



Life and support in the heart of the community.

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A new year brings with it new beginnings and this is the same for this year as our loved and respected project development worker Shona has retired after working for The Bridge for over 14 years. She has played an important role in nurturing existing projects and initiating some new ones such as Music and Memories. Shona has worked tirelessly to show Christ's love in action and be that 'life and support in the heart of the community'. She has been instrumental in creating and maintaining our link with Get Well Church in the USA and hosting countless children's groups and holiday clubs with and without them. We will miss her but our trustees are already looking at employing another project/ managerial worker. We hope that Shona will enjoy her retirement and no doubt, we will see her again as a volunteer.

Submitted by Juanita



A MASSIVE THANK YOU TO EVERYONE INVOLVED WITH THE CHRISTMAS HAMPERS – A FANTASTIC TEAM EFFORT AND THE FEEDBACK WE HAVE RECEIVED SHOWED IT WAS MUCH APPRECIATED. IN ALL 40 HAMPERS WERE PACKED AND DISTRIBUTED. AN EXTRA SPECIAL THANK YOU GOES OUT TO THE COHEN TRUST WHOSE GENEROUS DONATION MADE THIS POSSIBLE.

Due to the threat of Omicron the decision was reluctantly made to cancel the Lunch Club Christmas dinner. However, we provided the ingredients to our volunteer Rosie McLeod and she made 50 individual Christmas cakes, plus 2 larger ones. The youth club made beautiful Christmas cards for all our senior clients to go with the cakes and Joanna, Campbell and James donned their Christmas hats and delivered the cakes and cards. This was another great example of the Bridge working together so **Thank You** to everyone involved 😊



James all dressed up and ready to go 😊

Got that Monday morning feeling then why not come along to MONDAY FRIENDS AT SUNNYFIELD HOUSE.

Don't know what Monday friends is?

Monday friends is a place where individuals can come along to either meet up with friends or to make new friends. We have people who may be new to the area or have retired and feel lonely and would just like to meet other people to sit and have a cuppa and a chat. We provide a space which feels welcoming to all and there is always someone there to give a smile and a little time to chat. We provide drinks, sandwiches, sausage rolls, cakes & scones all at very reasonable prices. Why not come along and say hello.



Submitted by Joanna

DATES FOR THE DIARY

PRAYER BREAKFAST – 5th FEBRUARY - ZOOM