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| Dates for your Diary   |  | | --- | | **Parkinson's Awareness Week**  10-16 April  **Branch meetings**  Tai Chi demo Carol Gascoigne 2 May  Lester Simpson – 6 June |   From time to time you may see Annie Beighton taking photos for the newsletter and website, please let us know IF YOU DO NOT WANT your photo to be used - 01332 515700  The future of Attendance Allowance – a lifeline for people living with Parkinson’s – has been saved thanks to Parkinson’s UK campaigners in England.  Result! Phil Reynolds, our Policy and Campaigns Adviser, explains “We sent our response to the consultation before Christmas. We met the minister in January to list our concerns. On 19 January, we found out Attendance Allowance would continue to be managed by central government.” |  | CONTACT DETAILS  **Chairperson**  Liz Greaves  01332 515700 |  | Postal Corrospondance:-  **Parkinson’s UK**  **Derby Branch**  **210 Uttoxeter Rd**  **DERBY**  **DE3 9AB** |
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