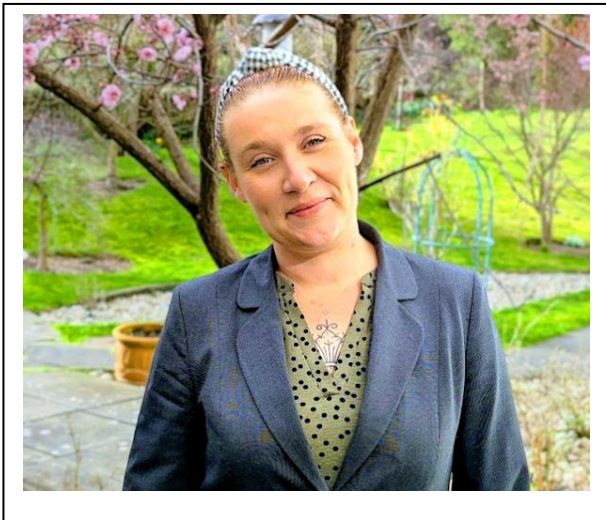


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NEWSLETTER



General Manager Focus



A word from our General Manager

Dear Reader

As the General Manager of Strachan House, it is my pleasure to extend a warm welcome to each and every one of you. Our vibrant community is growing, and we are thrilled to have new residents join our close-knit family.

To our new residents you've chosen more than just a place to live; you've become part of a compassionate and supportive community. We're here to ensure that your time at Strachan House is filled with joy, comfort, and meaningful connections. Whether it's sharing stories over a cup of tea or participating in our upcoming events, we're excited to get to know you better.

To our valued relatives. Your presence and involvement are invaluable. Thank you for entrusting us with the care of your loved ones. We understand the importance of family bonds, and we're committed to creating an environment where everyone feels at home. Your visits, phone calls, and participation in our activities mean the world to us.

In the weeks to come, we have an array of exciting activities and community events planned. From trips to a local brewery and a visit planned to the local golf club, to music events and Easter celebrations, there's something for everyone. Let's create memories together and make Strachan House an even brighter place.

Stay tuned for updates, announcements, and heart-warming stories in our newsletter.

Thank you for being part of our Strachan House family.

**Warm regards,
Fran**

Dates for your Diary

We're delighted to share with you a small selection of the community and activities event coming soon

March

Tuesday 26th March
Pimm's O Clock – Ladies Club

Wednesday 27th March
Coffee with a Coppa event

Wednesday 27th March
Trip to Vault Centre
Brewery from 2pm –
Gents Club

Friday 29th March
Easter Edition of our
Community Cafe

April

Wednesday 24th April
Short Hole Golf Course
Trip

Thursday 25th April
Wine Tasting Event

May

Wednesday 22nd May
High Tea Event



Twenty Year Long Service Award

From all of us at Strachan House and on behalf of our residents, relatives and colleagues we would like to congratulate and thank Greg for his long service as he celebrates 20 years at Barchester.

Greg Libanan, a much valued Senior Care Assistant, started at Barchester in 2004 and has worked in dedication with residents and their relatives to ensure that their needs have been met over the years.

He was presented with a £250 shopping voucher by visiting Regional Director Mandy, a golden leaf pin and gifts from his colleagues and friends.

SPOTLIGHT ON...

On the last Friday of the month we look forward to welcoming our residents, relatives and members of the community to come together for our 'Community Café'

There is always a warm welcome and plenty of hearty chatter.



What we've been up to...



Intergenerational Fun

We were thrilled to welcome back our friend from the Cargilfield Nursery for story time.

The children and residents enjoyed a book reading of the Judith Kerr classic 'The Tiger Who Came For Tea' and the more recent story of 'Little Goose's Autumn'

Trip to the Vault City Brewery

March 27th will see our Gentlemen's Club take a trip out to the Vault City Brewery on the Portobello High Street.

We hope you can join us for this very special community event as we visit this fabulous location and sample a selection of fine real ales brewed locally.



LET'S TALK *facebook*

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@barchesterstrachanhouse

**Our best story this month
had 61 likes**

Long Service award....

It was no surprise that our most liked story saw Greg celebrating his 20 year 'Long Service Award'

From all of us at Strachan House we are so grateful to Greg and we look forward to many more years working alongside Greg.

NEWS FROM IN AND AROUND **Strachan House**

Burns Night Celebrations

January the 25th saw our residents, relatives and visitors come together to celebrate Burns Night.

We had an amazing time celebrating all things Robert Burns! Our talented gardener, Andy came in to play the bagpipes for our residents and did an excellent job of reciting the Address to the haggis! Residents enjoyed a dram (or two) of whiskey and a traditional meal of haggis, neeps and tatties! It was great to see everyone get involved by clapping and cheering along.



Thank You

From all the team at **Strachan House** we'd like to say a big thank you to you all for all your support and understanding over the last few months. We'd love you to leave us a review if you haven't already at <https://g.co/kgs/KraCnDL> or at <https://www.carehome.co.uk/review-submit/27650>

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