

Newton House

NEWSLETTER



General Manager Focus



A Magical May!

Welcome to our May Newsletter, another month full of love, laughter and connection.

I would like to say a huge warm welcome to all of our new residents and their loved ones, all new members of staff and new volunteers. Also, a huge thank you again to our local community for the support that you continuously provide to help enrich the lives of all residents residing at Newton House.

The Barchester Care Awards 2026 nominations are still open, and close on 31st May, we would be delighted for you to join in with the nominations. An opportunity to celebrate the wonderful staff at Newton House.

To vote, please visit [Barchester.com/nominate](https://www.barchester.com/nominate), or you can vote via the QR codes provided on the posters within the home and also on our Facebook Page. All nominations close on Sunday 31st May.

Please be reminded of our wish initiative at Newton House, should your loved one have a wish then please speak with the activities team, we will be delighted to make as many dreams come true in 2026

At Newton House we operate an open-door policy at Newton House Care Home and our door is always open should you need to visit myself, Charlotte and Hazel.

Sonia Fairhurst
General Manager

Dates for your June Diary

1st: Finley the therapy dog visiting

Every Monday
Community Café

2nd: Parkinson's UK Café

3rd: Live music with Steve Ray

4th: National Cheese Day

8th: Celebrating Carers Week

10th: Young at heart movement session

10th: KJ & Catt performing live

12th: Swinging 60s Themed Day

15th: National Beer Day with Nick Glover

17th: Poplar Farm School Visit

18th: Live music with Steve Carmel

19th: Live music with Jeremy

27th: Family Fun Day



NEWS FROM IN AND AROUND Newton House

Newton does Eurovision

Residents enjoyed a fun themed day, dedicated to the 2026 Eurovision Contest. With various activities taking place throughout the day, followed by live music with Alison Jay

It was an amazing time for all, with songs sang from across the decades, it was wonderful to see residents singing along, enjoying the brilliant atmosphere and having a good old boogie together



World Bee Day

We had the absolute pleasure of welcoming the amazing Poplar Farm School Ambassadors to help residents celebrate World Bee Day.

Engaging in various activities including arts and crafts, wordsearches and learning all about the importance of bees, proved to be a wonderful morning

It's so beautiful watching the children's and residents' friendships blossom upon each visit





Dying Matters Awareness Week!

During our dying matters awareness week, we focused on things that matter to us most, with various activities and friendship groups taking place.

Residents enjoyed sharing memories of their families, life experiences and special moments.

They enjoyed socialising and reflecting within Newton House, strengthening great friendships, connection and inclusion

It was such a heartfelt and meaningful week and we were very proud to be able to celebrate this with our wonderful residents.

Strikes and Smile's at Ten Pin Bowling!

Residents had an incredible time visiting ten pin bowling, after this was requested at our last residents meeting. With a few strikes and near misses the morning was filled with fun, friendship and giggles.



What we've been up to...



VE Day Celebrations

Newton House all came together to honour and celebrate VE day with a truly wonderful day shared across the home.

With Beautiful reminiscence visits and meaningful VE Day discussions where residents shared memories and reflections from years gone by.

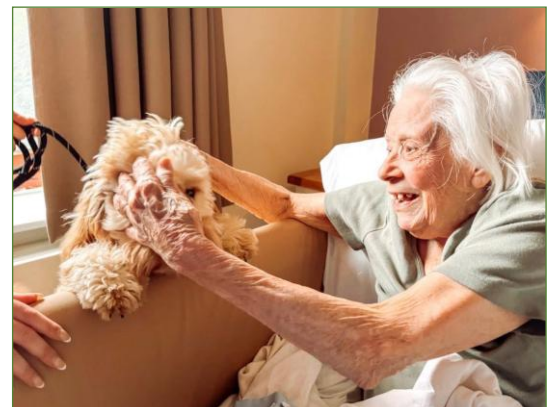
We also welcomed the super talented Alison Jay, for a fantastic afternoon of live musical entertainment, residents waved their flags, danced and embraced the wonderful atmosphere

A Paw-some visit with Larry

We had a very cute, and very paw-some visit from the lovely Larry the Cavapoo.

As always Larry brought so many smiles, cuddles, and moments of pure joy to our residents, providing them with a great sense of wellbeing and happiness.

From gentle pats to happy chats, Larry most definitely stole everyone's hearts (and a few delicious treats too!). Animal visits always bring so much comfort and companionship.



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wonderful life enrichment at
Newton House

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our fabulous Facebook Page
and everything that we get
up to!



NEWS FROM IN AND AROUND Newton House

Staff and Volunteer Celebrations

We have celebrated lots of success stories this month at Newton House, and we are so very proud of all of our colleagues here at Newton House.

Employee of the Month - April: Care Assistant Fiona
15 Years Long Service Award: June Simbrano
Volunteer Celebrations: Pranav, Simone and Amelia
Administrator Appreciation: Jess, Jill and Lucy
Stars of Social Care Finalists: Karen, Sabrina, Charlotte and Amanda

Our employee of the month is open to all that visit Newton House, staff, families and friends, and if you would like to nominate a member of Newton House, then please collect a form from the reception area

Thank You

From all the team at **Newton House** 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 on Google or on Carehome.co.uk
Submit a review: Barchester Newton House Care Home

Signing out book for residents

Our resident's safety is paramount to us at Newton House, and to ensure that we are aware of any residents going out with loved ones we have now implemented an outing signing out document.

Please ensure that all families are completing this when leaving with your loved ones, or speak with a Nurse or Senior Carer on duty



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