Age Concern Menorca

Mike Dixon

We were very sorry to hear of Mike's death. Mike had been a volunteer with Age Concern for many years, being in charge of the furniture and electrical equipment area, where he was still working until a few months ago. His friendship, expertise and experience have always been greatly appreciated and he was a greatly valued colleague and friend. Mike's wife, Bobbie, has also been a long-standing volunteer. Bobbie is now returning to the UK to live with family and she will also be greatly missed.

Mike and Bobbie

Website

We are currently developing a new website: **www.ageconcernmenorca.com** which we hope to have up and running by the time you read this. It's the first time the volunteer concerned has constructed a website so we'd really appreciate your feedback so we can make it even better.
(The previous website has been 'dormant' for some time. It was part of and managed by the Age Concern Spain Federation which no longer exists and, unfortunately, we have no way to access it to either amend or close it.)

The Shop

The furniture area of this shop is now being managed by Ian Marshall. Ian has done an excellent job in re-organising the area after we had to close it for several weeks. It looks brilliant. Collections have now been resumed but, please be patient as, though we have gained more strong, able-bodied volunteers to handle bulky goods (Roy, Jaume, Alex, Tony), the time they can be available to us is limited due to other commitments.

We still welcome your donations but please, if possible, deliver them in plastic bags, labelled with the date, so that we can quarantine them effectively. Please note, we no longer accept or sell electrical items. Thank you.
Do collect a new business card when you next visit the shop so you have easy access to key information and contact details.

The medical and mobility equipment loan service

This service is strictly by appointment: **acmenorcamedequip@gmail.com** or 'phone **629016307**
Returnable deposit required, donation requested on return. **Short term loans only** though we can assist you in finding long term solutions.

Lifeline If you or anyone you know anyone who would benefit from our support you can contact Lifeline for confidential help:
lifelineac@yahoo.com or 'phone **676 904 487**

Social activities.

We are not currently running any social events (lunches, drop-ins or trips).

We hope to resume these as soon as possible but, due to the increased risk that may be posed by visitors starting to come to the island, this is not likely to happen before October.

For more information contact**:** **menorca@ageconcern.org.es** or 'phone **699 901 777**

Membership

Membership costs just 12€ a year and not only helps us continue our work but also provides you with benefits. You can now apply for or renew your membership electronically and pay by bank transfer.

We also send news and information about events and offers electronically to all Friends and Members for whom we have an email address. Contact us on: **menorca@ageconcern.org.es** or 'phone **620 017 437**

Collection boxes

Like many other organisations, we have lost a lot of income due to the Coronavirus crisis. Every little extra helps so please keep an eye out for our donation boxes and drop in some change if you can. You'd be surprised at how quickly the amount grows. Please contact us if you'd like to have one of our collection boxes where you work. Thank you.

Volunteers

Apart from the shop manager, Carol, everyone works for Age Concern as a volunteer. Please contact us if you would like to volunteer to work in the shop, collecting large donated items, translation, or supporting individuals through Lifeline.

Contact us on: **menorca@ageconcern.org.es** or 'phone **971156110**

Shop information:

Carrer de Artrutx 10, Poligono Industrial Mahon, 07714.

Monday to Saturday 09.45 – 13.15 plus Tuesday & Thursday 17.00 – 19.15

Tel: **971 156 110** or **636 347 286** (Manager)

General email: **menorca@ageconcern.org.es**

Facebook: **Age Concern Menorca 2015**