

Bethesda Eventide Times

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Hello and welcome to our newsletter for September 2023.

As always we have had lots going on in August that we are pleased to be able to share with you in this months newsletter.

We all enjoyed our family fun day, and were so glad that so many of you were able to visit. It all went brilliantly, and we were treated to some lovely weather too. We are very grateful to all who contributed to our fun day in any way, including all your kind donations. We raised £1400, which will go towards all of the fun activities that we are able to put on for our residents.

There are many pages of photos from our fun day which we hope you will enjoy looking through - the hardest part was choosing which ones to put in, we took hundreds!

We have plenty planned for September, please see our main theme days to the right, you are more than welcome to join us for any of our activities!

We hope you all enjoyed the holiday period, and continue to enjoy the warm weather into September, we certainly will be!

We hope you enjoy September's newsletter!

from all at Bethesda Eventide Homes

September Dates

September 5th

Cheese Pizza Day

September 7th

Brazil Independence Day

September 12th

Make your own Milkshake

September 16th

Oktoberfest

September 19th

Talk like a Pirate Day

September 21st

Mini Golf Day



Arts & Crafts

The activities team always have plenty planned for those who are feeling creative. This month we made some stained glass windows, and some jewelled elephants for Indian independence day



If you know of anyone who may like to receive our newsletter, please get in touch with the home so we can add them to our mailing list. Thank you!





September Quiz

We hope you enjoy our September quiz, these occurrences all happened in the month of September ~ Answers will be included in next months newsletter!

1. In September 1953 John F Kennedy married Jacqueline. What was Jacqueline's maiden name?

2. Over a three day period 13000 houses were destroyed and 6 people killed in which catastrophic September event in 1666?

3. In 1609, Henry Hudson was the first European to discover which densely populated New York borough?

4. In 1822, Brazil declared independence from which European country?

5. On September 11th 2001, one of the worst terrorist attacks in history was carried out against the United States. Who was the President at this time and what were they doing at the time of the attacks?



6. On 1st September 1939, Germany started World War II when it invaded which country?

7. In 1620, a small ship with 102 passengers set sail for America. The pilgrims finally set foot in Plymouth 3 months later. What was the name of the ship?

8. In 1810, Chile declared it's independence from which European country?

9. In 1893, which southern-hemisphere country was the first to grant women the vote?

10. In 1829 the first British police force was established in London. They became known as 'bobbies', why?



11. Which American Rock Band released the song “Wake me up when September ends” in 2005?



If you see a photo in our newsletter of a loved one and would like a copy of it, please get in touch with the home so we can provide you with the original.

Family Fun Day 2023









BETHESDA
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FIRE WORK NIGHT

FRIDAY 3rd NOVEMBER 2022

Join us from 4:30pm for:

BBQ

Hot Chocolates

Sparklers

Fireworks





Carehome.co.uk is an excellent tool for supporting people in choosing a care home. If you would be willing to leave a review on this site, this would be most welcome.



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The name of the ninth month of the year - September, comes from the Latin word “septem”, meaning “seven”, because in the Roman calendar it was the seventh month.

September is the only month with the same number of letters in its name as the number of the month: it is the ninth month and has nine letters.

The Romans believed that the month of September was looked after by the god of the fire and forge - Vulcan. Therefore, they expected fires, earthquakes, and volcanic eruptions in this month.

In many parts of the world, September is the first month of autumn and it is associated with the beginning of school.

One Day In September, about the murder of 11 Israeli athletes at the 1972 Olympics, is the only film with September in the title to win an Oscar.

In 1752, September had only 19 days in the UK. The 3rd-13th were omitted in the change from Julian to Gregorian calendar. People living in Britain, America and other English colonies went to sleep on the night of Sept. 2, 1752, and when they woke up the next morning it was Sept. 14, 1752. Because the people thought the government was trying to cheat them out of 11 days of their lives, there were riots in villages.

September 2, 1666, was a terrible time for the city of London. A raging fire broke out within the older section of the city, completely destroying all it touched within the ancient Roman walls. What's most surprising about this tragedy is that there were only 6 recorded deaths!



We have a Homes Facebook page! We will post regular updates regarding activities within the home etc. and we hope it will enable people to have further insight into the day to days occurrences at Bethesda Eventide. Please feel free to join the page and invite others also.



Come on England

A number of our residents have enjoyed cheering on the Lionesses on the way to the World Cup Final! It was a source of great excitement, and everyone was very proud of the team - well done Lionesses!



Bethesda Bakery



Very often there is a smell around the Homes that would make Greggs jealous. Many of our residents love to do some baking and cooking. There is always plenty to go around and they are very much appreciated by all - thank you ladies!



It is with great sadness that we include the news of the passing of James "Jim" Wheeler since our last newsletter. Jim will be very dearly missed by us all.

Jesus said to her, "I am the resurrection and the life. The one who believes in me will live, even though they die; and whoever lives by believing in me will never die. Do you believe this?" **John 11 v 25 & 26**



Very unusually we didn't have any birthdays to celebrate in August.

In September Christine will be enjoying her birthday. We look forward to sharing photos of her birthday celebrations!



The LORD himself goes before you
and will be with you;
he will never leave you nor forsake you.
Do not be afraid; do not be discouraged.

Deuteronomy 31:8



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