



PINEWOOD
RESIDENTIAL & NURSING HOME



May 2011 Newsletter

**Come to the Pinewood
Summer Fête!**

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To be held at

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Including a visit from

Hawkridge Birds Of Prey

Children's Art Competition • Cake Stall • Cream Tea •
Raffle • Bring & Buy

All proceeds go to Age Concern Budleigh Salterton

2.00 p.m. Saturday 4th June

Raffle prizes gratefully received or collected

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Be sure to set aside two o'clock on 4th June 2011 as a date for your diary. Having been a great success in previous years, Pinewood shall once again be holding a Summer Fête. This event will be part of the Lions Club Gala Week with all the proceeds going to Age Concern Budleigh Salterton. There's going to be a whole array of activities for people of all ages to take part in. Hawkridge Birds Of Prey shall be paying a visit. Additionally, we can all look forward to some cream teas, a cake stall, a Bring & Buy and a raffle. New to this year will be the Art Competition for the children. This competition will involve residents judging which children should receive prizes for the best drawings of the day.

No on-site parking - Free Shuttle Bus service to and from the Public Hall

Presenting the Easter Chicks of Pinewood



The arrival of Easter meant that residents at Pinewood were treated to a unique 12 day experience. A number of embryo eggs arrived that were only 2-3 days from hatching. The eggs were put into a specially designed incubator box with a viewing window and a brooder box to raise the chickens in. 12 out of the original 14 eggs actually hatched and have now found homes with staff from the care home. The additional treat of chocolate Easter Eggs and chocolate Easter Bunnies for every resident in the home also helped to make Easter Sunday extra special.

Residents Design An Easter Garden to Be Proud Of!

We must all be extremely thankful to Jenny and Glyn who came in during the Easter Festival to help residents build their very own Easter Garden. The display itself looked absolutely fantastic with a wonderful array of flowers.

Celebrating The Royal Wedding In Style!

The Wedding of Kate Middleton to Prince William was celebrated at Pinewood with a wonderful tea party in the courtyard which had been especially decorated for the occasion. There was some delicious cream tea to be had by everyone, not to mention some amazingly designed celebratory cakes. The party hats which some residents made themselves were also really impressive.



Residents add a bit of colour to their Home after taking a trip to the garden centre.

With Spring time well underway, residents headed off in the minibus to Kings Garden Centre to see a demonstration of hanging baskets. They were then able to chose flowers to put in our own baskets and containers. The result can now be seen all around the building.

Just heading out for a cup of tea!

Sue and Paul have been kind enough to invite the residents at Pinewood for a cup of tea in their garden. This will be happening on a monthly basis over the coming Spring and Summer months. If anyone would like to join us, then please say.

Let me entertain you!

A whole array of visiting entertainers and other events have been booked into Pinewood over the coming months. These include Simon The Guitarist on Friday 6th May and Thursday 2nd June, and Luc the Harpist on Wednesday 11th May. Thomas Earwaker, who proved a real hit with everyone as he engaged residents in his *Simply Uplifting* workshop, will also be over on Friday 3rd June. The following week, on Friday 10th June, there will be a clothes sale taking place. This will give residents the opportunity to choose from a wide range of competitively priced ladies' and men's fashions that will be on sale.



Holy Communion and Eucharist Services at Pinewood

Joanna's husband, Chris Cant, has been good enough to come and hold Holy Communion with Glyn and Jenny on Wednesday 4th May. This follows on from Nicholas Hearn, the Catholic Eucharistic Minister who came in to lead a Eucharist service on Wednesday 27th April.