GLENVIEW NURSING HOME

May's Newsletter





Dear families and friends,

I hope this finds you well. Please find enclosed the activities that we have coming up in May. The activity timetable is subject to change as we want to keep it person-centered, however, any external activities coming into the home will remain unchanged.

We have been having lots of quizzes this month including questions and answer ones, a themed one on Heritage Sites and Monuments and sound quizzes.

We've also been doing a bit of baking; we made some Rice Crispy Cakes that had marshmallows in that were shared around to the residents for afternoon tea.

There have been games of Kerplunk and, we had an ongoing activity where residents and staff shared what pets they had or have. Pictures that looked how their pets were described were put up on our gallery wall with a description given underneath by the resident or staff member. It was so lovely to see and hear about people's furry or scaley companions. Amongst the mix we had cats, dogs, fish, guinea pigs, cows, rabbits, and a donkey!

We have continued to go to church and for refreshments afterwards with the congregation. Last time we were present for the celebration of someone's birthday! When the days are sunny or at least no rain we have been out for walks to the park. We have also been making flowers out of coffee filters which involved painting them, letting them dry, folding and then opening them out into a flower, they were then places in a couple of vases.

There was another live performance from singer Chris! Terry requested him to play some Aretha Franklin which he did, and Bobby sang in front of everyone using the microphone. It was a fun atmosphere with dancing!

We enjoyed an afternoon playing The Dice Game where residents roll a dice twice, add up their score and the first one to reach 100 wins. Liz was the winner!! We had an afternoon where Abi played the ukulele and sang songs and we also listened to lots of songs from YouTube. To celebrate St. George's Day, we made England flags but then thought why stop there so we made a flag of every nationality that works and lives at Glenview. We also had a tea party to celebrate with hot drinks and cake with one of the dining tables decorated and we played a game of Scattergories

Each month we will include a contribution from a resident in our newsletter so now over to Lynette...

"Will you please note, I am 81 years of age, I have two children. My son is 60 (this

year) and my daughter was 54 on my birthday. And please note, you learn something

every day. My mother said, "Think before you speak and speak when you're spoken

to.""

In May we have singer Shannon performing on the 1st at 10.30am and G-Fitness with Deborah on May 3rd at 1.30pm. All are welcome to join.

This month we welcomed residents Peter and Betsie. We also welcomed Jerico our new nurse to the Glenview family.



~happy birthdaye

This month we celebrated Roger's, Graham's, and Lynette's birthdays!















		1 10.30AM: Live Performance from Shannon PM: Mayday Celebrations – Making Flower Crowns	2 AM: Spring Walks	3 9.45AM: Zowie the Hairdresser In 1:30PM: G-Fitness with Deborah	4 Music and TV	5 Music and TV and Celebrations!
6 AM: Sing Along! PM: Drawing Flowers	7 Music and TV	8 AM: Singing Sea Shanties PM: Cricket in the Park	9 AM: Royal Family Discussion	10 AM: Sensory Food Activity PM: Bingo	11 Music and TV	12 10AM: Trip to Church PM: Making Paper Windmills
13 PM: Play Your Cards Right	14 AM: I-Spy PM: What Jobs Did You Have?	15 AM: Looking at Birds of Prey PM: Painting	16 AM: Ball Games	17 AM: Snap! PM: Spring Walks	18 Music and TV	19 Music and TV
20 AM: Donuts and Chats PM: Making Tea Party Decorations	21 AM: Add a Caption to the Picture PM: Tea Party for International Tea Day	22 AM: Quizzes PM: Origami	23 AM: Virtual Visit to Durdle Dor and Jurassic Coast Discussion	24 Music and TV	25 Music and TV	26 10AM: Trip to Church PM: Sensory Activity in the Quiet Lounge
27 AM: Residents Activities Meeting PM: Board Games	28 AM: Folklore & Customs, Legends & Myths and Quiz PM: Snack Cart	29 AM: Group Crossword PM: Celebrate National Biscuit Day!	30 AM: Guess the Scent	31 AM: Quizzes PM: Celebrations!		

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