

## Course dates from January to May 2007

### JANUARY

4 Appointed Persons Course (*one-day course*)

8-9 Refresher Course (*two-day course*)

17 Appointed Persons Course

24 Introduction to Health and Safety (*one-day course*)

25-26 & 29-30 First Aid at Work (*four-day course*)

### FEBRUARY

1-2 Refresher Course

7 Appointed Persons Course

15-16 & 19-20 First Aid at Work

21 Introduction to Health and Safety

27 Appointed Persons Course

### MARCH

1-2 Refresher Course

7 Appointed Persons Course

14 Introduction to Health and Safety

15-16 & 19-20 First Aid at Work

17 & 24 Paediatric First Aid Course (*12-hour course*)

27 Appointed Persons Course

### APRIL

4 Appointed Persons Course

16-17 Refresher Course

18 Appointed Persons Course

25 Introduction to Health and Safety

26-27 & 30 April-1 May First Aid at Work

### MAY

3 Appointed Persons Course

10-11 Refresher Course

17-18 & 21-22 First Aid at Work

23 Introduction to Health and Safety

30 Appointed Persons Course

## Praise for HSE-approved courses

THE Safety Centre offers a range of adult courses approved by the Health and Safety Executive, and these help towards funding the children's safety training in Hazard Alley.

Gordon Redford, Human Resources Officer at the Parks Trust, had this to say after sending staff and volunteers to be trained by the Safety Centre: "It

is a legal requirement for most workplaces to have a level of first aid expertise within the workforce. But the skills learned on the courses could also be a life-saver outside of the workplace too.

"The courses at the Safety Centre MK are the best. They are very practical and based on what we need and the type of emergencies that might occur."

## Farewell to Chris and David



Christine

THANK you and farewell to Christine Hawkins, who retires at the end of December, and David Archer, who retired as a Trustee at the end of November.

Chris, a former teacher in Milton Keynes, joined the Safety Centre in 1999 to deliver follow-up lessons in schools to reinforce crime prevention messages.

She was the first member of our schools liaison team, forging excellent

relationships with MK Schools.

The Trustees would like to thank her for her professionalism and commitment over the past seven years and wish her well for the future.

David Served as a Trustee for two years in his capacity as Chief Fire Officer with Northamptonshire Fire & Rescue Service.

The Trustees would like to thank David for his valuable contribution.



David



PICTURED above are some of our volunteer guides enjoying this year's summer outing, which was to Stratford-upon-Avon. It's just a small thank-you for their invaluable work throughout the year.

If you are interested in becoming a volunteer guide at the Safety Centre, please ring **01908 263009** and speak to Melanie or visit our website at **www.safetycentre.co.uk**

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and donations. The Safety Centre is very much a partnership venture which only works because of the invaluable support from the community as well as a team of dedicated staff.

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