

Mowbray Messenger

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We are pleased to inform patients that in accordance with our P.C.T.'s latest policy we now have a standard geographic telephone number you can use **in addition** to the existing 0844 number, to contact the surgery, the options remain the same.



01609 713975

or

0844 499 6978

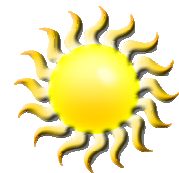
Patients are reminded that the surgery website is a useful source of information on opening times, telephone numbers, clinics etc. and of course repeat prescriptions can also be ordered online.

www.mowbrayhousesurgery.co.uk

August Bank Holiday

Patients are reminded that the surgery will close at 6.30pm on Friday 24th August and re open 8am Tuesday 28th. We **WILL** be open on the Saturday morning for the collection of prescriptions.

Please ensure you give 2 working days notice for your repeat Prescriptions.



Retirement of Judith Harper

Colleagues celebrated the retirement of Judith Harper who has been a receptionist here for 11 years. We wish her well and hope she enjoys her garden and travels.



Pat Bayliss is in training to replace her.

Patients requesting Telephone Calls

Are asked to remain by the telephone number given, until the doctor has called them back please. Doctors time is very precious and to have to repeatedly try and call back is not the best use of their time.

New Registrar Dr Tom Bennett-Britton



I went to medical school at Newcastle upon Tyne, and have worked in hospitals in Newcastle, London and Cambridge before joining the RAF and training in General Practice. I enjoy walking (and have been known to break out into the occasional run) through the beautiful North Yorkshire countryside.

Dr Overton

Will be starting surgeries at the beginning of August. He will be here Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday all day, and half day Wednesday.

Dr Latin holds surgeries for the last time at Mowbray on 31st July. She has been a valued member of the team and we wish her every success for the future.

Dr Grieve has also reached the end of his training period with us. We will miss his cheerful disposition and wish him well for the next part of his training.

Useful Telephone Numbers

01609

Friarage 779911

District Nurses 781120

Health Visitors 751160

Maternity Advice 763093

Volunteer transport 780458

NHS Direct 0845 46 47

James Cook 01642 850850

FY2 Dr Gordon Orr

Will be joining the surgery from the 1st August until the 4th December.



Flu Vaccination Programme

During September the 2012 flu campaign will begin and at risk patients will receive their annual invitation to come for the vaccination.

Please make sure you act as swiftly as possible as quite a few patients last year left it too late to get their vaccination due to limited supplies.

Ideally you will attend one of the organised flu clinics, the Saturday clinics are scheduled for late September or the beginning of October, weekday clinics to be advised. Couples with different times and dates may come together on either date given.



There will also be other follow up clinics after these dates if you are unable to attend.

PLEASE WAIT UNTIL YOU GET YOUR LETTER.