

## Would I Lie to You!

Branston & District U3A Committee Members tell you some of their experiences below – but which ones are false, which ones are true. And which Committee Member is it?

In case you've forgotten, current Committee Members are John Tyerman (Chair), Janet Foster (Treasurer), Heather Sharpe (Secretary – co-opted), Garry Snelson (Vice Chair), Elaine Johnson (Membership Secretary), Chris Hodson (Programme Secretary), Rick Smok (Groups Coordinator), James Hewson (Data Manager), Brian Sentance and Mary Courbould. Just to make it even more tricky, not all of these are represented in the following statements, however.

Even if you don't know us very well – or at all, hopefully you will find it fun to decide which of these are true and which false! Answers next week.

1. I once visited a house to repossess it and there were no stairs in the property, just a large knotted rope to climb up and down.
2. I once killed a parrot despite giving it oxygen in an attempt to revive it.
3. I visited an empty house to take possession and the builder with me said it was like Fort Knox so he would have to smash his way into the property. I spoke to the neighbour so as not to worry them and she informed me the back door was unlocked.
4. I ran over my sister with the car.
5. One property I was repossessing was abandoned. The builder with me removed the back door lock only for an horrendous smell to hit us. There were dozens of cats in the property. The back door had a cat flap and all the local cats had made their home in there.
6. I once drove a steam roller.
7. I have hitch-hiked to the Arctic Circle.
8. I once swam naked in a lake.
9. I was the winner of an important ten pin bowls match.
10. I met my future spouse in 1974 whilst one of us was working under the desk of the other.
11. I followed my Sat Nav down a road and into a river. I had to be towed out.
12. I was born in the same maternity home as another committee member in a Lincolnshire Town famous for its "Fair".
13. I once found myself being marched through my place of work, handcuffed to a blonde police lady, trumped-up charges being made against me.

14. I once won 1st prize for my plum bread in a WI baking competition.
15. I asked my husband to take a Countess for a ride in his car knowing that she was wearing nothing but a fur coat.
16. I failed my HGV test when I crashed to the lorry in which I was taking my test.
17. I was once hugged by a banana.
18. I was born in the same maternity home as another committee member, but 3 years earlier.
19. I once climbed Mount Kilimanjaro.