

*Dear friends*

*Praise the Lord O my soul, and forget not all His benefits.*

*Psalms 103:v2*

As Summer fades into Autumn we are again reminded of the Goodness of our God when we see the harvest brought in and fruits and vegetables gathered from orchard and garden.

Once again our residents have been enjoying food and fellowship on a number of special events.

We are delighted to welcome a new Trustee whose experience and help will be a valuable addition to the Trust.

Again the St. Withburga Ringers brought an enjoyable program to entertain and we also had a visit by some four legged entertainers the Little Donkeys.

The Trustees extend their welcome to new residents and hope you will enjoy living at Quebec Hall joining in the Bible Teaching, Worship and other activities available here.

**Stephen Read, Trustee**

# A Fun Afternoon

Despite the light rain showers all enjoyed the afternoon as we welcomed the return of the miniature Donkeys.

Their presence, coupled with many games for the family which included the "stocks", created an atmosphere of fun and fellowship. Mark, our general manger, enjoyed a soaking with wet sponges thrown by his wife Clare!

Bungalow resident, Jacqueline Woor, was a good sport being bombarded by Martin, our chair of Trustees, as she also was "locked in the stocks"! It was a great afternoon in spite of the weather.

An amazing spread of food was provided by our great team of Jayne, Jo, Kath and Shirley. Our thanks to them all. Without doubt the stars of the afternoon were however the miniature Donkeys!



## NEW TRUSTEE...



Quebec Hall are pleased to announce that Denise Ashton has joined the Board of Trustees, as of 15th April 2019.

Denise has a wealth of experience in the Care Sector having worked as a nurse for over 40 years!

A committed Christian, Denise is already proving a great asset to the work and witness of Quebec Hall and it is our prayer that she may find much blessing in her new role.

# Open Day 2020

Please place Saturday, 18th July 2020 into your diary as a "must be free" date.

It will be Quebec Hall's 60th Anniversary and a time of Thanksgiving to God for His abundant provision.

Guest Speaker at our afternoon service of worship, which shall be held under the marquee in the gardens, will be Brigadier Ian Dobbie, grandson of

Lt. General Sir William Dobbie, who was present to open Quebec Hall 60 years before.

Please invite friends and family to join with us as together we thank God for His provision and look to Him for the days as yet to come.



## WHAT'S BEEN HAPPENING...

### Sarah's company

Once again, staff member Sarah Rose demonstrated her not inconsiderable talent as she entertained us on the second Wednesday of May with a short drama piece of a lady who worked at Bletchley during the 2nd World War.

Sarah then answered questions and spoke with those present of her interests in drama while refreshments were being served. We are very appreciative of all that Sarah continues to do for us. It takes great courage to stand up and perform as she is able to do.



### Naughty but nice!

Wednesday, 29th May brought our first Cream Tea of the summer.

Although dry it was decided to gather in the dining room owing to the weather being unsettled. The photos show an amazing array of scones, and also some speciality scones, which all enjoyed along with endless amounts of tea.

Our thanks to staff members, Margaret Seekings and John Kelly, for making and displaying the scones, complemented by strawberries and cream, in so attractive a manner. All enjoyed the afternoon.



### Food Fare

28 guests were present for our second Chef's Choice Food Night on the second Wednesday in April

A mouth-watering array of dishes – two main courses and one dessert was presented by our top chef John Kelly. Many well-fed guests departed stating how wonderful had been the evening. A big "thank you" to all who helped to make the evening a huge success.



### St. Withburga Ringers

Once again, the visit of St. Withburga Ringers in early April was greatly enjoyed by all.

Their varied programme of hand bell ringing caters for all music tastes and they have become a firm favourite of many folk. Everyone enjoyed refreshments which followed at the conclusion of their programme.



### Portugal awaits!

Our 9th Themed Evening Meal was held on the 14th June with Portugal the venue.

As on previous occasions places were limited and the evening was fully subscribed weeks before the day with 32 guests taking their seats.

Chef John Kelly designed the menus and prepared the food aided by Chef Jane Olly with further support on the evening of John's sister Kath, (a former cook at Quebec Hall). With management helping to serve it ensured a smoothly run evening.

The photos reveal the delicious array of food, and any may visit our website to see further photos, and the menu leaflet which was prepared for us by Johanne Fletcher (staff member). A great evening, a great atmosphere, and another success.



## FUTURE EVENTS...

### SEPTEMBER

★ Saturday 28th at 11am

**COFFEE MORNING IN AID OF  
MACMILLAN CANCER CARE**

### OCTOBER

★ Wednesday 9th at 2.30pm

**SARAH'S COMPANY - NEW**  
(in lounge)

★ Friday 18th at 5.30pm

**QUIZ NIGHT WITH FISH & CHIP  
SUPPER - Cost £5**

### NOVEMBER

★ Friday 1st at 6.00pm

**FIREWORKS WITH SOUP &  
HOT DOGS (Donations welcome)**

### DECEMBER

★ Monday 2nd at 2.30pm

**SALVATION ARMY SINGERS**

★ Monday 9th at 7pm

**CUB PACK VISIT**

★ Thursday 12th at 6pm

**QUEBEC HALL CAROL SERVICE**

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### TRUSTEES:

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Philip Parfitt · Sam Leinster  
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