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BEAUMONT CARE

Warm-Hearted Care, Your Way

A MESSAGE FROM LINDA BEAUMONT

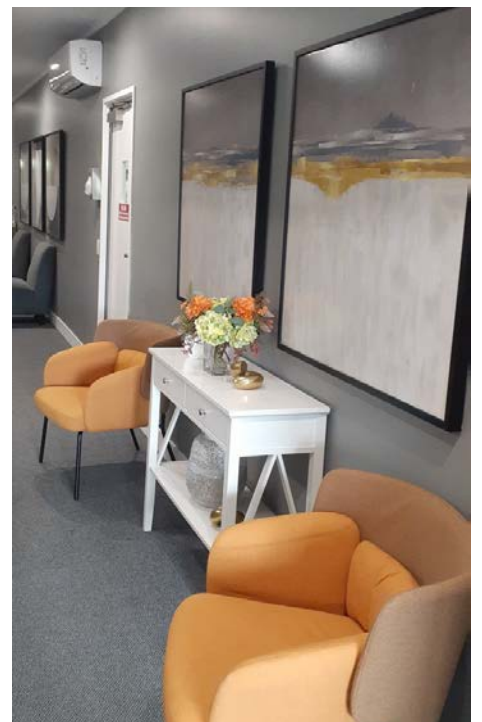
Great to hear all Beaumont Care services are going so well, with new staff joining our new residents as occupancy builds. Cheryl from Concierge is a very busy lady just now and is glad to see residents settling into their new homes.

As we have a lot of events coming up as well as more holidays and Christmas, it is the time to ask staff to please consider themselves, and take their leave as it falls due, so we can ensure everyone is rested, and getting the downtime they fully deserve. Management encourages all personnel to be thinking ahead and planning this important aspect of your working life.

Clontarf has undergone a refurbishment of rooms, here's 2 photos for you. I like seeing the individualised decorating residents do in their personal spaces, including arriving with their pet like Doreen here with puppy Gin Gin spotted at the cafe Wamuran 11 to 3 Saturdays. Families are encouraged to come and join us each Saturday.

Tamborine's foyer is looking fab as we welcome members of the Department of Health for a social visit and look forward to showcasing this lovely home on the mountain. Kippa-Ring has lots of activities underway including the Cup of course, good luck in the Sweeps everyone

Until next time, *Linda*



FROM OUR SERVICE MANAGER

Welcome to spring everyone,

The weather is already putting on a show and the warmer days are very welcomed. I for one am very happy to say goodbye to the past winter. It was cold.

Amazing news: We are on the home stretch all with the repairs to the A Side. Fingers crossed, within the next few weeks we will be able to open back up the doors and see what is waiting for us on the other side. We will also be welcoming back the last of our very much missed residents from their sojourn to Kippa Ring. It will be wonderful to see all their faces again.

I do wish to sincerely thank each and every one of you for your patience and understanding over the past 7 months. No one could foresee it would have taken as long as it has but it will be a huge relief once all the work is completed and everything returns to our normal.

Over the past month we have said goodbye to Susan, one of our Assistant in Nursing who works night shift. We wish her all the best with her future endeavors. You may also notice two new faces around the place. Please give me a hand to warmly welcome Anuja, our new Registered Nurse and Julie, our Assistant in Nursing. You may recognise Julie as she has only recently completed her student placement with us. Both ladies will be an amazing addition to the Beaumont Care family!

Please, if you have feedback on anything do not hesitate to let us know. Residents and their representatives' input are a vital part of the running of any facility, please feel welcome to provide your thoughts, suggestions, and feedback at any time. My door is always open.

THANKS
Katie

FROM OUR LIFESTYLE TEAM

Hello from the Lifestyle Department,

Welcome to yet another jam-packed month at Beaumont Care Clontarf. The refurbishments are coming along nicely, and we are hoping that it will be finalised soon, and we can get back to normality before our Xmas celebrations start.

We have had some beautiful weather lately which has seen us enjoy some wonderful bus trips. One in particular was a trip to Bribie Island, having fish and chips for lunch and feeding the wild dolphins straight out of the window of the restaurant. The squeals of enjoyment were well worth the long road trip for our residents.

As I mentioned, Christmas celebrations will start to be the talk of the facility. We will be putting our Secret Santa list out for those staff wishing to assist with gifts for Xmas day for our residents. The resident Xmas party is planned for the 13th of December, we have some fantastic entertainment booked and are expecting the jolly man in the red suit to make an appearance with a little something for all those residents on the "good list" this year.

The month of November is an exciting time for race goers and fashionistas. What better way to spend the day than with a nice lunch, a drink and looking all the fashions of the day. They say the Melbourne Cup stops the nation and we hope to see all the ladies in their finery and the gents looking dapper in their suits. We will be serving beer/wine with lunch in the dining room for those who wish to partake in a Cup Lunch.

On the 11th of November we reflect on Remembrance Day and will start the morning with a BBQ breakfast cooked by a local ex-serviceman. John officiated our service last year and will do so again this year after cooking up a storm. He may even look very similar to the Jolly man, so we better watch out. We appreciate him giving up his time for this very special and moving occasion. This will be followed by a minute's silence. The media room will be available for those wishing to watch services from around the nation.

A friendly reminder that we hold a residents meeting on the 3rd Wednesday of each month and we welcome your attendance. If you can't make it on the day, you can submit a Feedback form and will address your compliment/ complaint/ suggestion.

UNTIL NEXT TIME, PLEASE TAKE CARE...

Mary, Lea-Ann and Katrina

Welcome...

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

**Giwi Payne
and
Allan Freeman**

along with their family
and friends.

November BIRTHDAYS

Yvonne Jacobsen - 1st

Famous Birthdays

Marie Antoinette - 2nd
Vivien Leigh - 5th
Bonnie Raitt - 8th
King Charles - 14th
Rock Hudson - 17th
Billy The Kid - 23rd
Joe DiMaggio - 25th
Sir Winston Churchill - 30th

*Happy
Birthday!*



GETTING TO KNOW OUR RESIDENTS



Kingsford Arrowsmith

Hello everyone, my name is Kingsford or Kingy as I am adoringly known by my friends and family. I have been living at the facility now since 2019. Prior to my arrival, I was living in England. If my partner was still with me I would more than likely still be in England, but I needed to be close to my family during such a difficult heartbreaking time for me. I knew I would get the support and comfort from them being closer than a 23-hour plane ride.

I lived in England since 1953 and during that time I think my partner and I touched every part of the continent, but my favourite place to go and visit would have to have been Egypt and travelling down the Nile. I found most people no matter their nationality was very kind and approachable, but it was very different times back then.

I was very well known in the inner circle of England as having the most outlandish, fun, and over the top parties that could run into a few days here and there.

We had a beautiful cat we called Victoria because we thought she was quite regal for a cat, we used to call her Vicky from time to time.

We never had children of our own, but I was extremely close to my brothers and sisters, and their children became like ours. Two of my brothers went to war against the Japanese, and I was lucky enough to have them come home from that terrible war. One of my brothers did get injured near the groin area, but that didn't stop him from having children...the only thing he was upset about was he couldn't play footy anymore! Till this very day, the kids still call in and see me and look out for my best interest, and never question some of my purchases that I have gotten since being in the facility. Buying my first iPad at 92 to listen to music was one of them!

I was and still am up for a good laugh and a great joke - clean or the adult kind. The staff always come into my room with a good joke or something to brighten my spirits and we always seem to congregate in my room for a good laugh.

Thank you for taking the time to get to know me. Anytime you're at the facility and have a good joke - clean or otherwise - feel free to come and share it with me.



STAFF MEMBER PROFILE

Beaumont Care Staff Member, Jean, shares some insight about herself and her role at Beaumont Care Clontarf.

Hello everyone, my name is Jean, and I am one of the morning carers,

I have been working now at Beaumont Care for nearly 17 years. During this time, I have seen many co workers come and go and sadly residents as well. I love working here as I like to make the difference in our resident's lives. Taking the time to care for them is one thing I take a lot of pride in, getting them ready for the day ahead making them feel comfortable and looking nice is one of the many reasons I enjoy doing the morning shift.

I have a fish and a turtle who was only supposed to stay for a short period but after 10 long years Soup is still with us. I enjoy most if not all food, especially a nice home cooked meal is one of my favourites sitting with my husband after a long day and just being together enjoying a meal and talking about how our day was.

I have four beautiful grandchildren - two boys and two girls. I don't see them as often as I would like but when we do we have such a memorable time together. Their laughter is truly heart-warming and just their little intricacies are what watching them grow into independent strong little humans is one of my greatest joys.

I have been lucky enough to travel most of this magical world we live in, we have been on 12 cruises during our time and seeing all the different cultures, infrastructure, tasting the different foods and the scenery are some of the reasons we are enjoying taking the time to visit and holiday at these places. They say there is no better place than home, this is true but to see how the other half of the world live is interesting to me.

In my earlier years I was always so busy with my hands I have done cake decorating, ceramics and quilting. Now days I like to spend what little time I have at home with my husband going about our day-to-day life together.



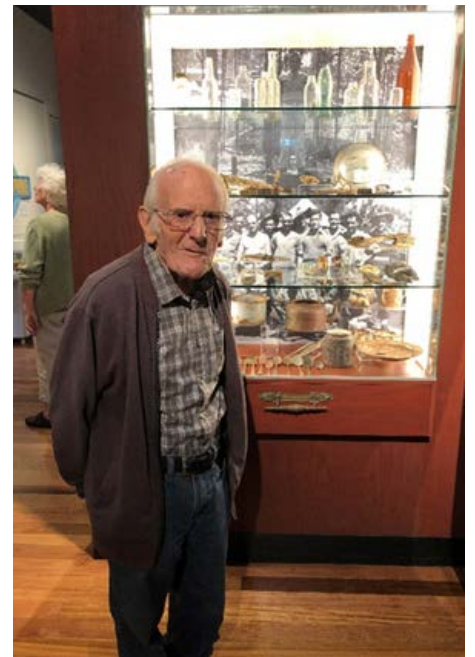
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MUSEUM TRIP



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THIS MONTH IN HISTORY

November

SYMBOLS OF NOVEMBER

November's birthstones are topaz and citrine and its birth flower is the chrysanthemum. The zodiac signs for the month of November, are Scorpio (October 23 - November 21) and Sagittarius (November 22 - December 21).

November is the eleventh and penultimate month of the year in the Julian and Gregorian Calendars. November retained its name (from the Latin novem meaning "nine") when January and February were added to the Roman calendar. November is a month of late spring in the Southern Hemisphere and late autumn in the Northern Hemisphere.

November 1st - All Hallows Day, also known as All Saints Day among Roman Catholics, commemorating those who have no special feast day.

November 2, 1734 - Birthday - American frontiersman Daniel Boone (1734-1820) was born in Berks County, near Reading, Pennsylvania.

November 3, 1957 - Soviet Russia launched the world's first inhabited space capsule, Sputnik II, which carried a dog named Laika.

November 4, 1922 - King Tut's tomb was discovered at Luxor, Egypt, by British archaeologist Howard Carter after several years of searching. The child-king Tutankhamen became pharaoh at age nine and died around 1352 B.C. at age 19. The tomb was found mostly intact, containing numerous priceless items now exhibited in Egypt's National Museum in Cairo.

November 6, 1429 - Henry VI was crowned King of England at age eight. He had acceded to the throne at the age of nine months following the death of Charles VI.

November 7, 1867 - Birthday - Polish chemist Marie Curie (1867-1934) was born in Warsaw, Poland. In 1903, she and her husband received the Nobel Prize for physics for their discovery of the element Radium.

November 11, 1992 - The Church of England voted to allow women to become priests.

November 12, 1929 - Birthday - Grace Kelly (1929-1982) was born in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. She was an award-winning actress who left Hollywood in 1956 to marry Prince Rainier, becoming Princess Grace of Monaco. She died of injuries from an automobile accident, September 12, 1982.

November 15, 1980 - Pope John Paul II visited West Germany, the first papal visit to Germany in 200 years.

November 19-20, 1990 - The Cold War came to an end during a summit in Paris as leaders of NATO and the Warsaw Pact signed a Treaty on Conventional Forces in Europe, vastly reducing their military arsenals.

November 20, 1947 - England's Princess Elizabeth married Philip Mountbatten. Elizabeth was the first child of King George VI and became Queen Elizabeth II upon the death of her father in 1952.

November 21, 1920 - The IRA (Irish Republican Army) shot and killed 14 British soldiers in Dublin in what became known as "Bloody Sunday."

November 22, 1990 - British Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher announced she would resign after 11 years in office, the longest term of any British Prime Minister in the 20th century.

November 25, 1995 - By a margin of less than one percent, Ireland voted to legalize divorce, the closest vote in the nation's history.

November 30, 1874 - Birthday - Winston Churchill (1874-1965) was born in Blenheim Palace, Oxfordshire, England. Before World War II, he held a number of high level political offices in Britain including First Lord of the Admiralty. In May 1940, he became Prime Minister, stating, "I have nothing to offer but blood, tears, toil, and sweat." His inspirational speeches, combined with his political skills and military strategy carried Britain through the war, and helped the Allies overcome the Nazi onslaught and defeat Hitler.

Have you got Enduring Power of Attorney or Advanced Health Directive paperwork that you haven't supplied to the office?

Please forward to
clontarf@beaumontcare.com.au

Updated or changed your email address, phone number or postal address recently?

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clontarf@beaumontcare.com.au

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.

Lost and found will be held monthly in the tv lounge. If you have lost any items of clothing please come along.

Do you enjoy reading? Redcliffe Library attends our facility every month.

Just a gentle reminder that the Admin Office is closed over the weekend. Any residents who are requiring any money, please see Katrina on Friday.

A REMINDER FOR OUR RESIDENTS

Please ensure you are keeping your fluid intake up, especially in warmer weather.

Remember that there are always alternative meal options if you do not like what is offered.

Remember to put sunscreen on when going outside.

Please tell a nurse if you would like to see a doctor.

Please make sure you have correctly fitting footwear, this prevents shoes from rubbing on skin and falls.

CHURCH SERVICES

Catholic services are held every Friday at 10am

Anglican services are held the fourth Thursday of each month at 10am

Non-denominational services are held monthly at 2.30pm

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: katiemorgan@beaumontcare.com.au

Clinical Nurse: cn-clontarf@beaumontcare.com.au

Executive Team: exec@beaumontcare.com.au

PHONE

Clontarf Facility: (07) 3284 6638

Service Manager: 0412 839 440

FEEDBACK FORMS

There are suggestion boxes located at the facility.

Feedback forms can be found alongside.

ONLINE ELECTRONICALLY

Beaumont Care has an online 'feedback form accessible at 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.

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

Older Persons Advocacy Network 1800 700 660 www.opan.com.au

Palliative Care (08) 7221 8233 www.eldac.com.au

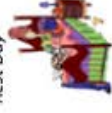
Human Rights Commission Queensland 1300 130 670 www.qhrc.qld.gov.au

Dementia Support Australia (02) 8437 7355 www.dementiacentre.com

Aged Care Quality & Safety Commission 1800 951 822 www.agedcarequality.gov.au

Advanced Care Planning 1300 007 227 www.advancecareplanning.org.au

Charter of Aged Care Rights www.agedcarequality.gov.au/resources/charter-aged-care-rights

Clontarf Activity Program – November 2022						
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
	1 st Melbourne Cup	2 nd Coffee Club	3 rd Bus Trip	4 th	5 th	6 th
	Morning chats 9am Walking Group, followed by exercises 10.30am Music trivia & Games 2pm Hat / Dress Parade 3pm Melbourne Cup	Coffee Club Morning chats 9am Walking Group, followed by exercises 10.30am Movie 1pm Exercises - Jazz 2.30pm I Have I Never Have 3pm The Chase	Morning chats 9am Walking Group, followed by exercises 10am Katrina's Shopping 10.30am Art 1.30pm Word Building 4pm Ch 7 News	Morning chats 9am Walking Group, followed by exercises 10am Catholic Church 10.30am Piano Margret 2.30pm Happy Hour! 4pm The Chase – News	No Planned Activities <i>Rest Day</i> 	No Planned Activities <i>Rest Day</i> 
7 th Coffee Club	8 th	9 th Coffee Club	10 th Bus Trip	11 th Remembrance Day	12 th	13 th
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14 th Coffee Club	15 th	16 th Coffee Club	17 th Bus Trip	18 th	19 th	20 th
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