



12 MONTH CHALLENGE

# FEEL GOOD, FEEL BETTER

# MAKE SOMEONE HAPPY

Ideas for your challenge:

Random act of kindness/show your gratitude/be thankful/make a difference in your community for example: litter picking/make a difference to a client,

family member, peer or colleague

Please share the happiness by sending your monthly challenge photographs, stories or something that you have made to naomi@gs-socialcare.co.uk

Prizes will be awarded each month for people completing a challenge.



Rayhan has had new staff introduced to his team and has been LOVING attending trampolining at FLIP OUT Blackburn.



Uzair had lots of fun at the car show in Accrington. His favourite was the tank!



Jacob has really settled into his over-nights at The Bungalow! He particularly enjoys group activities and made some AMAZING pizza's with staff assistance.



Leo's behaviour has drastically changed, he LOVES going out with his staff, here he is helping with the shopping.

Joey had an adrenalin packed day at Blackpool with his staff, he particularly enjoyed the train journey.





Stella enjoyed her Friday chippy tea with Naomi. DO YOU
WANT
TO FEATURE
IN OUR NEXT
NEWSLETTER?
EMAIL YOUR
PHOTOS TO:

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Jessica has joined a new community dance group sourced together with her staff, she has made lots of new friends and has fun.



Kaitlyn has really settled for her day sessions at The Bungalow, she loves being active, baking is one of her favourites.



Staff helped siblings to create a small welcome home party for Daniel following an operation and hospital stay. Daniel was very overwhelmed and it was safe to say lots of fun and laughter was had by all.



The Rayhan Brothers having fun at The Bungalow.



Samra is now accessing day centre with the help of her staff to ease the transition. She has settled really well and has made so many new friends!



# TRAINING AND DEVELOPMENT ACADEMY UPDATES.....



WE HAVE EMPLOYED 11 NEW STAFF SINCE 01/01/2019



6 STAFF HAVE COMPLETED THEIR NVQ QUALIFICATIONS



**OUR IN HOUSE TRAINERS HAVE DELIVERED: 6 EXTERNAL COURSES** (To: Children's homes, supported living, schools, nurseries and members of the public)

11 INTERNAL COURSE TO OUR STAFF



2 OF OUR TRAINERS HAVE BEEN ON REFRESHER/FURTHER **KNOWLEDGE COURSES TO DEVELOP THEIR COURSE** CONTENT

WE ARE OFFERING SEVERAL TRAINING COURSES, THESE ALL RESULT IN YOU RECEIVING A CERTIFICATE AFTER THE COURSE HAS BEEN COMPLETED. ALL OF OUR COURSES ARE OPEN TO INDIVIDUALS AS WELL AS BUSINESSES.



**EMERGENCY** FIRST AID



**PAEDIATRIC** FIRST AID



HANDLING



**MEDICATION AWARENESS** 

**MOVING AND** 



LEARNING DISABILITY. AUTISM AND COMMUNICATION

We are currently running a 2 for 1 deal on the LD. Autism Communication course for any parents who book before 01/05/19.



#### **EXCITING THINGS COMING.....**

Rebecca and Faye have been very busy the past few months applying for numerous new tenders for different avenues of work.....more information will be shared soon



# REMINDER TO STAFF Don't forget about our refer a

friend scheme, we are
ALWAYS
recruiting.....for the right
individuals

#### DID YOU KNOW.

The Bungalow can provide day respite for Children as well as overnights for Adults (17+) we have vacancies available NOW!

Holiday hours available for day respite for children and overnights for adults.

#### **NEW PACKAGES:**

We have had 10 new ongoing packages referred since JAN 19 from Lancashire Council and Blackburn with Darwen



# WE ARE LOOKING FOR PEOPLE TO WRITE ARTICLES TO FEATURE IN OUR NEWSLETTER.....

Articles are welcome from everyone. They would be written by you, your staff or you and your staff could write it together!

## WHAT COULD YOU WRITE ABOUT?

Your article could be about a current affairs topic that is important to you, and interest you want to share, a book review, a recipe you have found, a short story, a poem, some photography/artwork, a thank you, shout out ect. The list is endless!

## WHO DO I SEND MY ARTICLE TO?

Please email your articles to : naomi@gs-socialcare.co.uk