

### *General Manager Focus*



## Message From The Manager

We have been enjoying more indoor activities here at Archview as the weather has been more inclement, this doesn't mean we have been having any less fun. With cooking activities to new age curling and a Fashion show we have been kept busy. We have enjoyed following the Winter Olympics on our big Screens and even had a Archview version which brought out all of our more competitive sides.

We are now very established with our digital care planning system and most of you will have had or are booked to have a review of your care plan using the new system we see this as a great asset to our Care delivery and hope you see this too.

We have a new Head of Activities joining the team Martha Jane who has just started with us and will be getting to know you all as she familiarises herself with Archview. She comes with a wealth of experience in event planning and hopes to work with our residents to make the activity programme even better.

We also have a new Physiotherapist Niagara who has joined the team She will be with us for a day each week on a Thursday and is getting to know everyone one to one. It is her plan to support the Activity Team with some Movement themed activity in the near future.

As the Spring comes we plan to get back out into the gardens and start some trips out and about again in our new bus which I am sure you will all enjoy.

*Best Wishes Sarah*

## Dates for your Diary

### March

Tuesday the 3<sup>rd</sup>  
Entertainer, Steve Quinn

Wednesday the 4<sup>th</sup>  
Crofts Dog Show

Tuesday the 10<sup>th</sup>  
Mothers Day with Alan  
Weatherhead

Tuesday the 17<sup>th</sup>  
St Patricks Day with Irish  
Dancers

Monday the 30<sup>th</sup>  
Residents Meeting

### April

Tuesday the 7<sup>th</sup>  
Entertainer, Steve Quinn

Monday the 13<sup>th</sup>  
Therapy Ponies with  
Linda and Rose

Monday the 20<sup>th</sup>  
Boogie Beats and the  
Nursery

Monday the 27<sup>th</sup>  
Entertainer, Sarah Laing

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Our best story this winter  
had 110 likes!

## Therapy Ponies Scotland

Archview Lodge had a brilliant visit from Therapy Ponies Scotland. They brought along the wonderful Flicker, gorgeous Wilson and their little pal Fudge the dog. Our residents loved seeing the ponies with big smiles from everyone.

We were very grateful to our incredible volunteers, Rose and Linda, for helping raise the funds for the visit.



# NEWS FROM IN AND AROUND Archview Lodge

## Christmas Activities at Archview!

Archview had many great activities going on during the festive period. All of our residents had a brilliant time decorating the home with colourful themed ornaments, lights and baubles. We had great fun creating the Christmas display and getting involved arts and crafts sessions to paint baubles and make the beautiful decorations for our Christmas tree.

We also had a great carol singing visit from Gore Glen Primary school. They were so brilliantly talented and our residents had a blast singing along with them.

Our Christmas Fayre was a great success with Santa and Newtongrange Silver Band visiting. We would like to give a big thanks for all the kind donations.



## Celebrations in our home

We were wishing Agnes a very Happy Birthday in December! She had a very lovely party with her family coming to celebrate with her.



Our lovely Chef arranged a delicious buffet and big love heart cake for everyone to enjoy.

# Thank You

From all the team at **Archview Lodge** we'd like to

say a big thank you to you all for all your support and understanding over the last few months. We'd love you to leave us a review if you haven't already at

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