

Miles of smiles for Donccare driver

Matt Johnston

VOLUNTEER community bus driver Bronwyn Bass still laughs when she pictures the faces of her first passengers.

"It was a group of elderly men who got together for lunch," Ms Bass said.

"I think they were a bit shocked because it had been men only and I rocked up in my leather pants and with dyed hair. "But after they got to know me they basically adopted me; it's a fantastic group."

Ms Bass, of Doncaster East, is a volunteer driver

for Doncare's social support group, which runs programs for seniors in Manningham who have difficulty getting around or live alone.

The group is in desperate need of more drivers to help during winter.

Doncare social support worker Fran Mitchell said the service offered valuable assistance to elderly people in Manningham.

"These men and women are unable to access social activities without our help," Ms Mitchell said.

To volunteer or for information phone Doncare Social Support on 9855 9156 or 0400 907 615.



Volunteer driver Bronwyn Bass and social support worker Fran Mitchell are after more helpers to get behind the wheel.