News from St George's

After waiting so long for the Summer to arrive, it seems that another few months have flown by and Autumn is in full swing. Things are certainly changing around here as we see more visitors to the home, new residents and new staff members.



Covid News

We have all started to receive our covid booster jabs for our staff and residents which will help to protect us all into next year. The continued efforts of everyone at the home has ensured a clean 'Covid bill of health' so far and we are optimistic that this will continue. We would like to thank all visitors to the home for following our procedures to ensure that St Georges remains a safe place to live and work.

Activities

Activities are an important part of the day at St Georges and many of the residents look forward to our afternoon sessions where they can join in with games and quizzes, socialise and have fun. Some of our activities over the summer have included armchair travel to Canada, Russia and Hawaii, flower

arranging, pastel art, talks on lighthouses reminiscing about food and holidays and lots of singing and dancing. The residents have been really uplifted by the return of live music to the home we have been lucky to have



been visited by, among others, the D-Day Dollies, The Sundaes, and Dave Harris and his accordion who all performed safely outside the lounge

window. Music has a positive effect on the residents and they love to sing along to old favourites from the past.







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Birthdays celebrated over the summer

- Colin and Iris in May
- Dorothy in June
- Geoff in July
- Freda, Tony and Dinah in August







Celebrations

It has been a very busy summer of sport. We enjoyed the Football World Cup, cheering England into the final, the British Lions Rugby Tour, Wimbledon and of course, the Tokyo Olympic Games.





All events were enjoyed and watched eagerly by the residents. We also had fun watching Royal Ascot. As part of our activities we had a talk on the history of Ascot, played horse racing in the lounge and even made our own hats for Ladies Day!

Goodbye and good luck

Some of our very special staff have left St Georges to pursue other paths. Our very own dancer, Baileigh secured a place at dance school in London, Emily is off to university, Ellie starts her career as a Teaching Assistant in a school and Leah is starting a career with the NHS. Michael, our cook has also moved to the capital to progress his career in food, while Sarah is taking time to devote to her art. We wish them all the best in their new endeavours.

Future Events:

As the nights draw in, our residents are looking forward to celebrating harvest, Halloween and Bonfire Night. We have lots of special activities and events planned right up to Christmas to ensure the residents continue to have fun and make memories.

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