

Welcome

Dear Residents and Relatives

Welcome to the July edition of the Wells House Nursing Home newsletter!

We hope you've all been keeping cool, staying well hydrated, and making the most of the sunshine (while finding the nearest bit of shade when needed!). It's been a very warm few weeks, and we're pleased to say our residents have been enjoying the summer safely.

As always, thank you for your continued support, kindness, and involvement in life at Wells House. We hope you enjoy reading about everything we've been up to this month!

Entertainment and Activities

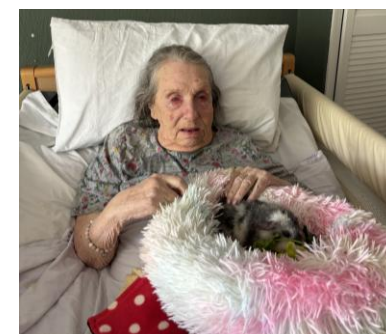
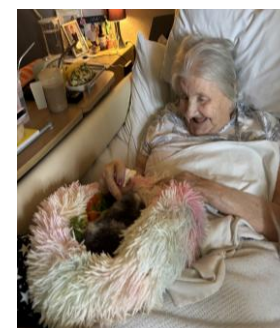
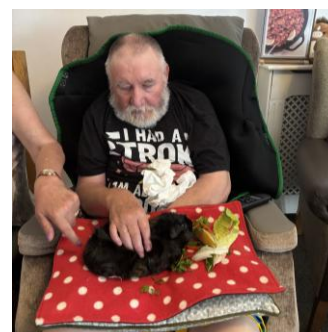
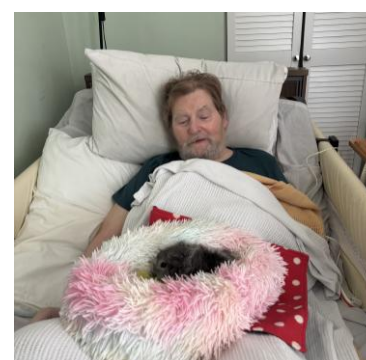
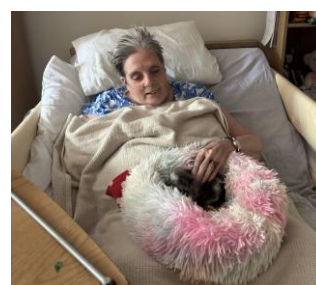
This month, we have celebrated two of our wonderful residents' birthdays.

One birthday we celebrated with the lovely resident and with Gee Wizz singing to her, followed by a cake and a special gift. The birthday lady requested for Glenys to go round and sing to all her friends in the home.

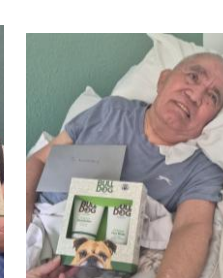


We celebrated one of our gents at the end of the month, with his very own (non alcoholic) bar, games and music.

We were very pleased to have the cuddly cavies back and to see how their new arrival is getting on!

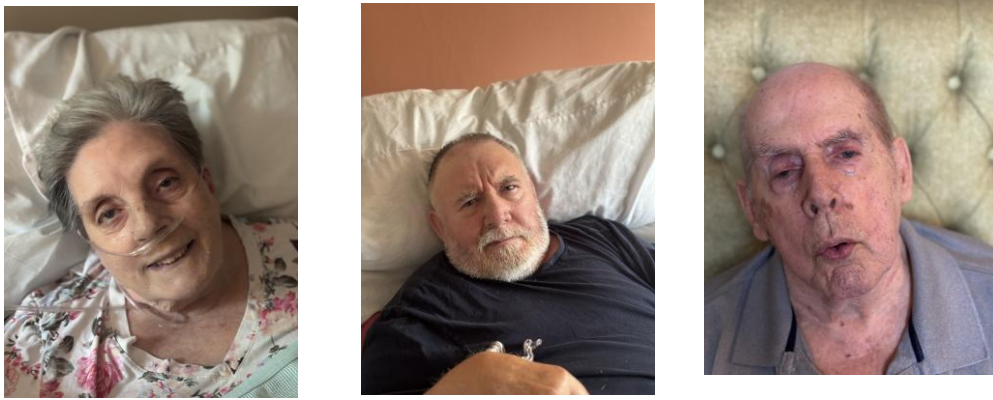


To celebrate Father's Day, we treated some of our wonderful gentlemen to a few well-deserved gifts, followed by an ice-cold, alcohol-free Guinness, which certainly went down a treat! There were plenty of smiles, good conversation, and even a few requests for a second can!



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Below are a few photos of our residents looking fabulous after being treated to a fresh cut and style by the wonderful Kaya.



Our furry friend Cooper unfortunately broke his leg this month, so our residents got creative and made him a heartfelt "Get Well Soon" card. We also put together a little hamper full of treats and delivered it to him. We're pleased to report that Cooper loved all the extra fuss, and we wish him a speedy recovery!



A few extra photos of our residents enjoying some 1:1.



It was wonderful to welcome the children from Little Oaks Nursery back to Wells House for another visit. They joined our residents for some fun World Cup-themed games, bringing plenty of energy, laughter, and a little friendly competition! Before heading off to begin their exciting new adventure at 'big school', the children presented us with a beautiful thank you card. We wish them all the very best and know they'll do brilliantly!



Before Cooper's little accident, he came in to visit us and, as always, he was an absolute joy to have around. He brought plenty of smiles, wagging tails, and the usual Cooper charm!



We were delighted to welcome Glenys back to entertain our residents with a wonderful afternoon of music. Before long, the rooms were filled with beautiful singing voices, happy smiles, and a few enthusiastic performances! There's nothing quite like a good singalong to lift everyone's spirits.

Home and Staff News

- This month, we're delighted to officially welcome Waisu and Justina to the Wells House family as full-time members of staff after previously working with us in bank roles. We're also pleased to welcome Anjitha, Arjun, and Prabhul, who have joined our growing bank team.
- Many of you will have noticed that our lounge refurbishment is well underway. We're giving it a fresh new look with new flooring, a smoother ceiling, and relocating the radiators to the corners of the room to create a brighter, more spacious environment for everyone to enjoy.
- We know not having access to the lounge has been a little inconvenient, and we'd like to thank everyone for their patience and understanding while the work is completed. Like any home improvement project, it's taken a little longer than expected, but we're confident the finished result will be well worth the wait and provide an even better space for residents and families to enjoy together.
- Alongside this, we're also adding extra storage along the top floor corridor, which is progressing well and will help keep the home even more organised.
- We also had our lovely new signs installed!



Also, many of you will already know Mahesh, who has been a familiar face around the home. We are pleased to announce that he is now working with us as our full-time Registered Manager.

For this month

Can you believe we're already in July? The year seems to be flying by, and we're already busy putting the finishing touches to plans for our much-anticipated Summer Party. We can't wait to celebrate with everyone!

July is also a busy month for birthdays, and we'll be celebrating with Sheila, Phil, John, Ann, and Chris. We hope each of them has a wonderful day filled with cake, laughter, and plenty of birthday wishes.

To kick-start the month, we're looking forward to welcoming students from Stowting School, who will be spending time chatting with our residents about school life, their hobbies, and what it's like growing up today. Intergenerational visits are always a favourite and bring so much joy to everyone involved.

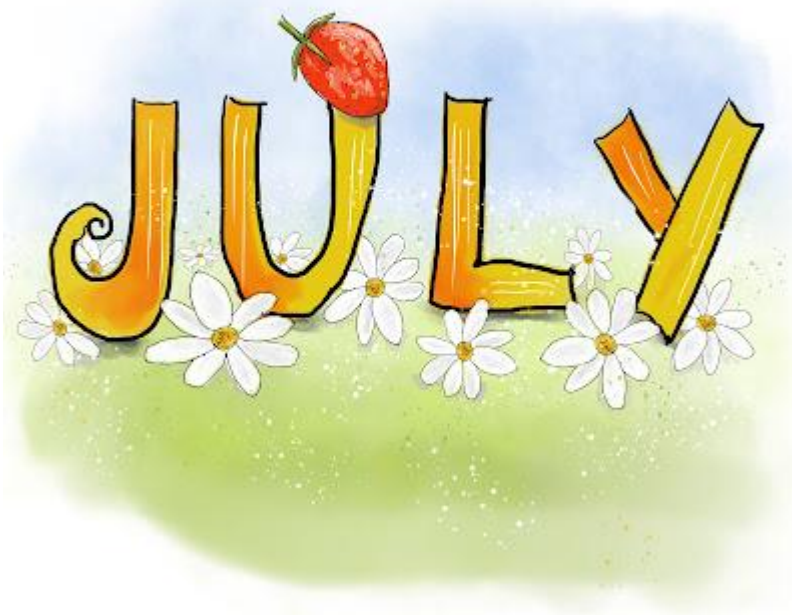
Following a very popular performance, Glenys will be returning by special request to help celebrate Sheila's birthday with another afternoon of music and singalongs. We know our residents will be delighted to have her back, and we're looking forward to celebrating everyone's special days throughout the month.

We're also hoping to welcome back our four-legged visitors! Jenny the dog will be returning for her regular visits, and we're keeping our fingers crossed that Cooper has made a full recovery and will soon be back to brighten everyone's day with his wagging tail.

Finally, a gentle reminder that we're still gratefully accepting raffle prize donations for our Summer Party. If you have anything suitable to donate, please hand it to Melissa.

If you haven't already, we'd also appreciate it if you could RSVP as soon as possible so we can make sure there's plenty of food, refreshments, and fun for everyone. Please remember grandchildren are welcome, and we have a limited amount of parking permits so please secure your spot asap. We can't wait to celebrate with you all!

July sunshine, warm and bright,
Filling every day with light.
Friendly chats and laughter too,
Happy moments shared with you.
A gentle breeze, an ice cream treat,
Smiling faces that we meet.
Here's to days both kind and sunny,
Filled with love, and just a little funny.
From all of us at Wells House, we
wish you a wonderful July.



Our Mission

Our goal is to provide compassionate, person-centred care that meets the physical, emotional, and social needs of everyone in our care, by creating a supportive and nurturing environment

July

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
		1 st Make something for the children	2 nd School visit 10am/Jenny visit 2pm	3 rd Glenys singing 1:30pm	4 th American independence day!	5 th Pet remembrance day
6 th Nail care day	7 th Add pictures to your albums	8 th Let us do a jigsaw puzzle	9 th Sit in the garden	10 th Make a pina colada mocktail	11 th Watch the football	12 th Watch a film
13 th Hand massages	14 th Let us draw a summery picture	15 th Make your own keyring	16 th Summer wordsearch	17 th Guess the flavour of the ice cream quiz	18 th Listen to some soothing music	19 th Watch the world cup final
20 th Let us play scrabble	21 st Flower arranging	22 nd Crossword time	23 rd Jenny visit	24 th Bingo in lounge	25 th Read a book	26 th Watch something on BBC
27 th Nail care day	28 th Balloon tennis	29 th Make some decorations for the summer party	30 th Jenny visit	31 st Let us do a painting		