

Bethesda Eventide Times

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Hello and welcome to our newsletter for August 2025!

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 £1,000. 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 second annual Dog Show! We are anticipating many dogs joining us for what should be a fun afternoon! If you are able to join us 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 4th
National Chocolate Chip
Cookie Day

August 12th
Seated Zumba

August 15th
VJ Day Tea Party

August 18th
Indian Independence
Day

August 22nd
Picnic in the Park

August 27th
Annual Dog Show



Fun Day 2025

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!





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.



Celebrating 60 Years of
Bethesda Eventide Homes

Sunday 7th September 2025

**Join us for a service of thanksgiving at
Bethesda Baptist Church at 10:45am before a
hog roast lunch and “open home” at Eventide**

**Please save the date – we would love for you
to join us!**



Bethesda
Eventide Homes

Bethesda
Baptist Church

Out and About...

We continue to enjoy our “day out Wednesdays” and have had lots of lovely summer trips—as you will see, they very regularly involve coffee and cake!



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.



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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.

PUZZLE FOR AUGUST

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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

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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.

Chocolate Day

It was a day for those with a sweet tooth as we celebrated national chocolate day. Don't tell anyone, but we had chocolate for breakfast, dinner and tea! Everyone was picked their favourite chocolate bar which they enjoyed too!





Fruit Skewers

We were struggling to keep cool during the hot period we recently enjoyed. A couple of ladies made fruit skewers for everyone and they were delicious! Not only did they taste great, they helped us all keep hydrated too!



In July we enjoyed celebrating with Shirley, Hugh and Hazel—happy birthday!

We do not have any birthdays in August—which doesn't happen often!



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