



PAX HILL

Care home for the elderly



# Windsor Suites Quarterly Newsletter

## Autumn 2015

Hello and Welcome to Windsor Suites Autumn Newsletter. As the nights draw in and the clocks go back on Sunday the 25th October, we look back on the busy and fun summer; also we look forward to the harvest festival, Halloween and start making plans for the festive season.

First, let's look back on the warm and vibrant summer. The Pax Hill Summer fete was a great success with friends and family sharing good memories. Chawton House Library outing gave residents a chance to visit a local place of interest and the summer picnic was a something a little different.



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## PAX HILL SUMMER FETE 2015

This year's summer fete started with an interesting talk by Kate (EMF's activities co coordinator,) on Lord Baden Powell and his association with Pax Hill. The sun shone on the well attended event and made it a great afternoon of fun, friends and fabulous entertainment. Vintage met exotic. This year the fete was held in aid of The Nepalese Earthquake Appeal, featuring, live music, Nepalese and Swing dancers. Refreshments included traditional Nepalese food, refreshing home-made lemonade and, of course, ice creams. We were spoilt for choice! A raffle was held and there were numerous stalls including gifts, cake, plant and book stalls. Also, let's not forget the bouncy castle. Thank you all for the help and support you gave to make this one of the best Pax Hill summer fetes ever.







## COMPANIES THAT DONATED TO RAFFLE

Highland Crown Ltd, Bird World, Grayshott Pottery, Elphicks, Alton House Hotel, Forest Lodge Garden Centre, Benefit Cosmetics Farnham, Jenkyn Place Vineyard



# HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO

Tony, Suzanne, Dr John Dauncey, Pamela, Monica





## CHAWTON HOUSE LIBRARY

Chawton House Library provides an internationally respected research and learning centre for study of early women's writing from 1600 and 1830. It is an Elizabethan house once belonging to Jane Austen's brother Edward Knight. Sarah Parry the educational officer from the library gave a talk at Pax Hill. Sarah's great passion and knowledge of the library was very evident. The talk was interesting and informative. Sarah brought reproductions of costumes of that period. It gave us an insight into the lives of the female authors that have books and oil paintings displayed in the library.

The return visit to Chawton House Library gave residents a chance to see the main hall, library, and to have cream tea and cake in the original pantry.



## WINDSOR RESIDENTS MEETING

Next meeting: Wednesday, 22 October

## WINDSOR ACTIVITIES NEWS

We had been getting ready for the summer fete for over three months; deciding what to grow, sowing the seeds, potting on plants and making labels with help from residents, staff and families. Our stall was full of a wide range of perennials and annuals. The plant and book stall raised £186. Well Done. I would like to thank Anne Johnson, Mary's daughter, for all her help and support. Also, everyone that helped and donated to our stall. Olwen's sunflowers all sold out, as did Alan's Lupins. The plants that were left over are going to be saved for next year's fete.





We have been listening to the Talking Local Newspaper every Tuesday morning in the lounge. Word games on a Tuesday and Bingo on Friday afternoons are still regular features. All Residents Welcome.

Pax Hill had a guest speaker Paul Simy, who gave an interesting talk on Air Traffic Control.

Marion and her Tappers also came to entertain the troops, with attending residents saying, 'It was great and would love Marion and her Tappers back again in the future.'



## SUMMER PICNIC 2015

This is now an annual event and this year was well attended. Keith entertained us with a good selection of well known songs. The rain held off and it was great to see you all enjoying the change. No sun hats this year! Thank you to all the staff who helped make this a special picnic lunch.









## DATES FOR THE DIARY

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| Thursday 3rd September<br>2pm      | Inter Unit Dominoes                | Montgomery Activities Room |
| Friday 4th September 11am          | Holy Communion Catholic            | Montgomery Activities Room |
| Wednesday 9th September<br>2pm     | Royal Tea Party                    | Windsor Lounge             |
| Wednesday 9th September<br>2.15pm  | Holy Communion and Service CofE    | Balmoral Lounge            |
| Thursday 10th September<br>1.30pm  | Sip and Knit                       | Windsor Lounge             |
| Wednesday 16th September<br>2pm    | Sax Swing Entertainment with Chris | Montgomery Lounge          |
| Thursday 17th September<br>2pm     | Inter Unit Bingo                   | Montgomery Activities Room |
| Wednesday 23rd September<br>1.30pm | Pets At Home                       | Balmoral Lounge            |
| Thursday 24th September<br>10am    | McMillan Big Coffee Morning        | EMF                        |
| Thursday 24th September<br>1.30pm  | Sip and Knit                       | Windsor Lounge             |
| Thursday 1st October<br>1.30pm     | Inter Unit Dominoes                | Montgomery Activities Room |
| Friday 2nd October 11am            | Holy Communion Catholic            | Montgomery Activities Room |
| Wednesday 14th October<br>2pm      | Entertainment With Singer Paul     | Montgomery Lounge          |
| Thursday 15th October 2pm          | Inter Unit Bingo                   | Montgomery Activities Room |



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| Tuesday 20th October<br>1.30pm             | Toys of Yesteryear                                | Montgomery Activities Room |
| Wednesday 21st October<br>2.15pm           | Holy Communion and Service CofE                   | Balmoral Lounge            |
| Wednesday 28th October<br>1.30pm           | Big Knit Tea Party                                | EMF                        |
| Thursday 29th October                      | Pumpkin Carving                                   | All Units                  |
| Friday 30th October 2pm                    | Halloween Party                                   | Montgomery Lounge          |
| Thursday 5th November<br>When it gets dark | Fireworks   | On Balmoral Terrace        |
| Friday 6th November 11am                   | Holy Communion Catholic                           | Montgomery Activities Room |
| Sunday 8th November                        | Remembrance Sunday                                |                            |
| Wednesday 11th November<br>AM              | Armistice Day Service at the<br>Cenotaph on TV    | All Units                  |
| Wednesday 11th November<br>2.15pm          | Holy Communion and Service CofE                   | Balmoral Lounge            |
| Wednesday 12th November<br>2pm             | Talk on the Roots Of Remembrance<br>Day by Kate   | Balmoral Lounge            |
| Wednesday 18th November<br>2pm             | Entertainer to be arrange                         | Montgomery Lounge          |
| Sunday 22nd November<br>2-5pm              | Pax Hill Vintage Christmas Bazaar                 | Heated Marque              |
| Wednesday 25th November<br>Pick Up 1pm     | Bagshot Lea Garden Centre<br>Christmas Decoration |                            |
| Friday 4th December 11am                   | Holy Communion Catholic                           | Montgomery Activities Room |
| Wednesday 9th December<br>Pick Up 11.15am  | Alton House Christmas Lunch                       |                            |
| Saturday 19th December<br>2pm              | Montgomery Christmas Party                        | Montgomery Lounge          |
| Sunday 20th December 2pm                   | Windsor and Balmoral Christmas<br>Party           | Balmoral Lounge            |

More Christmas Activities and Entertainment to be Announced. Please see notice boards on each unit.