



THE BOSTON STITCHERS

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1. Work undertaken since our last report on 31st December 2023 :-

Please visit our website www.thebostonstitchers.com

We offer our sincere thanks to Boston Big Local for their support and their confidence in our work throughout this project. It has been a hugely enjoyable and stimulating project, which will continue into the future.

We will have four books finished by this summer.





2. Community involvement

We have taken our work out to W.I. groups, care homes, local shows and all the community events taking place at The Stump.

Having designed each book so that it might be carried in a large case has ensured we can reach a large audience, particularly those who may be unable to travel or access events easily.



NEXT STEPS

We will Exhibit our work at Fydell House throughout July 2024.

We are extremely grateful to Boston Community Chest for their funding for this which will include a special viewing on Friday 5th July.

We have secured National Heritage Lottery funding in order to create a lasting record of this project. To this end we have engaged a local videographer and his team to work with us. A short film will be available to view on July 5th.

Our Boston Stitchers group has strengthened and flourished. We now have 41 members and they have all done at least one piece of work, with many doing numerous pieces according to their expertise and time available to them. The project has created a great deal of interest and has drawn in so many people from across various disciplines.

We will continue to take the project forward and plan to finish with six books.

Where they will eventually be stored, viewed and enjoyed is a question we will explore when the time is right. We are sure the residents and visitors to Boston will be able to enjoy them far into the future.



