

Events, Activities

& Outings for Solihull



**December**

**2018**

**Merry Christmas**





# Events for December

Activities and Events that are taking place this month

Sat	1	11.30	Music in Care Homes are back to entertain us this weekend, with a musical concert — <a href="#">Reception</a>
sun	2	All day  All day	Lets get crafty for the Big reception tree – make your own tree bauble in your designated house colours to grace our beautiful home’s Christmas tree.— <a href="#">Houses</a> Jackie's dog ‘Sam’ will be here for a cuddle and a treat. Don’t forget to meet and greet him in reception <a href="#">Reception</a>
Mon	3	15.00	Family Friday Social (the more the merrier residents/team/friends) - Tree decorating, mulled wine and mince pies. All hands on deck-orating!! Don’t forget to come and place your individual resident and staff baubles. - <a href="#">Reception</a>
Tues	4	11.30  14.00	Interact storytelling— <a href="#">Activity Room</a> Bentley heath choir performing for us. Official tree lights switch on. With mulled wine, minces pies. — <a href="#">Reception</a>
Wed	5	11.30	Melissa Hollicks is here with her festive Christmas show, come along for a song and a dance— <a href="#">Reception</a>
Thurs	6	14.00	Join us for a celebration of Des Forshaw’s life. — <a href="#">Reception</a>
Fri	7	11.30  15.00	Residents meeting Coffee Morning— <a href="#">Activity Room</a> Family Friday Social (the more the merrier residents/team/friends) Tea and cakes with Mike Sullivan playing the piano. Join us for the perfect chilled out afternoon!- <a href="#">Reception</a>
Thu	6	All day	House decorating! Get involve with making your house look festive and jolly. HOHOHO! — <a href="#">Houses</a>
Sat	8	11.30  15.30	Music in Care Homes are back to entertain us this weekend, with a musical concert — <a href="#">Reception</a> Star Light Service– (Please see posters) — <a href="#">St Alphege Church</a>
Tues	11	10.30	Hartbeeps Nursery visit, Come and join the little ones with play.— <a href="#">Reception</a>
Wed	12	  11.30  15.00	<a href="#">Christmas Extravaganza</a> RSGH Pantomime (oh yes it is...) - <a href="#">Dining Room</a> Tony Wall performs for us his winter wonderland Christmas show— <a href="#">Reception</a>

Fri	14	All day 14.30	<b>Wear your Christmas Jumper/T-shirt!!!</b> Family Friday Social (the more the merrier) - Nice & Easy Christmas Show— <b>Dining Room</b>
Sat	15	15.00	Music in Care Homes are back to entertain us this weekend, with a musical concert — <b>Reception</b>
Mon	17	11.00	The Bold Balladiers are here for a Christmas entertainment show — <b>Reception</b>
Tues	18	11.30 14.30	Widney Junior School Christmas choir here to sing for us. — <b>Reception</b> Peter Tonks plays for us - <b>Reception</b>
Wed	19	11.30	Kidderminster Male choir here to perform their Christmas show — <b>Dining Room</b>
Fri	21	12.00 15.00	Tai Chi with Nicola— <b>Reception</b> Family Friday Social (the more the merrier residents/team/friends) Tea, cakes and a sing-a-long with Peter Tonks playing the piano- <b>Reception</b>
Mon	24	10.30	Christmas party fun and games— <b>Reception</b> (All residents and team welcome.)
Tue	25	All day	<b>MERRY CHRISTMAS TO ONE AND ALL</b> <b>Father Christmas will be visiting... ho ho ho</b>
Wed	26	15.00	Boxing Day Family Afternoon social Please join your family and friends for Mulled Wine and Mince Pies— <b>Reception</b>
Thu	27	11.30	The Bluebird Belles are here to perform and get you in the mood for the new year. — <b>Reception</b>
Sat	29	15.00	Music in Care Homes are back to entertain us this weekend, with a musical concert — <b>Reception</b>
Mon	31	16.00 17.30	Peter Tonk and his wife Val here to perform to kick off the New Years Eve House Party's - — <b>Reception</b> Buffet and Fun with the team— <b>Houses</b>



# Regular Activities

SAME TIME, SAME DAY, EVERY WEEK

The Activities Department is always open and EVERYONE is welcome to enjoy this space for crafts, baking, computers, coffee, games & company

Every Mon	10.30	Movement to Music – <b>Reception</b>
	10.30	Inner Peace Relaxation Group— <b>Activity Room</b>
	11.30	Fun and frolics (volleyball/ curling/ skittles)— <b>Reception</b>
	14.30	News of the World discussion group – <b>Activity Room</b>
	14.30	<i>Roundel crafts class– Roundel (NEW)</i>
Every Tue	10.30	Colour Art Therapy— <b>Activity Room</b>
	11.30	Daily Sparkle Reminiscing tea party— <b>Activity Room</b>
	14.30	RSGH Solihull Choir — <b>Activity Room (NEW)</b>
Every Wed	10.30	Movement to Music – <b>Reception</b>
	10.30	Peaceful Yoga — <b>Activity Room (NEW)</b>
	11.30	Mid week Entertainment- Bring your best singing voice— <b>Reception</b>
	14.00	Group Crossword/ word games— <b>Activity Room</b>
	15.00	Upper Limb Gym— <b>Activity Room</b>
Every Thu	10.00	Arts & Crafts with Dawn— <b>Activity Room</b>
	11.30	<i>Roundel Sensory class– Roundel (NEW)</i>
	11.30	Pub Quiz— <b>Reception</b>
	14.30	Pamper Parlour ladies/gents– with Charlie . Nail care, Come and join us, you deserve it! :)
Every Fri	10.30	Movement to Music – <b>Reception</b>
	10.30	Inner Peace relaxation Group— <b>Activity Room</b>
	11.30	Anything Goes (see monthly program) <b>Reception</b>
	15.00	Friday Social (see monthly program)- <b>Reception</b>



# Weekend programme for December

Sat	1	11.30	Music in Care Homes are back to entertain us this weekend. <b>Reception</b>
Sun	2	10.30 14.30	Sunday Hymns— <b>Café/Bar</b> Film afternoon. Join us for a Christmas Cinema experience Showing 'Home Alone' — <b>Activity Room</b>
Sat	8	14.30	Music in Care Homes are back to entertain us this weekend. <b>Reception</b>
Sun	9	10.00 14.30	Sunday Hymns— <b>Café/Bar</b> Film afternoon. Join us for a Christmas Cinema experience Showing 'Miracle on 34th Street' — <b>Activity Room</b>
Sat	15	11.30	Music in Care Homes are back to entertain us this weekend, with a musical concert — <b>Reception</b>
Sun	16	10.00 14.30	Sunday Hymns— <b>Café/Bar</b> Film afternoon. Join us for a Christmas Cinema experience Showing 'It's a wonderful life— <b>Activity Room</b>
Sat	22	11.00	Ancestry with Paul Wilkins.— <b>on houses</b>
Sun	23	10.00 14.30	Sunday Hymns— <b>Café/Bar</b> Film afternoon. Join us for a Christmas Cinema experience Showing 'The Nativity— <b>Activity Room</b>
Sat	29	11.30	Music in Care Homes are back to entertain us this weekend, with a musical concert — <b>Reception</b>
Sun	30	10.00 14.30	Sunday Hymns— <b>Café/Bar</b> Film afternoon. Join us for a Christmas Cinema experience Showing 'The Great Escape' — <b>Activity Room</b>

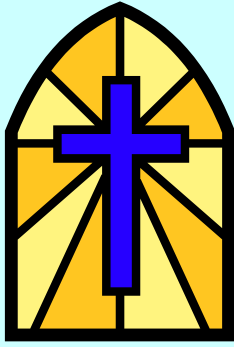
## Lots of extras with the Team on the Houses...Just Ask

- ◆ **Movie night/afternoon**
- ◆ **Pampering**
- ◆ **Quiz's**
- ◆ **Crafts**
- ◆ **Sing a longs**
- ◆ **Board Games**
- ◆ **Word games**
- ◆ **One to one chats**
- ◆ **Life Story work with your folder**



# **Trips out for December**

<b>Tue</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>14.00</b>	<b>17.00</b>	<b>Christmas Party Pub Lunch</b>
<b>Wed</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>10.30</b>	<b>13.00</b>	<b>Solihull shuttle – Festive Shopping</b>
<b>Sat</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>15.30</b>	<b>18.00</b>	<b>Starlight service– St Alphege</b>
<b>Mon</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>10.30</b>	<b>13.00</b>	<b>Solihull shuttle – Festive Shopping</b>
<b>Tue</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>14.00</b>	<b>17.00</b>	<b>Christmas Party Pub Lunch</b>
<b>Thu</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>14.00</b>	<b>16.30</b>	<b>Melbicks Festive Shopping &amp; Tea</b>
<b>Fri</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>TBC</b>	<b>TBC</b>	<b>Christmas Lunch with The Not Forgotten Society</b>
<b>Tue</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>14.00</b>	<b>17.00</b>	<b>Christmas Party Pub Lunch</b>
<b>Wed</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>12.30</b>	<b>18.00</b>	<b>PANTO PETER PAN - Hippodrome</b>
<b>Thu</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>14.00</b>	<b>16.00</b>	<b>Scenic Drive / Festive Lights</b>
<b>Thu</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>10.00</b>	<b>15.00</b>	<b>Coventry Cathedral &amp; Lunch</b>



# Church Services

## This Month

Sun	2	11.30	Join us for Sunday Hymns— <b>Reception</b>
Wed	5	14.30	St Alphege Church of England Service <b>Activity room</b>
Sun	9	11.30	Join us for Sunday Hymns— <b>Reception</b>
Thu	13	14.00	St Augustine Roman Catholic Service <b>Activity Room</b>
Sun	16	11.45	Rev Fisher Reformed Church Service <b>Reception</b>
Sun	23	11.30	Join us for Sunday Hymns— <b>Reception</b>
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**In loving Memory**

Our thoughts and prayers are with:  
and her family.



# News Letter

**MEDIA RELEASE**



**The Royal Star  
& Garter Homes**  
Caring for the nation's military family since 1916

## **Residents fall silent as The Royal Star & Garter Homes pays Remembrance Day respects**

Ex-servicemen and women at The Royal Star & Garter Homes have paid their respects on Remembrance Day at services in Surbiton, Solihull and London. Residents observed the two-minute silence at the Homes in Solihull and Surbiton on 11 November. Representatives from the Homes were also present at local services, while Second World War veterans from Surbiton attended the Cenotaph Service and Parade at Whitehall.

This year's Remembrance Day also coincided with the Armistice centenary, which the Charity marked with its RSGH Remembers campaign.

Solihull Home Manager Cheryl Harbourne said: *"It is hugely important to our veteran residents to commemorate their comrades, friends and loved ones who served the*



*Merry Christmas  
family & friends*



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