

GREETINGS FROM ST ANDREWS

AUGUST 2020

SUMMER TIME

The days seem to be flying by, and here we are in August. It seems strange to me , not to be organising a summer fete this year, or any kind of out and about activities. Boy, are we going to have to make up for this once the virus has passed us by. I think I will recall this summer as one of being wrapped in PPE most of the day, I wonder how my grandchildren will remember it. Do you have any summer memories of our residents that you would like to share with us? Holidays they may have taken or events that they may have organised? Please send them to me at activities.standrews@jasminehealthcare.co.uk and we can print them in next months newsletter. Summer pictures would be most welcome too!!



ACTIVITIES

As always we have been keeping busy here. Still no hairdresser allowed, but I must commend the carers for doing their best with the hairdrier and curling tongs .

We have done some arts and crafts, and continue to keep the raised bed weed free. It's growing well, and some of the residents enjoy going out and watching the progress of the beans and turnips as well as the plants

Bingo remains a popular passtime, and this month we have tried musical bingo too. I keep trying to come up with new ideas for games, and we tried our version of trivial pursuits this month, which was fun. We also had our own sports day, and residents tried their hand at golf putting, darts, basketball, and the egg and spoon race, among other crazy activities. All those who had a go received a hand made rosette and a hearty cheer.

We also had our own Songs of Praise, which was very popular, and which we will definatly do again . any suggestions for favourite hymns would be gratefully received!

I have added some pictures of all of these activities to show you, but you can see more if you have a look at our facebook, where you can keep up to date with all that we do.







BIRTHDAYS

In July we had a couple of birthdays, as can be seen below .



Eva



Kathy

There was another lady who had a birthday on the 21st , but she has declined to be mentioned on this page .

New starter champions

Our new starters and their champion buddies managed to grab a few minutes to catch up this month. This brilliant facility allows them to have someone to speak to if they have any problems in the workplace, or if there is anything they are unsure of. It also allows them an extra cuppa and a biscuit when they have their meetings!!



Please continue to follow us on facebook, and if you like what you see, or would like to leave a rating for us , please do so at www.carehome.co.uk , we love to see your comments .

THANK YOU ALL - once more

The gifts that you keep sending to us never cease to amaze me. In these worrying days, that you still find the time to send us treats and thoughtful gestures , is amazing .

We really do appreciate every single one of them, from the lovely lady who has made us face masks, to the scouts that have made us pencil holders and bought us biscuits, and all of you that have gifted treats and lovely things, we thank you from the bottom of our hearts





And finally, a brain teaser for you. can you find us all?

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