



INTRODUCTION

Message From Our Manager

We are delighted to share our first newsletter of the year from Struan Lodge, highlighting some of the enjoyable activities, special events, and memorable moments our residents have experienced recently. From festive celebrations and creative sessions to welcoming new team members and visits from some furry friends, it has been a busy and joyful time in our home.

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Best wishes,

Angela Sinclair
Home Manager

COMING UP...

Dates In The Diary

- 🎵📧 **Burns Day** – Sunday 25th January
- 🎹🎵 **Piano Player** – Tuesday 27th January
- 🎵🎧 **Music Therapy Session** – Monday 2nd February
- 👶👩 **Nursery Visit** – Wednesday 4th February
- 💖👶 **Valentine's Day** – Saturday 14th February
- 🐷💖 **Guinea Pig Visit** – Monday 2nd March
- 🌸💖 **Mother's Day** – Sunday 15th March
- 🐣🌸 **Easter Sunday** – Sunday 5th April

ACTIVITIES & EVENTS

Baking Delights

Here at Struan Lodge, our Baking Club has continued to be a firm favourite. Residents love the opportunity to get involved in making and baking a variety of sweet and savoury treats, which are then enjoyed together with a nice cup of tea. The sessions are relaxed and sociable, encouraging conversation and teamwork. Recently, residents made some delicious cheese scones, which were thoroughly enjoyed by everyone.



Christmas Party

Our residents absolutely love a party, and the Christmas celebration was no exception. The day was filled with music, laughter, and festive cheer, with live entertainment from Dannie Feels Good encouraging residents, family members, and staff to dance and sing along together.

Everyone also enjoyed taking part in Christmas-themed games, including Reindeer Hoop Toss and Christmas Bingo, which brought plenty of smiles and friendly competition. The celebrations were topped off with a delicious buffet featuring peri-peri chicken, sausage rolls, and a range of festive treats. It was truly heart-warming to see residents having such a wonderful time.



Christmas Pantomime

Before Christmas, residents were treated to a wonderful pantomime performance of Jackie and the Beanstalk, which brought lots of laughter, excitement, and festive cheer. The colourful costumes, lively music, and humour created a joyful atmosphere that everyone thoroughly enjoyed.

Residents joined in by clapping, singing along, and laughing at the classic pantomime moments. It was particularly lovely to see residents reminiscing about pantomimes they had seen in years gone by. The event brought together residents from Struan Lodge, other Care Concern care homes, and staff members, creating a warm and inclusive festive celebration.



Arts & Crafts

Arts and crafts sessions continue to be enjoyed by our residents, offering opportunities for creativity and self-expression. For Remembrance Day, residents created beautiful poppies using templates and tissue paper. The activity encouraged meaningful conversation and reflection, with residents sharing memories and stories while working together.

The finished poppies were proudly displayed around the home as a thoughtful and respectful tribute, helping to mark Remembrance Day in a meaningful way.



Guinea Pig Visit

We were delighted to welcome some very special visitors when guinea pigs came to Struan Lodge. Residents had a wonderful time cuddling and spending time with them, with lots of smiles and laughter throughout the visit. Animal visits always bring comfort and joy, and this visit was thoroughly enjoyed by everyone.



MEET THE TEAM

New Staff Member

We are pleased to welcome Robert Rix, who has joined Struan Lodge as our new Business Administrator. Rob joins us from our sister home, Trinity House Care Home, and brings with him a strong passion for administration and organisation. He is keen to put his skills to good use and is already becoming a valued member of the team.

EXTERNAL LINKS

Social Media

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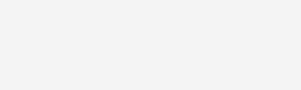
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