

Benson Millstream Centre Newsletter

Greetings..

We are delighted to share that the centre continues to buzz with activity since our official opening and Open Day – as you know, this is exactly the way that we, and our customers, like it! We are thrilled to have welcomed many new faces and look forward to more exciting times ahead as our vision for the centre grows.

Some of our lovely friends have had quite momentous birthdays over recent weeks, and we have been privileged to share in their celebrations.



Everyone loves a party, and It's been fabulous to witness and be part of these special moments, surrounded by laughter, friends, and the creation of new memories. While the centre always looks fabulous, when it's decorated for a special event, it's truly wonderful. The festive atmosphere and decorations add an extra layer of magic to these big occasions. June and July are packed full of exciting special events at Millstream! In addition to our regularly timetabled activities such as seated Keep Fit, the fortnightly visits from our Little Friends and their childminders, and of course our impromptu dancing, we will celebrate Festa Della Republica with delicious Italian food, festivities and music. The glamour and excitement of Ascot will be brought to Millstream later in June as we enjoy an afternoon of 'horse' racing fun and we will all be donning our best beach attire for our much anticipated Annual Summer **Beach Party!**



We are also delighted to announce that renowned journalist Ed Laxton will be joining us soon. Ed is known for his engaging storytelling and keen insights into the world of celebrities and politicians. We can't wait to hear some juicy gossip, scandalous stories, and intriguing news from him!



What's coming up....

As we look further into the future, there a few dates we're saving for various social and fundraising events. We really hope that you'll continue your fantastic support of what we do at the centre, and save them too!

14th June – 14th July Over the course of the Euros we will be holding a cash raffle at The Crown in Benson.

Friday 25th October We will be hosting a Murder Mystery Night at the centre Planning is already underway.

23rd November 2024 We will be holding a stall at the Artisan Market in The Parish Hall on, where we will be selling a delicious range of cakes, slices and homemade bread.

BMC Website Launch

The new website is live!!



We were lucky to be nominated a chosen charity by digital designers, Electric Circus. Electric circus created a new brand identity for Millstream and gave us a shiny new website! We now have a beautiful site that tells people what we do, has information how to book the centre and up to date news. You can also donate money to the centre from our dontaion page.

Take a look! www.bensonmillstreamcentre.org







Looking for a venue for a party or event? Why not hire the centre?

Benson Millstream currently opens fully 3 days a week. We have fabulous facilities that could be booked for community events, birthdays parties and get-togethers on the days we don't operate. The space is flexible, with kitchen facilities and a beautiful outdoor space. Our rates are very competitive.

With your support we could bring more events to our communities on a more regular basis. Please contact Lindsay for more information.

Benson Millstream Centre is open to customers three days a week Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays 11am-2pm. We provide support, companionship, meals, entertainment and both mental and physical stimulation for our customers. We regulaly post updates and pictures on facebook and instragram, look us up to see what we have been up to.

On Tuesday mornings we also open for Millstream Mugs, refreshments, conversation, and a 'warm' room. All are welcome, young and old.

Millstream@Home is our outreach service. The Centre supplies hot meals 3 days a week for those unable to attend. We also offer help with collecting prescriptions, essential shopping and, where possible, other key tasks that people in the area need temporary assistance with. Our phone line is monitored throughout the week to pick up your requests.