



INTRODUCTION

Message From Our Team

As we reflect on the past year, we are proud of everything our home has achieved together. 2025 has been a positive and rewarding year, shaped by the warmth, dedication and strong sense of community shown by residents, families and staff alike. We marked a successful and magical Christmas and New Year, filled with joy, laughter and togetherness.

One of our proudest moments was giving back to our local community through our Giving Tree, with donations made to Solace Café in Irvine. Supporting this meaningful, community-focused initiative—which helps individuals in recovery from addiction and mental health challenges—reflects the compassion and values that sit at the heart of our home.

As we move forward, we do so with gratitude for what we have shared and enthusiasm for all that is still to come.

If you know someone who would like to receive our email newsletters/updates just let us know, or forward them the newsletter sign up link below:

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Best wishes,

Cumbrae Lodge Care Home Team

COMING UP...



DATES IN THE *Cumbrae Lodge Diary*

9 March - Church Service with Minister John
 15 March - Mother's Day
 17 March - St Patrick's Day
 25 March - Yoga / Exercise Class
 5 & 6 April - Easter Sunday and Easter Monday
 13 April - Church Service with Minister John
 22 April - Yoga / Exercise Class



CELEBRATIONS

Valentine's Day

Valentine's Day was a heart-warming celebration, filled with love, laughter and special moments. Our arts and crafts sessions marked the start of the festivities, with residents creating beautiful cards and decorations while sharing cherished memories.

We spent time talking about what keeps love strong, and it was lovely to hear thoughtful and touching reflections from residents about kindness, patience, laughter and companionship. The celebrations continued with a wonderful party, complete with live music from Charlie and his guitar, which had everyone singing along and tapping their feet. It was a joyful afternoon full of warmth and togetherness, enjoyed by all.



Burns Day

Our Burns Day celebration was filled with tradition, creativity and plenty of Scottish spirit. Arts and crafts sessions were a great success, with residents producing lovely themed artwork and enjoying time together. Poetry readings, including some of Robbie Burns' best-known verses, sparked fond memories and lively discussion.

The highlight of the day was our delicious meal of haggis, neeps and tatties, accompanied by a selection of Scottish treats and, of course, plenty of Irn-Bru. Laughter, storytelling and togetherness made it a memorable and enjoyable occasion for everyone involved.



Christmas Festivities

The festive season brought creativity, laughter and shared moments throughout the home. Arts and crafts sessions were especially popular, with residents making handmade decorations, cards and keepsakes with care and pride.

We enjoyed a fantastic pantomime full of sparkle, music and laughter, which had everyone clapping and joining in. Our Christmas parties were filled with festive cheer, delicious treats and joyful conversation, while karaoke sessions were a highlight, featuring brilliant performances and well-loved sing-along favourites. It was a special time, filled with smiles and festive spirit.



ACTIVITIES, EVENTS & NEWS

Trips Out

We have enjoyed several wonderful outings, giving residents the opportunity to socialise, explore and create new memories. Visits to Centre Stage have been a particular highlight, bringing together different homes for music, entertainment and friendly connections. These events are always lively, with plenty of singing and smiling faces.

Residents also took part in football memories sessions at Kilmarnock F.C., listening to engaging speakers and reminiscing about favourite matches and players from years gone by. In addition, outings to local shops and the garden centre offered a chance to browse, chat and enjoy a change of scenery. These trips have brought great enjoyment and connection for everyone involved.



Coffee Afternoons

Our weekly coffee afternoons continue to be a much-loved highlight. These relaxed gatherings bring residents and families together, offering the perfect opportunity to catch up over tea or coffee and a delicious selection of cakes.

The room is always filled with friendly conversation, laughter and the comforting buzz of shared company. These afternoons are a lovely way to strengthen connections, share stories and spend quality time together, capturing the heart of our home—community, companionship and, of course, a few sweet treats.



NEWS & UPDATES

Looking Ahead

The months ahead promise more opportunities to come together, celebrate special occasions and enjoy meaningful activities. We look forward to welcoming families to upcoming events, continuing our regular outings and introducing new activities designed to support wellbeing, connection and enjoyment for everyone in our care.

Thank you, as always, for your continued support and for being such an important part of life at Cumbrae Lodge Care Home.

EXTERNAL LINKS

Social Media

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