



Huntly Care Home
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Come in!

Make yourself at home

Thank you for your interest in Balhousie Huntly. Our spacious and specially-equipped home sets a new standard in the care of the older person. One of the newest properties in the Balhousie Care Group, our home here in Huntly provides a comfortable environment, where our nurses and care team aspire to provide a truly exceptional level of care and comfort to residents.

We offer single occupancy accommodation in 60 elegantly furnished bedrooms, each with a stylish and private en-suite bathroom. In addition, each wing has an "assisted features" bathroom so that residents with mobility

challenges can have their needs managed easily and safely.

Rooms throughout can be decorated with personal furniture and mementos, making your new home unique and comfortable for you. There is also a telephone point and flat screen television in every room and many rooms enjoy outlooks over the surrounding countryside.

The greatest achievement for us is creating a warm, homely, secure and stimulating environment for residents. With an elegant feel and friendly atmosphere, Huntly is an enjoyable place to live and work.

We would welcome the opportunity to let you see our home for yourself through a personal tour. To arrange a visit, or to find out more about the care we provide, please call 01466 383145 or email enquiries@balhousiecare.co.uk



“ I was apprehensive coming into care, however I feel very much at home and comfortable. Compliments to the chef - the food is lovely.”

Resident at Balhousie Huntly Care Home

Home from home

Balhousie Huntly is a community of caring people – staff, residents and relatives – working together to ensure a warm, compassionate and comforting environment.

We know that it can be a big decision to leave somewhere that has been your home for many years. The team here is passionate about making this your home from home.

We aim to provide the flexibility and comfort you've enjoyed previously but with the knowledge that, if and when you need support, you're surrounded by professional and caring people.

Our team provides a nurturing environment that respects your needs, but with opportunities to enjoy stimulating company and a wide range of activities.

Passionate about care and well-being

The prime focus for the team is creating a caring environment based on respect and dignity and providing a holistic approach to the care of residents.

We understand that each individual is unique, with different likes; dislikes; needs and wants. We therefore tailor our approach and service based on each individual. Before moving in, we'll conduct an individual assessment of your needs and this is continually reviewed and re-assessed.

As well as any clinical needs, our review will also include learning about your existing hobbies and interests, and discussing new activities you may like to try.

Activities

We know activities help improve overall physical strength and mental well-being.

Our approach brings out the best in our residents, and seeing them blossom is a joy.

At Huntly, regular organised activities vary. They include entertainment with regular shows, quizzes and concerts; hobbies, such as arts and crafts, flower arranging, painting and card making; and games.

Events are always optional, but our care home's dedicated Activities Co-ordinator helps to deliver a full calendar of structured and meaningful activities. There's bound to be a lot that appeals, and family and friends are welcome to participate too.



Person-centred care



The most important aspect of care is our people and every member of our team here is determined to deliver the best possible care and support, which promotes your independence whatever your needs.

Balhousie Huntly benefits from the latest specialist care home design features, which mean we can cater for the individual needs and requirements of residential, nursing; Alzheimer's and dementia; and end of life care.

Residents can enjoy this stylish care home and its warm, convivial atmosphere while being looked after by a genuinely enthusiastic and caring team that is fully trained to meet the requirements of residents with specific care needs.

Our aim is to improve the quality of life for the resident and to reduce the natural worry, anxiety and concern of family and friends.

To discuss your care needs in more detail please call us on 01466 383145 or email enquiries@balhousiecare.co.uk

The community

Our facilities at Huntly offer residents a flexible and comfortable environment in which to relax. A choice of dining areas is complemented by day rooms that provide access to an attractive landscaped courtyard.

An interesting feature of the home is the 'Care Café' which has views over the garden off the main entrance lobby. The Care Café provides a particularly nice area for residents to enjoy special occasions such as Christmas or Birthday Parties or to entertain visiting family and friends. When the weather allows, the Care Café doors can be opened onto the garden so that residents and visitors can sit outside to drink or eat.

As well as the central café space, there are other central shared spaces at first floor level, including a unisex hairdressing salon, resident quiet rooms, activity lounge and a spacious TV lounge. Each floor can be easily accessed by resident lifts.

Keeping in touch

Living in Balhousie Huntly offers a safe and supported continuation of the lifestyle you have been used to enjoying, and we welcome and encourage visitors.

Family are always welcome to join in activities and can also join you for lunch or an evening meal. They may be interested in joining our feedback group, where your experience can help us continually improve the enjoyment for all residents.

Our internet corner is very popular, and is ideal if your family live further afield. The team is always happy to help you. We have residents whose family Skype regularly from overseas, and your friends and family can post videos and photographs at any time, which we'll always ensure you see. We'll also help you keep in contact by email, and provide regular updates via our quarterly newsletter.

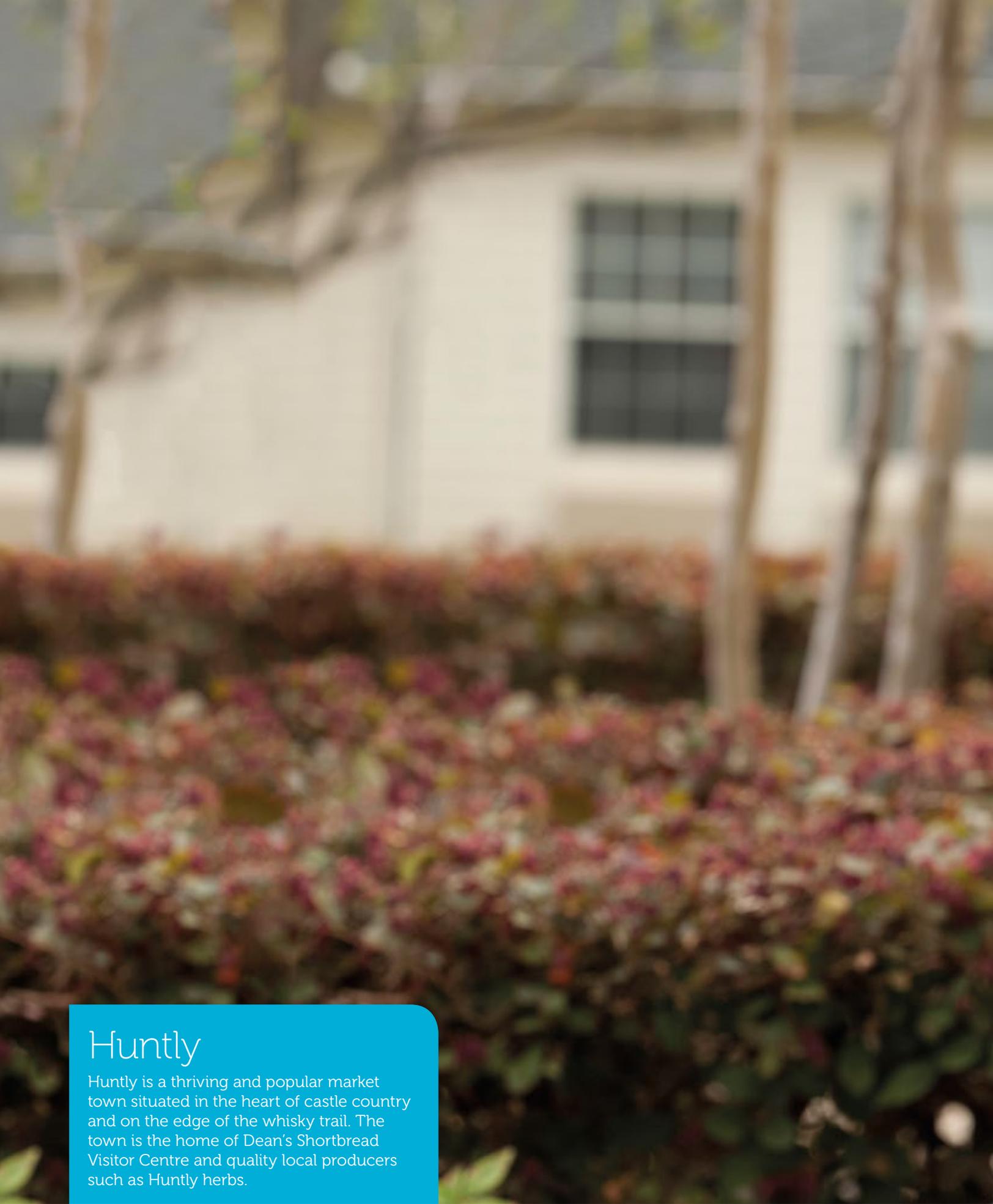
Listening

Our open door policy promotes two-way communication: we are committed to listening to, and meeting the needs of our residents.

We consult with them on menu choices, activities programmes and general home and service improvements.

Our chef prepares seasonal menus that cater for specific dietary requirements, delivering healthy, appealing and nutritious meals that reflect nutritional needs and resident wants.





Huntly

Huntly is a thriving and popular market town situated in the heart of castle country and on the edge of the whisky trail. The town is the home of Dean's Shortbread Visitor Centre and quality local producers such as Huntly herbs.

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