



CHESHIRE SENIORS MONTHLY

Homecare in South Cheshire

At Right at Home South Cheshire, we aim to make a genuine difference to the quality of life of those we serve in the local community. We focus on improving the lives of those we care for, not just maintaining quality of life.

Making a Difference Every Day

From every CareGiver to our local Management Team, we are completely focused on making a difference every day. Keeping our Clients where they want to be for longer – Right at Home.

Our local office team based in Nantwich work tirelessly to deliver on our promises. For us it is not just about providing a service, it is about building valuable relationships with everyone we work with.

Our Trusted Services

Through trust and commitment to being the best, the quality of the care we provide has been industry-recognised, leading us to be rated as Outstanding by the Care Quality Commission and become the most highly rated national homecare agency on the UK's leading review site, www.homecare.co.uk.

Right at Home Celebration Awards 2021

WE DID IT!

We are proud to announce that we **WON** the **Community Impact of the Year Award** at the Right at Home National Celebration Awards 2021. We would like to thank the whole team for their continued hard work, especially over the last year which has been extremely difficult for everyone.

Here is what our Managing Director, Ben Selby, said after collecting our Award at the event:

“This award is fantastic recognition for the hard work and determination all our staff have shown in the last 12 months. We always go the extra mile in our local communities, and it’s incredibly rewarding to see the difference we make.”

Right at Home have been nominated for a further 2 awards at the South Cheshire Chamber of Commerce Business Awards 2021.





Right at Home South Cheshire, Community Impact of the Year Award 2021 WINNERS

Right at Home, Adult Day Centre

The Right at Home Adult Day Centre offers a safe, friendly, and relaxing place for seniors and adults with physical disabilities to visit for the day and enjoy social interaction, freshly prepared food, games, activities and much more.

Our adult day centre is based inside Frederick House, Princes Court, Beam Heath Way, Nantwich, CW5 6PQ, which is located between Sainsbury's and B&M Bargains. There is plenty of onsite parking, including disabled parking.

Help will be on hand from our highly skilled and personable CareGivers to create an enjoyable and stimulating social environment.

We have partnered with Café Cortado, an onsite café offering a seasonal menu of freshly prepared hot and cold food.

Fresh tea and barista style coffee is served in the morning and early afternoon, and each guest will be able to place their lunch order with the café, choosing whatever tickles their fancy.

Our trusted team of CareGivers have plenty of entertaining games to play with our guests, including board games, cards, jigsaws, quizzes, physical activities and much more. Our programme of activities will change on a daily basis, so no two days are the same.

The day centre is staffed by our highly trained CareGivers, plus occasional volunteers, and our experienced management team is based in the same building so extra support is on hand if it's needed. We have toilets on the premises

and assistance will always be available to anyone who needs it. We can also assist our guests to take their prescribed medication if required, and anything else that's important during the time they are with us.

Our day centre is open on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays between 10.00am – 4.00pm. To book a space or enquire about our service, please give our office team a call on 01270 257 347.



Recipe Time – Chocolate Covered Halloween Pretzels

Ingredients

- 100g white chocolate chips
- 100g dark chocolate chips
- 100g milk chocolate chips
- 200g giant pretzels
- edible eyes (available in the baking aisle, or make your own)



Method

STEP 1

Melt each batch of chocolate chips in separate bowls, either in the microwave or set over a pan of simmering water. If melting in the microwave, heat each batch on high in 30-second bursts. Leave to cool until thick.

STEP 2

Dip a third of the pretzels into the white chocolate, a third of the pretzels into the dark chocolate and the remaining pretzels into the milk chocolate, then lay them all out on a sheet of baking parchment.

STEP 3

Add edible eyes to each pretzel (three eyes looks extra spooky). Leave to set, then peel carefully off the paper. Will keep in an airtight container for up to a week.

Tips for a Safe and Happy Halloween

Over the last few years, Halloween has become an increasingly popular celebration for children, families and young people. But It's important to think of those who may not like Halloween, and we should try not to have fun at the expense of others in our communities.

If you are celebrating Halloween this year, then please consider the elderly and more vulnerable members of your community who may find having strangers call at their door a frightening experience. You may come across someone displaying 'no trick or treat' posters; please don't call at these homes as they do not wish to be disturbed.

Some safety tips for Halloween:

Residents are advised to be vigilant when opening the door to strangers or unexpected callers:

- If you feel unsafe, don't open your door unless you are sure who is there. Use your spyhole or look out of a window, and use your door chain if you do decide to open your door.

- Have a contact number of a close relative or good neighbour to hand by your telephone, just in case you need to alert them of any concerns.

- If you are happy to welcome Trick or Treaters, switch on your outside light

and remove any trip hazards. If you use candle-lit lanterns outside your front door, make sure that they are far enough out of the way so that costumes can't accidentally catch fire.

- If you are driving during Halloween celebrations, remember that excited children may be crossing the road unexpectedly, so slow down in residential areas and take extra care.

- And if you are part of a Neighbourhood Watch scheme, let your coordinator know that you will be on your own at Halloween. If you are a coordinator, do identify people in your scheme that may be vulnerable and offer them reassurance.



Local community officers will often be on patrol to deter any anti-social behaviour and will be quick to disperse groups of people who are found to be causing a nuisance. To report anti-social behaviour, call 101. However, if you feel threatened, or see a crime taking place, then call 999.

And finally – we hope you all have a great Halloween!

Halloween Quiz



1. On which date does Halloween fall?
2. What would you traditionally bob for at Halloween parties?
3. Is a pumpkin a fruit or a vegetable?
4. Name the person who first made the Jack-o-lantern?
5. Name the country believed to be the origin of Halloween?
6. What is the meaning of Dracula?
7. For how many years (approx.) has Halloween been around for?
8. What is the abbreviation for Halloween?



Answers: 1. 31st, 2. Apples, 3. Fruit, 4. Jack, 5. Ireland, 6. Son of Evil, 7. Approx. 6,000 Years, 8. Hallow's Evening

South Cheshire Chamber of Commerce Awards 2021

We're delighted to have been selected as finalists for two award categories at this year's Chamber of Commerce Business Awards:

- Large Business of the Year
- Apprentice of the Year - Chris Worrall

The South Cheshire Chamber of Commerce Annual Business Awards brings together the business community in South Cheshire, showcasing the amazing achievements of a range of businesses and talented individuals, especially relevant following the unprecedented challenges we have all faced over the last year.



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We look forward to welcoming you into your local Ableworld soon, or otherwise do not hesitate to get in touch with us on freephone **0800 470 1591**.



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