

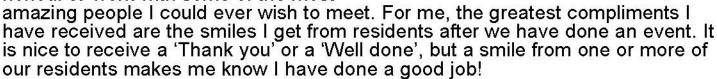
## 12 Wonths on and a Lot has changed

Hiya,

Well! 12 months ago, I nervously produced my first newsletter after taking over as the Activities Co-ordinator at St Andrews.

There have been a lot of changes since I took over as well! We have a new monarch in King Charles. Staff at St Andrews have come and gone. Management at St Andrews have come and gone also. We also had our roof changed!!! Thankfully, the one thing that hasn't changed are our lovely residents.

It has been an absolute pleasure and an honour to work with some of the most



It has been hard work at times, like organising the Queens Platinum Jubilee Summer Fate, which raised well over £600, which was then matched pound for pound by Jasmine. It was also hard on the few occasions we had to lockdown due to Covid, but we got through it all and have come out the other side all guns blazing.

I would like to say a special thank you to our wonderful team members and management at St Andrews, who have given me the support and respect I have needed to do my role to the best of my ability. I wouldn't have been able to do it with them.

I am looking forward to doing it all over again next year!

So on behalf of all of the management and staff at St Andrews, I would like to wish you all a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!





## Do you fancy working for Jasmine Healthcare?

#### Why should you join Jasmine Healthcare?

- Staff Rewards through incentives
- All staff paid above National Living Wage
- Short notice Shifts covered are paid at a higher rate
- We fund your Diploma in Care (NVQ's) we also financially reward our team for achieving these qualifications, by paying them a one-off incentive for obtaining one, and by taking these qualifications into account during their pay review
- Holidays paid on all overtime
- Incentives on training completed within a month of joining us. (one off)
- Bonusly Point based reward platform (Convert points to cash vouchers!)
- Refer a friend scheme earn up to £500 for Care staff & up to £1000 for referring Qualified nurses!
- Joining bonus of up to £500!
- Incentives for CQC Compliance



## DEESMBER SVENTS



Tickets, £1.00 per strip To be drawn on 19th December

We would be grateful for any prizes to be donated towards this years

Christmas raffle

All proceeds go to the Residents Fund

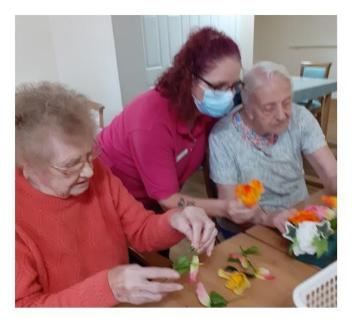
# Christmas Diary

8th December is Ebristmas Jumper Day
9th December Jack & the Beanstalk Pantomime from 2.00pm
14th December Earols with Kirkby la Thorpe School Ebildren 1.45pm
15th December Sing-a-Long with Trevor 2.00pm
16th December St Andrews Eburch Earols Service from 6.30pm
19th December Raffle Prize Oraw 2.00pm

#### **Activities in November**









At the beginning of November, we thought it would be nice to have a hands on activity. We bought some artificial flowers and made some table decorations. Jenny, Betty, and Connie did an amazing job with their creations. They have certainly brightened up the home.



#### **More activities**









November 11th is always a poignant time of the year, for we all remember what has been and why it is this way today. After the 2 minutes silence we then set to making some poppies remembering in our own way. The residents did a fantastic job all helping each other, from drawing round templates to cutting them out and putting them all together.

WE WILL REMEMBER THEM!

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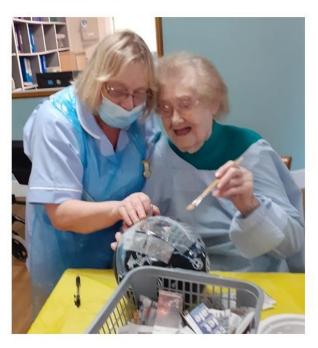




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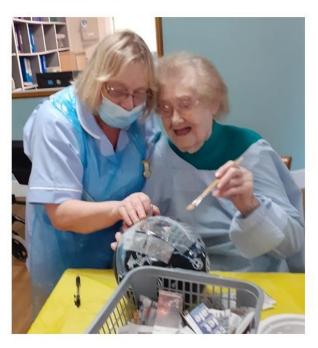
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CANDY CANES TREE **JOLLY** JACK FROST **GINGERBREAD SNOWFLAKE CRACKERS** MANGER **CHRISTMAS** MERRY **FRIENDS DECORATIONS** NATIVITY SANTA CLAUS **GIFTS FAMILY** ANGEL

# WE HOPE YOU HAVE ENJOYED DONG OUR CHISTWAS WORD SEARCH LOOK OUT FOR WORE NEW WORD SEARCH PUZZLES IN THE NEW YEAR