

NEWSLETTER

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WESTCROFT
NURSING
HOME



Exceptional
Excellence

UPCOMING SPECIAL EVENTS



Harry Potter Day- 2nd May

Armchair exercise with Nathan- 8th May

Coffee Morning at Redemption Community Centre- 14th May

Musical Moments- 16th May

Bee Day- 20th May



Armchair Exercise with Nathan- 22nd May

**1960's Themed Day & Prize draw for the fundraising- 24th
May**

**Armchair Exercise with Nathan(Aston Health and Fitness)-
5th June**

Magic Show- 12th June

King's Official birthday- 15th June

Father's Day- 16th June

Sing-along with Paul Gibson- 17th June

Potteries Museum Visit- Gladstone/ Middleport- 21st June

Musical Moments- 28th June



UPCOMING BIRTHDAYS

JULIE TIMMIS- 8TH MAY

REGINALD JENKINS- 22ND MAY

ANN CHALLINOR- 29TH MAY

PHYLLIS MICKLEWRIGHT- 9TH JUNE

MARGARET HEATH- 23RD JUNE

The birthday cake will be shared among the residents during tea time

PAMPERING & SELF CARE

Every Friday afternoon, the hairdresser visits our home, providing us with a valuable opportunity for self-care. During this time, we prioritize activities like hand massages and painting nails in colors of our choice. These moments of self-care offer our residents sensory stimulation, relaxation, and a sense of dignity and well-being.



We've expanded our exercise program to include two classes every month. One is a group session held in the lounge, while the other is tailored specifically for residents in their rooms. This allows us to cater to the diverse needs and preferences of all our residents, ensuring that everyone can participate and benefit from regular physical activity. Tony Boyle and Paul Gibson visit us regularly for sing along and to entertain us.

EXERCISE SESSION & ENTERTAINMENT CONCERTS

MUSICAL MOMENTS



The addition of Musical Moments to our activities schedule has been truly wonderful!

We now enjoy monthly sessions filled with interactive music, which consistently uplift the mood of our residents.

ST PATRICK'S DAY

Cultural events and themed days uplift our residents' spirits. For St. Patrick's Day our staff wore green and we enjoyed a lovely Irish dinner.



UNICORN DAY



EASTER CHURCH SERVICE

The Easter church service was a special occasion for everyone to gather and participate in Easter prayers, setting the tone for our Easter celebrations.

On Easter day, two of our staff dressed up as Easter bunnies, sparking joy throughout our community. We held a small Easter bonnet competition, with our dear resident Alan winning the prize.



Later in the afternoon, we had a delightful Easter egg hunt and enjoyed completing various Easter-themed jigsaw puzzles found inside those eggs.

ZOOLAB ANIMAL THERAPY

Our Animal Therapy Sessions provided residents with the opportunity to interact with various insects and animals, offering both education and sensory stimulation. From brave strokes to gentle holds, every moment was enjoyed and cherished.



POTTERIES MUSEUM AND ART GALLERY



Our visit to the Potteries Museum and Art Gallery was both fun and entertaining for our residents. They thoroughly enjoyed this local excursion.

BYGONES TEA ROOM



Our outing to Bygones Tea Room was truly special. We got the opportunity to take three of our residents to enjoy coffee with the Elizabeth cake and freshly made scones adding to the nostalgic 60s and 70s atmosphere. It was a fun and unforgettable experience.



DAY OUT

Our residents gathered in the dining room for a delightful afternoon tea, sharing various cakes and drinks amongst themselves. Witnessing their enjoyment of each other's company truly defines the success of these gatherings.



TEA AFTERNOON



WE ALSO HAVE DIFFERENT ACTIVITIES ON ALL DAYS OF THE WEEK. WE TAKE CARE TO ENSURE THAT THE ACTIVITIES WE PROVIDE THE RESIDENTS WITH HAVE PURPOSE AND RELEVANCE.



FUNDRAISING

We've launched another fundraising activity at our Home: "Guess the Number"! Spot the jar filled with water beads during your next visit, simply make a guess—or as many as you like—for £2 each, or get three guesses for £5. All proceeds will be directed towards enhancing the residents' fund. We'll conduct a prize draw on June 24th, with £20 and a bottle of NOZECO.

Margaret Connor won the prize for our Bonus ball fundraising guessing game. Our Chairman Arvind Patel handed over the prize money to her.

Our residents have occasional pre-booked appointments at hospital. It is much appreciated if the family members could accompany their loved ones for their appointments

EMPLOYEE OF THE MONTH

Nisha Kumary was awarded the employee of the month in February . Maria Luzecki was given the awarded in March.

**CONGRATULATIONS
FROM EVERYONE
AT WESTCROFT**



We recently celebrated our dedicated staff members who have devoted over a decade to our company with the Staff Loyalty Award. Among them is Sue, who began her journey with us as a nurse at Westcroft and later transitioned into the role of Activities Coordinator. To honor her incredible service, we organized a heartfelt send-off party. Chairman Arvind Patel presented the awards to our deserving staff members, followed by a delightful buffet dinner to cap off the celebrations.

RESIDENTIAL/ RELATIVE/STAFF REFERRAL SCHEME

If you or your relative recommends a new resident to the Home you will be entitled to £500 worth of vouchers of your choice. As long the residents stays for a minimum of three months the vouchers will be given.

Scan the QR Code to find our home. Here you can find up to date news and photographs of the Home, in 'latest news' section under the Westcroft Nursing Home tab



We try to update our social media pages with photos and videos of all our events as soon as possible to allow everyone to see their loved ones on those days. Follow us on facebook for more updates.

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