

News from



# HONEY LANE CARE HOME

Dear friends,

With a fresh new season upon us, our home is bursting with brightness and vibrancy! Take a glimpse into our delightful spring escapades in our latest newsletter.



## Best of British

In April, we arranged for retired bar manager Joan to return to the Royal British Legion in Borehamwood, where she ran the bar for over 20 years. Joan had a lovely time catching up with all of her old friends and even got to pull a pint for old time's sake! It was lovely to see how highly everyone thinks of Joan, and to get a glimpse into what her life was like in her working years.

We love supporting our residents to fulfil their wishes, this was a great opportunity for Joan to not only take a trip down memory lane, but also to make new wonderful memories.

## National Finalists

We were delighted to be named a Finalist for Wellbeing at the national Care Home Awards in May. This is a testament to our devoted team who work tirelessly each day to make our home a warm and nurturing place.

From our much-loved Namaste Care sessions - which bring comfort and connection - to our delightful Make a Wish surprises, Little Honey Bees visits, and award-winning gardening club, we pour our hearts into creating joyful experiences that enrich our residents' lives. Whilst sadly, we didn't win, we could not be prouder of our wonderful team and residents who inspire us daily!



# Hoppy Easter!

In April, our residents had lots of fun in the build up to Easter creating wonderful bonnets. The ladies really got creative and crafted some egg-cellent hats which they then modelled for us.

On Good Friday we kicked off the Easter celebrations with entertainment from singer Edmund who serenaded us for the afternoon. We also welcomed the Easter Bunny who joined us for a dance! The fun continued over the bank holiday weekend with more music and another visit from the Easter Bunny, who came delivering chocolate eggs to all our residents.



## “We’ll Meet Again...”

In May we welcomed our residents’ families and friends to our special commemorative Best of British party to mark the 80th anniversary of VE Day. We enjoyed cockles and jellied eels, tucked into fish and chips, followed by a 99 from the ice cream van! And everyone was kept entertained by wonderful singer Clayton.

A big thank you to everyone who joined us, including special guest Cllr Shane Yerrell, Mayor of Waltham Abbey. It was a great opportunity to come together and reflect on the lives and sacrifices of those that served and to honour and pay tribute to the Second World War generation.



With love,  
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**We always love reading your comments on Facebook!**  
**Here are a few recent ones:**

“Lovely care home. The staff seem to really care about the health and welfare of their residents. There’s a feeling of caring and commitment throughout the home.” Dianne

“Lovely to see everyone enjoying themselves and having fun.”  
Muzical Entertainerz



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