



# South East Regional Newsletter

November 2010 Issue

**CONGRATULATIONS  
to the newly  
RATIFIED AREAS**

**Isle of Wight  
North Hampshire  
Oxfordshire with West Berkshire**

**[A date for your new diary](#)**

**[Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> May 2011](#)**

**[Regional Training Conference](#)**

The programme is taking shape with quality key note speakers (including Robin Shoheit following his highly acclaimed contributions to Cruse National Conference) and a choice of workshops.

Watch this space for further details!

## **SUPERVISION COURSE**

*Accredited by Ascentis at level 3*

VENUE: Bracknell, Berks

January 8<sup>th</sup> & 22<sup>nd</sup> February 19<sup>th</sup> & 26<sup>th</sup>

March 19<sup>th</sup> & 26<sup>th</sup> 2011 10am to 4.30pm

ALL applicants must meet the selection criteria at Appendix 3 of B10 Supervision Standard and have the support of their supervisor and Area / Branch.

Closing date 15<sup>th</sup> December 2010

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## **Essential Messages from SERC Chair and REMS:**

The recently revised Standing Orders for Area state that Areas are required to appoint a representative to attend Regional Committee meetings (held 6 times a year at Richmond). If there is more than one Area/Branch within a County, perhaps an agreement could be reached for one representative per county to attend. It is important that we have broad democratic representation across the Region, and without such attendance at Regional Committee level, Areas may miss out on having their views and experiences considered.

Whilst many of you ARE sending Management Committee minutes to REMs, there are still a few that are not. To represent your views at National Council, it is essential that your REMs are aware of what is happening in your part of Cruse, and your minutes are a helpful way of doing this.

Please can we also remind Area/Branches that their Financial Budgets for 01/04/11-31/03/12 need to be sent to SERC for approval by end of 2010.

### **GOLDEN OPPORTUNITIES!**

Could you, or someone you know, share their skills and expertise and add a new dimension to a personal CV?

We are seeking a treasurer and a minutes secretary for SERC. 6 meetings/year in Richmond.

Terms and conditions on request – short term offers welcome!!

### **Training News**

We have arranged two days in September next year specifically for Cruse trainers, in Bracknell near Reading, and in Eastbourne. This will provide an opportunity to network and share best practice on training for Cruse. The training these people provide - involving substantial amounts of time and in some cases unpaid - is the key way we have of ensuring a high standard of support by our volunteers. So we hope that the days will show our appreciation and provide stimulation as well as a chance to reflect – it is rare for trainers to be able to take time out so we're really pleased at the positive response we've had.

Attached to this newsletter is an updated Trainer Register. It is important for you to check names of registered trainers because if someone is training but isn't on the register, the courses they train won't be accredited, and the trainer won't have access to the latest training materials. Please let me know of any anomalies.

**Christine Lissoni, SE Region training coordinator**

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Items for next issue by 14<sup>th</sup> January 2011 please. To [janet@gear76.com](mailto:janet@gear76.com)



### **BOOK REVIEW**

#### ***A HELP IN GRIEF***

***Coping with the death of someone close***

**Julian Evans, Ben Evans, Philip West, Clive**

**Anderson**

[www.patulabooks.co.uk](http://www.patulabooks.co.uk)

Written by a father, son, GP and Christian Minister, the 4 authors share professional and personal experience to sensitively explore emotional and practical aspects of bereavement. I think this easy to read book could be helpful for some clients and would be a useful resource for those undertaking the Cruse Awareness in Bereavement Care course. I particularly liked Part 2 which focuses on the practical journey including what to do in the first few days, the funeral, the will, probate, estate matters and family matters. This book therefore also has a place in pre-bereavement work.

Price £4.95 + £1.05 p&p with discounts for bulk orders.

*Janet Gear South West Surrey Cruse*



**SEASON'S GREETINGS TO YOU ALL**

**SINCERE THANKS FOR ALL YOU HAVE  
DONE FOR CRUSE THIS YEAR & EVERY  
BEST WISH FOR 2011**

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## SOUTH EAST REGION

AREA/BRANCH	Trainer's NAME	ABC	Super- vision	C&YP	Group- Work
Ashford (Kent) & District BRANCH	Di Dawson	√		√	
Buckinghamshire AREA	Kate Potter Robin Radley Louise Swanston	√ √ √			
Dover District & Shepway BRANCH	Jan Courtney Elizabeth Taylor	√ √	√ √	√	√
East Kent with Swale AREA	Mary Jenkins	√	√		
East Sussex AREA	Mary Dicker Maria-Alicia Ferrera-Pena Philip Waite Carole Worthy	√ √ √	√ √	√ √	√
Epsom, Ewell & Mole Valley BRANCH	Carole Bailey	√			
Isle of Wight AREA	Lesley Ann Bryant	√			
London BRANCHES					
Croydon	Ellen Davis	√	√	√	√
Greenwich	Pat Bradley	√	√	√	
Kensington & Chelsea	Anni Gallon	√	√		√
North London	Joy Caplin	√	√		√
Richmond	Hilary Hipps Katherine Phillips Susan Stevens	√ √ √	√		√ √
Maidstone BRANCH	Christine Allen Geraldine MacPhail	√ √	√ √	√ √	√ √
North Hampshire AREA	Dorothy Bates Ruth Curbishley Margaret Eley Jenny Osterfield Mary Reeves Susan Williams	√ √ √ √ √ √		√ √	√

AREA/BRANCH (cont)	Trainer's NAME	ABC	Super- vision	C&YP	Group- Work
Oxford & West Berkshire AREA	Brian Andrews Jon Crossley Anne Stokes	√ √	√  √		√
South East Surrey BRANCH	Annette Phillips	√			
South Hampshire BRANCH	Terry Garvey Jo Godber Christine Lissoni Frances O'Mahoney Sally Reynolds	√  √ √ √	  √	√	√
South West Surrey AREA	Joanna Fenning Janet Gear Shân Gregory-Smith Esther Ruscoe	√ √ √ √	√ √	√  √	√ √
Surrey North AREA	Nerys James Kathy Quint Pauline Seager Mary Start	√ √ √ √	  √		√
Thames Valley Berks AREA	Richard Craft Wendy Rainer Sara Richards	√  √	 √		
West Kent BRANCH	Sarah Kitchener Sue Marshall Julia Pointer	√ √ √			
West Sussex AREA	Joanna Desborough-Brown Val Poole Charmaine Skinner	√ √ √		√	√
CENTRAL OFFICE	Rawinda Bhatoa John Parsons Anjula Sharma-Smith	√ √ √	  √		