

Ridgeway Care Centre Newsletter

Winter Edition 2018

Hello to all the Residents, families, volunteers, visitors and staff here at the Ridgeway Care Centre.

It is hard to believe we are already in December, the weather has been particularly kind to us so far, still seeing plenty of sunshine and flowers in the gardens. It all seems a little odd but none the less very much appreciated.

We have experienced a lovely few months here at the Ridgeway Care Centre enjoying many Autumn activities and celebrating both Halloween & Bonfire Night in style. We entered a Halloween Pumpkin Competition run by one of our food suppliers and I am very pleased to be able to say that we came second winning £50 in High Street vouchers for the home.

The bonfire party we held on Saturday 3rd November went well with mulled wine, hot dogs and party food being served and all enjoyed a game of Bonfire bingo along with other party games.

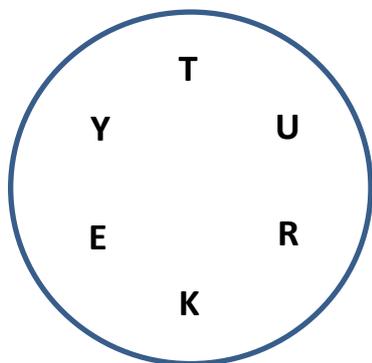
Several entertainers have made visits, with most of us enjoying a good old sing along with.

The Activities Area is continuing to develop, this space is for you to enjoy, please do share any ideas, suggestions for arts/ crafts and games that you may have.

New Team Members – we have recently had 3 new members of staff join us, please join me in welcoming Serina, Sophie and Callum to the team.

Christmas is a wonderful time of year for most people however, it can also hold some sad memories too, so please spare a thought for those who may not be looking so happy or are feeling a little sad and offer a few kind words and a smile – it may help them through their day.

A little poser for you, how many words can you make out of the word Turkey:



Inspirational Quote:

"It's not what's under the Christmas Tree that matters, it's who's around it"

Here is a little poem for you:

*Christmas is a day full of joy,
Ask any girl or boy.*

*Santa's reindeers fly up high,
By the twinkling stars in the sky.*

*Children love a snowball fight,
Although it's freezing day and night.*

I do hope you all enjoy Christmas time and wish you a happy, healthy New Year. I am so looking forward to all that we can do together in 2019.

Dates for your diary:

Thursday 13th December – Christmas Jumper Day & 10.00 a.m. Christmas Carols to be performed by St Faith's & St Martins Junior School choir

Friday 14th December – Christmas Lunch & Party at Age UK, Park Street, Lincoln - 11:00 a.m.

Saturday 15th December – Christmas Lunch, St Faith's Church Hall – 12.00 p.m.

Space for your notes: