

The Q&A

Born in Huddersfield, Dave Nunns, 39, has worked in the voluntary sector as a community worker, youth worker and development manager since he left university in 1996, he is currently Chief Executive of Healthwatch Wigan.

His obsession with motorbikes probably started with Junior Kickstart. His obsession with Morrissey definitely started in an English lesson.

In April 2015 he sets off on a 7,000 miles overland trip to the Indian Himalayas. He lives in Sale, South Manchester, with his partner Eejay and daughter India.

What is the trait you most deplore in yourself?

Caring about what others think of me.

What is the trait you most deplore in others?

Eating meat.

Property aside, what's the most expensive thing you've bought?

All together, my record collection.

What would your super power be?

X ray vision

What do you most dislike about your appearance?

The bald spot that wasn't there in my 20's

What is the worst thing anyone's said to you?

An ex-manager once told me I wasn't funny. Sanctimonious twat.

What is your guiltiest pleasure?

Gogol Bordello

What is your most unappealing habit?

Picking my nose.

What did you want to be when you were growing up?

Fireman. Or a clockmaker

What do you owe your parents?

When I needed transport for a job, they bought me my first motorbike at the age of 21. Never looked back from either.

To whom would you most like to say sorry, and why?

Genuinely, no one.

What or who is the greatest love of your life?

Eejay & India.

Who would you invite to your dream dinner party?

Andy, Mike, Johnny & Steven. I'd leave them to it.

What is the worst job you've done?

I once had to clean out the dead cockroaches from a student flat the week after Rent-o-Kill had been in.

What has been your biggest disappointment?

That it's been 13 years since I last went to India. Never dreamed it would be so long.

If you could go back in time, where would you go?

Early 19th Century, North of England. I'd follow Nedd Ludd.

What single thing would improve the quality of your life?

A cleaner.

How do you relax?

Tinkering in the garage.

What do you consider your greatest achievement?

Working full time in the voluntary sector for as long as I have.

What keeps you awake at night?

Richard Caulfield does all my worrying for me <http://goo.gl/Lbg8nt>

What is the most important lesson life has taught you?

It's nice to be important, but it is more important to be nice.

Who would play you in the film of your life?

Greg Davies or Fred Gwynne

What would be your fancy dress costume of choice?

I don't do fancy dress



Which living person do you most admire, and why?

A career in the voluntary sector means I've met hundreds. 'We are the Little Folk, We'

Have you ever said 'I love you' and not meant it?

It's not a phrase I've bandied about a lot.

How often do you have sex?

Over the next 3 months...doubtful.

What is your earliest memory?

Jumping off a step ladder and covering my dad head to toe in emulsion paint.

Which living person do you most despise, and why?

There's a long list

Where would you like to live?

Next-door-but-one.

Which word do you most overuse?

I use the F word like an adjective.

What is top of your bucket list?

I'm just about to tick it off.

Tell us a joke

Why did the monkey fall out of the tree? Because it was dead (thanks Rik).