

# ALEXANDER HOUSE NEWSLETTER

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We begin this newsletter with a look back to Christmas which was celebrated in style.



The house was decorated nice and early and we had a visit from The Bold Balladiers who gave their usual polished performance of classical and lighter music. It was enjoyed by all. We also had carol singers from All Saints church and



from Richmond Chapel both of which were enjoyed as well.

There was the usual packed house for the annual Christmas party when residents and visitors alike enjoyed the live music, wonderful food and each others company. The house was full of conversations and laughter and some visitors didn't want to leave.



On Christmas day itself we were treated to the traditional roast turkey and all the trimmings which went down well and was enjoyed by all.

Still on the subject of food, on New Year's Day we had a lunch of baked salmon which was appreciated.

The new year saw the arrival of two new volunteers, Ellie and Ilona, whose visits are most welcome. We also had a baking session but the less said about that the better!



In January Eden had her baby - a boy who was named Prince. We wish them well.

In February we celebrated the double birthday of Diana and Adelaide and we welcomed Jola, a new member of staff. We hope

she will be happy here.

We marked Shrove Tuesday by having pancakes as a dessert. They were delicious.

It is still possible to buy hand quilled greetings cards at a reasonable price. Perhaps you'd like to take a look at them.

