

**Enhancing lives and bringing communities together since 1961. Where no one is left socially excluded.**



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## WARWICKSHIRE SOCIAL INCLUSION PARTNERSHIP (WSIP) – CYBERKINESIS LTD • DIGITAL TRANSFORMATION PARTNER

RESTORING THE FINANCES, REVIVING THE BUILDING, RENEWING THE MISSION

### Objectives

Established in 1961, the Warwickshire Social Inclusion Partnership (WSIP) is a volunteer-led charity enhancing lives across the community — supporting older people, those with physical or learning disabilities, and people experiencing mental distress. They chose CyberKinesis as a partner who understood their grassroots, volunteer-led world. They needed help to:

- Support volunteers with email migration, hardware and IT infrastructure maintenance.
- Make functional spaces in their community building — including WiFi — fit to hire out to external users.
- Resolve years of late-filed accounts by introducing robust financial systems, including Xero.
- Secure funding for disability access and adaptations, including a stairlift opening up the first floor.
- Turn urgent, costly capital works into long-term net-zero investment — solar and air-source heat pumps.
- Provide bid and grant support to fund social group activities in the building.

### Challenges

A much-loved 1961 building had reached the point of dilapidation, with major capital costs looming to keep it safe and fit for the community. Trustees needed extra support to modernise and create new opportunities. WSIP wanted to work in partnership with like-minded charities to bring socially excluded people together in an area of high deprivation.

### Solutions

CyberKinesis embedded itself as a long-term digital partner, not a short-term consultant — managing all site IT infrastructure and supporting volunteers through dedicated support. We rebuilt WSIP's financial footing, introducing charity-specialist accountancy and Xero for robust cost-centre management and easier year-end accounts — lifting a burden that had threatened their funding eligibility. We then tackled the building itself: securing funding for disability adaptations and a new roof, and reframing expensive capital works as long-term net-zero investment. Working towards a low-bills, high-efficiency future.

## BENEFITS

### Finances Back on Track

New charity-specialist accountancy and Xero ended years of late filings, restoring grant eligibility and easing year-end for volunteers.

### A Building Fit for the Future

Secured funding for a new roof and disability access, including a stairlift that unlocked the entire first floor for users.

### Towards Net Zero, Lower Bills

An EPC and renewables strategy (solar, battery, heat pumps) is turning costly repairs into long-term energy savings.

### Connection Through Partnership

A joint gardening project gives isolated and mentally distressed users a place to come together — and keeps the grounds thriving.



*"CyberKinesis understood us as a volunteer-led charity from day one. They sorted our finances, secured funding for a stairlift and a new roof, and are helping us turn an ageing building into a warm, energy-efficient place for the community. They're a genuine long-term partner."*

### MIKE GREENWAY

Trustee