

#### Welcome to our Winter newsletter

As always, we've had a busy Autumn with days out, daily activities in the home, theatre productions and much more! We've featured a few below, and with Christmas just around the corner, we've a busy few weeks head. You can keep up to date on the goings on at Pinewood on our <u>Facebook</u>, <u>Instagram</u> and our <u>Website</u> pages.

### Christmas is coming....

We are certainly getting into the Christmas spirit here at the home. Outings to see the Christmas lights, a Christmas Spectacular performance by the wonderful Tickled Pink Productions and carols in the day room.







We'd love you to join us for a festive lunch on Christmas Day...

We are offering family and friends the opportunity to dine with their loved ones. Places are limited so if you would like to join us, please book your place with Justine on reception before Friday 20 December.

There may be a visit from Santa on Christmas day too.... watch this space!



# Weekly Activities ....

We have a full and active weekly activity programme, and one of our most popular is Move It or Lose It with Tracy. We had such a ball recently Philip even joined in the fun!! What a giggle we all had!





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

As always, we love to celebrate birthdays, and never more so than when there is a cake involved! Here we have Simone celebrating her special day with us (... and it was our director Philip's too on the same day!).

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







# Our annual firework display raised over £698!

Held on Saturday 9th November, Pinewood Residential Home's annual firework display was well worth the wait this year.

The display organised by Pinewood Residential Home and the Lions of Budleigh Salterton, had to be postponed from the previous week due to an amber weather warning of high winds and rain. However the display did not disappoint with some of the residents, along side family and friends, venturing out to enjoy the fireworks lighting up the sky.

Philip Sadeghi, director of Pinewood said,

"We had a wonderful evening enjoying the fireworks, live music and a delicious barbecue. Our free annual display is one of the highlights of the year, and we were please so many people joined us at the home and on Jubilee field to make this years event as special as ever. Plus we managed to raise a fantastic £698 for the Lions Club of Budleigh Salterton. Thank you to everyone involved. We are looking forward to next year already!"





#### 5 Star rating success...

A huge well done to Elaine, Zoe and all the team in the kitchen for helping us get a 5\* hygiene rating for our kitchen from the local authority



# Christmas gifts...

This year, if you are thinking of sending gifts to our team, we would politely ask that a small contribution to the Staff Christmas Fund is given rather than individual gifts. Many thanks for your understanding.



### We need your reviews ....

Calling all residents families. We need your reviews. If you like what we do, we'd really appriciate a review. However if you have any concerns, please do speak to us directly so we can help. You can review us on <a href="#">Facebook</a> and/or <a href="#">Carehome.co.uk</a>.

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.

Wishing you all a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year, Philip and Sally

