Start Butser



Home-Start Aims

- Home-Start Butser is a local community based voluntary organisation committed to promoting the welfare and social and economic well-being of families with at least one child under five years of age.
- Volunteers, trained and supported by permanent staff in Petersfield, offer regular support, friendship and practical help to families under stress, in their own homes, working to prevent family crisis and breakdown and to improve the health and happiness of parents and children and so improve outcomes to maximise their potential.
- Home-Start Butser runs Family Groups in Clanfield and Petersfield which meet weekly and offer support to additional families through the social contacts generated by the Groups.

Home-Start Butser is a charity that has been set up as a company limited by guarantee which allows us to offer everyone who shares our aims the opportunity to join us as company members. Members are a fundamental part of our governance system: sharing our aims, receiving information about the charity, having the right to stand for election to our management committee and voting on issues and appointments at our AGMs. Our members help us

- to be accountable to the people who use and sponsor our services
- to make our local community a partner in the success and development of the charity

By becoming a member of Home-Start Butser you will:

- Be helping local parents to grow in confidence, improve their quality of life and strengthen the relationship with their children
- Be an important part of one of the leading family support agencies in the area providing friendship, support and practical assistance to parents with young children
- Be kept informed of all our developments on a regular basis.

If you or your organisation would like to become a member please complete the attached form, or contact Nicola Winter, Scheme Manager Home-Start Butser on 01730 233755 for more information.



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Membership Application Form

I agree with the Aims of Home-Start Butser and would like to become a member.

.....(Name)

Of.....(Address)

Postcode Telephone no.....

Email:

Providing an email address will greatly reduce our costs. We will use this to notify you of official meetings and to send you related information.

I hereby apply to become a member of Home-Start Butser subject to the provisions of the Memorandum and Articles of Association of the charity.

(The Memorandum and Articles of Association may be viewed at the Office).

I agree to pay to the charity an amount of up to £1 if the charity is wound up while I am a member or for up to 12 months after I have ceased to be a member of the charity.

(£1 is the amount that you 'guarantee' or promise to pay to the charity by becoming a member, as set out in the Memorandum and Articles of Association, and it is the limit of your liability).

I understand that Home-Start may hold personal information about me in records and on computer, including name address and contact details that they will use for sending me relevant information about Home-Start. I agree to them holding this information and understand that it may be shared with Home-Start UK for Quality Assurances purposes.

I understand that my name and address will appear on the register of members which may be inspected at Home-Start Butser offices on request by members of the public.

Signed

Date

Please return to:

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For more information please visit our website on www.homestart-butser.org.uk