

A WARM WELCOME TO OUR SUMMER 2024

Quarterly Newsletter



Struan Lodge CARE HOME

Manager's Introduction

Summer is in full swing, bringing with it a range of exciting events and activities. We are very happy to share with you all the latest news, as our calendar is always packed with great opportunities for our residents to make the most of each day and season.

Also, if you know someone who would like to receive our email newsletters/updates just let us know, or forward them the newsletter sign up link below:

Newsletter Sign-Up Form

Best wishes

Monique McBeath Home Manager

Music is the Spice of Life



Happy Times!

Margaret and Isobel recently attended a special performance by the Scottish Chamber Orchestra. It was a delightful experience as they listened to the talented musicians play beautiful music.

Our residents also had a great time at an ABBA themed party held at another care home in our group, Manor Grange.

We've arranged for entertainers to come in for sing-along and karaoke sessions. Dougie and Tony have been conducting music therapy sessions for the residents, creating a joyful and engaging atmosphere.



All Creatures Great and Small



Welcome Visitors

In May, Zoolab visited us, bringing with them a variety of fascinating creatures and animals for our residents to admire and interact with. It was a truly astonishing and exciting experience for everyone.

Additionally, our residents had the pleasure of spending time with ponies and guinea pigs during pet therapy visits in June and July. The interactions brought immense joy. These lovely animals brighten everyone's day with their charming presence, creating heartwarming moments for all to enjoy.



Out and About



Fresh Air & Sunshine

Residents had the opportunity to enjoy a ride with Lisa from Joy Rides on her rickshaw, allowing them to breathe in some fresh air and take in the surroundings. Joy Rides prides themselves on bringing joy, exhilaration and fun to older people in Edinburgh, through supported bike rides. Due to its success, we've already rebooked Lisa for another outing soon.

We also organised outdoor coffee dates and evening walks for our residents, providing them with the chance to relax and enjoy time outside.



Engaging Activities



Keeping Busy

Our new cinema room has been the perfect venue to host viewings of the Euro's Football Tournament and Wimbledon, which was thoroughly enjoyed by residents.

The knitting and crocheting group has been busy exploring different patterns and creating beautiful squares.

The arts, crafts, and reading clubs have been actively participating in various reading and crafting sessions, fostering creativity and engagement.

Our cooking club members have enjoyed preparing delicious treats like chocolate cakes, mocktails, and fruit skewers.



Upcoming Activities

In the upcoming months, we have planned a range of engaging activities, including joy rides, a barbecue party, coffee dates, music therapies, and short trips for our residents to look forward to.

Celebrations



Birthday Wishes

We recently celebrated the birthdays of Ian, Eleanor, George, Brian, Alison, and David with staff and family, creating special memories and spreading joy.

Staff News

A Warm Welcome

We'd like to extend a warm welcome to Samba Bah – Clinical Lead, who joins us from another of the Care Concern homes.

Care Assistants starting this month are – Chloe, David, Lara and Lynn. A big welcome to all and we will help them become part of the Struan family.

We also have a few new staff waiting to join us in the next few weeks and look forward to introducing them when they start.

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