

Samaritans Quarterly Report for Boston Big Local – January to March 2022

Brew Monday Stall at Pescod Square

Our stall was to raise awareness of our service and Brew Monday, which is a play on Blue Monday the saddest day of the year.

On our stall we gave away Brew Monday teabags so people could have a cuppa with a friend or two on the saddest day of the year.



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If you are in Boston town centre in [@PescodSquare](#) today pop by and say hello and pick yourself up a [#BrewMonday](#) tea bag to have a [#cuppa](#) on us. [@samaritans](#)



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Interviewed and selected new volunteers

Throughout January we interviewed and selected 15 new volunteers who will be trained either in April or October this year.

These interviews were held over Zoom but we are hoping our next round of interviews will be in person.

Training Sessions at Framework on Lincoln Lane

On the 7th of February, 3 volunteers delivered two sessions of our popular 'How to offer emotional support to others' to Framework workers, PCSOs and a Police Officer.

We made it clear that our training was delivered for free because of BBL's very kind funding.

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Rotary talk

On the 14th February, two volunteers spoke to the Rotary Club of Boston.

The talk lasted 40 minutes and included the 20 minute version of the 'How to offer emotional support to others' training.

Both the talk and training were very well received with a lot of questions and engagement from all the attendees which lasted a further 45 minutes.

Make a difference community event.

On the 2nd and 3rd of March at Centenary Methodist Church in the BBL area, we had a stall at the Make a Difference Community Event. At this event we received two expressions of interest in volunteering with us along with groups who are interested in us giving a talk and providing training.



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Fantastic to meet so many people at [@Bostonboro's](#)
Make a Difference to your Community event
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THANK YOU!

All of us involved at Samaritans of Boston, Lincolnshire would like to share our appreciation with BBL for your ongoing support in helping us both raise our profile and to continue to deliver our service to those in need of emotional support.

