

# What's On

Your bi-monthly guide to what's on at **Belong Wigan**

February / March 2026

## B's memory café

Coffee, conversation and care



## Community bingo

Eyes down for a fun-filled night



## Get interactive with Lifebeats



Join us Monday 16 February from 2pm – 3pm in The Venue for an interactive session where you'll explore rhythms on drums and tambourines, while learning sign language to bring the songs to life.

No experience needed, just bring your energy and enthusiasm. Cost £5pp; booking required, contact reception to reserve your place.

## Pancake Day



Celebrate Shrove Tuesday with us on Tuesday 17 February at 10:30am – 11:30am in The Venue. Flip some pancakes, test your skills and see who can claim the title of best pancake flipper, all while enjoying tasty treats and lots of fun. Cost £1; booking required – spaces are limited.

## Chinese New Year

Celebrate the Year of the Horse with us on Tuesday 17 February at 2pm in The Venue, with Platt Bridge Community School joining us for the activities.

Enjoy noodles, fun activities, and festive cheer in a lively, interactive session. Bring your friends and family and join in the celebration of culture, food and good times. Free entry.

Call 01942 855600 today to book.

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## Music in Mind



Join us on Friday 6 March from 2pm – 3pm in The Venue for an uplifting live music session with Alan and Ian from Music in Mind.

Enjoy a selection of well-known songs that will get your toes tapping and your spirits lifted. Whether you love singing along, reminiscing with familiar tunes, or just soaking up the atmosphere, this interactive session is perfect for music lovers of all ages. Entry £5pp; booking required.

## St. Patrick's Day celebrations



Join us on Tuesday 17 March from 3pm – 4pm to celebrate St. Patrick's Day which includes one baby Guinness and snacks while enjoying lively Irish music. Relax, have fun and soak up the festive atmosphere with friends. Cost £3pp; call reception to book on 01942 855600.





*We welcome members of the whole community*

## Valentine's Afternoon Tea

Celebrate love and friendship on Friday 13 February from 2pm in The Bistro with a glass of bubbly and delicious nibbles, all while relaxing to romantic music. A perfect way to treat yourself or someone special.

Cost £5pp; contact the village on 01942 855600 to book.

## Musical Memories

Join us on Thursday 19 February and Thursday 19 March from 10:30am in The Venue for Musical Memories, delightful sessions filled with nostalgic songs that spark joyful moments and shared memories. Enjoy a warm and welcoming atmosphere designed to bring people together through music. Entry £2pp; booking required.



## Community bingo

Come along and join us for Community Bingo on Tuesday 24 February and Tuesday 31 March in The Venue. Doors open at 5:30pm, with eyes down at 7pm, usually finishing before 9pm. Enjoy 8 games with a full book for £7, and take advantage of our 60p tea and coffee special while socialising with friends. On top of the main games, there will be tombola and raffle prizes to make the night even more exciting. No booking required – just turn up and join the fun-filled evening.



## Experience Days

Try Experience Days at Belong Wigan for a specialist day care service that brings enrichment, companionship

and peace of mind for carers, all within our vibrant village community. Call Charlene Frodsham on 01942 855600 to find out more and to book a 'taster' session.



## B's memory café

B's Café, in Belong Wigan, offers a warm and welcoming space where people living with dementia, as well as their families, friends and carers, can come together over a cuppa and a cake. Meet with Belong's Admiral Nurse for dementia advice and/or join in with dementia-friendly activities with members of the experience team. The next



sessions will take place on Monday 23 February and Monday 30 March, from 11am – 12noon on both dates, in The Venue. Free entry and open to all – call 01942 855600 for further details and to book.

Our events programme is inspired by the interests of our community. If there is anything you would like to see added, please share your ideas by email with our Experience Coordinator, Charlene Frodsham at: [charlene.frodsham@belong.org.uk](mailto:charlene.frodsham@belong.org.uk)



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