



SUMMER BBQ

We had an absolutely brilliant day on Thursday, June 19th, celebrating our Summer BBQ with our wonderful residents and their families! 🍌🍌🍌
 ❤️ We were truly blessed with the weather, and even more so with the amazing team that made it all happen.

🌈 A huge thank you to:

👨‍🍳 Richard, Milana, Salin & Mary for the delicious food

Jose, Gary, Monica, and Rosemarie for serving up great food & drinks with a smile

👷 Greg from Maintenance for all the heavy lifting

👩‍🍳 Amy & Frances from the Activities Team for planning and setting everything up

🎸 And a big shout out to Mickey the Butcher for the live music that got everyone clapping and dancing!

To all our amazing staff — thank you for going above and beyond to make the day so special for our residents. Days like this are what memories are made of. ❤️



Golden Sun

Great, glorious, golden sun,
 Shine down on me today,
 You are the life of all this earth,
 You and your magic ray.

You are the life of bird and plant,
 All must depend on you.

Shine down, great sun, the whole day
 long!

Shine from the heaven's blue.

And I will welcome your golden rays,
 For you mean life to me,
 And you mean happiness and health,
 Strength and energy.

Shine down, great sun, on flower and field,
 And never say goodbye.
 Forever and ever give us your light,
 From out the wide blue sky.



Afternoon Tea in our Coffee Shop

Afternoon Tea & Concert in the Village Square at Castleross was a truly lovely afternoon.

We sat just outside Molly's Bar / Coffee Shop, so the afternoon was filled with tea, treats, and terrific tunes ❤️

The wonderful Evelyn Holland provided beautiful music. & made sure that everyone had a great time.

Residents from each of our Houses joined in the fun.

Gentlemen's Day at Castleross 🐾
we call it "Gentlemen's Day" as
not all our male residents are
fathers so everyone can celebrate
the day, and no one is left out 😊
We had a wonderful time
celebrating Gentlemen's Day
across all our houses here at
Castleross. 💙

Every one of our male residents
received a lovely bag of goodies
to mark the occasion — a small
gesture to show our appreciation
and bring a smile to their faces. It
was a day full of laughter,
conversation, and connection.



Marley 🐾

Meet Marley 🐾 & Marietta from Irish Therapy Dogs
We're delighted to welcome Marley and his lovely owner Marietta to Castleross
Nursing Home as part of our weekly visits from Irish Therapy Dogs. 🐾
There's something so comforting and joyful about Marley's presence — you can see it
in every smile and gentle cuddle. These lovely photos say it all 🐾
Thank you, Marley, for bringing so much happiness to our home. We're already
counting down the days until your next visit 🐾❤️



Castleross On Tour

We're delighted to announce that the Castleross Nursing Home "bus trips" are
back — just in time for the beautiful summer weather ☀️🚌
Our houses all get turns in going out on the bus, they get to discuss and decide
on the day where they would like to go. Peter also makes sure to do a pitstop for
Ice cream!

"Bake with Ann"

Our residents are always delighted to
hear that Ann will be in to do some
baking.

They roll up their sleeves to make
delicious some shortbread biscuits,
cutting out and decorating their own
creations with care and creativity.
Or simply watch Ann making fruit farls,
soda farls, and potato bread on her very
own griddle, she brings in from home
Nothing beats the joy of baking together,
sharing stories, and, of course, enjoying
the tasty treats afterward. Well done to
all our talented bakers!

