

EYECAN.

News Bulletin November 2024

Welcome to this month's news bulletin from EYECAN

Here's what has been happening:

- You and EYE took place on Friday, 1st November and was well attended by regular and new clients.
- We held a swimming session at Jersey Cheshire Homes on Monday 11th November which was enjoyed by 6 clients.
- We ran an awareness session for Health and Social Care Students at Highlands College, who we are offering work experience placements at Westlea to.
- Our Annual General Meeting (AGM) took place on Wednesday, November 20th, attended by Members, Committee Members, and Staff. Retiring Vice-President Anthea Bentley received a gift and a card, with words of appreciation from our President, Ed, acknowledging her many years of dedication to EYECAN.
- On Tuesday, 26th November, we hosted the Sight Board meeting, where we welcomed Marcus Calvani from the Jersey Hospitality Association. He was keen to learn how the industry can become more accessible to visually impaired individuals.

Coming up:

- On Sunday 1st December we are hosting a Christmas Party for families living with sight loss. Children will enjoy music, crafts, and party food, followed by a special visit from Santa.

- On Tuesday 3rd and Wednesday 4th December, we are running Christmas Wreath Workshops. ITV will be joining us on the 3rd to focus on vision impairment within the community and the services that EYECAN offers.
- We will be at the Government of Jersey's "Embrace Our Difference" event on Tuesday, December 3rd, at the Radisson Blu Waterfront Hotel. This event will highlight our recent collaboration with Andium Homes, where we were chosen as one of the winning partnerships.
- You and EYE drop-in session will take place on December 6th at Windward House from 12:00 to 1:15 pm, and everyone is welcome to attend.
- There is a swimming session for members, at Jersey Cheshire Homes, on Friday 6th December.
- Members will also be taking part in a cycling session, hosted by Move More Jersey, on Friday 13th December.

Please note:

- Thursday 19th December will be our last social club before Christmas and clubs will re-commence Tuesday 7th January 2025.
- Our offices will be closed Wednesday 25th December, Thursday 26th December and Wednesday 1st January.
- We would like to wish you all a very Happy Christmas and look forward to seeing you in 2025.

Please contact us if you are interested in joining us for any of the above activities by calling 864689 or emailing info@eyecan.je.