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Welcome to issue 55 of the Westcroft Newsletter. As always we hope to create a Homely atmosphere with a friendly welcome, offering the best care possible.

Coronavirus (Covid 19)

We continue to be open for indoor visits. There are currently no restrictions on the number of visitors per resident. The visits still remain at once a week and only two visitors at one time. Visits are carried out via a booking system and all visits do require being pre-booked.

Visits are taking place in the Quiet Lounge. All visitors must have a lateral flow test at the Home and then wait 30 minutes for the result before being allowed into the Home. All visitors are asked to wear a face mask whilst visiting.

We thank all residents and their relatives for their patience and understanding.

Special events coming up

We are planning to re-introduce some external entertainers to come into the Home. We continue with in-house activities on a daily basis.

Thursday 12th May 2022
National Doughnut Day.

Friday 20th May 2022
World Bee Day.

Sunday 27th March 2022
Mothering Sunday.

Thursday 2nd June 2022 12.30pm
Platinum Jubilee Buffet Lunch.

Friday 3rd June 2022 2.30pm
Paul Gibson entertaining.

Sunday 19th June 2022
Father's Day.

Events

On Friday 20th May we will be celebrating World Bee Day. Please dress up in yellow and black stripes, or as a bee!

Her Majesty, The Queen is the first British Monarch to celebrate 70 year of service. We will be holding a Jubilee buffet lunch in the Home for residents and staff on Thursday 2nd June, around 12.30pm. On Friday 3rd June, Paul Gibson will be entertaining during the afternoon. Please come dressed up for the occasion wearing red, white or blue. We have already started to make decorations with the residents for the bank holiday weekend.

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Birthdays coming up:

Jean Palmer	7 th May
Julie Timmis	8 th May
Phyllis Micklewright	12 th June
Anne Eastwood	20 th June
Joyce Yates	20 th June



A birthday cake will be provided in the afternoon around 2.30pm and a buffet at tea time will be provided.

Easter Festivities

Our Ladies showed off their Easter bonnets they had made on Good Friday this year, and a lovely Easter cake was made by Karen, our Cook. On Easter Sunday the residents enjoyed a buffet tea.

Employee of the Month

For those that didn't know, we do have an Employee of the Month scheme in place. Staff can nominate another member of staff who has gone above and beyond their duties for that particular month. Residents, please feel free to make any nominations. All nominations need to be in by the last day of each month, in writing to the Manager. The staff member will be informed at the next staff meeting. The winner for March 2022 was Megan Mason.

Resident of the Day

This continues weekly on a Thursday and is going down well. As Resident of the day your choice of favourite meal for lunch is served and the activity of the day is also your choice or something you are interested in. This also gives the staff the opportunity to get to know you better.

Garden Update

We have recently had the back garden lawn re-turfed. The flower bed area has also been improved. New fence panels will be put in very soon. The garden now looks much better and we hope the residents can enjoy the lovely garden. Some photos will be on the website soon.

Group Website

Please feel free to have a look at www.3abcare.co.uk. You will find up to date news and photographs on the 'latest news' section, under the Westcroft Nursing Home tab.

You can also find information on our other Homes in the group. As part of ongoing quality and monitoring the group carries out quarterly internal auditing at all Homes. The results can be found on the wall in the main hallway.

Like us on
Facebook

We try to put up photos of all our events on the Facebook page as soon as possible to allow everyone to see their loved ones on these days. Please feel free to comment on these, unfortunately we cannot respond to personal requests.

Resident/Relative referral scheme

If you or your relative recommends a new resident to the Home you will be entitled to £250 worth of vouchers of your choice. As long the resident stays for a minimum of three months the vouchers will be given.

On Thursday 12th May we will be serving coffee and fresh doughnuts around 11am for National Doughnut Day – YUMMY!!!

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Any articles you would like to put in the next editions newsletter please pass on to Sue, Martin or email Ketan.patel@3abcare.co.uk