



## **For She's a Jolly Good Fellow!**

... and so say the Royal College of Chiropractors

**Westbury, Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> May 2015.** The Maristow Chiropractic Clinic is delighted to announce that Dr. Kay Pearce, Clinic Director, has been awarded a Fellowship of the Royal College of Chiropractors.

Fellows are elected to the highest level of membership available by a panel in recognition of their significant contribution to chiropractic. This honour rewards a dedication to improving the profession with a clear focus on self-improvement aimed at providing the very best chiropractic care.

In February 2013 Her Majesty the Queen gave permission for the College to change its name to The Royal College of Chiropractors. The Royal title positions the College in a similar role to that of the Medical Royal Colleges in terms of promoting high practice standards, certifying quality and thus securing public confidence.

On hearing of her Fellowship, Dr Pearce said "I was delighted when I received the letter! This honour came totally out of the blue, but is a real reward for the extra hours I've been putting in to study for my Ultrasound exams later this year. I can now add FCC to the other letters after my name... I might need to order some bigger business cards!"

The Royal College of Chiropractors is a professional membership body, and registered charity, promoting professional excellence, [quality](#) and [safety](#) in chiropractic with the following objectives:

- to promote the art, science and practice of chiropractic;
- to improve and maintain standards in the practice of chiropractic for the benefit of the public;
- to promote awareness and understanding of chiropractic amongst medical practitioners and other healthcare professionals and the public;
- to educate and train practitioners in the art, science and practice of chiropractic;
- to advance the study of and research in chiropractic.

The Maristow Chiropractic Clinic provides fully qualified, friendly and efficient chiropractic services to relieve joint and muscle pain, based in Westbury, Wiltshire.

Whether the condition is caused by sports or a gardening injury, wear and tear or general aches and pains we can help alleviate the symptoms with a personal plan and tailored treatment programme. There is no need to suffer back or joint pain longer than necessary.

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## **Notes for Editors**

Photograph – Dr. Kay Pearce

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### **About Dr. Kay Pearce, BSc (Hons) MSc, DC, ICSSD. Doctor of Chiropractic, Maristow Chiropractic Clinic**

Kay graduated from the Anglo-European College of Chiropractic in 2001 with an honors degree in human science and a Masters of Chiropractic. Following this she completed the International Chiropractic Sports Science Diploma (ICSSD) in Turin, Italy in 2006.

She worked in two busy Wiltshire practices until opening Maristow Chiropractic Clinic in 2003. The demand was such that expansion was required and in 2010 the Clinic moved to the larger, current premises where Kay works alongside Dr. Alec Dolman.

Kay has a special interest in treating sporting injuries and was selected as a “Gamesmaker” for the 2012 Paralympic games as part of the medical services team. She has worked trackside at numerous other national and international sporting events.

More locally, Kay has been the team medic for Trowbridge Rugby Football Club since 2004 where she is responsible for all pitch side first aid and both pre and post match treatments. Kay has been a European Instructor for Graston Technique and in 2012 formed Kinnective Limited with her good friend and former college classmate, Donna Strachan. Together with physiotherapist Mike Chisholm, the Kinnective team regularly instructs elite sports teams across the UK.

Kay is fully registered with the General Chiropractic Council (no.01280), is a member of the British Chiropractic Association and now a Fellow of the Royal College of Chiropractors.