

# Mallard Court

## NEWSLETTER



### General Manager Focus



### A word from our manager.

Dear Residents, Families, and Friends,

As we eagerly look ahead to Spring and Summer, we are delighted to greet all our new friends and community members to the Mallard Court Care Home. Spring brings a refreshing charm, and we can't wait to share it with you!

Our spring event schedule is packed with activities that are sure to bring joy and warmth to our community. We look forward to seeing familiar faces and meeting new ones, as we strengthen the bonds that make our community so special.

We've got so many fun and inspired events coming soon to the home and we can't wait to share these with you.

Thank you for your continued support and understanding as we work to make Mallard Court Care Home the best it can be. We are excited about the future and look forward to sharing many more wonderful moments with you all.

Yours Sincerely,

*Helen Nutton*

Operational General Manager, Mallard Court Care Home

## Dates for your Diary

Take a look at our upcoming events coming soon to Mallard Court

### May

**Thursday 7th 2.30pm–**  
80s themed dementia disco

**Monday 18<sup>th</sup> 2pm–**  
Community 'Meet and Eat' event

**Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> –** from 10.30am  
Community Ear Health Clinic

**Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> – 2pm**  
Understanding Dementia Community Event in Association with Dementia Forward

### June

**TBC –** Community Fraud and Scam Information Event

**Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> –** D-Day Celebration Party with food and music from 2pm

**Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> – Father's Day** – Join us as we celebrate all the great men in our lives.



## NEWS FROM IN AND AROUND Mallard Court

### Welcoming Michael

**From all of us at the home, we'd like to warmly welcome Michael, our home's new Head Chef.**

Michael is already making a positive difference in the home and is looking forward to meeting our residents and getting to know each of them.

We wish you all the best in your new position at Mallard Court.



### Spring Sunshine

**As we free ourselves from Winter and begin to look forward to the Spring Months.**

Our residents, relatives and colleagues stepped out in the sunshine and enjoyed a lovely afternoon of chatter whilst enjoying one another's company.





## Perfect 5!

**Huge Congratulations to the entire Kitchen team for their 5\* rating from the East Riding Environmental Health team.**

Led by our peri chef Annie over the last couple of months the kitchen has achieved the highest rating available!

## Once Upon a Tune

**Our musical fun interactive days entertainment.**

Provided by the very talented Hannah from "Once Upon a Tune"



## Morris Fun

Thank you to the "Makara Morris" dancers entertaining us here at Mallard Court.

They are a Morris 'side' or 'team' based in Wansford, near Driffild.

They operate in East Yorkshire and beyond, performing at fetes, village shows and local regional Morris gatherings.



## What we've been up to...



## Namaste Activity

**Recently our memory lane community were treated to a well-deserved Namaste pamper.**

Residents sank into relaxation as our lounge was transformed lounge into a calming, tranquil space as our colleagues offered a range of treatments including; hand massages, manicures, nail painting, soothing facials and scents of the aromatherapy diffuser.

## Sensory Fun

**If you're looking for a carer at Mallard Court, you might find them in the lounge upstairs on memory lane.**

Charlotte here seemed to be enjoying the interactive table just as much as the ladies did...

The laughter you can here when coming up the lift or stairwell can be infectious



# LET'S TALK *facebook*

Don't forgot to follow us at  
@barchestermallardcourt

Our best story this month  
had 12k views and 92 likes

## Happy Retirement Wishes

Our most viewed post and  
most liked story featured the  
fond farewell and happy  
retirement to Sue our  
outgoing and long serving  
housekeeper of 22 years.



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### National Pizza Day

**We celebrated National Pizza Day in style at Mallard COURT. Our residents enjoyed a tasty pizza party, complete with all their favourite toppings!**

We finished the day off by tasting our creations and they certainly did not disappoint, they were yummy!



## Thank You

From all the team at Boroughbridge Manor 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  
<https://share.google/L4o9ION3414Kr1UNv> or  
<https://www.carehome.co.uk/review-submit/13793/rcsid/1012/>

## Celebrations in our home

Congratulations to Emma Bailey who has won our employee of the month award for March. She was voted multiple times by other staff for having a cheerful and enthusiastic demeanour. One staff member wrote 'she is so thoughtful with the residents and their families' Emma is new to Barchester and is a wonderful asset to our team! Well done!



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