## SUPPORT GROUP FOR CARERS Do you care for a family member with a learning disabi



Kingston Mencap Trustees have agreed to continue funding the **Carers' Support Group** in 2014
It has been agreed, following consultation with carers, to meet up bi-monthly at Age Concern in the evening and on alternative months at HFT in the afternoon. This should give everyone the opportunity to meet up with others carers, to share information and experiences and to discuss issues.

We also plan to invite various 'Speakers' on subjects of interest suggested by carers.

The meetings will continue to be very informal so why not come along to one of the next meetings in 2014:

- Age Concern, Raleigh House, 14 Nelson Road, New Malden, KT3 5EA at 7.30pm facilitated by Mary Macan
- Home Farm Trust (HFT) Springfield Place, New Malden, KT3 3LJ at 1.30pm facilitated by Eleanor Reed

5th February - catch up after Christmas and New Year at Age Concern 7.30pm
5th March - discuss Speakers at Age Concern 7.30pm
2nd April - at HFT 1.30 - Speaker - Christine Towers - Thinking Ahead
7th May - at Age Concern 7.30pm - Speaker - Bethan and Chris - Reach Standards
4th June - at HFT 1.30

2<sup>nd</sup> July - at Age Concern 7.30pm - Speaker - Eleanor Read - KCN
NO MEETING IN AUGUST
3<sup>rd</sup> September - at Age Concern 7.30pm
1<sup>st</sup> October - at HFT 1.30
5th November- Age Concern 7.30pm
NO MEETING IN DECEMBER
- Carers go out for Christmas dinner

## **CARERS WEEK 9<sup>th</sup> -15th June 2014**

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