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RETIRED OFFICERS

OBJECT OF THE FUND

To assist members of the North West Police Benevolent Fund and their dependants who are in a condition of need and hardship. To provide for the relief of illness or injury through the provision of facilities for convalescence and rehabilitation.

SERVICES OFFERED

Convalescence/Treatment

As a police pensioner you will be able to remain a member of the Benevolent Fund at a reduced monthly donation of £4.00 – payable by standing order. You will be entitled to use the facilities of The Police Treatment Centres at Harrogate and Auchterarder, Scotland. The Benevolent Fund also keep some lodges separate to be used for convalescence purposes at Carnforth, Lancashire and Windermere, Cumbria. Convalescence breaks are also available at St Michael's Lodge, Langho, Lancashire however St Michael's Lodge is an adult only facility.

Lodges

The Benevolent Fund owns 12 lodges at two sites mentioned above, the 4 Carnforth lodges are based at South Lakeland Leisure Village and the 8 Windermere lodges are based at White Cross Bay Leisure Park. The lodges are also available for rental for holidays at reduced rates, they can sleep up to 4 or 6 people and adapted lodges are also available for wheelchair use.

St Michael's Lodge Hotel

St Michael's Lodge is also available for rental on a Bed and Breakfast basis however other meals are available on request

Physiotherapy Treatment

As well as The Police Treatment Centres, physiotherapy is available to members at St Michael's Lodge, Lancashire and Mather Avenue, Merseyside on a day patient basis for those members not able to do a residential stay at The Police Treatment Centres.

Loans and Grants

Members, their spouse/partner and dependant children including surviving spouse/partners who are in a condition of need may apply to the Fund for financial assistance. This could be by way of a loan or grant and is to alleviate suffering and assist in recovery, items such as mobility aids, adaptations to the home etc.

NOTE The Fund can't assist with residential care fees, private healthcare, private medical fees, private education fees or legal fees

For further information on all the facilities available to you as a member please visit our website at www.nwpbf.org - Booking of the lodges can be done via e-mail to jsmithies@gmpf.polfed.org

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