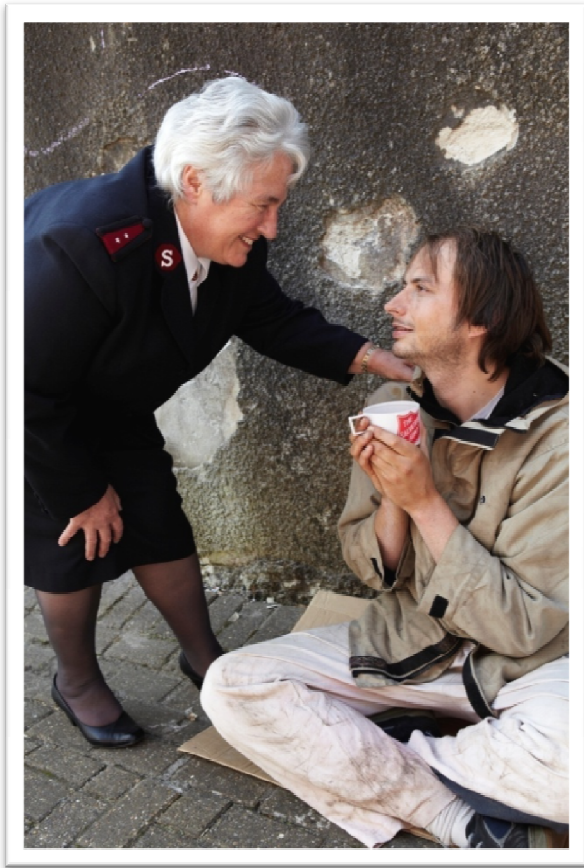


# A Private Social Network

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**LIFEHOUSE**

*more than a place to stay*

# Good Morning Martyn...

I'm not sure if it is you I need to send this to - if not I would be grateful if you could forward it to the appropriate person in the SI department.

One of the clients in our centre, Gavin, approached me with the idea for a 'Residents' Forum' on the internet for residents of Army hostels. I asked him to elaborate and his suggestion is outlined below.

Given the number of our clients who now have access to internet facilities a moderated forum may be of benefit to the Army in terms of client involvement and empowerment, and give our clients a louder voice.

I would welcome your views as to the practicality of such a project.

Many thanks,

George.



Dear Sir/Madam  
I've been speaking to our house manager  
.... about having a residents forum.

...to have a forum for the other residents  
of other centres across the UK, where we  
can get together to chat about each  
others experiences, and life in their  
centres. Also to have communication with  
each other and build up friendships....

This could help in bringing others together  
and help each other out by sharing each  
others experience's.

If there's any other questions you would  
like to ask please contact me at...

..... @aol.com

mobile 07.....

**A social networking service** is an online service, platform, or site that focuses on building and reflecting of social networks or social relations among people, who, for example, share interests and/or activities.









A **social network service** consists of a representation of each user (often a **profile**), his/her social **links**, and a variety of **additional services**.

Most social network services are **web-based** and provide means for users to interact over the Internet, such as **e-mail** and **instant messaging**.

# Digital Inclusion

or, digital exclusion

**The 10 million people in the UK who have never been online** are already missing out on big consumer savings, access to information and education. They will be even more isolated and disadvantaged as government and industry expand ever faster into digital-only services. We must change our mindset from one that shields people from using the internet to one that helps empower them to get online and enjoy all the benefits.

“I would be dead without the internet,” a young man in Leeds told me on a rainy afternoon last October. He had rebuilt his life from a drug addiction by visiting a centre where he learnt how to use a computer and how to make and sell music online. He is one of thousands of people across the UK who have found the internet an invaluable tool in helping manage extremely difficult personal circumstances

Martha Lane-Fox  
Race Online 2012











# Fellowship4Life

Your

Private Social Network

Ask your  
Centre Manager for  
more details

[www.fellowship4life.org.uk](http://www.fellowship4life.org.uk)

# Why a Private Social Network?

✓ **Privacy**

✓ **Security**

✓ **Built for purpose**

✓ **Safe Content**

✓ **Defined Community**

Getting online brings significant benefits to your residents: the ability to buy goods and services more cheaply; new ways to stay in touch with friends and family; better opportunities to find a new job or a new home; lowered feelings of isolation and loneliness. With tenants online, landlords and other agencies can deliver services to them in new and better ways and save money along the way.

*Race Online 2012's recently published Digital By Default*  
[www.raceonline2012.org/research](http://www.raceonline2012.org/research)



## Sign Up Form

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★ Denotes required field

First Name: ★

Nickname:

Last Name: ★

Location: ★

Centre Name: ★

Centre Manager: Iain Wilson

User Name:



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Use the overview to keep track of the latest updates to your community.

## Overview Restricted

Welcome to the The Pleasance LifeHouse Community. This Community is intended to enhance your experience of The Salvation Army's programme.

It is a place where you can securely share experiences, advice, stories, local events and chat online with other service users.

An electronic copy of this Lifehouse's handbook is available by clicking here.

Tags: lifehouse, pleasance, the

#### Wiki

Create a Wiki Page

**Welcome**  
Christopher Hinton | May 28

View All

#### Forums

Ask a question, brainstorm, or simply share your ideas.

Start the First Topic.

#### Bookmarks

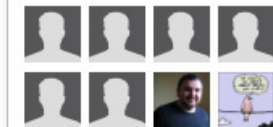
Share Web resources with your community.

Add Your First Bookmark

#### Important Bookmarks

Highlight key Web resources.

#### Members



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#### Media Gallery

Upload

There are no media gallery files in this community.

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Welcome to your Wiki.

A Wiki is a website where a large number of users can contribute to and edit the content. You could use this section of the site to create a store of useful information, like where the best local places to eat are, which bus to catch to a frequent destination, how to get the washing machine to work, or anything else you can think of. To contribute to this wiki you must be logged in to Fellowship4Life.

After logging in, what you can do depends on how the wiki owners have set access. If you cannot contribute in a way that you want, click **Members** to find an owner and ask them to give you appropriate access. If this is a community wiki your access depends on your community membership, and you must ask a community owner to give you appropriate access.

Here are some ways to start contributing:

- To edit a page click **Edit** [Note, please don't edit this welcome page - it's here so that new users know how to get started]
- To create new pages click **Page Actions** and select **Create Child** or **Create Peer**. Child pages are created below the current page, peer pages are created at the same level.
- To move a page, click **Page Actions** and select **Move Page**.
- To be notified by email about edits or comments to a page, click **Follow** and select **Follow this Page**. To be notified about changes to the wiki, click **Follow** and select **Follow this Wiki**.
- To see previous versions of a page click **Versions**.

And finally, an [electronic copy of the Lifehouse handbook](#) is available by clicking here.

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The washing machine is a bit funny - it won't start unless you (gently) push the door closed after you've pressed the button.

I tend to find the easiest way to do this is to give the door a little nudge with your knee once you've set everything up.

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Can we help you Gavin?

I think we can.

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