

Board of Trustees

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Purpose/Summary

The Board of Trustees is asked to **note** this report.

Details

1. Please find attached list (Appendix 1). Ordinarily this only includes meetings taking place prior to the Board meeting but on this occasion I've included other meetings that will take place before the end of October. Obviously I'm happy to take questions / discussion on anything else which is not otherwise on the agenda.

Appendix 1

Summary of the Chief Executive's external actual and planned activities and meetings from Thursday 7 June 2018 to Wednesday 31 October 2018

Date	Event
7 June 2018	Met with Mary Douglas – Scotland Council Chair
7 June 2018	Attended MSS Board meeting
7 June 2018	Met with Huw Roberts – Cymru Council Chair
12 June 2018	Attended NHS England Empowering People and Communities Task Force meeting representing the MS Society
14 June 2018	Met with David Martin, CEO of MS Trust for regular periodic meeting
19 June 2018	Attended MSS fundraising event: La Traviata in Holland Park
20 June 2018	Met with Penniah Thompson, CEO of The Mentoring Foundation in connection with FTSE 100 Cross-Company Executive Programme
21 June 2018	Met with David Martin, CEO of MS Trust during his familiarisation day with MSS at MS National Centre
25 June 2018	Attended MSS Board Strategy Day
27 June 2018	Met with Aisling Burnand, CEO of AMRC
27 June 2018	Attended Richmond Group CEOs Meeting
28 June 2018	Met with Nicolas Ponset of Aleron
29 June 2018	Met with Mike Hemmingway, Board Member of Australian MS Society
5 July 2018	Met with Simon Gillespie, CEO of British Heart Foundation and fellow Richmond Group CEO
10-13 July 2018	Attended Progressive MS Alliance meetings in Dublin
13 July 2018	Met with Hilary Newiss of National Voices
17 July 2018	Met with Helena Herklots of Carers UK
24 July 2018	Interviewed by Jon Strum of MediaCom

26 July 2018	Attended England Council meeting
27 July 2018	Attended MSS Cymru Team Meeting as part of CEO staff engagement programme for 2018
23 August 2018	Met with Luke Thomas, MSIF
7 September 2018	Met with Caroline Abrahams, Charity Director of Age UK
7 September 2018	Attended NHS England Empowering People and Communities Task Force meeting representing the MS Society
11 September 2018	Attended MSS Information and Support Team Meeting as part of CEO staff engagement programme for 2018
13 September 2018	Attended a Care and Support Alliance Q&A session with Caroline Dineage MP for Chief Executives
17 September 2018	Met with Delyth Morgan of Breast Cancer Now and fellow Richmond Group member
17 September 2018	Attended Richmond Group CEOs meeting
17 September 2018	Met with Chris Askew, CEO of Diabetes UK and fellow Richmond Group CEO
21 September 2018	MSS Board meeting
22 September 2018	MSS AGM
23 September 2018	MSS Walk in Battersea Park
11-12 October 2018	Guest Facilitator at 34 th Congress of ECTRIMS
16 October 2018	NHS England Empowering People and Communities Task Force meeting representing the MS Society
25-28 October 2018	MSIF Global Networking meetings in Rome
30 October 2018	Stop MS Appeal Board meeting
31 October 2018	Guest Speaker at Cause4 Leadership Programme event