

Friends and Family

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Our monthly newsletter
for relatives about life at

**THE
FED**

Heathlands
Village



EIGHT DAYS OF FUN AT HEATHLANDS VILLAGE!

Chanukah was celebrated in style at Heathlands Village with parties and entertainment galore. We welcomed entertainers, singers, local school children and even the King David nursery - making this truly memorable simchadick week for our residents, tenants, families and many visitors. See for yourself how much fun everyone had...



COMING UP IN JANUARY!

Besides our regular residents' activities, special highlights coming up include:

New Years Eve party

Wednesday 2nd January, 6.45pm - 8pm

Rosemary Hamburger's quiz

Thursday 3rd January, 7 - 8pm

First of fortnightly intergenerational sessions with little visitors from KD nursery

Tuesday 8th January 2 - 3.30pm

Music Appreciation Evening with Naomi

Sunday 13th January, 7 - 8pm

Family Cinema Evening

Wednesday 23rd January, 6.30pm, Memorial Hall

Rosemary Hamburger's quiz

Thursday 24th January, 7 - 8pm

Pottery session with Sarah

Tuesday 29th January, 2pm

Pamper Day

Wednesday 30th January, 10am - 4pm

All events will take place in the Activity Centre unless stated otherwise.

GROUNDWORK GONG FOR FED

The wonderful Seaside Garden at Heathlands Village recently came runner-up out of 600 entrants in a national awards ceremony to find the best Community Garden or Green Space.

Here's our CEO Mark Cunningham and Clinical Director, Karen Johnson, at the House of Commons, receiving the award! Congratulations to all the winners though in our minds, we are Number One!



EMPLOYEE OF THE MONTH!

The Employee of the Month Award for November was awarded to Ian Simmonds, a member of our Laundry team. As well as being a long-standing member of staff, Ian was recently commended for going above and beyond in his duties at The Fed.

"Off his own back, Ian identified a problem outside of his control. By changing his working method - and starting at 5am instead of 8am - he managed to get the job done, and avoided delaying returning laundry to our resident," said Operations Director Sheila Heywood-Holt.



Congratulations Ian - very well deserved!

A CENTURY OF SERVICE

More than 70 guests recently paid tribute to an incredible century of joint communal service at Heathlands Village, by two of its stalwart former Board Members and Presidents.

Herzl Hamburger and Leslie Kaye BEM, both recently retired board members of The Fed and past Presidents of Heathlands Village, were honoured at a dinner on 28th November.

Guests were treated to personal insights from the pair. Herzl and Leslie are the longest-serving board members of Heathlands Village - and subsequently The Fed - in the last 60 years.

"Leslie and Herzl are role models not only for our existing Board, but for those who will continue to serve in the future," said Fed Chairman, Bernie Yaffe.



HEATHLANDS VILLAGE RELATIVES' FORUM

Next meeting: Tuesday 29 January at 7pm in The Central Cafe.

Sheila Heywood, Director of Operations, will be joining the meeting to discuss food.

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