

## UNISON

We have 3 West Sussex Unison stewards plus health and safety reps here at Grace Eyre. We meet senior managers to discuss employment and safety. Stewards take up personal matters for members and on occasions have supported staff through the grievance procedure and in disciplinary hearings.

UNISON West Sussex is a local government branch of over 6,000 members working for many employers. Although most Grace Eyre members work in the Brighton area now, the recognition agreement dates from staff at West Sussex County Council transferring over with the outreach contract.

Members are part of a Whatsapp group to discuss any issues arising plus receive a regular stewards report and a copy of the quarterly branch magazine "Branch Lines".

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3. Join online at [join.unison.org.uk](http://join.unison.org.uk) to pay subs by Direct Debit.

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