

What's On

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

October / November 2024

The Bistro theme nights

Enjoy three delicious courses and good company



Community bingo

Eyes down to win some great prizes!



Grease lightning!

The ultimate teen dream is back and better than ever in this fantastic production of 'Grease', speeding its way to you!

Live at Manchester's Palace Theatre, the story of Sandy and Danny has never been more thrilling or more glamorous! Join us for this incredible musical outing on Wednesday 9 October from 10am - 5pm. Tickets cost £40pp which includes

theatre ticket and transport (charges apply for food and beverages). Early booking is recommended, so please contact reception on, 01942 855600.

Remembrance Day Service



We welcome you on Monday 11 November at 11am to join us as we observe a minute's silence to honour our armed services on this special day. This will be followed by a stirring performance of wartime classics from the lovely Golden Age Songbird. All proceeds from the event will be donated to the Poppy Appeal; cost £5pp. Please contact reception to book your place and support this meaningful cause.

Spooktacular Halloween tea

Enjoy a spooktacular Halloween afternoon tea in The Venue from 12:30pm on Thursday 31 October, with a fang-tastic show from Jimmy Jean, starting at 2pm.

Get into the spirit of things and indulge in delicious tempting treats, whilst listening to all your favourite tunes from across the decades. Cost £10pp; you'll be afraid to miss it! Contact reception on 01942 855600 to book early.



BLACKPOOL TRIP

The illuminations

Take a trip down memory lane and view the sights on Tuesday 19 November, from 4pm - 9pm.

We are heading off to Blackpool to enjoy a traditional fish and chip stop at Bispham Kitchen, for a tasty seaside supper including fish, chips, a side order, and a drink. This will be followed by a dazzling drive through the glitz and glamour of the famous

Blackpool Illuminations. Please book early to secure your seats for this unforgettable evening! Cost £25pp inclusive of transport and food.



Timeless tunes

Join us in The Venue on Friday 29 November, from 2pm - 3pm, for an afternoon of classic old-time hits with Jimmy Allen. Get ready to tap your feet and sing along as Jimmy brings timeless tunes to life; cost £4. Book now and don't miss out on this fun musical experience!

Grease lightning
Musical theatre
trip on 9 October



The illuminations
Seaside fun, food
and light show




BELONG
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We welcome members of the whole community

B's Café with Lifebeats

B's Café offers a warm and welcoming space where families, friends and carers of people living with dementia can come together with their loved ones over a lovely cup of tea or coffee and cake! Join us for our next sessions from 2pm - 4pm on Wednesday 23 October and Wednesday 20 November featuring Lifebeats. Learn sign language and follow the beat with drums and tambourines in these fun interactive musical afternoons. The free sessions are hosted by a Belong Admiral Nurse, providing a valuable opportunity to tap into their dementia expertise, as well as to meet the village Experience team. Contact us on 01942 855600 to find out more and to book.



Community bingo

Come along to The Bistro for our next community bingo evenings on Tuesday 29 October and Tuesday

26 November, where there are great prizes to be won! Doors open 6pm, eyes down 7pm, on both dates. Cost £7 for a full book of six with eight games and a bonus flyer. Teas and coffees available for just 60p each. No booking required. We hope to see you there!

Bistro theme nights

We will be hosting some special theme nights in The Bistro on Tuesday 22 October and Tuesday 19 November, serving from 6pm. Relax and spoil yourself with a delicious three-course menu of freshly cooked cuisine straight from the chef's kitchen; cost £15pp. Please contact reception for details on 01942 855600.



Lucky Locky

Mark your calendars for Friday 11 October, from 2pm - 3pm, and join us in The Venue for an exciting performance by Lucky Locky! Back by popular demand, he will take us on a nostalgic musical journey, featuring a variety of golden oldies that are sure to have you singing and dancing along. Don't miss out on this great afternoon of music and memories! Cost £4pp; booking required.

Experience Days

Try our popular Experience Days service for yourself, with a free 'taster' session. Our bespoke day care service enables people to join in the village events and activities programme in a supported way, enjoy lunch in The Bistro and get to know their local village team.



It also provides a great way to get a taste of life in a Belong village while offering some respite to usual carers. Typically running from 10am - 4pm Monday to Friday, the service costs £86.50 per session which includes activities, lunch, snacks and drinks, and access to our specialist gym, (separate charges apply). Call Experience Coordinator, Charlene Frodsham to book.



Fireworks display

Remember, remember, Tuesday 5 November. Join us at 2pm for a cosy and exciting afternoon as we present a virtual firework display on our big screen in The Venue. Sit back and enjoy the show, whilst sipping on warming hot chocolates, indulging in bonfire toffee, and savouring scrumptious chocolate apples. Free entry; charges apply for food and drink; book early!

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, Charlene Frodsham: charlene.frodsham@belong.org.uk



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