

Bluebells Day Centre

...providing care with passion

Age UK Oldham's Bluebells Day Care Centre, based in the Moorside area of Oldham, has been designed with much thought and consideration towards its clients, the majority of whom live with varying forms of dementia.

The setting is a modern residential bungalow, specifically chosen to make those receiving day care, their families and carers feel that they are spending time in a 'home from home' environment rather than a typical care facility.

At Bluebells we believe in choice. We work with individuals to choose the support that is best for them. We value dignity and treat individuals with empathy and respect at all times.

Our surroundings ensure you or your loved one will feel comfortable and able to take part in activities of interest.

We are open Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, 8:30am - 4:30pm

"...the staff team have a brilliant reputation for supporting people."

What to expect from your session?

- Enjoyment and stimulation in a friendly fun setting which is enhanced through a full range of entertainment and activities tailored to suit the needs of individuals and the group as a whole
- Meals which are freshly prepared by AUKO staff and include light breakfast, a three course lunch, afternoon tea and other refreshments including tea and coffee
- Use of our 'home from home' and community-themed facilities including a nail bar, pub themed room, large lounge area, dining room, conservatory (outdoors indoors), large garden with decking and seating area

What level of care will I receive?

All staff have received a high level of training and are 'Dementia Champions'. All clients can expect one-to-one support and care that is matched to their individual needs. Care plans are monitored and reviewed regularly.

How do I get a place?

A set number of places are funded by Oldham Council on particular days of the week. Contact Social Services on 0161 770 7777 for a referral or for information ALTERNATIVELY

Privately funded places are also available at £49.05 per session. Contact Sharron Jones Day Centre Manager on 0161 678 0802 for further information

How do I get there?

Age UK Oldham provide escorted adapted transport within a 3.5 mile radius where clients can be picked up safely from their home and returned at the end of the day. This is a chargeable service at £5.00 per journey.



"Leaving my house and coming here felt like coming home."

Taster Sessions

We advise clients to arrange a free taster session to ensure we can meet their needs and that the individual and their family/carer feel happy.

Contact Sharron Jones, Bluebells Manager on 0161 678 0802 to arrange.

Age UK Oldham also have another day care centre in the centre of Oldham: Selina House Day Care, Oldham, OL1 2DP (entrance on Coldhurst Street)

Phone: 0161 678 1598. Open Monday to Friday, 8:30am - 4:00pm

Age UK Oldham is an independent local charity that works in partnership with the Local Authority and NHS Oldham delivering services under contract agreements.

The organisation provides opportunities for the entire spectrum of older people in the local area including information and advice, home services, support with care and social activities.

Our staff initiate fresh, interesting ways to secure health and independence for local older people helping maintain their involvement in the wider community.

We manage a full range of services that benefit older people either directly or through the generation of funds.

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