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Dear Friends of Hale Place

I hope many of you watched the compelling Channel 4 drama 'Help' starring Jodie Comer and Stephen Graham. I thought the acting was excellent and they captured the despair and frustrations experienced by all frontline care workers during lockdown.



Some of our team working within one of the houses in the community supported people under extreme circumstances and the personal sacrifices they endured cannot be overstated.

I believe by watching this drama unfold the public may have started to understand what commitment, support and love dedicated care workers delivered during the pandemic. Most people in society could not work under those extreme circumstances, and in reality, thousands of care workers worked 24 hours, some 48 hours and others weeks without respite. There is no other profession where people do this to safeguard others, none!

I worked for 6 months straight, not one day off, but I wasn't having to don a gown, gloves, mask and visor in a warm, confined environment whilst caring for gravely ill people who I have grown to love like family. How my staff worked 12 hour shifts in these conditions and still managed to smile and be jolly is truly heart warming. How a few lived under these circumstances working day and night is nothing short of astounding.

My respect and genuine affection for my employees will never wain, they keep me humble and constantly remind me that decent, selfless people still walk among us.

Employee Achievements

Leigh received her trophy for reaching the final at the KICA Awards. We were all so proud of her and partied the night away with her. One of our number, rather inebriated, danced away the night on top of one of the tables!

Celebrating in true HP style, now on to the NCA Awards!



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Welcome to New Team Members

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Employee Feature

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Social Activities

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Improvements

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Welcome to New Resident

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Celebration of Life

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