July/August 2022

Westcroft Nursing Home 3b Care Exceptional Exceptional Excellence

Welcome to issue 56 of the Westcroft Newsletter. As always we hope to create a Homely atmosphere with a friendly welcome, offering the best care possible.



We continue to be open for indoor visits. There are currently no restrictions on the number of visitors per resident. 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 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 inhouse activities on a daily basis.

<u>Thursday 7th July 2022</u> International Chocolate Day.

Friday 22nd July 2022
Theatre Shows.

Thursday 4th August 2022 Greek Day.

Friday 19th August 2022 2.30pm Tony Boyle entertaining.

Paul Gibson will also continue entertaining us, date to be arranged.

World Bee Day

We all had fun on World Bee Day. The residents helped to make some bee decorations during art and craft sessions. Staff dressed up in yellow and black and we had some chocolate bee's and Karen, our cook, made a lovely bee cake.

Queen's Platinum Jubilee Celebrations

On the 2nd June 2022 we all had a good time celebrating with a lovely buffet at lunchtime. On the 3rd June Paul Gibson entertained everyone. The Home was decorated with flags, photographs and bunting for the occasion.

Please see our website and facebook page for lots of photos of these events.

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Birthdays coming up:

| James English | 7 th July | | | |
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| Kay Palmer | 14 th July | | | |
| William Jones | 23 rd July | | | |
| Donald Maddocks | 26 th July | | | |
| Gordon Badman | 1 st August | | | |



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

Employee of the Month

Nurse, Florence Phiri, was our employee of the month for the month of May 2022. Congratulations to her from everyone at Westcroft.

Greek Day

We continue with our themed days with a Greek day on the 4th August 2022. Greek food will be on the menu. Please dress up for the day and we hope everyone will enjoy the occasion.

Theatre Shows

As you may be aware we have had Euan, a student, from Staffordshire University visiting the Home to chat to some residents. Along with some friends, he will be putting on a show for us based on some of the memories shared with him. We look forward to the production on 22nd July 2022.

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Seaside Day

We will be arranging a seaside day soon, weather permitting. A date will be confirmed. Please check the activities board for updates and join us for a "trip to seaside".



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.



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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.

International Chocolate Day

We will be serving various chocolate treats on the day. I'm sure this will be an enjoyable day.

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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