January Activities

at Chester Court

**Here are the events and activities going on this month!**

**For more information on set regular activities please see the weekly planner. This will include activities such as quizzes, arts & crafts, sports games, bingo, word games & puzzles, jigsaws, flower arranging, animal therapy, Afternoon Tea, Virtual musical entertainment and much more!**

**Friday 31st/ Saturday 1st – New Year’s Eve**

To celebrate New Year’s Eve we will be creating glitter fireworks, watching a firework show and holding a cocktail tasting masterclass in the afternoon!

**Tuesday 4th – World Braille Day**

To mark World Braille Day we will be learning about braille, touching objects with braille printed on and playing blindfolded games and trying to identify different objects by touch only**.**

**Wednesday 5th – The Nutcracker**

We will be watching The Nutcracker ballet performed by National Opera and Ballet Theatre of Mari El. Afterwards we will be painting ballet inspired pictures.

**Sunday 9th – Movie afternoon**

Join us for a movie afternoon in the lounge with cinema snacks such as, popcorn. There will be a variety of films to choose from and we will pick a film to watch on the day.

**Wednesday 19th – International Flower Day**

To celebrate International Flower Day we will be holding flower arranging sessions with a variety of beautiful fresh flowers.

**Thursday 27th – International Chocolate Cake Day**

To celebrate International Chocolate Cake Day we will be decorating chocolate flavoured cupcakes and holding a chocolate themed quiz.

**Tuesday 25th – Burns Night**

To celebrate Burns Night we will of course be having Haggis, neeps and tatties, reading Address to the Haggis poem, listening to bagpipes, participating in a Scottish quiz and having a virtual trip to Scotland.

**Wednesday 26th – Australia Day**

To celebrate Australia Day we will be taking a virtual trip to Melbourne zoo and creating our own boomerangs in an arts and crafts session.

**Friday 28th – Big Garden Bird Watch**

We will be taking part in the Big Garden Watch 2022, bird watching and counting how many of each species of bird lands in our gardenover an hour period and uploading our findings.