



AVENUE HOUSE NEWS



December 2019

Welcome to our latest newsletter.
With Christmas fast approaching, we are now preparing to put up the Christmas Trees & Decorations, ready for our Festivities.

Recent Activities

Over the last couple of months we have had various types Entertainers in to visit us, here are a few pictures:



PETS AS THERAPY

We have now joined up with Pet as Therapy.

Andrew & his Jack Russell ‘Liffey’ come to visit the Residents every 3 weeks.



The residents love seeing ‘Liffey’ for cuddles, kisses & plenty of waggles!



We would like to send a warm welcome to our new Residents:

- Esme Boulton – Room 5
- Mary McGarry – Room 15
- Marilyn Manning – Room 26

Hopefully you are all settling into life at Avenue House and feel part of our Family.

December’s Birthday Celebrations

- Tuesday 3rd – Hilda Burkitt
- Monday 9th – Joyce Walker
- Sunday 15th – Pat May



A few photographs from our Activities

We have done various activities & crafts including Pumpkin Carving, Halloween Crafts, String Art, Painting Models, Dotty Art, Bingo, Christmas Card Making, Jigsaw Puzzles, Games, Quizzes & Sing alongs.





Gold Standards Framework

As many of you know, we have been working on how we support people at the end of their lives – we are absolutely delighted to have been recently accredited with the nationally recognized ‘Gold Standard Framework for End of Life Care’. This accreditation is aimed at providing the best quality care for our residents and particularly towards the end of their life.



Tea Dance

Here are some pictures from the Tea Dance we held in November. The Residents enjoyed dancing & singing along. We finished off with Afternoon Tea.



Upcoming Events in December

- **Wednesday 4th**
 - Christmas Decorations going up
 - 18th Redland Guides
- **Thursday 5th**
 - Visit to Henleaze Ladies Choir Christmas Concert
- **Friday 6th**
 - Christmas Shopping & Lunch at Garden Centre
- **Saturday 14th**
 - BARD Musical Entertainers
- **Tuesday 17th**
 - Flower Arranging with Susan Dunn
- **Thursday 19th**
 - Christmas Concert with Residents & Relatives followed by Refreshments
- **Saturday 21st**
 - Flashback Theatre – Christmas Show
- **Saturday 28th**
 - His & Her's Theatre – Scrooge

