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yng Nghymru

Ageing Well  
in Wales



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| <b>What is it</b>                | <b>Lost in Art Project</b><br>Visual arts project for people with dementia and their families  |               |
| <b>Where is it</b>               | Ruthin Craft Centre, Denbighshire  |               |
| <b>Why is it interesting</b>     | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Widely recognised as a model of good practice in supporting people with dementia and their carers by providing a setting for enjoyable and beneficial creative activity and a social meeting place</li> <li>Intergenerational activity was valued by the children, people with dementia and their carers</li> </ul> |               |
| <b>Who is involved</b>           | Denbighshire County Council, Arts Council of Wales, Ruthin Craft Centre and a local junior school  |               |
| <b>Benefits for older people</b> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Improvements in communication, mood and memory despite the artistic procedure requiring new learning</li> <li>A positive environment for socialisation, self expression and engagement in meaningful activity</li> <li>A sense of purpose and achievement</li> <li>Expansion to other counties planned</li> </ul>   |               |
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