

General Manager Focus



Dear Residents, Families, and Friends,

As we embrace the summer sunshine, I am delighted to extend a heartfelt welcome to all our new friends and residents joining us at Thistle Hill.

This season brings with it a sense of renewal and excitement, and we are thrilled to share it with you. Our upcoming summer event schedule promises to be a wonderful opportunity for us all to come together, celebrate, and create lasting memories. We look forward to seeing familiar faces and meeting new ones, as we strengthen the bonds that make our community so special.

Thistle Hill remains a warm, welcoming, and modern environment for everyone. We'll continue to support and promote our best life experiences for our residents so that the home is the best it can be.

We are excited about the future and look forward to sharing many more wonderful moments with you all. .

Kindest regards
Mandy Scott

Dates for your Diary

Take a look at our up and coming events.

August

29th – Cheese & Ale Morning

31st – Summer Fete Event

SEPTEMBER

6th – Kim and Dave musical performance

10th – Church Service

23rd – Rochelle music performance

24th – Carers Café

27th – Macmillan Coffee Morning

OCTOBER

9th – Church Service

9th Residents Meeting (Deighton)

22nd – Silent Disco



Yorkshire Day Tea Party

Embracing the spirit of "God's own country" our weekly coffee morning took on a Yorkshire flavour as our residents enjoyed a 'Yorkshire Tea' Tea Party!

Residents around the home had a brilliant time as they sampled a range of Yorkshire tea including malt biscuit and caramelised flavour, plus a selection of local ales!

And a massive thank you goes out to Kamil one of our chefs, for producing a beautiful Yorkshire Day themed cake!

Also recognising our local NHS heroes it was a privilege for our homes community team to meet our nurses at Harrogate Hospital and drop off some Yorkshire tea goodies on behalf of our residents.

SPOTLIGHT ON...

Thistle Hill becomes a soap factory for the afternoon!

Residents made their very own soaps, mixing the ingredients, colour, and adding designer perfume. They looked and smelled amazing. He soaps, she presented one to our General Manager,



What we've been up to...



Keeping Fit Olympics 2024

Thistle Hill holds an Olympic Exercise Class complete with medal ceremony!

Residents from around the home gathered together to compete for their own Olympic medals! Competition was fierce and close, resulting in much laughter and antics to gain favour with our judge, Chris!

Impromptu Fun in the Sun.

Never wishing to waste the summer sunshine our residents and activities team headed to our garden for an impromptu tea party!

Residents enjoyed a selection of refreshing ice lollies, a choice of ales and pots of tea.

It was a lovely afternoon enjoyed by all.



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Our best story this month
was viewed 1124 times

Thistle Hill had its very own
Olympic Opening
Ceremony!

We made the Olympic torch
ourselves and filmed it as it
passed through the home
and gardens involving as
many residents and staff as
we could. Our general
manager, Mandy Scott set
off with the torch first.

NEWS FROM IN AND AROUND Thistle Hill

Flower Power

Residents on Memory Lane and colleagues were delighted to spend time creating a beautiful floral master pieces.

We all had a wonderful time decorating and working on our arrangement and we are happy to say we were impressed with our skills in creating beautiful bouquets for our dining area.



Thank You

From all the team at Thistle Hill Care Centre 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://g.co/kgs/mrZ37ch> or <https://www.carehome.co.uk/review-submit/15065/rcsid/1012/>

CELEBRATING SUCCESS

Thistle Hill would like to say congratulations to our Employee of the month for July.

Seby one of our night carers on Ripley was nominated for all her hard work and commitment.

Seby has been with Thistle Hill for 5 months and has formed good relationships with all residents and staff.

Congratulations from everyone at Thistle Hill.



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