

# Aiding Independence Newsletter

## November 2025

This months out and about...



Friendly bowling game between housemates, Natalie, Elisabeth, Laura & Amy.



Marianne & Joe enjoying some winter sun during walking group.



Sam enjoying the Christmas decorations at Canterbury Garden Centre.





Ben  
exploring  
the  
Hornby  
Visitor  
Centre.

Elisabeth, Laura  
Natalie  
&  
Amy  
getting  
into  
the  
Christmas  
spirit.



Nicola & Lauren joining in at a singing group.

Take That tribute band fun for Natalie, Laura,  
Elisabeth and Amy.







Robert getting into the Christmas spirit with a visit to Wildwood and the garden centre.





Ed at Canterbury Cathedral exploring the Christmas Market and having a walk along Whitstable seafront.

## November Birthdays...



Sam celebrated her Birthday with a gathering of friends.



Nicola celebrated her Birthday, having a meal out with friends..





# Maria's holiday, visiting Hayling Island.

Maria visited Southsea Pier. Shopping in Portsmouth, and celebrating a fake Christmas with snow on Boxing Day whilst staying at the hotel.





# Goings on at home...



Leanne creating a tasty lunch .



Mark cooking up a very colourful home cooked meal



Sam's beautiful Christmas tree.

Stephanie with her Certificate for winning the Step into September challenge.



Pauline's been busy batch cooking, chilli con carne and chicken tikka masala.





## Aiding Independence Sponsored Walk update...

Well done to everyone who took part in September's sponsored walk, an outstanding £280.50 was raised by you all.





Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

# FIREWORKS

**DIRECTIONS:**  
Find and circle the  
vocabulary words  
in the grid. Look  
for them in all  
directions including  
backwards and  
diagonally.

AERIAL  
BARRAGE  
CAKE  
CATHERINE WHEEL  
CELEBRATION  
CONFETTI  
CROWD  
DISPLAY  
EXPLOSIVE  
FAIRGROUND  
FIRECRACKER  
FLARE  
FOUNTAIN  
FUSE  
GUN POWDER  
LOUD  
MINE  
NIGHTFALL  
PYROTECHNICS  
ROCKET  
ROMAN CANDLE  
SAFETY  
SKY  
SNAKE  
SPARKLER  
SQUIB  
WHISTLE

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B	A	E	R	I	A	L	G	C	V	A	H	C	E	Q	A	X	P	B	I	I
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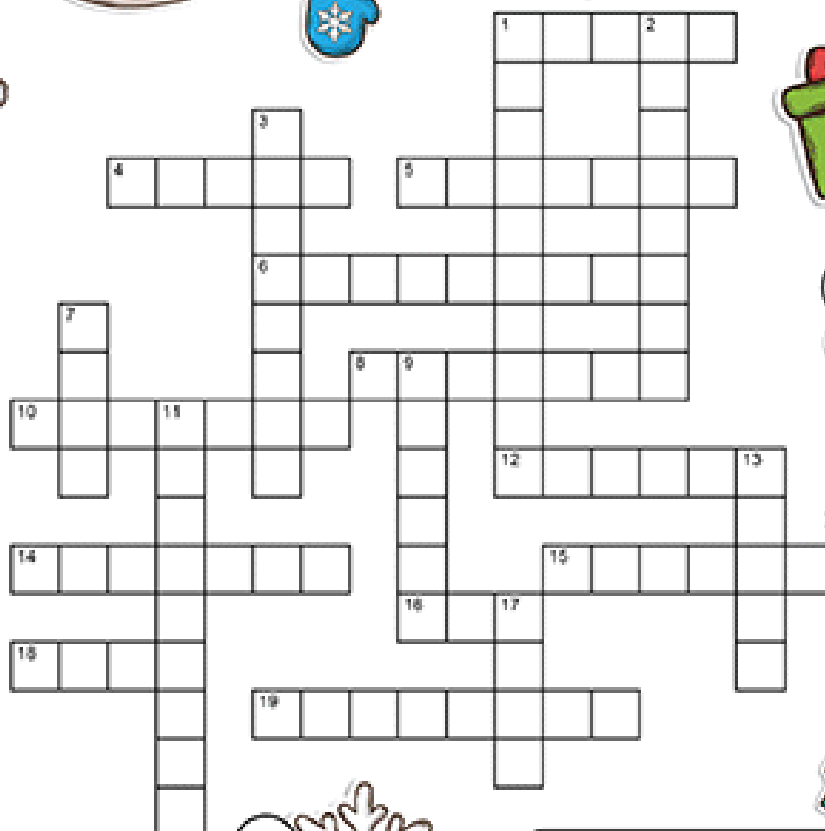
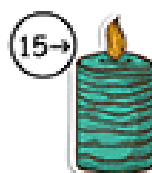




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# Christmas Vocabulary

**DIRECTIONS:** Fill in the puzzle grid with the name of each Christmas item following the number and direction indicated. Use the word bank if you get stuck.



BELL  
CANDLE  
CANDY CANE  
FIRE  
HAT  
HOLLY  
MITTENS  
ORNAMENT  
PRESENT  
REINDEER

SANTA CLAUS  
SCARF  
SKATE  
SLEIGH  
SNOWFLAKE  
SNOWMAN  
STOCKING  
SWEATER  
TREE  
WREATH



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# Hot Chocolate

## Word Search

BEVERAGE

CHOCOLATE

CINNAMON

COCOA

COMFORT

COZY

CREAMY

FIRE

FLAVORS

FROTH

HAZELNUT

HOT

INDULGE

MARSHMALLOW

MILK

MUG

PEPPERMINT

SIP

SWEET

VANILLA

WARM

WHIPPED CREAM

WINTER

YUMMY

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