

# What's On

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

February / March 2025

## Day care with a difference

Book your free 'taster' session



## B's memory café

Free monthly support group



## Home Safari

Experience the joy and comfort that animals bring to us, at our Home Safari event on Monday 3 February at 2pm.

Join us in The Venue for an afternoon of cuddles with a variety of animals. It's a perfect way to relax and unwind, surrounded by friendly, furry friends. Don't miss out, on this heartwarming afternoon with our beloved animals! Cost £5pp; call 01942 855600 to book early.

## Taste the World



Unleash your inner foodie and join us for an evening of great food and good company at our new monthly bistro theme nights. Mark your calendars for Tuesday 18 February and Tuesday 18 March, at 6pm on both dates, when we will be bringing you a different culinary experience, featuring delicious three-course meals inspired by cuisines from around the World. Cost £15pp; book early!

## Valentine's Day

Celebrate Valentine's Day with a special afternoon tea in The Venue on Friday 14 February, from 1pm – 3pm.

Treat the special person in your life, or enjoy for yourself, a delightful spread of sandwiches, cakes, and scones, plus a touch of bubbly, served in a cosy and romantic atmosphere; all for just £8pp. Early booking is required for this special event, so make sure to secure your spot today and treat yourself to a sweet and memorable afternoon.



## St Patrick's Day

Celebrate St Patrick's Day with a dose of fun and nostalgia on Monday 17 March.

Join us in The Venue, from 2pm – 3pm, for a musical sing-along with the talented duo 'Just the Two of Us'. Their show is dedicated to bringing joy through a love of music and featuring classic hits and sing-along favourites. Tickets cost £4 each. Don't miss out on an afternoon of music, memories, and laughter. Tickets cost £4 each; call 01942 855600 to book early!



## Community bingo

Join us for our next community bingo nights on Tuesdays 25 February and 25 March; doors open at 5:30pm with eyes down at 7pm sharp on both dates. Get ready for an evening of excitement, prizes, and a tombola. Free entry; a full book with a flyer costs £7, teas and coffees 60p.





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Experience the joys of animal therapy



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## Crossroads

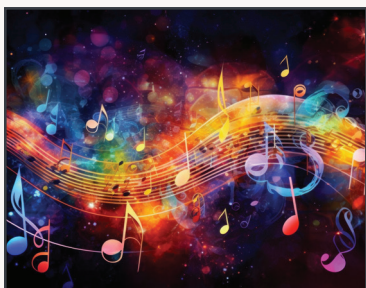
Get ready to relive the magic of your favourite hits from the past, with the return of the hugely popular and talented Crossroads Boy Band! Join us in The Venue for a fun-filled afternoon of music, memories, and dancing on Friday 28 February at 2pm. Cost £4pp; early booking essential.



## B's Café

Come along to the next B's Café session at Belong Wigan for the opportunity to meet new people, and talk with Belong's Admiral Nurse and members of the care team for advice and support, whilst joining in with a variety of activities to stimulate the mind such as wordsearches, colouring and crosswords. The next sessions will take place on Mondays, 24 February and 31 March, from 2pm - 4pm on both dates. FREE entry and refreshments. Call 01942 855600 to book.

## Music in Mind



Join us for a fun-filled afternoon of dancing and singing with the famous Wigan duo, Music in Mind, when they return to the village by popular demand. Join us on Tuesday 11 March at 2pm, in The Venue, when they will be

bringing joy and rhythm to the community. Cost £4pp; early booking essential.

## Day care with a difference

Try our popular Experience Days service for yourself, with a free 'taster' session. Belong's specialist day care service offers meaningful occupation and the chance to get involved in our community. Available from 10am - 4pm, Monday to Friday; cost £86.50 per session, which includes refreshments throughout your stay, lunch in The Bistro and use of our specialist gym (subject to availability). Call Experience Coordinator, Charlene Frodsham, on 01942 855600, to find out more and to book your free 'taster' session.



## Preloved

Join us for a stall sale on Saturday 15 March, from 11am - 2pm, and find some fantastic items. There will be a variety of indoor stalls selling pre-loved items, from Christmas presents

to unique treasures, all looking for a new home! If you are interested in running your own stall, we have a number available for £5 each (table provided) but please book early!

## The Bistro

Members of the wider community are welcome to dine in The Bistro. We're open seven days a week, from 8am - 5pm, serving breakfasts and hot meals until 3pm, including



daily specials as well as our fixed menu. We serve fish and chips on Fridays, a roast dinner for Sunday lunch and homemade cakes daily. Call us on 01942 855 600, or pop in when you're next passing, you'll be in for a treat.

## Lifebeats

Join us for a lively and interactive afternoon of music with Lifebeats! This session is all about having fun with drums, tambourines, and sign language. You'll love the rhythm and energy as we come together to make music and share smiles. Join us in The Venue on Wednesday 19 March, from 2pm - 4pm, to enjoy a unique opportunity to experience the joys of music and movement. Cost £5; booking required.



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](mailto:charlene.frodsham@belong.org.uk)



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