

A Christmas catch up with Princess Christian Care Home



We have had a busy couple of weeks here at Princess Christian Care Home. We took our lovely residents to a Tea Dance in Woking and we all wore our Christmas hats – a great time was had by all! Two of our residents – Barry and Pat – put on a good show for everyone, it was like 'Strictly Come Dancing' all over again.

We also sent off our first letters to our **Penpals** at a local school so we're looking forward to receiving our replies any day now. We had the lovely pupils from **St John the Baptist School**, and their wonderful teacher Sam, visit us with a group of pupils from the drama department. They recently performed 'Grease' as a Christmas production at school, and they performed various songs for us all to enjoy – *what a talented lot they are!* Our residents joined in and some even got up to do the actions to 'Grease Lightning'. Everyone had such a fabulous time.

We held our **Christmas Residents party** on Friday 14 December and our surprise guests included Father Christmas, a giant snowman and our Manager (*Mario Taherian*) riding an elf – the mind boggles! Our staff really go into the spirit by wearing **Christmas jumpers**. We had the pleasure of our **Deputy Mayor** and his partner who handed out awards to our **Physiotherapist Leo Mathew** for **Employee of the Month**, as well as a **Top Volunteer** award to one of our resident's wife, **Pam**. Pam visits the **Home** at least twice a day and she's always ready to lend a hand. She also brings in **Milton**, her beautiful dog, for **Pet Therapy** once a week. *Congratulations to you both, Leo and Pam!*

Our **Chef Cosmin** won the Christmas jumper award at the **Christmas party**. He and the Kitchen team supplied a scrumptious buffet, as always, as well as purée snacks which meant everyone could enjoy the Christmas feast. We are off to the **Cathedral** on Thursday 20 December to the **Carol Concert** which always proves very popular with residents.

Everyone at Princess Christian wishes you a very happy Christmas and good luck, good health and happiness for 2019.















