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## FROM OUR CHIEF OPERATING OFFICER

Colleen Noble

Firstly, I would like to congratulate the Clontarf team with an extremely complimentary visit for their full reaccreditation. Katie and Marnie, you have an amazing team that have supported you and ensured a true picture of the home for the residents that live at Clontarf. Well done to you all, and thank you for the great way you personalise and embrace the care the residents receive in their home.

Katie, Marnie, Krystell and Vanessa led the visit very well and were highly complimented by the accreditation team. Beaumont Care Board and management look forward to sharing the outcome with residents, families and staff.

Wamuran home is welcoming more new residents every week. Karen and Cheryl have been very busy assisting with families and residents choosing rooms and introducing them to residents and staff.

Kippa-Ring is well on the way to completing the upgrade of rooms. Linda is enjoying working with residents, Terry, Gary and Sukhji in finalising the new and more spacious areas.

As many of you know, Jason has been off and unwell for quite some time. Jason and his wife Kate came and had a visit with us a week or so ago. It was wonderful to see Jason on the mend and looking forward to coming back to work. Jason is keen to catch up with residents and staff on his return. Sadly, Gary Cooke will be leaving us this week to take up a new opportunity. Thank you, Gary, for the amazing way in which you stepped up in Jason's absence and good luck with your new venture.

Tamborine Mountain residents have welcomed Edina (CN) to the team and will be meeting Melisha (L&L) this week. Tash has moved on to new ventures spending time with her family.

Colleen

## FROM THE SERVICE MANAGER

Welcome to October,

Spring is here with colourful and beautiful flowers, and I think everyone is feeling the warmer days.

I am so excited to inform you all that we are doing some renovations at our facility. All our four-share bedrooms are being converted into two-share bedrooms, and our residents love this change.

Also, I would like to inform you all that Liana is not working in administration at our facility now as she has been moved to another position. Caroline Butler has started working with us as our new Administration Officer, and I think few of you have already met Caroline. On behalf of all Beaumont care staff, I would like to Welcome Caroline and thanks to Liana for her great work with us.

As always, with the COVID-19 pandemic situation, please ensure to maintain social distancing, wear masks, and maintain good hand hygiene. When the facility is open again to visitors, please remember to check-in before entering and if you are experiencing cold & flu like symptoms, please stay home and contact us via phone calls or emails.

Please do not hesitate to contact the facility for any concerns/ suggestions as our staff are always appreciative of your feedback.

YOURS IN CARE,

Sukhjiwan

# A MESSAGE FROM OUR ASSISTANT CLINICAL NURSE

Hello everybody for the month of October!

As it gets closer to the end of the year, we look forward to the warmer weather on the residents bus trips.

I would like to welcome all our new staff and residents who have joined us in the last month. It has been nice to meet you and hope you enjoy your time with us.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding anything, please feel free to contact the facility and speak to our staff as they are always happy to assist.

THANKS, *Daniel*

## STAFF MEMBER PROFILE

**Beaumont Care KippaRing Service Manager, Sukhji Bajwa, shares some insight about herself and her role at Beaumont Care.**

**How long have you worked at Beaumont Care?**

I am working with Beaumont Care since September 2019.

**What does your role entail?**

I am currently working as the Service Manager at Kippa-Ring. My role consists of, but is not limited to managing staff; rostering effectively to ensure the delivery of care and services to a consistently high standard within budget; in collaboration with my team – conducting resident comprehensive assessments and ensure a safe and pleasant living environment for residents; and performing a range of leadership practices to ensure facility runs well.

**What do you enjoy most about your role?**

Collaborating with a range of different staff members (clinical and non-clinical staff), and putting full effort into my work to keep everyone happy at work by creating a good working environment for my staff.

**What do you enjoy most about working at Beaumont Care?**

I enjoy Beaumont Care's unique qualities including its resident-oriented facilities with a welcoming family-like culture environment, and room for staff to grow if they wish. I started my nursing career as a newly graduated Registered Nurse at Beaumont Care, and I believed it helped me to polish my skills. Beaumont Care always appreciated my work, identified my potential, and gave me the opportunity to work as a Service Manager.



**What is your dream holiday?**

My dream holiday is to visit Canada and spend quality time with my family.

**Favourite food?**

I like all food! However, I enjoy traditional Indian food the most.

**Favourite colour?**

Black

**What are your special interests?**

I like cooking and trying new recipes.

# Welcome...

On behalf of all the  
Beaumont Care family,  
we warmly welcome

*Sandy Gunn-Pryde  
and Richard Hodge*

and their family and friends.

# October BIRTHDAYS

Sandy - 1st

Frank - 15th

Robert - 16th

Maureen - 27th

*Happy  
Birthday!*



## GETTING TO KNOW OUR RESIDENTS



### Godfrey McFarlane

Godfrey enjoys music and singing brings him a lot of joy.

He is very social and enjoys the company of others, and  
he is caring and helpful towards others.

Godfrey loves arts and crafts. He is very good at colouring in and  
takes a lot of pride in his art pieces.

Godfrey always has a smile and brightens up any room making  
everyone's day special.

Management and staff offer our deepest sympathy and  
condolences to the family and friends of

*Estelle Hanchard*

## Entertainment and Concerts

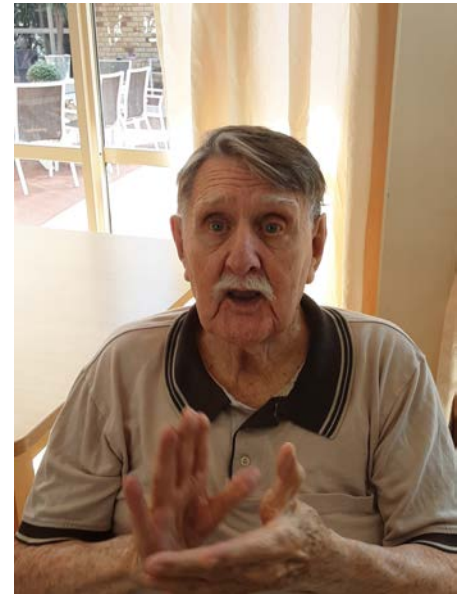
Residents have been entertained by some amazing performers recently. The Willows Choir have returned – Chris performed and we had the pleasure of having a concert from The Sidekicks. Fun-filled concerts with plenty of singing and toe tapping fun. Catalina has been continuing to do her music therapy – guitar playing and singing. Pictured is Carole and Alice dancing to a musical DVD, The Willows Choir with Don and Josie.

Norman and Catalina having a singalong and Godfrey, Josie and Carole having a dance.



## Father's Day Celebrations

Father's Day was celebrated with a concert with The Sidekicks at happy hour. Plenty of dancing, singing, reminiscing & having great fun. All the men were surprised with a gift on Father's Day, making them feel special. Pictured is Daniel, Godfrey, entertainers The Sidekicks and dancing up a storm is Mavis, Josie, Carol & Lisa.



## BUS TRIPS & OUTINGS

Residents have enjoyed bus outings to the Scarborough foreshore for a BBQ and a trip to the Mary Cairncross Scenic Reserve. Beautiful scenic views of the Glass House Mountains, enjoying a pie, sandwiches and hot chips and gravy from the local pie shop. Great adventures enjoyed by all with plenty more to come in the upcoming program.



## ART & CRAFT

Residents have been busy doing arts and crafts, making father's day cards, colouring in and making the gifts bags for all the special Dads.

Pictured is Godfrey, Alice, June and Carol.





# UPCOMING EVENTS IN October

Dance Party - Friday, 1st @ 10am

Ice Cream Cart - Each Thursday @ 1pm / 1.30pm

Bus Trips - Each Tuesday

Chicken Hatching Program - Tuesday, 5th @ 10.30am

Personal Shopping - Each Wednesday @ 10am

Residents Meeting & Food Focus - Monday, 18th @ 10.30am

Hairdresser - Each Friday

## October WACKY HOLIDAYS

- 1st - International Coffee Day
- 5th - Do Something Nice Day
- 6th - Mad Hatter Day
- 7th - Bald and Free Day
- 9th - Curious Events Day
- 13th - International Skeptics Day
- 17th - Wear Something Gaudy Day
- 21st - International Nacho Day
- 24th - Mother In Law Day
- 25th - World Pasta Day
- 27th - Black Cat Day
- 30th - Mischief Night

# THIS MONTH IN HISTORY

# October

## SYMBOLS OF OCTOBER

October's birthstone are tourmaline and opal and its birth flower is the calendula. The zodiac signs for this month are Libra (until October 22) and Scorpio (from October 23 onwards).

October is the tenth month of the year in the Julian and Gregorian calendars and the sixth of seven months to have a length of 31 days. The eighth month in the old calendar of Romulus c. 750 BC, October retained its name (from the Latin and Greek *ὀκτώ* meaning "eight") after January and February were inserted into the calendar that had originally been created by the Romans.

**October 1, 1908** - Henry Ford's Model T, a "universal car" designed for the masses, went on sale for the first time.

**October 3, 1929** - Yugoslavia became the official name of the Kingdom of Serbs, Croats and Slovenes.

**October 6, 1846** - Birthday - Engineer and inventor George Westinghouse (1846-1914) was born in Central Bridge, New York. He developed air brakes for trains and was later responsible for the adoption of alternating current (AC) systems for electric power transmission in the U.S. He was also the first employer to give his employees paid vacations.

**October 8, 1871** - The Great Fire of Chicago erupted. According to legend, it started when Mrs. O'Leary's cow kicked over a lantern in her barn on DeKoven Street. Over 300 persons were killed and 90,000 were left homeless as the fire levelled 3.5 square miles, destroying 17,450 buildings. Financial losses totalled over \$200 million.

**October 9, 1940** - Birthday - John Lennon (1940-1980) was born in Liverpool, England. He was a member of The Beatles, an influential rock group which captivated audiences first in England and Germany, and later in America and throughout the world. He was murdered in New York City on December 8, 1980.

**October 12, 1492** - After a 33-day voyage, Christopher Columbus made his first landfall in the New World in the Bahamas. He named the first land sighted as El Salvador, claiming it in the name of the Spanish Crown. Columbus was seeking a western sea route from Europe to Asia and believed he had found an island of the Indies.

**October 13, 1884** - Greenwich was established as the universal time from which standard times throughout the world are calculated.

**October 15, 1815** - Napoleon Bonaparte arrived on the Island of St. Helena beginning a British-imposed exile following his defeat at the Battle of Waterloo.

**October 16, 1793** - Queen Marie Antoinette was beheaded during the Reign of Terror following the French Revolution. She was the wife of King Louis XVI and had become the symbol of the people's hatred for the old regime due to her extravagance and frivolity. According to legend, she responded, "Let them eat cake," when told poor people had no bread.

**October 16, 1854** - Birthday - Irish poet and playwright Oscar Wilde (1854-1900) was born in Dublin, Ireland. Best known for his comedies including; *The Importance of Being Earnest*. And his novel *The Picture of Dorian Gray* in which he wrote, "There is only one thing in the world worse than being talked about and that is not being talked about."

**October 21, 1879** - Thomas Edison successfully tested an electric incandescent lamp with a carbonized filament at his laboratory in Menlo Park, New Jersey, keeping it lit for over 13 hours.

**October 24, 1931** - Chicago gangster "Scarface" Al Capone was sentenced to 11 years in jail for Federal income tax evasion. In 1934, he was transferred to Alcatraz prison near San Francisco. He was paroled in 1939, suffering from syphilis. He retired to his mansion in Miami Beach where he died in 1947.

**October 25, 1881** - Birthday - Artist Pablo Picasso (1881-1973) was born in Malaga, Spain. He was an experimental painter and also became a fine sculptor, engraver and ceramist.

**October 31st** - Halloween or All Hallows' Eve, an ancient celebration combining the Christian festival of All Saints with Pagan autumn festivals.

# HAVE YOUR SAY

Beaumont Care is committed to providing high quality care and services.

We invite you to assist us by letting us know what we do well and what we need to adjust so that we can improve our performance. We respect the opinions of our clients and those who visit our residential services. Speak to us today or alternatively leave feedback in the comments, concerns and suggestions box. See below the following avenues that are available to provide feedback, ideas, opinions, comments and advice.

## EMAIL

Service Manager: [sukhajibajwa@beaumontcare.com.au](mailto:sukhajibajwa@beaumontcare.com.au)  
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Executive Team: [exec@beaumontcare.com.au](mailto:exec@beaumontcare.com.au)

## FEEDBACK FORMS

There are suggestion boxes located at the facility.  
Feedback forms can be found alongside.

## PHONE

Kippa-Ring Facility: (07) 3883 2475  
Service Manager: 0457 755 660

## ONLINE ELECTRONICALLY

Beaumont Care has an online 'feedback form accessible at [www.beaumontcare.com.au](http://www.beaumontcare.com.au)

## NEWSLETTER / SURVEYS / GROUP EMAIL

Residents and their representatives are encouraged to participate in satisfaction surveys released bi-annually. Newsletter format has been updated to be more informative to enhance transparency with the changes expected within the aged care sector. Group emails are utilised on an as needed basis to disseminate information quickly to resident representatives.

## GENERAL HOUSEKEEPING

Resident/family members bringing in food to place in fridges, these items need to be labelled with the resident's name. Please ask staff who can assist you in completing the required form to document expiry date etc. Please remember to let Admin office know if any of your details have changed so we have current information. Lost and found will be held monthly in the tv lounge, if you have lost any items of clothing please come along.

## HELPFUL LINKS & RESOURCES

**Aged and Disability Advocacy Australia** 1800 818 338

**Aged Care Complaints Commission** 1800 550 552

**Cultural Diversity in Australia** [www.culteraldiversity.net.au](http://www.culteraldiversity.net.au)

**Older Persons Advocacy Network** 1800 700 660 [www.opan.com.au](http://www.opan.com.au)

**Palliative Care** (08) 7221 8233 [www.eldac.com.au](http://www.eldac.com.au)

**Human Rights Commission Queensland** 1300 130 670 [www.qhrc.qld.gov.au](http://www.qhrc.qld.gov.au)

**Dementia Support Australia** (02) 8437 7355 [www.dementiacentre.com](http://www.dementiacentre.com)

**Aged Care Quality & Safety Commission** 1800 951 822 [www.agedcarequality.gov.au](http://www.agedcarequality.gov.au)

**Advanced Care Planning** 1300 007 227 [www.advancecareplanning.org.au](http://www.advancecareplanning.org.au)

**Charter of Aged Care Rights** [www.agedcarequality.gov.au/resources/charter-aged-care-rights](http://www.agedcarequality.gov.au/resources/charter-aged-care-rights)

**Pain Management** <https://www.betterhealth.vic.gov.au/health/conditionsandtreatments/pain-and-pain-management-adult>

# Kipparing Activity Program ~ October 2021

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
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<p><b>4<sup>th</sup></b></p> <p><b>Queen's Birthday Public Holiday</b></p>	<p><b>5<sup>th</sup> Chickens Hatching</b></p> <p>9am Catholic parish visits 9.30am Scenic Bus Outing 10.30am Chicken Hatching Program  2pm Bingo with Maureen and Bruce</p>	<p><b>6<sup>th</sup></b></p> <p>9.30am Bingo  9.30am DT In1 Visits 10am Personal Shopping 1pm Musical DVD Singalong</p>	<p><b>7<sup>th</sup></b></p> <p>9am Exercises 10.30am Jazz Concert with Ben  1pm Movie – Residents Choice 2pm In1 room visits</p>	<p><b>8<sup>th</sup> Hairdresser</b></p> <p>9am Exercises 10am Balloon Tennis  1pm In1 Room Visits</p>	<p><b>9<sup>th</sup></b></p> <p>9.30am Bingo with Maureen and Bruce  1pm In1 individual activities</p>	<p><b>10<sup>th</sup></b></p> <p>10.30am Hoy Cards With Margaret </p>
<p><b>11<sup>th</sup></b></p> <p>9am Newspaper Reading &amp; Exercises 10.30am Gardening  1.30pm In1 room visits</p>	<p><b>12<sup>th</sup> Bus Trip</b></p> <p>9am Catholic parish visits 9.30am Scenic Bus Outing  10.30am Trivia in the Garden</p>	<p><b>13<sup>th</sup></b></p> <p>9.30am Bingo 9.30am DT In1 visits 10am Personal Shopping 1.30pm Movie – Residents Choice </p>	<p><b>14<sup>th</sup></b></p> <p>9am Exercises 10.30am Art Therapy 1pm Movie – Residents Choice 1.30pm Ice-Cream Cart </p>	<p><b>15<sup>th</sup> Hairdresser</b></p> <p>9am Exercises 10am Trivia and discussion group in the outside garden  1pm Movie – Residents Choice 1.30pm In1 room visits</p>	<p><b>16<sup>th</sup></b></p> <p>9.30am Bingo with Maureen and Bruce  1pm In1 individual activities</p>	<p><b>17<sup>th</sup></b></p> <p>10.30am Hoy Cards With Margaret </p>
<p><b>18<sup>th</sup></b></p> <p>9am Exercises  10.30am Resident's and Food Focus Meeting 1.30pm Bingo with Maureen &amp; Bruce</p>	<p><b>19<sup>th</sup></b></p> <p>9am Catholic parish visits 9.30am BBQ Bus Trip  2pm Trivia in the Garden</p>	<p><b>20<sup>th</sup></b></p> <p>9am Newspaper Reading 9.30am DT In1 visits 10am Personal shopping  10.30am Willows Choir Concert 1.30pm Musical DVD Singalong</p>	<p><b>21<sup>st</sup></b></p> <p>9am Exercises 10am Uniting Church Service  1pm Ice-cream cart 1.30pm In1 room visits</p>	<p><b>22<sup>nd</sup> Hairdresser</b></p> <p>9am Exercises 10am Tin Pin bowling  1pm Movie – Residents Choice</p>	<p><b>23<sup>rd</sup></b></p> <p>9.30am Bingo with Maureen and Bruce  1pm In1 individual activities</p>	<p><b>24<sup>th</sup></b></p> <p>10.30am Hoy Cards With Margaret </p>
<p><b>25<sup>th</sup></b></p> <p>9am Exercises 10.30am Lost and Found  1.30pm Bingo with Maureen &amp; Bruce</p>	<p><b>26<sup>th</sup> Bus Trip</b></p> <p>9am Catholic parish visits 9.30am Scenic Bus Outing 10.30am Trivia in the Garden </p>	<p><b>27<sup>th</sup></b></p> <p>9.30am Bingo 9.30am In1 Visits 10am Personal Shopping 1.30pm Musical DVD Singalong </p>	<p><b>28<sup>th</sup></b></p> <p>9.30am Exercises 10am Halloween Tea Party  1pm Ice Cream Cart 1.30pm In1 Visits</p>	<p><b>29<sup>th</sup></b></p> <p><b>Postponed Ekka Public Holiday</b></p>	<p><b>30<sup>th</sup></b></p> <p>9.30am Bingo with Maureen and Bruce  1pm In1 individual activities</p>	<p><b>31<sup>st</sup> HALLOWEEN</b></p> 