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Seasons Greetings from all of us at Berkhamsted Dental Practice. We hope you like the Christmas card and recognize us all from our caricatures. This is our fifth annual newsletter and as always there's plenty of news to share with you.

Remember you can also find out about our practice and the treatments and services we offer by visiting our website at www.berkhamsteddental.com. If you need any more information please do not hesitate to contact us at the practice.

NEW ARRIVALS

Hygienist Estelle Elias had a bouncing baby girl in July. Eleanor weighed in at a respectable 9lb 3oz. Both mother and baby are doing well and we look forward to welcoming Estelle back to work in February.



Meanwhile Rosalind Wheeler has been providing maternity cover for Estelle and we are delighted to say that she will be staying on next year to offer Hygienist care on Monday mornings.

Jane, Estelle and Rosalind are now able to offer hygienist appointments six days a week!

New dental nurse Lara Hannah joined the team in January and is settling in well.

Laura works with John and the hygienists.

CONGRATULATIONS to Tim Friel, who has recently been appointed as a full time lecturer in Restorative Dentistry at the Royal London Dental School. Tim will continue to be available for appointments on Saturday mornings and he hopes to be able to fit a weekday afternoon and evening session with us into his busy schedule!

Back in June, on possibly the hottest day of the year, Claire completed the 54 mile LONDON to BRIGHTON BIKE RIDE. Whilst in April, John completed the FLORA LONDON MARATHON for the third year in a row. The two events raised over £1,500 for the British Heart Foundation and the Iain Rennie Hospice at Home – thank you to all of you for your very generous support.

If any of you are suffering donor fatigue then rest assured that John has now hung up his running shoes. But be warned - Claire has entered next year's BERKHAMSTED HALF MARATHON!

Best wishes for a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year
From

John O'Grady, Claire Rogers and all the team at Berkhamsted Dental Practice



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