

# Welcome to the Alzheimer's Society

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Alzheimer's Society is the  
leading care and research  
charity for people affected by  
dementia

## Who We Are

- Founded in 1979 - formerly The Alzheimer's Disease Society.
- A membership organisation- 25,000 members
- The Alzheimer's Society is a national organisation with 260 local branches throughout England, Wales & Northern Ireland, delivering support services to people in local communities

## What we do...

- Directly support people with dementia and their carers
- Provide information and education
- Raise awareness about dementia
- Campaign
- Research into cause, cure and care

## The local perspective

The Yeovil, Sherborne and District Branch:-

1. Based in Yeovil
2. One paid worker.
3. Supported by volunteers

## Services the branch provide

- Memory Café Wincanton
- Memory Café Sherborne
- Singing for the Brain Castle Cary
- Support and information
- Yeovil memory Café will be opening later this year.