

THE DOWNES CARE HOME, FOUNDRY HILL, HAYLE, CORNWALL, TR27 4HW

# Newsletter

September 2020

# Welcome

Welcome to the quarterly newsletter for The Downes Care Home. The newsletter is for the benefit of Residents, families and staff. We hope you enjoy reading it. It is also published on our website at www.thedowneshayle.com

### Skype

To ensure that our clients are able to keep in contact with their relatives we have Skype set up which is available to be used between 9am-5pm Monday to Friday. The skype name is **thedowneshayle\_1** 



#### COVID-19

Visiting is currently suspended until further notice. We hope that everyone understands the importance of keeping your loved ones safe is our top priority.

#### Harvest Festival

Our residents enjoyed our annual Harvest Festival celebrations. Our residents enjoyed participating in singing and a Harvest Festival Quiz. A big thank you to everyone who donated to our Harvest Festival food collection. Everything that was donated has been given to the Hayle Food Bank and the Hayle Community Cupboard.







#### Staff of the Quarter

Staff, Residents, Relatives, and Friends have been voting for the last couple of months for Staff of The Quarter. The winner of Staff of The Quarter is Sean Moran. Sean joined The Downes in April 2019 as a Care Assistant. Sean is highly thought of by our residents and is a asset to the team at The Downes

You can start voting for the next Staff of Quarter now!

#### **Exploring the Garden**

Our residents thoroughly enjoy taking walks in the garden and sitting on the patio area.



#### Jam Making

A lot of our residents have helped with the gardening club and have managed to grow some amazing fruit and veg. This week they made some jam from their produce.



# Tell us your views

There is still time to submit your reviews of our home to www.carehome.co.uk



# **Upcoming Events**

We have the following events to look forward to in the coming weeks including: Halloween.

We also have a few birthdays to be celebrated over the next couple of weeks.

# The Downes Bake Off

Our residents were given the opportunity to join in with some baking activities recently.





