ASHBROOK COURT
CARE HOME

Summer Newsletter

As the splendour of summer begins to wind down, the treasured memories and experiences we've shared over the past few months fill us with warmth and appreciation. I hope taking a look back at these cheerful moments brings you a little sunshine.

Summer fun

Our summer fete brought residents, families and the local community together for a fun-filled afternoon in the sunshine. Residents soaked up the lively atmosphere and enjoyed plenty of traditional fayre favourites, from hook a duck, tombola and cornhole to some very soggy fun with wet sponge throwing! There were tasty burgers and hotdogs from the barbecue, with candy floss for a sweet treat. It was wonderful to see everyone joining in the fun and residents spending quality time with loved ones.

Bill and Nikki say 'I do'

Our resident Bill and his partner Nikki celebrated 20 wonderful years together by finally saying 'I do' in a beautiful wedding at Ashbrook. After Bill shared that one of his biggest wishes was to marry his long-term partner, our team helped him plan a surprise proposal before bringing family, friends, residents and team members together for their special day. It was a joyful and emotional occasion, filled with love, laughter and plenty of celebrations. We were delighted to play a part in making such a special day possible for Bill and Nikki and to see them surrounded by the people who mean the most to them.

Celebrating England

Back in June, our monthly Language Café celebrated England, perfectly timed with World Cup fever! Residents tucked into traditional favourites including pie, mash and liquor, Victoria sponge and scones with clotted cream and jam. Hits from the Spice Girls, The Beatles and Elton John had everyone singing along, while residents became royalty for the day, with their very own royal guard. Our Language Cafés are a wonderful way to celebrate the diverse cultures within our home, while bringing everyone together for laughter and good company.

Giving back

In June, a few of our residents enjoyed giving something back to the local community by volunteering with 3Food4U, a charity providing food, home essentials and clothing to anyone in need. Our residents rolled up their sleeves and helped tidy baskets and organise shelves, taking pride in doing their bit to support others. We've developed strong links with our local community, creating meaningful opportunities like this for residents to stay involved, feel valued and continue making a genuine contribution to local life.

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Notes of thanks

"All staff know mum's likes and dislikes and show lots of consideration. I want to thank Ashbrook for all their support."

Joyce

"From the moment my wife arrived we felt the love. Everyone is so kind and welcoming to residents, family and friends."

David

"Thank you so much to Ashbrook Court for making my nan feel so welcome and for going above and beyond."

Dani

With love

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