

Jesus Hospital Charity Newsletter

Spring 2023



Welcome to the 50th edition of our newsletter.

Firstly, a message from our Chairman.

Dear All,

Greetings and Welcome.

Spring approaches and hopefully there will good

reasons for cheer as the weather gets warmer and we get on with the refurbishment of Ravenscroft Lodge.

I would like to personally welcome you to two events we are holding, namely 26 April Founders Day Luncheon, please see page two for more details. We can all have a fine meal and a “glass or two” and meet up and enjoy ourselves.

Founders’ Day is a day to remember our kind benefactors James & Mary Ravenscroft and a fun occasion to celebrate & rejuvenate friendships. In addition, we will also be celebrating the Coronation of our new King Charles III on 4th May with an afternoon tea party at Ravenscroft Lodge, and hopefully some bunting and a cheer or two. Perhaps a patriotic song also!

See page 2 for more details.

Please put these dates in your diary

The coffee mornings on Thursdays at Ravenscroft at 10.30am are also

reconvened so do try and get along to join other friends and JHC neighbours.

We hope to arrange a summer outing to enjoy a day out and forget the miseries of the world! Information and detail on that is to follow.

Please do let us know if you would like to mention something in future Newsletters. Tell us about yourselves and what you are doing and what would be of interest to the charity and residents!

We do want to create a wider celebration of friendships, meetings, and involvement within JHC. If anyone would like to start a meeting group within the charity, please do contact us – any activities to bring people together and ensure that no one is isolated such as – bridge clubs, knitting clubs, chess/drafts, social etc.

Warmest best wishes

Michael

Michael Crisp
Chairman JHC



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JESUS HOSPITAL CHARITY

**YOU ARE INVITED
BY THE TRUSTEES**

FOUNDER'S DAY LUNCH

**Wednesday 26 April
2023**

12.30pm

Old Fold Manor Golf Club

**Please RSVP if you
have not already done
so**

**and advise if you
require transport
or have any dietary
requirements.**

**Jane 07932 643 466
Office 020 8440 4374**

**JHC
MONTHLY COFFEE MORNING
10.30am ~ 11.30am**

**@
RAVENS CROFT LODGE
PLEASE JOIN US ON
THURSDAY'S
25 May 2023
22 June 2023
20 July 2023**

**PLEASE JOIN US TO
CELEBRATE THE
KING'S CORONATION**

**We will be hosting a
Coronation**

Afternoon Tea Party

on

Thursday 4 May 2023

2.30pm

Ravenscroft Lodge

37 Union Street

EN5 4HY

R.S.V.P.

by

26 April 2023

Jane

07932 643 466

Office

020 8440 4374

JHC GARDENING COMPETITION

We would love as many of you as possible to join in the gardening competition.

You can be as creative as you wish by planting your whole garden, a small section, a planter on your doorstep, hanging basket or wreath for your door.

The Gardening Committee, Ryan & Robert will be judging on Wednesday 7 June and prizes will be awarded for:

Overall Winner

Most Improved

Most Creative

If you need any advice, please speak to Robert.

Hello!

We would like to warmly welcome the following residents...

LESLEY NARRAMORE



Hi, my name is Lesley. I am Aries and will be 63 this year. I was born and bred in Barnet and had seven brothers and sisters ~ a big family!

I have two beautiful boys, well young men now. I work in a pupil referral unit in Whetstone. I like to meet with friends and visit restaurants, ballet, and theatre. I would like to thank all the wonderful ladies from Ravenscroft Cottages, Potters Lane for their lovely warm welcome.

MARGARET BURKE



I have been living at Ravenscroft Cottages, Grasvenor Avenue for over three months now and love living here. It is so peaceful and quiet. I'm

enjoying the grounds and the views of the playing fields are amazing from my living room window. Thanks to JHC for giving me my new home.

SOHELIA BAKHTIARA



My name is Soheila. I came to the U.K. in 2018.

I am originally from Iran. I've worked most of my life as a head teacher, specialising in Maths.

I have two daughters and two grandchildren, with whom I love spending time with. I also enjoy going to museums, the library, cooking and doing a bit of gardening in my spare time.

ALISON RUSH



Hello Everyone, My name is Alison and I am looking forward to meeting my new neighbours and becoming a part of the Jesus Hospital Charity community.

I like music reading, going to the cinema and meeting up with friends.



...and with sadness we say FAREWELL to....

Norah Thorburn

Norah was a very happy resident with us from October 2012 until she sadly passed away in October 2022. Norah will be greatly missed.

Maria Stylianou

Maria was with us from April 2015 and moved to live elsewhere in Barnet in February 2023. We wish Maria all the best in her new home.

NOTICEBOARD

Out of Hours Contractors

****Please note these numbers
are for emergencies only****

ELECTRICIAN

DAVE KEOGH:

07860 627 678

HEATING ENGINEER /

PLUMBER

GARY BROWN (HEAT GB)

07961 363 196

If Dave or Gary are not available
or for any other emergency

Please call: **IDCC:**

01923 268123

Quoting:

Jesus Hospital Charity

High Barnet Good Neighbour Scheme

Offer transport for medical
runs, shopping, gardening &
prescription collection.

Contact Diane

020 8441 5678

Are you looking for advice or support?



Drop in to Chipping Barnet
Library to speak to one of the
**BOOST Welfare Benefits
Advisors** for financial advice
or a Prevention and Wellbeing
coordinator from Barnet
Council about services
available to Barnet residents.

Together we can help

Chipping Barnet Library
Tuesday 11th & 25th April and
thereafter every other Tuesday
Contact: nikki.barnett@barnet.gov.uk

Wesley Hall
9 Stapylton Road
Opposite Spires Car Park

Date & Time: Saturday 15 April 10-4

FREE 20-MIN

Personal Health Screening

For over 40 year olds

A healthcare professional will check:

✓ Cholesterol Levels ✓ BMI ✓ Blood Sugar Levels ✓ and more

They will also ask a few questions about your lifestyle,
including diet, smoking and alcohol intake.

Following the screening, you'll be offered advice and signposting to local
services that can support you to reach your health goals.

You do not need to be registered with a GP. Pre-booking advised.
Drop-in slots are limited with potential waiting time.

For more information and schedule:

www.barnet.gov.uk/healthscreen



Community Health Screening Service

**Do you have a
mental health problem?
Do you feel isolated or lonely?**

Come along to:

Building Friendship

at East Barnet Baptist Church
Crescent Road, EN4 8PS

Friday mornings 10 - 12 noon

free
Refreshments



Further details:

email: buildingfriendship@gmail.com
or leave a message on 020 8449 5320

**The office will be closed
Good Friday 7 April
&
Easter Monday 10 April
WISHING YOU ALL A VERY HAPPY
EASTER**