



News from  
**ACORN COURT**  
CARE HOME



Dear Friends

It's beginning to look a lot like Christmas and so we've been keeping merry and bright inside our cosy home these past few weeks and thought you'd like to see what we've been up to!



## One Hundred Rainbows for Christmas




Christmas is a time for taking stock and showing gratitude for those who impact our lives. So, this year we came up with a wonderful way for our much-loved residents to thank the local community for their unwavering support over the past 12 months. Residents have been busy decorating 100 miniature rainbow Christmas ornaments to send to friends and supporters who have been a lifeline to them, in a fun project that has brought everyone together and channelled their creativity! Each piece of artwork was presented with a message of thanks for the generosity these businesses and individuals have had on our happy home.



## Having a ball

We've decided to bring the fun of a festive Winter fair to our home this year! Yes, when we're not Christmas carolling, one of our new favourite games to play is High Score, the inflatable target game which can get very competitive - and our residents love it! Everyone tries to out-score each other by taking turns at throwing the balls in the blow-up board, even our team members have been competing against each other! Of course, when we want to take the pace down a little, we have been enjoying flower arranging with winter blossoms and painting pebbles to bring some colour and light to our home as the evenings get darker.





# The Acorn Court Bake Off

We have been taking inspiration from everyone's favourite foodie TV show and stepping up our baking game in recent weeks. Our sweet-toothed residents have loved mastering complex recipes as well as the fun, simple classics like Chocolate Rice Crispy Treats! Our baking mornings provide us with the perfect opportunity for residents to sit and have a good old catch-up. We love to see the challenge and teamwork these homemade recipes bring, not to mention the community feeling when everyone comes together to sample their delicious creations. They are all Star Bakers in our eyes!



## Walking in a Winter Wonderland



Our elves have been busy transforming Acorn Court ready for Christmas. Together residents and team members on all floors have chosen themes and decorated our festive home from top to bottom, transforming it into a magical, snowy wonderland. From a frosty alpine scene, complete with snowballs and woodland creatures, to a roaring fireplace with stockings hung high, our residents have delighted in our efforts and it's been a pleasure to witness the joy and happiness this has brought. Whilst Christmas will be a little different this year, we can assure you that our home will be filled with love, laughter and merriment.



## We always love reading your comments on Facebook! Here are a few recent ones:

- "Absolutely delightful to see happy smiling faces well done Acorn xx" Lucinda
- "They look so happy. We cannot thank you enough for the love and care you give to our Mum." Janette
- "Lots of happy people!" Margaret
- "Thanks to all the team at Acorn Corn for the care you give and Thanks to Paul for his music making Mum so happy." Susan



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