

Gav Cross

- Tom's Dad
- Libby's Dad
- Mildly attentive husband of Cathy
- Val & Roy's forgetful son
- Lynn's less than tolerant son-in-law
- That loud fat bloke

Tom Cross - Monkey Boy!





24.2.2000 at 18.30
Tom having a cup of mummy's
milk & enjoying it.













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The course aims to provide information and skills training so that people with disabilities and family members can pursue their own agendas.

- Contribute to policymaking and implementation in wider service development, locally and nationally.
- Become real partners with the professionals and the policy makers.
- Prepare participants for the battles ahead with much greater chances of success.



Council Alder Hey
Carers and Parents



- The Parents and Carers Council agrees to work with the Trust in partnership.
- Agenda set by the council
- Trust approaches the council with opportunities
- Council chooses themes and issues to debate

- At least one member of the Parents' and Carers' Council will attend Trust Board meetings to inform/influence decisions and to ensure that the Parents and Carers' Council is aware of current issues within the Trust.
- The Parents' and Carers' Council intend to work with and challenge the behaviour of the organization

finding
medical information
on the **internet**



- ❏ Families with a child who has a disability or health condition often use the Internet to search for information and support.
- ❏ The Internet can be a very useful source of information, but the large amounts and types of websites can result in confusion.
- ❏ This leaflet aims to help families judge if a website provides relevant, quality information.

parent participation

improving services for disabled children

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working with The Royal College
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parents & paediatricians together









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