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Letter from the Editor's Desk

This edition celebrates the arrival of a new season and shares fond memories of the last one. As a team of more than 500 employees, we work towards enhancing the overall experience for our residents. As we progress from the colder months to spring-blossomed weather, we encourage a therapeutic and unique set of activities to offer a more active lifestyle for our elderly. To connect all our home teams, we have introduced a successful monthly agenda focusing on a series of celebrations and activities for each month.

The start of 2023 has been positive for us as we grow together with exceptional opportunities. Kingsley Care Home is featured in the Luxury Care Guide 2023 by Knight Frank, which is one of our proudest achievements to date. Roseway House was bestowed The Freedom of Borough in recognition of their tireless efforts during the COVID-19 crisis. Cornwall Live has featured the story of our new upcoming home receiving planning permission in Redruth. The new care home is planned to have 52 bedrooms and much more.

We are grateful to each and every one of our colleagues for working together to achieve our mutual goals of delivering outstanding care. Everything feels right when our team is encouraged by your kind words and Amicura stands on an overall group score of 9.2 on carehome.co.uk.

For regular news and updates, follow us on LinkedIn and Facebook and we would love to have you on our digital journey too...

Last, but not least, we are shortlisted for the Care Home Awards 2023!!

Wish you all a very happy spring and awaiting summer season for more fun on warmer days.



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Marketing Associate Amicura Care Group

Roseway House team awarded The Freedom of the Borough by South Tyneside Council

the manager of **Roseway House** attended this meeting to receive the honour on

Congratulations to the **Roseway** Team!











Celebrations at Amicura Homes

BURNS DAY

At **The Glen**, residents enjoyed the day with live entertainment by their favourite accordion band, followed by a local piper entertainment of piping the haggis.

At **Kingfisher** and **Kingsley**, the day was celebrated with Haggis, neeps and tatties, followed by a movie



NATIONAL PIZZA DAY

The residents at **The Glen** made their pizzas with their choice of toppings.





NATIONAL PANCAKE DAY

From showing their pancake-flipping skills to decorating with toppings, the residents

celebrated the day by reminiscing about the old times of making pancakes with their families.

Liberton Brae, Haslingden Hall, Roseway House and The Glen all had a flipping good time!



INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S DAY

The ladies of **Kingsley** had a special Women's Day event at home with pampering and getting a fresh haircut, followed by a tea party singing songs and sharing stories with each other.

International Women's Day party at **Roseway House** celebrating all the incredible women with a dose of extra pampering for the day.













ST PATRICK'S DAY

The residents of **Harmony House** enjoyed a St Patrick's Day party with live entertainment by one of their favorite singers. The team also organised a Leprechaun Hunt, in the picture we have winners from the hunt

At **Kingsley**, the residents enjoyed the day filled with singing, dancing, themed quizzes and a buffet

Liberton Brae was decorated to the theme, with residents enjoying beer-tasting and themed cupcakes.

The residents at **Kingfisher** enjoyed some Guinness cocktails, following an exercise class with Irish music and games.









THE MONTH CELEBRATING LOVE

With live entertainment, refreshing drinks and chocolate hearts, the residents at **Kingsley** enjoyed a love-filled Valentines day party.

Freshly baked Valentines treats at Liberton Brae.

A special Valentines meal organised by the culinary team of **Roseway House** and **Kingfisher**.

VALENTINE'S CARD-MAKING COMPETITION

In our last edition, we organised a Valentine's cardmaking competition for residents to make lovely cards. A big congratulations to Alister and the **Kingsley** team for winning the competition and also to Kathleen and **Haslingden Hall** team for being the runners-up Both the homes received the winning amounts for their residents' funds.

EASTER CELEBRATIONS

The residents of **The Rivers** made beautiful easter bonnets and decorated an easter tree.

Easter arts and crafts sessions at **Kingsley**, **The Glen** and **Kingfisher**.

At **Liberton Brae**, residents were busy with easter arts and crafts, Andy, our resident had a unique theme for his easter bonnet.

Roseway House enjoyed an easter egg hunt and easter crafts.

The Easter bunny gave out easter eggs to the residents of **Harmony House**.















NATIONAL THEATRE DAY

At **Harmony House**, the residents watched all-time favourite movies like Frozen the musical, Beauty and the Beast and Aladdin to honour National Theatre Day.

Celebrations at Amicura Homes

MOTHER'S DAY

At **Harmony House**, all the beautiful mothers received a lovely gift from Lisa, the activities coordinator followed by a pamper session. The day was very special.

The ladies of **Haslingden Hall** had big smiles as they receive flowers and cards on Mother's Day

At **The Glen**, residents made beautiful table ornaments, it was extra special for all the mothers to spend the day with their families over a delicious meal.





NATIONAL PUPPY DAY

Our furry friends visited the residents at **Kingsley** and **Haslingden Hall**.







Forget-me-not Planting Competition!



As we will be planning activities in the **Dementia Awareness Week** May 15-21, 2023. This edition's competition would be to engage residents in decorating their pots and planting seeds!

We request the participation of the residents with the team to get creative in decorating the planting pots and planting any plants or flowers, we would like to see what these grow into in a few weeks!

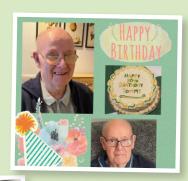
The most creative and thoughtful team wins the amount of £250 and the runners-up team wins an amount of £130 for their resident's comfort funds.

Rules of the Game

- Please submit the entries on a Word document with details from the activity and good-quality images on or before 25th May, 2023 to rahi@amicura.co.uk
- This activity is for residents with the help of the team, no professional help is allowed!

TOMMY & MAY CELEBRATE BIRTHDAYS!

To mark his 80th birthday, Tommy celebrated with an afternoon tea, sandwiches and sausage rolls accompanied by his family for the special day.





May, at **The Glen** celebrates her 90th birthday accompanied by her family and residents of the home.

Happy birthday Tommy and May!

MEMORIES OF TOGETHERNESS

Happy Diamond Anniversary to John and Brenda.
Accompanied by residents of **Roseway**, they had an incredible time celebrating their 60th wedding anniversary. Meanwhile, Dorothy, a resident of **Kingfisher** got a visit from her husband John to celebrate their 67th wedding anniversary together. We wish both couples many more





Highlights and experiences

FAVOURITE MEMORIES OF SPRING

Residents at **Kingsley** shared their best memories of spring with us.

INK AND DRINK EVENT

Harmony House had an Ink and Drink event; the residents had a fun time getting temporary tattoos and enjoying refreshments.

ONE-TO-ONE ACTIVITIES AT KINGSLEY

The **Kingsley** team organised 1-1 activities with the residents, John followed his passion and played piano, Tilly was walking as exercising is on her care plan and Moira was assisting in making residents' memory book.

CAFÉ TIME AT HASLINGDEN HALL AND ROSEWAY HOUSE

The residents at **Haslingden Hall** had a perfect morning, enjoying the café with milkshakes of their choice, hot chocolate, chatting and playing favourite records on the gramophone.

Joined by their families, the residents at **Roseway House** enjoyed catching up with their loved ones over a hot cup of coffee and snacks.



















GENTS CLUB OF ROSEWAY HOUSE

The gentlemen of **Roseway House** had their regular domino sessions over a cup of coffee in the home café, it is one of their favourite activities to do.

THE LION KING: A MOVIE AFTERNOON

Residents at **Roseway** went out to watch The Lion King.

CABARET DANCE SHOW

The afternoon spent well at **Kingfisher**, Cabaret Dancers performed for the residents, and the residents loved the experience.

ONE TO ONE AT THE GLEN

The team accompanied **The Glen** residents doing some unique light board and hoopla activities.

A TRIP TO THE PROMENADE

The residents of **The Glen** took a stroll on the Morecambe promenade, stopping in for a hot chocolate and ice creams.

Therapeutic activities



KNITTING CLUB

Knitting makes it to our top loved activities list. Pictured are the Knitting Club of **Harmony House**, and Pat is seen knitting a scarf in the gardens of **Kingsley**.





STAYING FIT!

At **Kingsley**, the team played fun games that involved physical movements and engaged residents in armchair football and balloon badminton.

Exercise class at **Haslingden Hall** involved dancing and some gentle exercising with music.

Roseway House engaged in their regular sessions with Carla and the YMCA youth club.

Gentle chair workout by the residents of Kingfisher.





OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY AT KINGSLEY

The **Kingsley** team started a unique occupational therapy experience that helps to stimulate residents' body and mind. This includes daily walks to increase mobility and gentle activities to fine tune their motor skills.

INTERGENERATIONAL THERAPY

The regular visits from the local nursery children at **Kingsley** have been therapeutic for residents. The playfulness of little ones around the home uplifts the moods of the residents.



ANIMAL THERAPY

- Erin and Levi, the therapy dogs, visited Kingsley's
 residents. Levi won lots of treats from the residents by
 giving them a paw. Levi draws the attention of residents
 and reminds them of their own pets as a companion
- Mabel and Milo visit Liberton Brae
- Pony therapy with Glory at Roseway House
- Bruce being showered with cuddles from residents of Kingfisher
- Some dog therapy for the residents of The Glen







FLORAL THERAPY

Kingsley's residents had a lovely stroll in the gardens and made beautiful displays of flowers for the home enjoying afternoon tea.





The weather doesn't stop the horticulturists of **Haslingden Hall** as they

made hanging baskets to hang in the front of the home.

BAKING IS THE BEST THERAPY!

The residents at **Kingfisher** and **The Glen** baked yummy choco crispy cakes.





Kingsley Featured in Luxury Care Guide 2023

One of our remarkable achievements to date, **Kingsley** is featured in Luxury Care Home Guide 2023 by Knight Frank in a publication showcasing some of the UK's finest care facilities.







Amicura receives planning permission in Redruth

The planning permission is granted for a 52 bedded facility offering comprehensive care to the elderly with premium amenities. We aim to enhance the overall care experience of our residents, and this is going to be one more addition to this vision.



An official open day of Liberton Brae

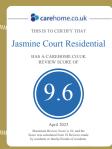




Liberton Brae Care Home in Edinburgh hosted an open day. We are honoured to be officially opened by Deputy Lord Provost Lezley Cameron. Everyone joined for an afternoon tea with live music. It was indeed a special day to show our new home enjoying spectacular views of Edinburgh.

A big shoutout to Top Scoring homes of Carehome.co.uk

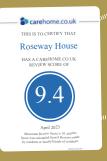




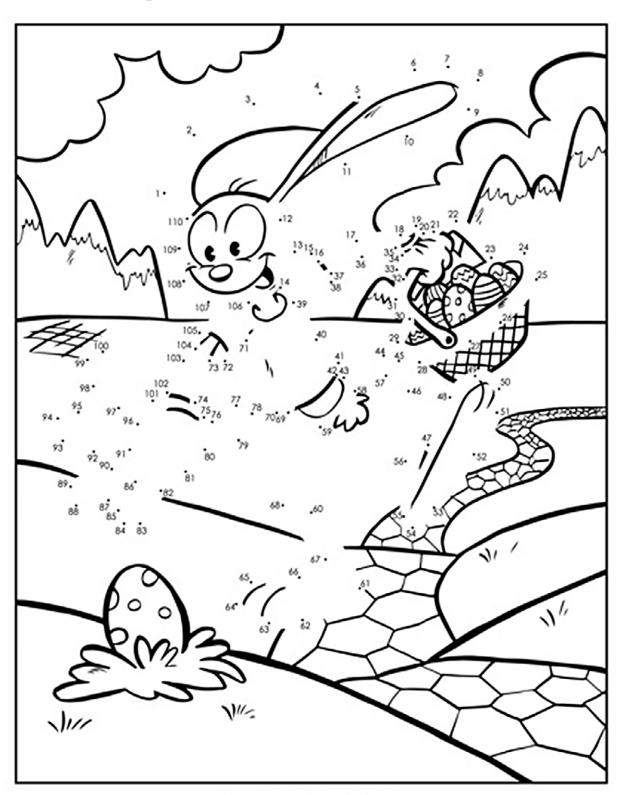








Springtime Dot-to-Dot fun!



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