Cocklebury Farmhouse
Residential Homes for Adults with Learning Disabilities

Cocklebury Farmhouse Homes Newsletter: March 2021

Recent Events

With Boris's lockdown strategy being revealed recently it was great to see a possible end in sight to the pandemic's restrictions. We have continued to organize Covid safe activities, celebrations & parties to entertain the residents during these strange times. Some of the highlights of the last few months have been:

Burns Night
The residents have enjoyed an evening devoted to all things Scottish including homemade Haggis Neeps & Tatties.

Chinese New Year Party
The residents saw in the year of the Ox with a special Chinese menu and chopstick lessons.

Valentine's Day Disco
To mark Valentine's day each home organized a fancy dress disco. There was also a special virtual performance from the singer Phil Charles.

Birthdays & Anniversaries

There have been several important milestones to celebrate within the homes. Ann recently marked her 30th anniversary of living at our Malmesbury Road home with a party and cake decorating.

Andrew celebrated his 60th birthday with a fancy-dress disco.

COVID19 UPDATE

At the end of January, we were able to welcome Emma Pope (Clinical Pharmacist) and her team into the home to administer our first doses of the AstraZeneca (Oxford) vaccine to all staff and residents. The 2nd dose will be administered roughly 12 weeks later.

This a hugely positive step in returning more normality to the lives of our residents.

In the short term, little will change within the home as we will continue to be vigilant in protecting the residents from exposure to the virus.

Once government guidance changes, we will be able to gradually return to how things were prior to the pandemic. We hope this newsletter finds everyone safe and well and look forward to seeing you all later in the year.

Up Coming Events

- ❖ Easter Party! Fancy Dress Disco with Party Food, Music and Chocolate Eggs
- ❖ 2nd Covid Vaccinations for all Residents and Staff