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BEAUMONT CARE

Warm-Hearted Care, Your Way

FROM THE SERVICE MANAGER

Hi all,

The year is drawing to an end and December is now upon us - bringing with it Christmas and the festive season. This is the time to reflect on the months past to how grateful we all are that we are strong and healthy and able to celebrate with our loved ones.

The facility is dedicated to continually improving, and the clinical team is in the process of ensuring all required documentation is current and up to date as per the Aged Care Quality Standards. We were so pleased to receive the report post our accreditation and to see we MET all the 8 standards, thankyou to those of you who contributed to this great outcome.

Residents and their representatives' input is an integral part of the running of the facility. Please feel welcome to provide your thoughts, suggestions, or feedback at any time for consideration.

We are excited to see Beaumont has purchased a new bus and trips should be back to normal - activities continue and our residents enjoyed the fun and laughter of our Melbourne Cup day and the togetherness of Remembrance Day.

I would like to welcome the following new staff to our home:

- Long Zhou (Enrolled Nurse)
- Jacinta Duncan (Enrolled Nurse)
- Courtenay Harper (Assistant Nurse)
- Jae Yoo (Hotel Services)

Please look after yourself and stay in touch,

Karen

MERRY
Christmas



Christmas Lunch

**SUNDAY 25TH, DECEMBER
@ 12PM**



**FAMILY AND FRIENDS MOST WELCOME
TO ATTEND**

COST \$20 PER PERSON

**PLEASE RSVP TO RECEPTION BY
FRIDAY 8TH DECEMBER**

FROM THE CLINICAL TEAM

Welcome to Summer!

As the days heat up, please remember to drink plenty of fluids as our Queensland summer is set to be a scorcher! We highly encourage everyone to 'Slip, Slop and Slap' when outside and we have commenced our afternoon ice-block rounds. The health and wellbeing of residents is our principal goal, and the inclusion of friends and family assist us in achieving our goals of delivering services.

With the Big Man in Red soon to attend the site, our home looks amazing with the abundance of Christmas decorations around the facility! If you are planning on bringing your loved one home for the holidays for an extended amount of time, please see the nurses to organise medications to cover the stay. Otherwise, please join your loved ones and their fellow residents on site for a lovely Christmas lunch.

In recent news, we are proud to share that we have had our accreditation and passed with flying colours! We would like to thank all of the staff, residents and family members alike for their support in achieving this great result.

We hope you have a very merry Christmas, and as always, please come and see us if you would like an update or have any concerns.

Until next year,

Jess and Molly

STAFF MEMBER PROFILE

Beaumont Care Wamuran employee, Wayne, shares some insight about themselves and their role at Beaumont Care.

How long have you worked at Beaumont Care?

Six months

What does your role entail?

Cleaning and Kitchen Hand

What do you enjoy most about your role?

Kitchen hand duties

What do you enjoy most about working at Beaumont Care?

I like working with the catering trolley

What is your dream holiday?

Visiting beautiful islands

What is your favourite food?

Sunday Roasts

What is your favourite colour?

Blue

What are your special interests?

4WD trips and events

Do you have any pets? If so, then tell us a bit about them.

A cat called Layla



Welcome...

On behalf of all the
Beaumont Care family,
we warmly welcome all
new residents, and their
family and friends, to our
facilities.

December BIRTHDAYS

Iris Hevey - 11th

Terry Cowan - 16th

Paul Geertz - 17th

Laurence Buckland - 18th

Colin Thompson - 19th

Ross Smith - 25th

**HAPPY
BIRTHDAY!**



GETTING TO KNOW OUR RESIDENTS



Dorothy Sneddon

Dorothy was born and spent her childhood in Rockhampton, later in life she moved to Melbourne before returning to Queensland in the 90s.

As a child Dorothy enjoyed playing hockey and did ballroom dancing as well. Dorothy didn't study further after school but did work as a message girl, in a cafe, and in a supermarket.

Dorothy has 3 children Alan, Sandra, and Jenny, 5 grandchildren and 3 great grandchildren. Dorothy is most proud of her family life with her late husband Kevin and raising her children.

Dorothy enjoys listen to music, a favourite being Andre Reiu, and loves playing board games such as scrabble. Dorothy has played and would still like to play the piano/keyboard. Dorothy enjoys reading to relax.



LIFE AT BEAUMONT CARE



Lest We Forget — REMEMBRANCE DAY —



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Lunch at "The Place to Be"



It's beginning to look a lot like Christmas



Gentleman Birdwatching



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KIDS CAPERS CHILDCARE VISIT



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The Diamond Dots group at Living Gems over 50s Lifestyle Resort in Caboolture South, have donated 12 framed pictures to our residents



MSU did some cooking the other day, Tash helped the residents and went through the instructions. they covered strawberries in almonds and then dipped in chocolate to make little chocolate pinecones.

THIS MONTH IN HISTORY

December

SYMBOLS OF DECEMBER

- December's birth flower is the narcissus.
- December's birthstones are the turquoise, zircon, and tanzanite.
- The zodiac signs for the month of December are Sagittarius (until December 21) and Capricorn (December 22 onwards).

December is the twelfth and the last month of the year in the Julian and Gregorian calendars. It is also the last of seven months to have a length of 31 days. December got its name from the Latin word *decem* (meaning ten) because it was originally the tenth month of the year in the calendar of Romulus c. 750 BC which began in March.

December 3, 1967 - The first successful heart transplant was performed by Dr. Christiaan Barnard at Cape Town, South African, on Louis Washkansky, who lived for 18 days.

December 5, 1901 - Birthday - Walt Disney (1901-1966) was born in Chicago, Illinois. As a little boy, he liked to draw farm animals and eventually got a job as an artist. He moved to Hollywood and in 1928 produced *Steamboat Willie*, starring Mickey Mouse, in the first cartoon with synchronized sound. In 1937, he released his full length animated film, *Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs*. He opened the Disneyland amusement park in Anaheim, California, in 1955. Five years after his death, Disney World opened in Florida. The company he founded has since grown into a global entertainment empire.

December 7, 1761 - Birthday - Wax modeler Marie Tussaud (1761-1850) was born in Bern, Switzerland. She established Madame Tussaud's waxworks in London in 1802 and later added a Chamber of Horrors.

December 7, 1941 - The U.S. Naval base at Pearl Harbor, Hawaii, was attacked by nearly 200 Japanese aircraft in a raid that lasted just over one hour and left nearly 3,000 Americans dead.

December 8, 1941 - A day after the Japanese attack on Pearl Harbor, the United States and Britain declared war on Japan.

December 8, 1980 - Former Beatle musician John Lennon was assassinated in New York City.

December 10, 1896 - Swedish chemist Alfred Nobel died at San Remo, Italy. His will stipulated that income from his \$9 million estate be used for awards recognizing persons who have made valuable contributions to humanity. Nobel recipients are chosen by a committee of the Norwegian parliament. Prizes for Peace, Physics, Chemistry, Medicine, Literature and Economics are presented annually in a ceremony in Stockholm, Sweden, on the anniversary of his death. Each prize is valued at about \$1 million.

December 11, 1901 - The first transatlantic radio signal was transmitted by Guglielmo Marconi from Cornwall, England, to St. John's, Newfoundland.

December 13, 1642 - New Zealand was discovered by Dutch navigator Abel Tasman of the Dutch East India Company.

December 17, 1903 - After three years of experimentation, Orville and Wilbur Wright achieved the first powered, controlled airplane flights. They made four flights near Kitty Hawk, North Carolina, the longest lasting about a minute.

December 23, 1888 - Dutch painter Vincent van Gogh cut off his left ear during a fit of depression.

December 25, 1899 - Birthday - Film actor Humphrey Bogart (1899-1957) was born in New York City. Best known for *The African Queen*, *The Maltese Falcon*, *Casablanca* and *To Have and Have Not*.

December 27, 1831 - Charles Darwin set out from Plymouth, England, aboard the ship *HMS Beagle* on his five-year global scientific expedition. Darwin collected fossils and studied plants and animals, gradually beginning to doubt that many diverse species of living things had sprung into existence at one moment (creationism). In 1859, he published *On the Origin of Species by Means of Natural Selection*.

December 31, 1879 - Thomas Edison provided the first public demonstration of his electric incandescent lamp at his laboratory in Menlo Park, New Jersey.

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.

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FEEDBACK FORMS

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

PHONE

Wamuran Facility: (07) 5328 1299

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.

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

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

Wamuran Activity Program - December 2023

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday / Sunday
<p>BEAUMONT CARE <i>Warm-Hearted Care, Your Way.</i></p>					
<p>4th</p> <p>9am Beaumont Bocce 10.30am Scenic Bus Trip (MSU) 10.30am Word Game 2pm Poker Card Game</p>	<p>5th</p> <p>9am Exercise Group 10.30am Mini Carpet Bowls 2pm Virtual Quiz</p>	<p>6th</p> <p>9am Physio Garden / Facility Walk 10.30am BUNGO 2pm Coffee Club in the Cafe</p>	<p>7th</p> <p>9am Morning Exercise Group 10.30am Themed Art & Craft 2pm Concert with Di Happy Hour</p>	<p>8th</p> <p>9am Physio Garden / Facility Walk 10.30am Hoy! 2pm Cooking Group 1-1 Social Visits</p>	<p>9th / 10th</p> <p>Saturday 1.30pm Movie in the Theatre Sunday 9am Songs of Praise in the Theatre</p>
<p>11th</p> <p>9am Beaumont Bocce 10.30am Word Game 2pm Ten Pin Bowls Christmas Lights Bus Trip</p>	<p>12th</p> <p>9am Exercise Group 10.30am Card Making 2pm Knit, Crochet, & Natter Group</p>	<p>13th</p> <p>9am Physio Garden / Facility Walk 10.30am BUNGO 2pm Documentary in the Theatre 1-1 Social Visits</p>	<p>14th</p> <p>9am Morning Exercise Group 10.30am Hoy! 2pm Concert with Judy & Owen Happy Hour</p>	<p>15th Hairdresser</p> <p>9am Physio Garden / Facility Walk 10.30am ADA Australia Resident Information Session 2pm Painting in Glasshouse Room Dinner & Christmas Lights Bus Trip</p>	<p>16th / 17th</p> <p>Saturday 1.30pm Movie in the Theatre Sunday 9am Songs of Praise in the Theatre</p>
<p>18th</p> <p>9am Beaumont Bocce 10.30am Word Games 2pm Table Bowls in Glasshouse Room</p>	<p>19th</p> <p>9am Exercise Group 10am Food Focus followed by Resident Meeting in the Dining Room 2pm Poker Game</p>	<p>20th</p> <p>9am Physio Garden / Facility Walk 10.30am BUNGO 2pm Coffee Club in the Cafe</p>	<p>21st</p> <p>9am Morning Exercise Group 10.30am Themed Art & Craft 2pm Christmas Party & Entertainment with Di</p>	<p>22nd</p> <p>9am Physio Garden / Facility Walk 10.30am Hoy! 2pm Cooking Group 1-1 Social Visits</p>	<p>23rd / 24th</p> <p>Saturday 1.30pm Movie in the Theatre Sunday 9am Songs of Praise in the Theatre</p>
<p>25th</p> <p>CHRISTMAS DAY</p>	<p>26th</p> <p>BOXING DAY</p>	<p>27th</p> <p>9am Physio Garden / Facility Walk 10.30am Doc BUNGO in the Theatre 1-1 Social Visits</p>	<p>28th</p> <p>9am Morning Exercise Group 10.30am Themed Art & Crafts 2pm Happy Hour</p>	<p>29th</p> <p>9am Physio Garden / Facility Walk 10.30am Hoy! 2pm Painting in Glasshouse Room</p>	<p>30th / 31st</p> <p>Saturday 1.30pm Movie in the Theatre Sunday 9am Songs of Praise in the Theatre</p>

Please be advised that daily activities are subject to change due to resident preferences and choices, activities yet to be confirmed.