

Bethesda Eventide Times

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Hello and welcome to our newsletter for August 2024!

July was once again a busy month, filled with lots of events and activities, including our fun day. The event was enjoyed by almost 200 guests, and we raised over £1,100. Thank you to all who joined us, and helped set up and run the event!

We have plenty planned for August, please see our main theme days to the right, you are more than welcome to join us for any of our activities! Children are also more than welcome to visit us to join in, so if they fancy a summer holiday visit to Eventide, they are most welcome!

In August we will be holding our first ever Dog Show! We are anticipating many dogs joining us for what should be a fun afternoon! If you are able to join is then please let us know, if you or anyone has a dog you would like to bring, then you would all be very welcome, again just let us know!

We hope you enjoy August's newsletter!

from all at Bethesda Eventide Homes

August Dates

August 5th

Chocolate Chip Cookie Day

August 9th

Jamaican Independence Day

August 15th

VJ Day Tea Party

August 16th

Indian Independence Day

August 22nd

Beach Day

August 27th

Dog Show

August 20th

Magic Marion



Fun Day 2024

A huge thank you to everyone who joined us for our annual fun day. It was a day enjoyed by us all, and as you will see there was a lot to enjoy! From Elvis to Ice creams, and Splat the Manager to a petting farm, there was something for everyone!









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!



August in History

A lot has happened in August throughout the years! Please see some interesting occurrences that have taken place within the month. There are some more to be found in our wordsearch in this months puzzle!



3 August	1926	Britain's first set of electric traffic lights appear on the streets of London.
4 August	1914	Britain declared war on Germany in support of Belgium and France.
5 August	1962	Nelson Mandela imprisoned for attempting to overthrow South Africa's apartheid rule.
6 August	1881	Birth of Sir Alexander Fleming, Scottish discoverer of penicillin.
7 August	1840	Britain bans the employment of climbing boys as chimney sweeps.
8 August	1963	Britain's Great Train Robbery – £2.6 M stolen from Royal Mail.
14 August	1945	Japan surrenders to the Allies, ending the Second World War.
22 August	1485	Richard III becomes the last English king to die in battle, killed at Bosworth Field in Leicestershire.
23 August	1940	The first night of the Blitz as German planes bomb the city of London.
24 August	1875	Matthew Webb (Captain Webb) started his attempt from Dover in Kent, to become the first person to swim the English Channel. He reached Calais, France at 10.40 am the following morning, having been in the water for 22 hours.
27 August	1900	Britain's first long distance bus service begins between London and Leeds. The journey time being 2 days!
31 August	1900	Coca Cola is sold for the first time in Britain.



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.



Bethesda Olympics

To celebrate the beginning of the Paris Olympics, we hosted our very own Olympics, in the form of a sports day for Dilly's Day Care, They had a sack race, relay race and egg and spoon race amongst others - it wasn't long before staff and residents were joining in too!







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ANNUAL DOG SHOW 2024

Tuesday 27th August
2pm

PRIZES INCLUDE

BEST FANCY DRESS
PRETTIEST POOCH

| BEST TRICK
| WAGGIEST TAIL



Wedding Memories

We enjoyed reminiscing about weddings with Sheila and Fiona, sharing photos and even wedding dresses! We all enjoyed sharing memories of our special days together.



Congratulations

A very big congratulations to Destiny who got married at the end of July.

We hope they had a lovely day and we are sure you would like to join us in wishing Destiny and Ceiran many happy years together!



Keeping Active

We have regular armchair exercise sessions to keep us active. On one occasion Lester from the kitchen was doing the tea trolley, and decided to lead our session! The activities staff continued with the tea trolley whilst Lester put us through our paces!



PUZZLE FOR AUGUST

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AIR CONDITIONING

FIRST WORLD WAR
STARTED

GOLFING

HUMID

MONA LISA STOLEN

PICNICS

RED CROSS FOUNDED

SWIMMING

AMUSEMENT PARKS

GATHERINGS

GREAT TRAIN
ROBBERY

LEMONADE

OXYGEN DISCOVERED

POOL

REUNIONS

VACATION

COLUMBUS SET SAIL

GEM STONE AGATE

GRILLING

MARTIN LUTHER KING
SPEECH

PARKS

PRINCESS DIANA KILLED

SECOND WORLD WAR ENDS

VICTORY OVER JAPAN

FESTIVALS

GLADIOLUS

HOT

MODEL T
FORD

PARTIES

RAINLESS

SUNSCREEN



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.

Baby Shower

We enjoyed celebrating with Beth as she was preparing to go on maternity leave.

We played baby bingo, enjoyed some nibbles and also match the member of staff to their baby photo! We had lots of fun, and would like to wish Beth well as she temporarily leaves us for maternity leave.



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.

In July we celebrated with Shirley and Hazel!

In August we don't actually have any birthdays within the home - this doesn't happen often so we will have to find different reasons to enjoy lots of cake!

Happy birthday Shirley and Hazel!



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