



# Newsletter

March 2016

***Bournemouth 2026 Trust has moved! Come visit us:***

The Old School House, Gladstone Mews  
Boscombe, Bournemouth  
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## Membership Spotlight: Relate

*by Claire Burgess*

Relate Bournemouth, Poole and Christchurch share in the excitement surrounding the vision of Bournemouth 2026 Trust. Claire Burgess, the recently appointed Centre Manager at the centre has a passion to see the centre's activities develop in promoting healthy relationships and tackling inequalities within the community and family life.



'Often people see Relate as being a couple's counselling agency. I did too. Since working for Relate, I've realised that whilst this is a significant part of what we do, a lot of our work e.g. with victims of domestic violence, troubled families or support for separating parents and their children, slips under the public radar. At Relate Bournemouth, I have the privilege of working alongside a team of highly trained Counsellors, who work tirelessly to empower individuals and families to communicate effectively and work towards reconciliation and positive change. It is exciting for us to become a member of Bournemouth 2026 and experience the voluntary, public and private sectors working collaboratively to build a better, safer, happier Bournemouth.'

**relate** [Visit Relate here ...](#)  
the relationship people

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## Get the Latest Issue of We Need That

The latest issue of We Need That, the recycling directory produced by voluntary organisation, Ideas2Action is now available.

New to the directory are Forest Holme Hospice, Dorset Wildlife Trust, Routes to Roots, the Branksome and Rossmore Children's Centres and Pound Puppy Animal Rescue. Their joint needs include wood, mobile phones, keys, artificial flowers, flower baskets, plastic flower pots, bricks, cardboard tubes, carpet oddments, corks, postcards, stamps, buttons, ribbon, wallpaper, card and envelopes, old towels/blankets and jam jars.



Ideas2Action would particularly like to draw your attention to the fact that Routes to Roots, the local charity supporting homeless people, will benefit financially from any unwanted keys. So if you have any tucked away in your desk and would like to help Routes to Roots, please take your keys to Carter Shaw, 446 Ashley Road, Poole BH14 0AD.

[Get the Directory Here!...](#)

## Welcome New Members



Bournemouth 2026 Trust continues to grow. We are pleased to welcome these new organisations to our membership: Relate Bournemouth, Bournemouth People First, Dorset Mind and Workplace Sense; and, individual Viola Wiebe. They have all joined us since December 2015.

The Trust welcomes any organisation or individual who shares in our vision of a sustainable Bournemouth with thriving and inclusive communities. As a member, we welcome you to promote your organisation and its activities through our newsletter or on our website. If you have something you would like us to share, please contact Sara-Jane Brocklehurst at [sj.brocklehurst@bournemouth2026.org.uk](mailto:sj.brocklehurst@bournemouth2026.org.uk) with the details.

## Changes Coming to the Old School House

Watch this space for exciting news about the Old School House!

## Other News Items

### Would you like to present at our Information & Networking Event?

If you would like to provide an update on the activities of your organisation or any other topic at any of our Information & Networking Events, please contact Clare Hirst at [clare.hirst@bournemouth2026.org.uk](mailto:clare.hirst@bournemouth2026.org.uk) or call 01202 392 053.

### Be our next Member Spotlight?

We continue to run our Membership Spotlight but need more members to answer just 5 short questions in order to be included. If you would like to raise awareness of your organisation, please contact Sara-Jane Brocklehurst at [sj.brocklehurst@bournemouth2026.org.uk](mailto:sj.brocklehurst@bournemouth2026.org.uk).