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Bromley Park wins big in Nellsar trolley competition



Winners of the Most Stylish Trolleys category

Bromley Park Care Home is delighted to have won 'The Most Stylish Trolleys' category in a recent 'Tart Up Your Trolley' competition.

At the end of last month, Recreation and Well-Being Manager Viv Stead launched a competition for staff across **Nellsar's 13 Care Homes** to 'tart up their trolleys'.

During this period of lockdown, Viv thought staff could have a bit of fun and see who could use their creativity to 'Tart up their trolley'! If teams didn't have an activities trolley, they could improvise with whatever they had; there were no rules to the competition, the aim was simply to spread a little cheer to residents and make them smile.

Entries were submitted to Viv and she was amazed with what came in from our Homes;

"What can I say?! Once again you and your teams have absolutely blown us all away with your creativity, passion, enthusiasm and courage! I thought it would create a bit of fun in these difficult times and you have really done it with style!"

Having looked through all the entries, Viv decided that to choose a 'top three' out of all of the marvellous entries was just too difficult



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to bear, so a decision was made to award everybody a prize, and **Bromley's** trolleys were judged the most stylish.

Their entry read;

"Our inspiration for our Trolley Train was influenced by our residents' love of movies and music from the 1940s and 1950s. The movie trolley offered popcorn and pick n mix as nibbles, with the music trolley showcasing all the instruments used to play music. Our residents particularly enjoy music which was proven again when we celebrated VE Day with a singer who sang songs from that era. This project was a great opportunity for staff to showcase their talents other than care for our lovely residents. Our residents loved the Trolley Train!"

The Home will receive £50 for their Residents Fund, some bubbles and a winner's certificate.

A huge 'well done' to all the staff and residents who took part in the competition - it certainly has lifted everyone's spirits!





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