

Anastasia Lodge

Autumn newsletter 2023

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From Home to Home Walk



What an eventful Summer it has been! Our residents have been making the most of the sunny days, enjoying time in the garden and venturing out to local attractions including the delightful Forty Hall Farm and Broomfield Park – our residents really enjoyed getting out and about!

Summer has brought our garden to life, and you might have noticed our Loquat tree, known as the "Mespilia" in Cyprus, in our front garden. It's a rarity in the UK, and it's even more uncommon to

see it bearing fruit. Fortunately, we had a plentiful harvest and enjoyed every bite!

Our staff members and residents have been actively sharing their cultural heritage with each other. From global cuisines to dance performances, residents have had the opportunity to learn about different customs. They experienced the art of henna decoration, a beautiful tradition from India, and indulged in delicious Caribbean cocktails as part of this enriching cultural exchange.

Looking ahead to Autumn, our activity team is hard at work planning seasonal events, including spooktacular Halloween festivities and preparations for the upcoming festive season.

Norma Dimaiwat, Registered Manager







A walk in aid of Alzheimer's Society



Join us for a 4km stroll between our care homes, starting at 1.30pm on Saturday 7 October 2023, from Anastasia Lodge. The guided walk is entirely wheelchair accessible and should last around 1 to 1.5 hours. We will pass through the charming Grovelands Park and down along Southgate High Street before concluding our walk at Autumn Gardens, where we invite you to spend the afternoon together with us enjoying refreshments and delicious cakes!





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Join us and help make a difference!

Celebrating our staff

Every season we highlight staff who have gone above and beyond to help support residents and staff.



Raminder Kaur Care Assistant

Raminder's compassion, attention to detail and dedication helps us to create a warm and nurturing environment for our residents. Raminder's excellent care makes her a valued member of our team and her dedication to enhancing residents' well-being is genuinely inspiring. Keep up the great work!

Our trip to Broomfield Park









Autumn calendar of events

Key events that residents can look forward to this Autumn alongside our daily schedule.

SEPTEMBER 2023

16 September - Oktoberfest This German festival is now a worldwide phenomenon celebrating Bavarian culture and flowing pints of beer. Cheers!

21 September - World Alzheimer's Day

We are sharing knowledge about dementia and raising funds with a sponsored 4km walk (see page 3) 21 September- Live entertainment with Luke

Residents can sing along to some of their favourite songs!

29 September – Macmillan Coffee Morning

Residents will enjoy tea and cake at the world's biggest coffee morning in support of Macmillan

OCTOBER 2023

1 October - International Day of the Older Persons
Promoting the development of a society for all ages
2 October- National
Grandparents Day
A special day to celebrate the bond between family members **31 October - Halloween** Spooktacular Halloween festivities!

NOVEMBER 2023

5 November - Guy Fawkes Day Firework themed activities
12 November - Diwali celebrations
We will have crafts and activities to celebrate the festival of light
12 November - Remembrance
Sunday
We will watch the Service of
Remembrance in memory of those
who have lost their lives
13 November - World Kindness
Day
Sharing world-wide messages of
positivity from our postcards of

positivity from our postcards o kindness wall

16 November - Live Greek music Residents will be up on their feet dancing along to traditional music!
30 November - St Andrews Day Scottish food and activities to celebrate Scotland's official national day!

Internal birthday celebrations continue

Thank you to all our amazing staff

Celebrating recent birthdays!

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Happy Birthday!











From Home to Home Walk

Join us on Saturday 7 October 2023





1.30pm start at Anastasia Lodge





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