

# Storeroom News

## August 2020

### VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

Our volunteers are the reason we are here and open for everyone in our island community. Please speak to a member of our staff or give us a call on 01983 298679



**Our Patron, Fred Dinenage MBE**, is an English television presenter, broadcaster and author. He has a TV career spanning more than 50 years. Fred was appointed a Member of the Order of the British Empire (MBE) in the 2010 Birthday Honours.



Thank you for your support this month. By promoting re-use of furniture and household goods, we have together **saved over 12,700 kgs of perfectly good items from landfill** on our island. (That is about the same weight and maybe easier to imagine as **239 average large sofas** - whew!)



We have a **referral system** in place, enabling people in need to qualify for a discount on many of the items offered for sale at Storeroom. Please ask your support provider for further information. Also, Isle Help – Help through Crisis, will consider all applications for assistance for those experiencing genuine hardship. Please follow this link <https://islehelp.me/help-through-crisis/> A NON-CASH SCHEME



Storeroom Volunteers received The Queen's Award for Voluntary Service – this is the **MBE for Volunteer Groups**. TEAM **STOREROOM** 😊

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Storeroom2010 has a **website** with several pages giving information on us, our history and how we help our community. Please visit [www.storeroom.org.uk](http://www.storeroom.org.uk) over 211,000 views to date!