

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

February / March 2025

Day care with a difference Free day care 'taster' session



café Free monthly support group





## Elvis is in the building!

Get ready to dust off your blue suede shoes and join us for an unforgettable afternoon of music, and rock 'n' roll during our fantastic Elvis tribute act.

The Venue will be rocking on Friday 7 February at 2pm, so be sure to join us for this amazing experience, where you can enjoy singing and dancing along to a variety of Elvis's greatest hits, from 'Jailhouse Rock' to 'Can't Help Falling in Love'. Whether an Elvis fanatic or simply looking for a good time, this event is perfect for all. Early booking is essential as we expect this to be a sell-out! Tickets £5pp; call today on 01942 898410 to secure your spot!

## Valentine's party

This Valentine's Day, let love fill the air as you and your special someone join us for a delightful Valentine's party

Join us in The Bistro on Thursday 13 February, from 3pm – 5pm, where you can indulge in a delicious afternoon tea, specially crafted to make your day extra sweet. Whether you're celebrating with your partner, friends, or family, this is the perfect way to share the love.



Early booking is essential to secure your spot at this charming event. Charges apply. For more details or to book your place, please contact Kim Calland at 01942 898410.



## **National Wedding** Week

Celebrate love during National Wedding Week with a heartwarming reminiscence coffee morning!

Whether you're reminiscing about your special day or simply enjoy hearing love stories, this event is the perfect way to celebrate. Join us on Valentine's Day, Friday 14 February, at 10:30am

in The Venue. Bring along your wedding memorabilia such as photos, dresses, or keepsakes, and share the cherished memories of your big day with loved ones and new friends alike. It's a wonderful opportunity to reflect, connect, and celebrate love in all its forms. Entry is free and refreshments will be available for a small charge.

#### Pancake Day



Join us in The Bistro this Shrove Tuesday, 4 March from 12noon, for a delightful pancake celebration! Our talented chefs will be serving up delicious pancakes with a variety of tempting fillings and toppings for you to enjoy. Whether you prefer sweet or savoury, there's something for everyone; charges apply.



#### World Book Day

Get ready to turn the page on an exciting morning as we celebrate World Book Day together! Join us on Thursday 6 March, at 10:30am in The Venue for a special coffee morning filled with stories, conversations, and community spirit, over light refreshments (charges apply) with local school children. Entry is free and you're welcome to dress as your favourite character! Contact us to find out more or to book.

**Elvis is in the building!** Join us for the 'King' of performances



#### National Wedding Week Love and reminiscence coffee morning



## BELONG ATHERTON

#### We welcome members of the whole community

## B's Café

B's memory café offers a warm and welcoming space for those living with dementia and their loved ones, serving as a valuable support network where



you can access specialist support and enjoy cake and refreshments, whilst taking part in a variety of meaningful experiences. Free to attend, the next sessions will take place on Wednesday 12 February and Wednesday 12 March from 2pm – 4pm, in The Venue. They will include a dementia workshop with Belong Admiral Nurse, Bridget Lawler. For more information or to book a place, please contact the village on 01942 898410.

## **Musical memories**

Take a trip back in time during a magical performance of musical memories with the talented Dave Bushsell. Join us in The Venue on Thursday 27 March at 2pm, as we sing, dance, and reminisce



on a musical roller-coaster of hits from across the golden decades that will have you tapping your toes and singing along. Bring your friends and join us for an afternoon filled with nostalgia and fun. Cost £5pp; booking required.

## St. Patrick's Day



Top O' the Mornin' to Ye! Celebrate St Patrick's Day with us in The Bistro, on Monday 17 March at 4pm, when we will enjoy a lively and fun-filled afternoon in true Irish style. Enjoy a traditional two-course meal, lovingly prepared by our talented chefs, and

fabulous entertainment to get you into the festive spirit. We expect this event to be popular so if you'd like to join in the celebrations, book early by calling Kim Calland on 01942 898410. Charges apply; don't miss out on an evening of great food, entertainment, and Irish cheer!

## Mother's Day



This Mother's Day, show your mum how much she means to you with a relaxing and delightful treat in The Bistro, on Sunday 30 March. Enjoy a cup of coffee or tea and cake for just £4.10 – the perfect way to celebrate her special day.

## Day care with a difference



Try our popular Experience Days service for yourself, with a free 'taster' session. Belongs 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 (one session per week, subject to availability). Call Experience Coordinator, Kim Calland, on 01942 898410 to book your free 'taster' session.

# National Day of Reflection

Join us on Friday 21 March, as we come together for a morning of reflection to mark five years since



the impact of Covid began. This special day is an opportunity to honour and remember those affected by the pandemic. The event will include a small ceremony, starting at 11am, in the front gardens, followed by a gathering in The Venue to share memories and stories over cake and a cuppa (charges apply for refreshments). We hope you will join us for this special occasion.

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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