



January 2022

Activity Newsletter

Programs of the Month

Happy New Year to All!

We have many programs planned for this month. Our program 'Country Kitchen' will have us toasting fresh bakery bread & tasting some yummy preserves on January 6th. This program is always well attended so plan to come out and join us. We also have Coffee Club with Timbits scheduled for January 12th. Our Resident Council will be held on Tuesday, January 11th at 1:30 p.m. This meeting is for you the residents and it is supported by the Activity staff. Two special Pizza lunches will be held by the Activity Department on January 18th and 25th. We have new programs scheduled this month so please come out and join in the fun. Due to our COVID-19 precautions essential caregivers will not be able to participate in our indoor programs with their loved ones at this time. We thank you for your cooperation in this decision. We will continue to supply new products to support the resident's hobbies and activity programs. We recommend that you participate in Indoor visits, window visits and Facetime/Skype video chatting. If you would like to schedule a short term social outing, Indoor visits, facetime/skype please call the Activity Department M-F between the hours of 9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m. at (705) 445-3991 extension#225. Please book ahead of the day you want scheduled. Note: Any short absences needed for medical appointments will be scheduled through the Nursing Department. Please remember to use good hand hygiene and social distancing.

Bev Cloutier, Activity Director



Happy Birthday.....



Phyllis Larmand

January 22nd

Don Dickson

January 27th

Joyce Michie

January 29th



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\*\*\*We invite family members to learn what Family Councils do. Please contact the Activity Dept. for information.

(705) 445-3991 Ext. 225

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Good Bye

"We say goodbye with fond memories, our lives have been

enriched because we have known you"

Don Lawrence

Kenneth Jackson

Betty Andrews

*Collingwood Nursing Home continues to maintain a high level of safety for all residents and staff. We continue to focus on keeping all concerned safe.*

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### Facebook

Collingwood Nursing Home Limited is on Facebook. Please “Like” us on the page and view photos and updates.

### iPad Facetime/Skype

Additional time and staffing is providing our success with iPad Facetime/Skype, phone calls, patio visits, Indoor Visits, social outings & new activity material purchased, etc. *Our additional iPads are in use and this will enhance video calls/visits. The TOUCH2PLAY Max with mobile cart is being enjoyed by many of the residents. This video games system includes brain teasers, word games, sports, casino games and many more. \*\*\*\*\*We have now purchased a second video game system.*

## ***A New Year!!!***

*It is time to say good-bye to 2021 and look forward to all the new experiences and gifts that life brings us. Look back on the good times and the challenging times but stay positive about what the future holds. Wishing everyone the very best in 2022!*



*Bev Cloutier,  
Activity Director*

## **Important Notice**

**All family members /friends must wear a mask during outings, indoor visits, patio visits & window visits when the window is open.**

**Thanks, Wendy C., D.O.C.**

### Important Notice

**\*\*We are in need of volunteers to assist in the Tuck Shop & a male volunteer for Men's Club.**

*(on hold due to COVID-19 precautions)*

### Volunteer Village

Come & discover all the exciting wonderful ways that you can get involved in your community. A chance to interact and explore a variety of volunteer opportunities. We offer hands on experience, a chance to develop new relationships, to share skills and talents. Retired, Seniors, and students are Welcome!

For more information please contact -  
Bev Cloutier, Activity Director or Janice Bristow, Volunteer Village Attache.

### REQUEST

**We are in need of volunteer knitters for our Tuck Shop. We are also taking donations of yarn again.**

We supply the yarn. Please contact Bev Cloutier, Activity Director if you are interested in donating your time & talent.

