

Your bi-monthly guide to what's on at Belong Atherton

April / May 2024





Experience

Free day care

'taster' session

Days

B's café offers a warm and welcoming space where families, friends and carers can come together with their loved ones over a lovely cup of tea and cake.

The next sessions will take place on Wednesday 3 April and Wednesday 1 May, from 2pm-4pm in The Venue and will include a dementia workshop with Belong Admiral Nurse,

Bridget Lawler. For more information about the free sessions, or to book a place, please contact the village 01942 898410.

B's Café

St George's Day

Celebrate St George's Day on Tuesday 23 April, at 2pm in The Venue.

Let's unite for an afternoon of crafts with light refreshments and entertainment and fly the flag in honour of this special day. Cost £5pp; please contact reception on 01942 898410 to book.





Dying matters

Join us on Thursday 9 May from 2pm, as we come together as a community to support Dying Matters Week.

This year's theme, 'The Way we Talk About Dying Matters', focuses on the language that we use, and conversations we have, around death and dying – specifically between healthcare professionals and patients, their carers

and their families. We will be holding a variety of activities and discussions to support this significant event. it's free to take part; charges apply for refreshments.

Community bingo



Eyes down, look in, to be in with a chance of winning at our community bingo evening. Join us in The Bistro, on Wednesday 15 May; doors open at 4:30pm, eyes down 5pm. Cost £7 for 8 games; tea and coffees on sale.



Music in Mind

Take part in an interactive musical workshop and enjoy a morning of fun, laughter and music with the talented duo from 'Music in Mind'. Join us on Monday 22 April at 2pm. Cost £4pp; booking required. B's memory café Free monthly support group We welcome members of the whole community

Coffee morning



Come along to our weekly coffee mornings, held every Thursday from 10:30am – 12noon in The Venue, for an opportunity to meet with friends and take part in a variety of activities. Cost £2pp,

which includes a cup of tea or coffee and a biscuit; new faces welcome.

Barbecue party

Join us on Thursday 23 May from 2pm-4pm in the village gardens for a variety of activities and sizzling entertainment, to celebrate National Barbecue Day. Our chefs will be serving a selection of delicious foods



from the grill. Entry £10pp; food and drink charged individually. We'd love it if you could join us; please get in touch to book.

Super League

Game on! Come along to The Venue on Thursday 4 April, when we will be hosting a live viewing of Wigan Warriors versus the Leigh Leopards. Enjoy a

pie or bowl of lobby along with a pint during the game. Take your seats from 7:30pm, ready for kick-off at 8pm. Charges apply; early booking essential.

Church service

We congregate every second Sunday of each month at 1:30pm for our church service in The Venue. Members of the community are welcome to join us. The Bistro is open and serves a delicious Sunday roast



so why not stay and enjoy lunch after the service?

Experience Days

Try our popular Experience Days service for yourself, with a free 'taster' session. Belong's specialist day



care service enables people to get involved in our community and to join in the village events and activities programme in a supported way. Available from 10am– 4pm, Monday to Friday; cost £86.50 per day, which includes refreshments throughout your stay and lunch in The Bistro. Call Experience Coordinator, Kim Calland on 01942 898410 to find out more.



Join the team

We're looking for home carers to join our Belong at Home team, working out in the local community.

If you would like to make a difference to the lives of older people, then we have a range of opportunities available. Find out more and apply online at: www.belong.org.uk/careers/

The Salon

The Salon at Belong Atherton is open to members of the public and offers a range of hair treatments for ladies, gents and children.



Contact the village on 01942 898410, to request a copy of our price list and to book an appointment.

Our events programme is inspired by the interests of our community. If there is anything you would like to see added, please share your ideas with our Experience Coordinator, Kim Calland, or email: kimberley.calland@belong.org.uk



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