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Welcome to issue 47. We would like to wish everyone a Happy New Year. As always we hope to create a homely atmosphere with a friendly welcome, offering the best care possible.

Coronavirus (Covid 19)

Unfortunately we are still closed for visiting. There has been no further news as of yet when visiting can re-start. We will keep everyone updated as soon as we have further news. Once again, we do thank everyone for their co-operation and understanding.

Treat Days

These are continuing with a weekly rolling rota of Smoothies, Hot Chocolate, Ice Cream Specials and other treats which may be requested.

Special events coming up

All external events have had to be placed on hold whilst the Home remains closed to all visitors. We continue with in-house activities on a daily basis.

Monday 4th January 2021

Italian Day (National Spaghetti Day).

Wednesday 13th January 2021.

Sparkle Day.

Monday 25th January 2021.

Burns Night.

Sunday 14th February 2021

Valentine's Day.

Tuesday 16th February 2021

Shrove Tuesday.

Friday 26th February 2021

National wear something Red Day.

Themed Days

These continue with the first one of the year being Italian Day. On Monday 4th January it is National Spaghetti Day and we intend to be creative in the Home on the day on both activities and the meal at lunch time.

On Wednesday 13th January we are continuing with "Sparkle Day", this is a good excuse to get out those glittery tops again.

On Monday 25th January we will be celebrating Burns Night with Neeps and Tatties served with Haggis and Cranachan as a pudding.

In February, we will be celebrating Valentine's Day, Shrove Tuesday, and then Nation wear Red Day on Friday 26th.

JANUARY

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Birthdays coming up:

No Resident Birthdays in January 2021

Michael Hales	2 nd February
Margaret Connor	19 th February



Immediate family members are welcome to join your relative when they are celebrating a birthday. A birthday cake will be provided in the afternoon around 2.30pm and a buffet at tea time will be provided. Please inform Karen of numbers if you would like to celebrate with us or provide a cake for yourself!

Christmas Preparations and Festivities

We had been preparing for Christmas throughout December with the residents making Christmas cards for their loved ones, decorating baubles for the Christmas tree and making decorations for their own rooms.

We held our Resident's Christmas Party on Thursday 17th December, and with special permission Santa Claus visited with a small gift for each resident. A lovely buffet was provided for the residents and everyone had an enjoyable day.

A special menu was arranged for the Christmas and New Year period, so a special thanks to Karen the kitchen staff for preparing meals and buffets during this period.

Also, a Thank you to all the staff who dressed up for the special occasions making it even more special for the residents. Lots of photographs and videos were taken over the festive period and were posted on the facebook page so family could see their loved ones over the various days.

Elf Fun Day

We arranged on Elf Fun Day on the 4th December. Staff dressed up for the occasion and had fun with the residents. Hot chocolate with cream, marshmallows and chocolate were also served. This was enjoyed by many on the day and we will be serving this more often from now on. Making it a regular event, we also served this on Christmas Eve.



We would like to thank everyone again for the many gifts/treats the staff received during the Christmas period. We were overwhelmed with the amount we received this year and they were very much appreciated. Some photos were taken of just some the gifts and were posted on the facebook page.

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 have a facebook page for you to follow us on. This is continually being updated. The page gives details of the Home including activities, menus, and lots of photographs and other information about the Home. Please feel to 'like' us at www.facebook.com/westcroftnursinghome

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.

**A big Thank You to all the Staff
from the Director, Ketan Patel, and
the Care Home Manager, Martin
Rogerson.**

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