

Building community:

Innovate IT's charity day with Aniko Homes

At Innovate IT, we've always believed that technology has the power to improve lives — but so does people. That's why giving back to our community isn't just a once-off gesture for us, it's part of who we are and how we choose to show up in the world.

Recently, our team had the privilege of hosting a charity day for the incredible teenagers and young adults at Aniko Homes, a home dedicated to supporting young people with special needs. And while we set out to make their day a little brighter, we walked away just as enriched — maybe even more.



From the moment we arrived, it was clear that this day would be unforgettable. Our team spent time outdoors with the young adults, exploring nature, enjoying the sunshine, and simply being present. They loved interacting with farm animals, whether it was petting a horse, or laughing at the antics of curious chickens.

The day was filled with smiles, curiosity, and genuine connection. Everyone enjoyed a warm, shared lunch together... not just as visitors and hosts, but as people enjoying one another's company. These small moments — chats, laughs, hand-holding, storytelling — are often the ones that remind us why community matters so deeply.

In addition to the activities, Innovate IT made a cash donation to help support the essential work the care home does daily. While funding is vital, so is human connection – and this event allowed us to give both.



Why charity work matters to us

Charity days like this are more than corporate events. They're opportunities to step outside routine and rediscover what really matters. At Innovate IT:

- We believe in using our resources to uplift those around us.
- We value compassion just as much as technical expertise.
- We know that giving back strengthens our team, our culture, and our community.
- We recognise the importance of being present – not only in business, but in humanity.

Our “We Take IT Personal” philosophy extends far beyond our clients. It reflects how we engage with people, how we show kindness, and how we choose to make an impact where it truly counts.

Thank you to the heroes at Aniko Homes

To the staff at the care home: your dedication, love, and daily commitment to these young people is extraordinary. We are honoured to walk beside you and support the work you do. And to the young adults – thank you for welcoming us with open hearts. You gave us a day we'll never forget.