

**GIN FLACH**  
**VOLUNTEER DEMENTIA CHAMPION**

Gin Flach, Volunteer Dementia Champion at Hinchingsbrooke, has talked about some of the highlights in her volunteering role, which is based in the hospital's Cherry Tree Ward.

Gin said: "Whilst working on the ward every time I met one particular visitor she told me how wonderful the volunteers are and how much she appreciated the help we gave to her mum, who was in hospital for quite a number of weeks.



"I also recently helped a gentleman to eat his lunch as he didn't have the strength to do it himself. We chatted while he ate and he made me feel totally at ease so that it felt a completely natural thing to do. It was a pleasure to help him and was a very humbling experience.

"As well as helping to assist the patients I can help staff, I made a very tired HCA a cup of coffee recently and she called me an angel."