

## Swindon Counselling Service

# Mavis Cheek Becomes SCS Patron

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In its 21<sup>st</sup> year of providing psychological care to Swindon residents, Swindon Counselling Service is delighted to announce the appointment of the author Mavis Cheek as Patron. She will become a Patron alongside Nigel Havers, whose appointment was made in May.

The Counselling Service, based in Old Town, offers support to adults for a wide range of emotional and psychological problems. Mavis Cheek is a firm believer in the important role that good, qualified counselling provides for the community. "In these increasingly stressful and difficult times I would like to see Swindon Counselling Service grow to help more people. It is very important for such help to be valued, available and positive and I know about the good work they have done already to help people through all sorts of problems. Those who use the counselling service will find that it is possible to come out of difficulties much stronger with professional help."

Welcoming Mavis' appointment, SCS Director, Mike Snudden, explained: "Our service can make an enormous difference to peoples' lives, having a regular and confidential space to talk through problems with a well trained counsellor can be hugely important. It is vital to make people aware of the help that Swindon Counselling Service can provide. Mavis Cheek's kind agreement to be our Patron will help raise our profile in the community."

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