

Hinstock Manor

What's New?

October 2022



Halloween Fun

Residents had great fun making Halloween decorations to decorate around the Home, lots of craft work was enjoyed by all.

Decorating Halloween cakes, which the residents helped to make, was a busy messy afternoon with lots of fun and laughter from the residents.

Halloween themed food was served from the kitchen, and pumpkins adorned the home. A great time for everyone.



Church Visits

Continue to be enjoyed by Residents.

Two of the local churches now visit us regularly,

Residents engaged in talking to Clergy, and

Joining in with their Prayers and Hymns.

At the last visit the congregation had increased necessitating using the main lounge instead of the usual cosy small front lounge, this may have contributed to the residents singing more heartily! Lovely to see them so happy enjoying the service.



Movies and Popcorn

This month we have had more 'Movie Days'.

Residents have enjoyed DVD films including "The Adams Family", "The Kings Speech" along with a variety of TV films.

Afternoon tea watching a good film lifts the spirit and brightens everyone's day.

The small front lounge is an ideal room for creating a 'movie experience' for the residents.



Crafts and Artwork

Residents have been busy making things out of paper / origami. Many of their handmade items have been put on display, either around the home or in the resident's individual room.

Knitting has been reintroduced to the residents, our "knit and natter" group may be reformed!

One resident is already knitting lots of bob-hats which she is hoping to sell, staff are already putting their request in for a personalised hat!



Minibus Trips

The Residents once again enjoyed a drive through Shropshire villages and country lanes, they were lucky to have had beautiful sunshine for their day out

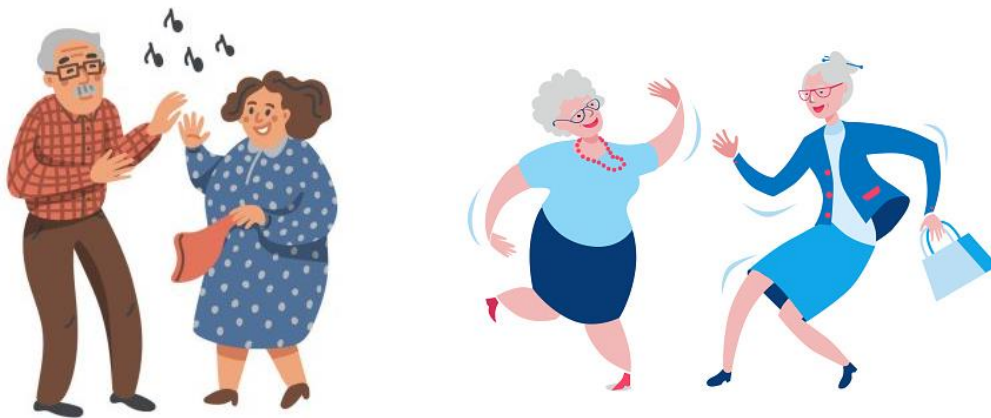
A trip on the minibus to Bridgmere Garden Centre, was also enjoyed by residents, with a cup of tea in the café to round off a thoroughly happy afternoon



Entertainers

Residents and staff always enjoy days when we have live entertainers, this month we had a return visit from entertainer Paul Watkins, as always residents enjoyed the nostalgic 50's and 60's music which they enjoy singing along to and dancing, again a very enjoyable afternoon for all of us.

Ian, the maintenance man, spent an afternoon reading stories to the residents which they all loved, we're sure the residents will want Ian to do more 'Storytime days'



Activities

A wide range of activities are always available, and Katie keeps residents busy throughout the day. For those residents who prefer quiet time Katie arranges room visits for a one-to-one activity.

On warm sunny days Katie takes residents out for little walks around Hinstock.

Bingo is as popular as ever with regulars always eager to participate, the front lounge is an ideal setting for the 'Bingo Hall'!

The front lounge is very adaptable, on quieter days an ideal room to sit and read a good book or magazine or for residents to just sit peacefully



Happy Birthday

Four of our residents had birthdays this month, which will be celebrated with lots of cards, cakes, and candles.



"Happy Birthday"

To our Lovely Birthday Residents

