



May 2017



Holiday Guests During:

- ***Fred Whittaker***
- ***Joan Worrall***
- ***Joan Hand***

Birthdays:

- ***Dorothy Castle***
3rd May
- ***Gladys Andrew***
15th May
- ***Vera Stark***
19th May
- ***George Heavyside***
22nd May
- ***Charles Ward***
23rd May



THE HEWLETT COURT NEWSLETTER

New Friends and Old Friends

Make new friends, but keep the old;
Those are silver, these are gold.
New-made friendships, like new wine,
Age will mellow and refine.
Friendships that have stood the test
Time and change are surely best;
Brow may wrinkle, hair grows grey,
Friendship never knows decay.
For 'mid old friends tried and true,
Once more we our youth renew.
But old friends alas may die,
New friends, must their place supply.
Cherish friendship in your breast
New is good but old is best;
Make new friends, but keep the old;
Those are silver but these are gold.

Grand National Sweep Stake

Hewlett Court had a sweep stake for the Grand National. Residents and staff paid £1 and drew a horse at random. The lucky winners were as follows:-

1st Place – Dorothea Crompton £25

2nd Place – Margaret Crompton £10

3rd Place – Richard Burke £5

Easter Bonnet Parade

Throughout March and April, Debbie arranged Easter Bonnet making sessions with the residents. Many residents joined in and made some outstanding bonnets that looked amazing. Residents then joined in the Easter Bonnet Parade that took part on Sunday 16th April. The gorgeous baby Millie – Julie Ward's granddaughter even came to watch the parade. A winner and two runners up were chosen by the Chairman of The Comforts Fund – Mr Charles Ward. Everyone's bonnets looked great and a lot of effort was put in to make them look as good as they did. I am sure you will agree they all look bonny and brilliant. The winner and runners up are as follows:-



1st place
Joan Marsh



2nd place
Margaret Pemberton



3rd place
Sybil Best







Spring Party

This year's Spring Party was held at Stanley House in Audenshaw. Many residents joined the ELMC beneficiaries and Officers and had a lovely 3 course meal followed by entertainment. A wonderful evening was had by all. Photographs will be featured in next month's newsletter.

Welcome

We would like to welcome Dorothy Castle to Hewlett Court. Dorothy is a new resident. I am sure you will all make her feel welcome. We would like to wish you all the best and a happy and healthy future in your new home.

Electrical Appliances

We previously asked all residents when vacating their rooms to ensure all electrical appliances and lights are switched off. We have noticed that there are still lights and appliances being left on when the room isn't being occupied. This is a health and safety issue when they are left on and no one is in the room. It is also a cost to Hewlett Court.

We would also like to bring to your attention that a number of residents are wedging their doors open. This is not allowed due to fire regulations. Can you please make sure all doors are not wedged open. This is for your own safety. Thank you for your understanding.

Look who is 60!

The chairman of The Comforts fund Mr Charles Ward will be turning sixty on 23rd May. I am sure you will join me in wishing him all the best. We hope you celebrate in style and enjoy your special day.



Midnight Walk

The time is nearing to when Team Hewlett take part in the Bolton Hospice Midnight Walk. The girls are training hard for the eight mile sponsored walk. All funds raised will be going to a great cause- Bolton Hospice, which a number of people involved at Hewlett Court hold dear to their hearts. There is still time to sponsor the team. If you would like to do so please speak to a member of the management team at Hewlett Court.

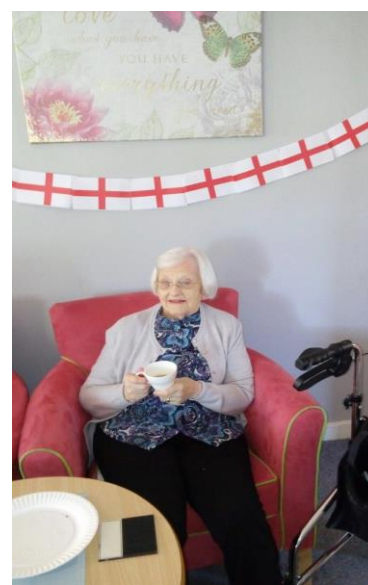
Newsletter

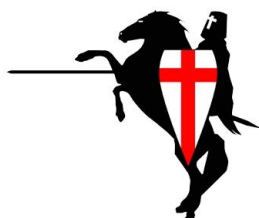
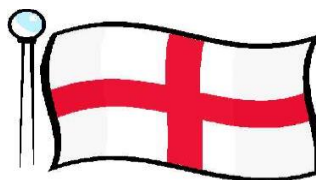
If any resident's friends and families would like to receive Hewlett Court's monthly newsletter please feel free to pass on their email address to Debbie or ask to have one printed for yourselves to pass on. Any newsletters that are sent via email please feel free to forward to friends and family. Thank you for your continued support.



St George's Day

On Sunday 23rd April, the residents of Hewlett Court celebrated St Georges Day with Scones with jam and cream and a cup of English tea. The scones were made by Hewlett Court's weekend cook Mariya Abi and they were delicious! Everyone enjoyed the afternoon.



More from St George's Day*Sad News*

Sadly Laurie Clapham, a former resident of Hewlett Court passed away on 6th April. Laurie will be sadly missed by all who knew him. For all funeral enquiries please speak to the management team.

Maintenance

Could all residents please inform management of any jobs that need carrying out in your room instead of approaching the maintenance men. All jobs need to be logged with management before they are carried out.

Avon

Rachel Cookson is now an Avon representative, if residents or families and friends would like a brochure please speak to her. Avon sell a range of products including beauty products, kitchen utensils, clothes, bags, jewellery and much more.

Gardening Club

We will be arranging a gardening club to take place for all those green fingered residents that would like to take part with garden activities around Hewlett Court. During the sessions we will be planting and making garden related ornaments to make the court yard and the surrounding gardens around Hewlett Court look pretty. If anyone would like to join us in the gardening club please speak to management. If anyone has any ideas regarding the gardens, please inform Debbie.



Happy Birthday Ken!

Ken Ward celebrated his birthday on Friday 28th April. Kens daughter brought a birthday cake in for Ken to share with the residents of Hewlett Court. Staff and residents sang happy birthday to ken and had a slice of cake with their tea. We hope you had a lovely day Ken! Best wishes from everyone at Hewlett Court.



Sunday Activities

On Sunday afternoons Pauline Goddard – one of Hewlett Courts weekend General Assistants will be taking part in activities with the residents. The activities will be a variety of things including board, games, dominoes, jigsaws, ball games and much more. If any residents would like to take part please join Pauline in the lounge at 3:30pm, on Sunday afternoons.



shutterstock · 97934156

Indian Take Away Night

On Wednesday 26th April an Indian take away was ordered from Asha Indian in Tottington, Bury. Residents enjoyed tucking into curries of their choice with helpings of rice, a variety of naan breads and poppadoms. A lovely evening was had by all who attended. Residents and staff enjoyed a lovely meal with lovely company.



ITV News Filming

ITV News paid Hewlett Court a visit on 24th April. The crew filmed Hewlett Court's Team Leader Rachel Cookson on the subject of young voters and why a lot of young people do not vote. The piece was aired on Granada Report's that same night.



Teddy Bears Picnic

In celebration of the tercentenary of the United Grand Lodge of England a Teddy Bears Picnic will be held at Hewlett Court on Saturday 1st July at 12pm – 4pm. Everyone is welcome. The event will be opened by Jimmy Cricket. There is a lot going on which include live entertainment, stalls, beer tent, BBQ, small fair ground rides and bouncy castles, football games, raffles and much, much more. Entry is free! Programmes are on sale for £1 which includes your raffle number to be drawn in the main raffle. These are available from the office at Hewlett Court. Spread the word, everyone is welcome to join us on the fun packed afternoon. We hope to see you there.

Puzzle Page

Teddy Bear Word Search

Q N I D S U M E V Z Z Y Y U R Q Y U V W
A U Y T K I I O S I E T B Y P C P R I N
Y D V W T N O L R Z C O F M E E Q N U R
H M Y D D E T S W R H O B Q J A N D M R
S X J V A C K S H R I S Z N N I G P Z I
M M U U I P R Y X Z M S Y X E I R S M C
X C D F A K Q X U T Y F M T E T N B R H
I T R L W E J Q X J Z K H I Z K P Q U A
E I I D X S W T K E O E R A C N I A P R
E W N H Q D Z G E Q P Y F O N H Z G E D
T H E O D O R E R O O S E V E L T J R S
S K G G T A L C O R M U C F T A C O T T
R S C P E G T H U X S U O O L N K M E
A Y X B R R N D I M T X K C K M Q V H I
E M X T T V R I P E M V J U I Q J S Y F
B V O B U O G U D S T U F F E D W W T F
E P Y H C O D P C D I O E M G H W X O W
R Y A Q A S N A U T A M L J T T B L Z Y
A G Y W E I E S B N I P X U R Y D D E T
C I I Y S F R F S Y S O F T Y O T P H V

BEAR
CORDUROY
CUTE
MORRISMICHTOM
PAWS
RICHARDSTEIFF
SNOUT
SOOTY
TEDDY
TOY
WINNIETHEPOOH
THEODOREROOSEVELTJR

CAREBEARS
CUBS
MOHAIR
PADDINGTON
PUDSEY
RUPERT
SOFT
STUFFED
TEDDYRUXPIN



Staff



Adrienne Dean who worked as a General Assistant on Sunday's has now left her role at Hewlett Court. We wish her all the luck in whatever she chooses to do in the future. We would like to welcome Olivia Jackson to the Hewlett Court team. Olivia will be taking on the role of a weekend General Assistant working on Sunday's. I am sure you will all make her feel welcome.

Movie Monday

Monday afternoons in the lounge at 2pm.



Bingo

Tuesday afternoons in the lounge at 3pm.



Coffee & Quiz Morning

Wednesday mornings at 11am in the lounge and reception area.



Armchair Exercise

Wednesday afternoons in the lounge at 3:30pm.

Friday mornings in the lounge at 10:30am.



Thirsty Thursday

Thursday afternoons, drinks and cocktails in the lounge at 3:30pm.



Friday Club

Friday afternoons, residents and staff join in the lounge for drinks at 3:30pm



Saturday Sing a long

Saturday afternoon in the lounge at 3:30pm.



Events

Thursday 4th May

Clothes sale
In the lounge at 11AM

Friday 12th May

Stars in your eyes
In the lounge at 3:30PM

Thursday 25th May

Esther Clothing
In the lounge at 2PM

Tuesday 6th June

Veterans Choir
In the lounge at 2PM

Thursday 8th June

Annie Partington Singing
In the lounge at 2PM

Sunday 18th June

Fathers Day Pies & Pints In the lounge at 3:30PM

Wednesday 21st June

Italian Take Away Night
In the dining room at 6PM

Friday 7th July

Hawaii Cruise Afternoon
In the lounge at 3:30PM

Friday 29th September

Macmillan Coffee Morning
10:30AM

Tuesday 31st October

Halloween Party
In the lounge at 3:30pm

Friday 3rd November

Fireworks Display at 6:30PM

December

Christmas Celebrations