

**DASL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE
 2017**

<p>EBENEZER AKINSANMI</p>		<p>Ebenezer is a Disabled person and a carer and has been on the Committee for several years, as Vice-Chair in 2008 and Chair since 2009. He is active in the community in the Clapham Park area and has particular experience of working in the mental health and advocacy fields and campaigning on housing issues as well as serving as a school governor and advising on a number of international development projects. He is an active member of Healthwatch Lambeth and a local Patient Participation Group.</p>
<p>AMEENA BERKOWITZ</p>		<p>Ameena is a wheelchair user and manages her 24 hour live-in care. She works full time as a civil servant. She is one of DASL's original trustees and has served on the Committee ever since, for three years as Chair. She has watched the organisation grow, brings a user perspective to the Committee's work and has a particular interest in enhancing the charity's involvement in sport and physical activity for disabled people.</p>

**BOZ
BOROWY**



Boz is one of DASL's original trustees and is serving again for in 2017 to use his knowledge and experience to support DASL through what is a very challenging time for the organisation and the people it is here to help. He has long experience of voluntary organisations and their governance, having worked in the voluntary sector in Lambeth for over 30 years, primarily for disability organisations. He has recently retired after nearly 20 years service as Director of Lambeth Mencap.

**ISABELLE
CLEMENT**



Isabelle is a Disabled person and Lambeth resident and is one of DASL's original trustees, having served as treasurer and then Chair for 3 years. She has 25 years experience of working in the disability field, mostly in the voluntary sector including over 7 years managing Direct Payments services. She is currently the Director of the award-winning inclusive local cycling charity, Wheels for Wellbeing, to ensure Disabled people have access to cycling opportunities. As a local Disabled person she is 100% committed to enabling Disabled people in Lambeth to benefit from excellent support and advocacy and in 2017 is serving as a member of the Lambeth Equality Commission.

**TREVOR
CRITCHLEY**



Trevor is a Disabled person and has been DASL's treasurer since he joined the Committee, having previously been a user of the organisation's services. His background is in stockbroking and financial services in the UK and North America where he co-founded and led two other charities. Trevor has a particular interest in health services and his roles include Expert Patient Programme tutor, Fellow of Self Management Support (The Health Foundation) and Tutor and Assessor with its 'Co-Creating Health' programme, and member of the Diabetes Education Task and Finish Group (NHS England).

JUDY FINK



Judy is a Disabled person and has been on the committee for 11 years serving as both Co-Chair and Vice-Chair. She has extensive experience as an adviser to disabled students. She has also worked with different disability organisations in Lambeth for the past few years and is currently working part-time for Lambeth Accord on fundraising and business planning. She continues to contribute as a Committee member and feels that she has a lot of relevant experience, both personal and professional, which she hopes can be of use to the organisation.

**MICHELLE
ESEZOBOR**



Michelle is a Disabled person and the mother of three adult sons who have physical health problems and some learning difficulties. She joined DASL's committee in 2007 because she feels she can contribute by being a listening voice and because of her experience of finding it hard to access the support she needs to live independently and to bring up her children as a disabled parent. She has recently completed training as a counsellor.

**RAY
LUDFORD**



Ray is a member of Lambeth Pan-Disability Forum, an active trade unionist and a member of the local Trades Council and the Greater London Trades Council. "As a Disabled person resident in Lambeth all my life I am well aware of the realities of life in inner city London"