



# **BARCing**

**Bletsoe Active Recreational Club**

## **Coronavirus / Exceptional Circumstances**

**In the light of current events with the Coronavirus it is important that all villagers know that BARCing is here to help.**

**If you find yourself housebound / in self isolation please get in touch if you need emergency shopping or prescription collection. Items can be left on your doorstep so there is no contact!**

**If you would like to enlist to help with any requests from villagers please email your contact details to [info@bletsoe.net](mailto:info@bletsoe.net) and you will be added to a Coronavirus help line for the duration of the current situation.**

**We are fortunate to live in a community where lots of people already look out for each other but in the event of an emergency BARCing and friends will be very happy to help. Only a phone call away!**

**Please do not hesitate to get in touch – 07711378869.**



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### Can we lend you a hand?

**BARCing** was set up in January 2014 with the intention of being a community group which anyone in the village could join. The group has the permission of the Parish Council. The aim is primarily to have fun while making a difference to our lovely village. The group meets on the first and third Thursdays of the month.

Over the years we have cleared paths, litter picked, chopped back hedging, tidied the churchyard and surrounding area, maintenance in the village hall car park, taken people shopping and to the surgery. We have also organised meals for some residents who have needed help and installed the Bletsoe Village Walk in the bus shelter.

Whilst it is the intention to continue to tidy around the village, we offer a help service to all, particularly elderly residents such as collecting prescriptions from the surgery, help with emergency shopping, a lift to the doctor's, changing a light bulb or moving something heavy.

If you would like to join the group, please email [info@bletsoe.net](mailto:info@bletsoe.net) for further information on where to meet!

If you need help – **villagers only** – then you can call 07711378869 and one of the group will do their best to organize the help you require.

However, please be sensible about what you request – we will not be offering a taxi service out of hours!!

#### **Current Members are:**

George Baxter  
Alison Bean  
Joyce Crocker

Ann & Mike Gibbons  
Chris & Mike Grimes  
Monica Hetherington