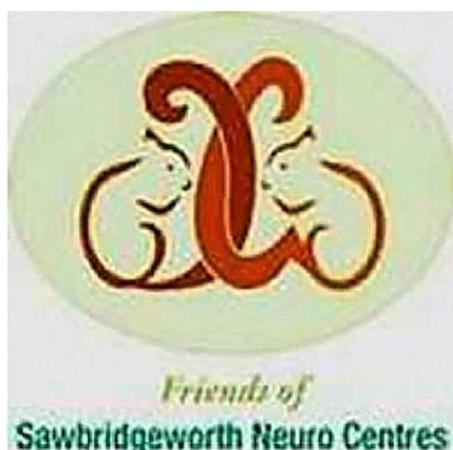


WIGMORE'S SUPPORTED CHARITY 2017-18

Five UK charities were nominated in March 2017 to become Wigmore's next (UK-based) supported charity: **Friends of Sawbridgeworth Neuro Centres** (organises activities, provides additional specialised equipment and facilities, and financial support for residents at *Ramsay Neurological Services* in Hertfordshire – where adults with complex neurological conditions such as brain or spinal injuries receive 24 hour care); **Greenhouse Mentoring** (based in Stopsley and helping young people who are struggling with problems at school or home); **Level Trust** (based in Luton, providing shoes and school uniforms and winter coats to over 250 families and cannot afford the cost of these items); **Next Generation Youth Theatre** (providing affordable classes in dance and drama for young people in Luton); and **The Stroke Association** (a national and local charity providing emotional and practical support at home and in hospital for people who have suffered strokes).

Voting used a Single Transferrable Vote (STV) system and **Friends of Sawbridgeworth Neuro Centres** received the most votes and becomes our next supported charity from summer 2017.



Ramsay Neurological Services at Sawbridgeworth offers specialist 24 hour nursing and therapy services for brain or spinal injuries. They offer ongoing support and assistance to maximise functional ability and assist recovery wherever possible. Emphasis is placed on maximising each individual's abilities, comfort and quality of life.

Friends of Sawbridgeworth Neuro Centres is a charity that raises money towards organised activities for residents; plants and art, and extra

specialised equipment; improved gardens and help with clothing and toiletries for those residents in financial hardship.

Website: www.neurologicalservices.co.uk

Charity number: 1167409

Steven Cakebread from Wigmore Church suffered severe physical and neurological injuries in a tragic car accident in October 2014. Following periods in Addenbrooke's Hospital, Cambridge and Northwick Park Hospital in Harrow Steven became a resident at Sawbridgeworth, where he received constant medical care, love and kindness until his death, aged 21, in March 2018.