

Dear Club Contacts,

Welcome and congratulations to all the new officers in a new Tangent year, including our new National post holders:

Jill Harris	National President
Sue Hill	National Vice-President
Melodie Brookes	National Immediate Past President
Gill Rich	Editor and Website co-ordinator
Heather Parry	National Secretary.

Thank you for your patience whilst our new team gets organised.

Thank you so much for being the Club contact, it is a really important link between national and our ~12,000 members. There are links in this letter (click the underlined words) to:

- [Directory Form 2018-19](#): to be completed and returned to Jilly King, our Executive Administrator **PLEASE NOTE THIS WILL HAVE TO BE FILLED IN BY ALL CLUBS EVEN IF YOUR DETAILS HAVE NOT CHANGED TO COMPLY WITH THE NEW GDP LAWS**
- [Capitation Form 2018-19](#): to be completed and returned to Ruth Lamb, our National Treasurer, with relevant monies
- [A Welcome from our new President Jill](#)
- [A summary of the outcome of the National AGM in Belfast](#)
- [Instructions for setting up a club gmail address.](#)

The two forms that are attached are the only ones you will receive and the forms will be available on the Tangent website (only clubs who have not submitted an email address will receive the forms in the post in order to save costs). Please make sure that these forms are passed on to the member who needs to deal with them and they are returned by the deadlines. Please ensure you submit the most recent forms. The new 2018-19 Directory will be published in the summer, once your forms have been returned. Please remember to share the information at the front of the Directory with all the members of your club.

I look forward to seeing you at one of the Regional lunches:

The Scottish lunch on Saturday 12th May at the North West Castle Hotel, Stranraer, Wigtownshire DG9 8EH

The Welsh lunch on Saturday 26th May at the Memorial Playing Fields, North Road, Lampeter, SA48 7JA

The Northern lunch on Saturday 16th June at Oulton Hall, Leeds

All booking forms and contacts are on [Tangent Lunch Booking Forms](#).

If your club is interested in organising a Regional lunch in 2018, please do get in touch with Jilly King, our Executive Administrator, admin@tangent-clubs.org. It's great fun to do, we can send you the Regional lunch guidelines and give you help and advice.

Jill Harris also has a Charity Lunch which will be held on Saturday 22nd September at Reigate Manor Hotel, Reigate Hill, Reigate RH2 9PF. The booking form can also be found at [Tangent Lunch Booking Forms](#).

Please note that the Final Deadline for copy to be included in the next Tangent Magazine is the 11th May.

The Facebook Page has been changed to a private group to comply with GDPR. We have copied over all of the pictures and added existing users as members, however old postings will no longer be available to view.

As this is now a private group, it can be used for future discussions.

Please note this mailing has been issued using the Tangent contact details as of January 2018. I apologise for any inconvenience if a contact change you have requested has not yet been applied, your understanding is appreciated and the updates will be done as soon as possible.

Any queries please get in touch at secretary@tangent-clubs.org.

Best wishes for the coming year, I look forward to working with you all – enjoy Tangent!

Yours in continuing friendship,

Heather Parry

Tangent National Secretary, 2018- 2020