

EYECAN.

News Bulletin December and January 2025

Here's what has been happening over the last 6 weeks:

- On December 1st, we hosted a Christmas party for families living with sight impairments, featuring arts and crafts, music, dancing, and party food. Santa made a special appearance, bringing small gifts for the children.
- We attended the Government of Jersey's "Embrace Our Difference" event at the Radisson Hotel, on December 3rd, where we celebrated our partnership with Andium Homes.
- Our "You and EYE" sessions occurred on December 6th and January 3rd, attracting both regular and new clients.
- On December 6th, we enjoyed a swimming session at Jersey Cheshire Homes, and on December 13th, four members participated in a cycling session with Jersey Sport at Quennevais Sports Centre, followed by tea, coffee, and mince pies.
- St. Martin's School Choir performed Christmas songs at our social club on December 12th, delighting both members and children.
- We also attended the Monocular Peer Support Group and the Older Persons' Living Forum in December.
- To conclude the year, our Thursday social club members and volunteers enjoyed a festive Christmas lunch, lovingly prepared by our cook, Michelle.

Upcoming Events:

- **Cycling Without Limits:** Monday, January 17th at Quennevais Sports Centre, hosted by Jersey Sport.
- **Laugh, Move, and Groove:** A seated exercise class for social club members on Thursday, January 30th.
- **You and EYE:** Friday, February 7th at Windward House, St. Helier. All are welcome!
- **Swimming Session:** Monday, February 10th at Jersey Cheshire Homes.
- **Healing Waves:** Family sessions at Merton Aquadome on Tuesday, February 18th during half term.
- **Sight Impairment Training:** Supporting Liberty Buses on February 19th and 21st.

Other News:

We have introduced a 200 Club for 2025. Tickets are £24 for the year, and you will be entered into a draw each month, with the chance of winning one of three prizes - £100, £75 or £25. Tickets can be purchased online, please visit our website for more details. Alternatively, we can send a paper version to you by post or email or can support completing the application at our Westlea Centre. For more information or any specific accessibility requests, please contact us.

EYECAN provides activities and social clubs at no cost to our members, however donations are welcome and can be made by cash, cheque or bank transfer to: EYECAN, HSBC, Sort Code: 40-25-34, Account No: 01394215.

Please contact us if you are interested in any of our services or activities, please call 864689 or email info@eyecan.je.