



INTRODUCTION

## Message From Our Manager

As we welcome the lighter days and the first signs of spring, it feels the perfect moment to reflect on what has been a wonderfully busy and heart-warming winter here at Pottersway Care Home. The colder months certainly didn't slow us down, and it has been a joy to see so much laughter, connection and creativity throughout the season.

The festive period was a real highlight. Our Christmas Family and Friends Evening brought everyone together to enjoy good company, music and festive cheer. The Christmas Party was full of sparkle and smiles, and the celebrations continued into the New Year with a fantastic Burns Night and a range of enjoyable trips out. Valentine's Day added another special touch, reminding us all of the importance of friendship and kindness.

Throughout the winter months, residents have taken part in a wide variety of activities, from keeping fit and staying active, to baking delicious treats, indoor gardening and getting creative. It has been wonderful to see such enthusiasm and engagement, and I would like to thank our dedicated staff, residents, families and friends for making these moments so special.

As we look ahead to spring, there is plenty to be excited about. With brighter days on the horizon, we are looking forward to getting out and about more, enjoying trips out, and celebrating special occasions such as our Mother's Day Afternoon Tea. There are lots of exciting plans in place, and we can't wait to share them with you over the coming months.

Thank you, as always, for your continued support. Here's to a fresh, bright and joyful spring ahead.

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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Warm regards,

**Rachel Simpson**  
Home Manager

SAVE THE DATES

**DATES IN THE**  
*Pottersway House Diary*

- 4 March 2026 – Morning Trip to Cotebrook Shire Horse Centre
- 12 March 2026 – Ukulele Band Performance
- 13 March 2026 – Mother's Day Afternoon Tea
- 15 March 2026 – Relatives Meeting, 6.00pm
- 23 March 2026 – Morning Trip to Bridgemere Garden Centre
- 6 April 2026 – Easter Bonnets
- 16 April 2026 – Music from Brit
- 20 April 2026 – Morning Trip to Jodrell Bank Centre
- 6 May 2026 – VE Day: Entertainment from Nostalgia Time
- 11–15 May 2026 – Cruise Week
- 12 May 2026 – Black Tie Family & Friends Evening (Captain's Cocktail Party)
- 18 May 2026 – Afternoon Trip to Astbury Mere and Garden Centre
- 9 June 2026 – Coach Trip to Llandudno

ACTIVITIES & EVENTS

## Valentine's Day Celebrations

We enjoyed the loveliest Valentine's Day party! Fantastic entertainment from Jon and Pam Baddeley, along with a delicious afternoon tea, made it a special celebration.

A heartfelt thank you to our wonderful residents, our dedicated lifestyle team, and especially our amazing housekeeping team for the beautiful decorations and the adorable knitted hearts. You made the day truly magical.



## Burns Night

Burns Night was a wonderful evening. A special mention goes to Steve the Piper for the stirring music, and to Mary Comer for her brilliant and beautifully delivered renditions of Burns' poems. The delicious nibbles were thoroughly enjoyed by all, expertly organised by our fantastic Scottish receptionist, Yvonne. A great night from start to finish!



## Activities and Clubs

Our clubs are really taking off! From the sweet creativity of Baking Club, to the exciting progress in Gardening Club, the hands-on fun of Craft Club, and the high energy of Exercise Club, there truly is something for everyone.

We are so proud of the friendships forming, the skills being shared, and the strong sense of community growing around each club. Seeing everyone connect, learn and thrive together has been wonderful.

This is just the beginning – and we can't wait to see what we achieve next!



## Trips Out

We've enjoyed some wonderful trips out recently, including a fabulous afternoon of bowling and a shopping trip that was perfectly topped off with coffee and cake. Such lovely moments to share and enjoy together.



## Christmas Festivities

We had a truly wonderful Christmas season here at Pottersway Care Home!

From our Family and Friends Christmas Evening and a fantastic Aladdin pantomime, to festive shopping trips and our lively Christmas Party, the month was full of joy and laughter.

We also enjoyed beautiful Brass and Carols, heart-warming carol singing with All Saints Church, and of course some very special visits from Santa and his friends. Thank you to everyone who joined us and helped make Christmas so magical. Here's to many more special moments together.



COMING UP...

## Looking Ahead

As spring unfolds, we are excited to embrace the season with more outings, celebrations and opportunities to enjoy the outdoors. With so many events planned and brighter days ahead, we look forward to continuing to create meaningful moments, lasting memories and a warm, welcoming home for everyone at Pottersway.

Thank you for being part of our journey – we look forward to sharing the months ahead with you.

EXTERNAL LINKS

### Social Media

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