



The Fairways care home

*Live later
life well*

Dementia, residential and short-stay care in Chippenham

The home with the

community spirit

As you might guess from its name, The Fairways is set against the backdrop of a picturesque golf course, offering peaceful surroundings while being just moments away from the centre of Chippenham.

Walking into The Fairways is not quite what you would expect when entering a care home. Our entrance lobby is shared with the neighbouring independent living apartments. The double-height space creates a bright and inviting atrium with views of the beautiful grounds beyond.

Arranged around this space is a bustling bistro with doors out to the gardens, a general store stocking the essentials and a hair salon for a spot of pampering.

All of this is coupled with an overwhelmingly strong sense of community fostered by residents from the care home and independent living apartments, their friends and families, and a dedicated team of staff and volunteers.



We would never want people to feel like they're walking into a business or a hotel. Because this is a home first and foremost, and you can sense that in your surroundings. We're proud that people can make this place their own... somewhere that brings those natural feelings of warmth, security and belonging.

Adam Baker, Home Manager



A garden for *all seasons*

It's hard not to notice the lovely secure gardens encircling The Fairways, providing warming sun traps and a tranquil retreat.

Flat, wheelchair-friendly pathways wind through the courtyard, leading to peaceful seating areas where you can relax with a book or chat with friends.

Our gardens are also used for seasonal events including a summer barbeque, an autumn fair and fireworks on bonfire night. In warmer weather residents birthdays and anniversary parties, bringing the gardens to life with laughter and celebration. There's always something to look forward to and The Fairway's gardens are places where memories blossom.

Whether it's enjoying a cup of tea in the fresh air or catching a few rays, the gardens are a sanctuary for residents and their families.



I never have to worry about my mum now as I know she is in the best place and the most important thing to me is that she is happy and laughs a lot.

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Dining *that delights*

At The Fairways, dining is all about comfort, flavour, and togetherness. As you would expect every meal is shaped around the ideas and preference of our residents.

Hearty, home-cooked meals are a particularly favourite and everyone looks forward to our chef's fruit crumbles (and lashings of custard of course) which often top the request list.

Bradbury's Bistro serves as a social hub, where residents can gather over meals, play a tune on the rosewood piano, share a coffee with friends and family, or enjoy al fresco dining through the patio doors out to the landscaped garden.

Special occasions, such as Diwali, birthdays and anniversaries, are celebrated with themed meals and festive treats, making dining a highlight of the day.

With freshly prepared meals and an emphasis on traditional favourites, dining at The Fairways brings both nourishment and joy.



The staff at all levels are caring and friendly. Also, the food is excellent - I often eat in the bistro myself when visiting!

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What you can expect at The Fairways:

- Meals are freshly prepared by our in-house chef.
- Menus are designed around seasonal produce.
- Ingredients are sourced locally wherever possible.
- Drinks and snacks are on-hand 24 hours a day.

Take a look at our sample menu:

Lunch

Traditional roast pork
with apple sauce.

or

Goats' cheese, spinach
and tomato quiche.

*All served with seasonal potatoes
and roasted root vegetables.*

Watermelon sorbet.

Evening meal

Soup of the day, with a
selection of sandwiches.

or

Cheese and potato pie.

Lemon drizzle cake.







Unlike any other *care home*

The Fairways is a modern, purpose-built facility that accommodates up to 60 residents split between residential and dementia care.

The home's facilities are truly second to none. As well as Bradbury's bistro, Evergreens shop and the hair and beauty salon, the Collins Lounge, named after much-loved former resident Roy and his wife Joyce, provides an elegant spot for reflection and socialising.

And let's not forget the amazing team members of The Fairways. It would be hard to find a team infused with such a family feeling, and so strongly united in their care and commitment for the people who live here.

It means most of our residents have been welcomed to The Fairways thanks to local reputation. The result is a close-knit and like-minded group of residents who remain effortlessly entwined with their local community. They wouldn't have it any other way. And neither would we.



My mother's life has improved substantially since moving to The Fairways. We looked at four care homes and Fairways was easily the best.

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Our commitments to you:

- You'll remain in control of your care and support. Always.
- You'll be supported by a caring, compassionate team.
- You'll benefit from proven and pioneering therapies.
- You'll be valued and respected in a like-minded community.
- You'll be free to make this home your own – inside and out.

Facilities

- Single furnished ensuite rooms/one and two-bed apartments.
- Wheelchair accessible with lifts to upper floors.
- Comfortable lounges and communal areas.
- Hairdressing salon for care and pampering.
- Bistro for residents and guests.
- General store for essentials and gifts.
- 24/7 nurse call system in every room.
- Landscaped gardens with patio areas.
- Dedicated chaplain for spiritual support or private reflections.
- Award-winning music therapy for residents with dementia.









Living later life well

When you think of a care home, what springs to mind?

Life at The Fairways is vibrant and engaging, with activities that cater to different interests and abilities. Residents enjoy a full activity schedule that includes art club, balloon badminton, table tennis and frequent visits from local entertainers - who can forget the ventriloquist magician and his 'live animals'?

Speaking of animals, pet therapy is a regular highlight, with visits from the local owl sanctuary and farm bringing rabbits and Shetland ponies to the home. One fond memory is of Chewy the donkey visiting the home as part of the Victorian-themed summer fair. Tracey, the home's Admin Manager, recalls "*the residents loved him, and we had a queue of people wanting to see him*".

Trips to local attractions, from Whitehall Garden Centre to the historic Lacock Abbey, add adventure to the calendar while seasonal celebrations, such as Christmas and autumn fairs, raise funds and bring the community together.

At The Fairways, every day is an opportunity to create new memories, connect with others, and celebrate life in a home full of warmth and joy.



Here *for you...*

Whether you're searching for yourself or a loved one, for short-stays, residential or dementia care, our team at The Fairways will be here to help.

We understand that searching for a care home can be a confusing time for any family. So, we hope it's reassuring to know that our doors are always open. Our advice is always generous. Our residents are always eager to welcome a new character into the fold. And our charitable ethos will always guide everything we do.

We'll be ready to support. Whenever you need us:



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Proud to be part of MHA

For more than 80 years, families have been choosing MHA to support the needs and aspirations of their loved ones in later life.

People have been forging friendships through our community programmes. Fundraising to drive our charitable goals. And spreading the warmth, comfort and spirituality that you'll find across every MHA care home, community and development.

It's always for one reason, which will *a/ways* stay the same: helping older people to live later life well.



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