

Peasmash Place Newsletter

Farewell to the OT Students

In December, we sadly said goodbye to Hannah and Jess. Both made a wonderful impact during their time with us, with support from Activities Co-Ordinator Kim, bringing fantastic ideas and energy to the home—ideas that will continue to thrive.

Thank you, ladies, for everything you've contributed, and we wish you the very best on your next adventure!



Christmas Decoration



Our table was overflowing with arts and crafts supplies as residents spent a delightful morning creating beautiful tree decorations for the drawing room. With Christmas music playing softly in the background, everyone embraced the festive spirit and enjoyed a creative, joyful time together.



A December Full of Song



December was truly a month of music and joy! We welcomed both the Ladies Choir and the Children's Choir, who filled the home with beautiful Christmas carols. Residents were toe-tapping and singing along, sharing in the festive spirit. To make the season even more special, KT Bruce and her husband joined us for our very own In-House Christmas Carols, where staff and residents came together for a heartwarming sing-along.

Meet the team!



This month, we're delighted to introduce our Care Co-Ordinator, Karyn Cook. Karyn has been part of Peasmash Place for almost four years.

Starting as a full-time Day Care Staff member, she now works closely with Home Manager Emma, overseeing all aspects of care. Karyn is currently reviewing care plans for all residents to ensure the highest standards of support.

Since joining us, Karyn has completed her NVQ Level 3 and is now working towards her NVQ Level 4 Adult Practitioner qualification—a fantastic achievement that reflects her dedication to professional growth.

Outside of work, Karyn enjoys family life, walking her dog, reading, and keeping fit whenever she finds the time!

Christmas Party



Our dining room was brimming with family and friends as we came together for a wonderful Christmas Party. Laughter and joy filled the air while everyone enjoyed a delicious Christmas dinner. In the afternoon, Rocking Reg brought the house to life with fantastic entertainment, rounding off a truly festive celebration. Where we were also entertained with some dancing from our Naughty Elf Noel!



Fish and Chips Treat

The Flying Fryer rolled up in his mobile van on a blustery, wet Thursday to serve freshly cooked fish and chips for everyone to enjoy. The dining room fell wonderfully quiet as residents tucked in—plates were cleared, and bellies were full!



December Birthdays



This month, we celebrated two very special birthdays!

First, Maureen marked her incredible 99th birthday with a delicious homemade cake lovingly made by our Cook, Lin.

Next, Cath enjoyed her 90th birthday surrounded by family in the Boudoir, complete with an abundance of balloons and another scrumptious cake to share.

We hope both ladies had truly wonderful celebrations!



What is on in January

Drawing Room Decorating – Week Commencing 5th January.
Residents Meeting- Thursday 15th January
Burns Night Celebrations – Sunday 25th January.

Robert Burns
Scottish poet
Scotland's national poet Robert Burns is recognised the world over for his work focusing on universal themes of love and nature.

