



New staff to Saugeen Valley

We welcome the following staff to Saugeen: McKenzie Reeves- Coburn (PSW), Kaitlin Pietila (PSW), Nathaniel Yee (RPN), Julie George (Laundry), Sarah Mason (Recreation Aide)

We are also very excited to announce that Alyssa Culp is coming back to Saugeen Valley as our new DOC starting June 26th. Please take a moment to say hi and welcome her back. Alyssa is very passionate about leading our nursing team.



Our residents were able to enjoy our annual Holstein Picnic in beautiful Holstein Ontario! We would like to send a big thank you out to all the amazing volunteers and staff from all departments that worked together to make this event so successful! The Ridgeway band was enjoyed by everyone.

If you are interested in joining our volunteer team please contact Sheryl at ex 25.



July Special Events and Entertainment



- Saturday July 1st- Canada Day Ice cream sundaes- 2:15pm
- Sunday July 2nd- Spa Day- 2:15pm
- Monday July 3rd- Making Strawberry Jam- all day!
- Tuesday July 4th- 50/60's party with Lyndsay Morgan- 2:15pm
- Friday July 7th- Garden Party- 2:15pm
- Tuesday July 11th- Music with Peter- 2:15pm
- Wednesday July 12th - Ontario Early Year Centre Visits- 2:15pm
- Friday July 14th- Men's Breakfast- 8:00am
- Sunday July 16th- Monthly Church Service with Charles- 2:15pm
- Tuesday July 18th- Petting Zoo- 1:00pm- 4:00pm
- Saturday July 22nd- Travelogue- 2:15pm
- Sunday July 23rd- Bunny Visits with Oreo- 2:15pm
- Tuesday July 25th- Birthday Party with Mary Anne- 2:15pm
- Friday July 28th- Shopping Outing to Walmart- 9:30am- 3:00pm



Please refer to the calendar for a complete list of recreation opportunities for our residents.

All residents, families, staff and children are encouraged to attend the Petting Zoo special event on Tuesday July 18th from 1:00pm to 4:00pm in the back garden. Everyone is welcome to attend and join in the fun.



If you wish to book a room for a family party this year be sure to call the office at ex 21.

Happy 150th birthday Canada

We hope everyone enjoyed Family fun Canada Day celebration on June 30th!



July 3- Robert Cherry

July 19- Elmer McDougall

July 23- Tina Konings

July 3- Hannah Wood

July 20- Robert Morris

July 24- Marjorie Hockridge

Birthday party with Mary Anne will take place on July 29th at 2:15pm



With sympathy for the loss of:



Bea Brown

You will be missed dearly!

Advocates for Dementia Care

Teepa Snow is an advocate for those living with brain change. It is her personal mission to help families and professionals better understand the effects of dementia, learn and practice effective techniques, and improve care giving outcomes. Her teaching style intergrades facts about the brain and what happens when doing, and reasoning becomes difficult. The positive approach four tiered training philosophy is reflective of Teepa's lifelong journey and fosters progressive growth and understanding.

In Teepa's efforts to create a structured care approach that encourages one to see more than loss in abilities, she created the GEMS GEMS being a choice to become;

Dementia Aware; recognizing what you can do differently to improve care giving outcomes and relationships.

Knowledgeable; An in depth understanding of care techniques that will improve care giving outcomes and relationships

Skilled; The commitment and daily practice of learned care techniques

Competent; The ability to consistently demonstrate a mastery of care techniques and communication

For more information about Teepa Snow, and for additional resources visit www.teepasnow.com.