

COUNTRY VIEW NEWS

Monthly Newsletter



WELCOME

by Maggie

It's a joy to see that evenings are becoming lighter which is a sure sign that spring is on its way. The garden is "springing" into life with the snowdrops and daffodils bursting through.

Sunday 9th March, will see Kettering hosting it's first half-marathon road race which is passing around the Nursing Home. Our very own Clinical Lead - Christina as well as the GP for the Home - Dr Kapur are both taking part and we will them both the very best of luck.

We had our Kitchen & Food Inspection on 28th February from the local Environmental Health Inspector and we were awarded a 5 Star Rating - the highest rating. Well done to Matt for his continual hard work and efforts in taking so much pride in his work and the kitchen.

Our Summer Fete is back this year - it will be held on Saturday 5th July from 2pm a date for your diaries! Our Activities Team are busy planning the event with further details to follow.

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ACTIVITIES UPDATE

Last month we welcomed children from a local Nursery School to the home as part of their “Random Act of Kindness” initiative. It was a joy to witness the children interacting with our residents as they decorated cup cakes together. The children treated us to a Sing-a-Long to end the visit and as a thankyou. The Nursery contacted us to say that the “children were buzzing” full of news of their outing to the rest of their friends. A relationship forged with another visit in the diary.

When you next visit the home, do take a moment to check our “What’s On” Board for details of what is happening that day, and also for the month. Any input or feedback is most welcome on our Activities provision in the home.

Do come along with Chatter and Natter each Friday at 2.30pm - a chance for residents, their families and friends to get together over a cup of tea and cake.

STAFF NEWS

We welcome to the team

Vicki - Carer
MacKenzie - Domestic Assistant

We congratulate Paul on his recent new role as Activities Co-ordinator

RESIDENT MEETING

Reminder that our resident & resident families meeting
Friday 14th March 2025
2.30pm.

TRIP DOWN MEMORY LANE

Children's TV Wordsearch
This week's cognitive resource encourages you to reminisce and discuss children's TV you remember from growing up.

Have a go at finding all the children's TV shows and characters in the wordsearch below!
Solution on the next page.

BLUE PETER
BOBTAIL
CAPTAIN PUGWASH
JACKANORY
MAGIC ROUNDABOUT
MUFFIN THE MULE
THE DOGLES
RAG TAG
SOOTY
STINGRAY

M	A	G	I	C	R	O	U	N	D	A
L	U	Q	N	A	J	F	R	M	S	Q
E	O	J	M	P	Y	D	A	V	I	L
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STAFF TRAINING

This month sees our care staff undertake training on all aspects of Oral Healthcare.

This important element of personal care is a crucial part of care that our Carers support our residents with.

Experts will be sharing best practice, practical exercises as well as sharing legislation and hints and tips.

