

Spring 2026



EGGCELENT TIMES AHEAD

We are all looking forward to brighter and warmer days ahead as we hop into Spring.

I'd like to take a moment to reflect on the positive steps we've been making around our home. We have been working hard to improve facilities and the day-to-day experience for our residents. With new windows and curtains fitted throughout our home and a full bathroom refurbishment including a new spa bath. Throughout April our main entrance will be transformed into an inviting café area and upgrades will be made to lounges on memory lane. These improvements will bring a more welcoming and comfortable environment for all.

Looking ahead we are excited to be beginning our Spring garden project and inviting green fingered volunteers to join us on Thursday 30th April to help our garden bloom and create an accessible outdoor space residents can relax, socialise and enjoy nature.

I would like to thank all our incredible staff and continued support from family members and visitors.

Sarah Kelly
General Manager

Dates for your Diary

APRIL

Good Friday 3rd
Easter Hop with Elvis impersonator, Mike Memphis from 11am

Easter Monday 6th
Easter Eggstravaganza family fun day and Spring fair
11am – 1pm

Wednesday 15th
Fabulous 50's show with live entertainment - 11.30am

Monday 20th
Vintage show with vocalist Kaylee Cares performing – 2pm

MAY

Friday 1st
Charity quiz night and darts show 6pm – 8pm

Wednesday 6th May
Community Café every 1st Wednesday of the month – 11am





COMMUNITY NEWS AND EVENTS AT STATION COURT



Residents and staff are celebrating an incredible achievement after completing the Walk for Hearts Challenge in support of the British Heart Foundation.

We did it! We set out with a goal of walking 28 miles throughout February and reached an impressive combined 32 miles in both individual and group walks, starting our challenge in the snow and crossing our final mile in the spring sunshine!

The challenge has been wonderful to increase physical activity and has brought residents together encouraging friendship, teamwork and a shared sense of achievement. We were all delighted to receive a very special medal from the BHF to celebrate our achievement which is proudly displayed on our charity cart.

A heartfelt thank-you for your support and sponsors, together we raised a fantastic £175 for the British Heart Foundation helping to support vital research into heart and circulatory diseases.

EASTER APPEAL

A huge thankyou to everyone who kindly donated Easter eggs and craft items in support of local charity Scarlett's Helping Hands. It's amazing to see our community come together to spread a little joy to vulnerable children across the North East this Easter.



UPCOMING CHARITY EVENTS

Bring your little bunnies along for a fun filled Easter day this Easter Monday – 6th April from 11am as we raise funds for the Barchester Charitable Foundation.

Join us at our charity quiz evening on Friday 1st May 6pm – 8pm in supporting local 12-year-old Jack Mathews on his darting adventure please see Carly or Kerry for tickets

If you have a local charity close to your heart you would like to nominate for future months please see Activities Coordinator, Carly.

What we've been up to...



LOVE IS ALL AROUND

We were all feeling the love this Valentines coming together at our love and friendship ball singing, dancin' and romancin' to all our favourite love song throwbacks performed live by the brilliant Mark McCann

ABBA PARTY

Staff dressed up in iconic attire from the 70's band and residents came together and 'danced, jived and had the time of their lives' at our Abba themed party. the dance floor was soon filled with dancing queens and super troopers laughing, dancing and singing along to Abba's greatest hits having everyone singing thank you for the music!



MOTHERS DAY CELEBRATIONS

Our home was filled with love, appreciation and lots of beautiful flowers over Mother's Day weekend. Ladies enjoyed a morning of pampering and feeling fabulous before taking part in a special photoshoot. It was fabulous to host a special Mother's Day event, inviting family members to join celebrations and enjoy scrumptious afternoon tea sweet and glasses of bubbly together.

ST PATRICK'S PARTY

We had a grand morning of music, laughter, great craic and Irish spirit celebrating St Patricks Day! Everyone had a fantastic time singing along and dancing to hits through the years with live entertainer, Andy McGowan performing party favourites before enjoying Irish hits and happy hour with the Baileys and Guinness flowing.



Upcoming Family Meeting Dates

Join us to discuss life and updates in our home with the team over refreshments

Tuesday 21st April
11am

Thursday 21st May
5pm

Sunday 21st June
2pm

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[Station Court Care Home - Facebook](#)

MEMORY BOX APPEAL

If you have any photographs or small personal memorabilia, we would love to include these in personalised memory boxes for our residents living on memory lane.

CELEBRATING OUR TEAM

Thank you to all our staff, the difference you make every day never goes unnoticed.

MEANINGFUL MOMENTS AWARD

We've introduced a new team award in January as a way to celebrate and recognise our staff members who enrich the lives of our residents and create meaningful moments shaped around our residents' interests and what matters most to them.

January – Sean Clark, Care Assistant

February – Wendy Hancock, Head Housekeeper

EMPLOYEE OF THE MONTH

Our Employee of the month award recognizes staff for continuously following our standards providing high quality care, showing dedication and going above and beyond. Forms are in the main entrance if you would like to nominate a team member.

January – Estelle Cole, Care Assistant

February - Emily Carr, Senior Care Assistant

Everyone was delighted to receive a voucher and gifts as a token of appreciation.

Thank You

From all the team at Station Court **Care Home** we'd like to say a big thank you to you all for all your support. We'd love you to leave us a review if you haven't already at

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