

# **PINEWOOD** RESIDENTIAL HOME

## Spring is in the air!

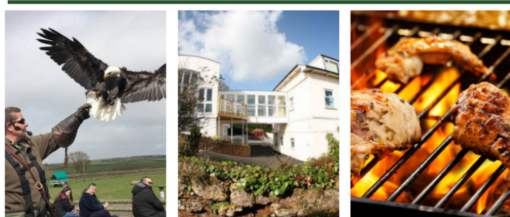
Welcome to our latest newsletter. We've had lots going on over the last few months including trips out, daily activities and special visitors to the home. And as the weather starts to warm up, we are looking forward to enjoying some more sunshine! Don't forget you can keep up to date on the goings on at Pinewood on our [Facebook](#), [Instagram](#) and our [Website](#) pages.



### A New Deputy ....

Gemma Paltridge started at Pinewood in the summer of 2018 and is currently working towards her NVQ 3. She has worked in care (including residential homes, nursing homes and domiciliary care) since 2010. She has supported Sally (Manager) as a Senior Care Assistant and is now very please to have been promoted to Deputy Manager. Well done Gemma!!

### Dates for your diary ...



#### MONDAY 27th MAY - Bank Holiday BBQ | 10.30am - 3pm

Residents, families and friends welcome. Join us on May Bank Holiday Monday for an afternoon of fun, food and family time.

- 10.45 - Hawkridges Birds of Prey
- 11.45 - Games with residents & families
- 12.30 onwards - BBQ food
- 13.15 - 14.15 Acoustic guitar singer
- Plus - Cake Stall

Although there is no cost to attend this event, we will be taking donations to help raise money for one of our local charities.

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#### Bowling at Ocean | Friday 21 June 2019

Carers and residents will be visiting at Ocean in Exmouth to take part in a little bit of bowling fun and lunch. Friends and family are very to join us too. We will be having lunch at Ocean from 12.30pm, bowling from 2.00pm.

### It seems a while ago now ....

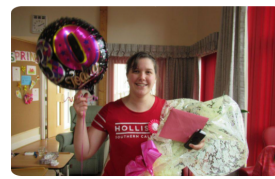
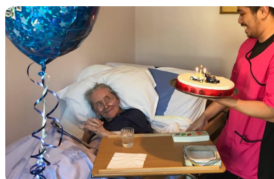
.... but we all enjoyed a fabulous performance of **The Wizard of Oz** back in January for our regular pantomime. The residents and staff really enjoyed sining along to the familiar tunes.



### Happy Birthday(s) ....

We've had so many birthday's to celebrate too. And not only the residents, but our receptionist Justine and care assistant Kim both celebrated their 30th birthdays with us.

We wish all our residents and staff who've celebrated their special day with us over the last few months a very happy birthday.



### A special Valentines day...

*Roses are red, Violets are blue.....*

It was not only the ladies who received a red rose this valentines day, but the men did too, and they loved it! ❤️

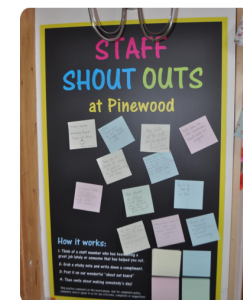


### Easter and Spring joy!

The residents had a lovely Easter and Spring celebration, and made this wonderfully cheerful wall decoration. It certainly brightens the place up.

### Please fill in and put up your shouts outs for our staff!

We know the team here at Pinewood do a fantastic job, but we wanted to be able to let them know more often how well they are doing, and let everyone have the opportunity to give them a 'shout out'. In January we put up a new staff 'Shout out' board. The idea is that if anyone has done a great job, or has really helped someone out, a little note is put on the board for all to see. It's been working so well and we are pleased to see so many of our team have been going above and beyond! The shout out board has been cleared now so please do give the staff more shout outs!



### We need your reviews ....

Calling all residents families. We need your reviews. If you like what we do, we'd really appreciate a review. However if you have any concerns, please do speak to us directly so we can help. You can review us on [Facebook](#) and/or [Carehome.co.uk](http://Carehome.co.uk).

And lastly, we'd like to give a big welcome to all new residents and staff at Pinewood and hope that they enjoy living / working here as much as the rest of us do.

Thank you,  
 Philip and Sally 😊