
DOINGS AT THE LODGE



Dunmunkle Lodge Newsletter

September - October 2023

RESIDENT BIRTHDAYS

Residents who celebrated birthdays in September were Pauline Harper (5th), Sue Crosbie (5th), Beverley Reynolds (8th), Evelyn Howard (12th), Colin De Havilland (21st), and Betty Sanders (27th). There were no resident birthdays throughout the month of October.



BETTY TURNS 102!



Congratulations to Betty Sanders who celebrated her 102nd birthday on the 27th of September, surrounded by family and friends. It was a wonderful and memorable day enjoyed by all.

Betty (right) is pictured with her son Lyal and her sister Marge Northfield.

BIG WEEKEND SATURDAY NIGHT CABARET

About 90 people attended the 'Mobsters and Molls Cabaret' at the Murtoa Hall. Dunmunkle Lodge together with Murtoa Lions provided a night of music, fun and games in an old-fashioned cabaret style evening.

The band "Probably Guilty" provided the music, playing a wide range of hits. Most dressed up keeping with the theme of 'Mobsters and Molls'. The night was a huge success with the Lodge raising \$2000 which will go toward the purchase of our electric bike.



EMPLOYEES OF THE MONTH

Congratulations

to our September and October

'Employee of the Month'

Kim Stanislavskis (Cook) and Tania Richards (Administration) are pictured being presented with their awards by Business Manager Susan Boyd. We acknowledge the professionalism and dedication shown by Kim and Tania, and thank you both for being such hard-working employees of the Lodge.



AFL GRAND FINAL

The atmosphere of the AFL Grand Final was felt at the Lodge with the day consisting of all things footy. Below Personal Care Attendants Deb Inglis and Jo Dixon get in the spirit of 'Footy Colors Day' – they are pictured with Evelyn Cornell and June Millard. Also pictured are staff members Emma Cameron (Cook), Trevor Crittenden (Maintenance) and Katie Watts (Lifestyle) as they cook a special BBQ to celebrate the occasion – thanks guys, it was delish!



PHOTO GALLERY CONTINUED...

We love sharing photos of our residents and staff as they go about their daily lives here at the Lodge. Below Brian Raggatt and Tom Wood pause their conversation momentarily allowing for a quick photo opportunity; and Lifestyle staff member Luke Thompson is pictured on a recent men's outing bus trip to the Sheep Hills silos.



Above Dot Whelan is out and about in the garden, watering the flowers on a beautiful Spring day. While on the subject of gardening, above you can see a recent harvest of veggies grown in our Resi Veggie Patch. Below: a BIG pat on the back to Stuart White who has now completed this magnificent 1000-piece jigsaw puzzle. We are very impressed by your patience and determination Stuart, well done! Below right Betty McKee takes her turn at "Throwing the balls in the bucket" activity.



MUSICAL EXPERIENCE

On the 17th of October Robert and Dale brought their beautiful pipe organ to the Lodge. Our residents and staff were lucky to experience the majestic music created by this stunning instrument, and we thank them for taking the time to visit us. It really was something special!



NEW STAFF UPDATE

Welcome to the following new staff members:

Maree Abela, Allan Georgeson & Muhammad Waleed – Personal Care Attendants

We are pleased to have you onboard & hope you enjoy your time here at The Lodge!

WORD SEARCH – SNOW SPORTS

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ALPINE	FREESTYLE	SKI LIFT
BINDINGS	GLACIER	TECHNIQUE
BLIZZARD	HALFPIPE	THERMALS
BOOTS	HELMET	TOBOGGAN
COLD	JACKET	

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