

IMPACT REPORT

JULY 2023

NEW PARTNER CHURCHES

With the summer holidays upon us, Brockenhurst, Lymington and the first church in the Hereford Diocese have signed a new 'Partner Church Agreements'. This is an exciting step forward and we hope to see more growth as we move into a new school year in September.

We are making initial steps in contacting several churches in the local area and have been making connections with existing group members who have links to their local care homes / churches and would like to find out more information.

We also have several partner churches who are adding additional group settings, including Citygate, Godfirst and Gateway.

CURRENT GROUPS RUNNING

September-2023	Jul-23	Current	% Increase	2025 Target
Partner Churches	9	9	0%	30
Care Homes	9	10	10%	
Settings	10	11	9%	
In the Pipeline	13	15	13%	
	Average attendance	Total this month	New moments of...	Total
Older Adults	8	195	Confidence	61
Care Home Staff	1	33	Participation	117
Children	4	94		
Parent/Child Carer	3	62		
Sessions run in September		23		

As we're now at the end of the academic year we can see there have been at least 250 new moments of confidence in our groups and at least 309 new moments of participation. Our storytellers are doing an incredible job at fighting isolation and loneliness through the TBT project, and we look forward to a new academic year with even more impact on even more lives.



The highlights this month include summer parties, residents dancing with the children and as usual lots of fun and laughter had by everyone attending!