

Press release

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Red Kite volunteers celebrated at thank you event

Volunteers from Red Kite Community Housing were recognised for their contribution at a special thank you event in High Wycombe.

Held at Wycombe Heights Golf Centre on Wednesday 13th May, the annual celebration brought together volunteers and staff to highlight the vital role Red Kite volunteers play in shaping services for local tenants.

This year's Mad Hatter's tea party-themed event welcomed 57 attendees and celebrated the work of volunteers who gave 1,599 hours of their time over the past year.

Guests enjoyed food, entertainment and activities, including bingo and a table magician, creating a lively atmosphere while offering the chance for volunteers to connect and reflect on their work.

Long Service Awards were presented during the afternoon, recognising the ongoing commitment of Red Kite volunteers and the difference they continue to make within the community.

Sophie Field, Head of Resident and Community Engagement, said:

“Events like this are our chance to say a heartfelt thank you to our volunteers. The time, energy and lived experience they share makes such a difference to Red Kite and our communities.”

The event also highlighted opportunities for more tenants to get involved, including the organisation's new Tenant Voice Panel redkitehousing.org.uk/tvp.

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Notes to editor:

More about Red Kite:

- Red Kite Community Housing is a tenant-led, not for profit, charitable housing organisation that was formed on 12 December 2011

- Red Kite owns and manages more than 6,600 homes all within 15 miles of High Wycombe, in the south of Buckinghamshire
- Red Kite's mission is to build a strong foundation for tenants and communities centred around safe, warm and affordable homes.
- Red Kite's vision is to create homes as foundations that enable individuals and communities to thrive.