# Delhi LTC Centre

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## **Celebrating January**

Pub Night Tuesday January 8<sup>th</sup> @ 6:30pm

S.K.I.P visits Wed Janaury 9<sup>th</sup> and Tuesday January 29<sup>th</sup>

Resident Council Monday January 14<sup>th</sup> @ 10:00am

Community Bingo Tuesday January 15<sup>th</sup> @ 7:00pm

Monthly Birthday Party Thursday January 24<sup>th</sup> @ 2:00pm

Walk for Memories Thursday January 31<sup>st</sup> people<u>Care</u> communities

Thank-you to all our Family and Friends who came out and joined us for Annual Christmas Social





## Welcome Home

We welcome Rudy Osaer

## Happy Birthday To All those born in January!

Resident Name Date

Rose Kovacs January 29<sup>th</sup>

January 31st

Flower: Carnation Birthstone: Garnet

### **January Birthdays**

Jim Leroy

In astrology, those born between January 1–19 are Capricorn's Goats. Goats are focused on lofty goals; these hardworking and determined souls will prevail with grit and resilience. Those born between January 20–31 are Water Bearers of Aquarius. Water Bearers are deep-thinking intellectuals, unafraid of exploring outlandish ideas. Their strong sense of community makes them good friends and valuable team members



#### Resident Council:

Next Meeting will be Monday January 14<sup>th</sup> at 10:00am in the Small Dining Room. All Residents are welcome to attend.

Resident Bill of Rights # 11B - Consent to Treatement

Every Resident has the right to give or refuse consent to any treatment, care or services for which their consent is required by law and be informed of consequences of giving or refusing consent

Congratulations to Clarence Winner of this year's Quilt Generously Donated by Donna P



#### Message from the Executive Director

Happy New Year! I cannot believe it is 2019 already. 2018 certainly flew by. The New Year provides an opportunity for new beginnings. December was my first full month at Delhi. What a great time of the year to have that month be! December is always filled with great events and programming (and yummy treats!). The Annual Christmas Social was a lovely afternoon with food, drink, and music. It was great to see all the families and friends visiting the home. It helps to warm hearts during these cold days. It was also a good opportunity to spend some more time getting to know the residents and family members.

#### Winter Weather Reminders

With the winter weather here, please be careful when walking around the property and to clear footwear of snow before entering the halls. There is an increase of risk for slips and falls so be mindful of everyone's safety.

I would also like to stress the importance of proper handwashing to help prevent the spread of illness. If you have any symptoms of illness, please do not visit to help ensure the safety of our Home. Also, if you have been in another Home or hospital that is in outbreak, also follow this direction. Please call the Home if you have any questions or want more information.

Also, if new clothing is brought in for the cold weather, please ensure that you either have staff label items before giving them or ensure that the clothing is bagged and given to staff to be labeled later. This will help with making sure that residents have the clothing returned to them without any confusion or delay. Thank you for your cooperation.

Have a great month!

Danny Pereira

#### **News & Notes**



#### **PURPOSE:**

To integrate elementary and high school aged students with seniors in nursing facilities, senior centres and neighbourhood hubs on a regular basis.

#### **OUR GOAL:**

- Bridge the gap between generations
- To enhance awareness/sensitivity towards the elderly.
- · Promote age friendly communities
- Promote SKIP to develop age friendly communities.

It is the policy of peopleCare that all pets that visit in the Home whether as part of an organized program or to visit a specific resident will complete a Pet Registration Form which will be kept on file in the Home. The form will be updated yearly for the purpose of ensuring up to date pet immunization and contact information.

#### **Animal Owner / Volunteer Responsibility**

The animal owner has the responsibility to ensure that:

- Animals are physically fit prior to visiting people <u>Care</u>
- Animals must be kept on a non-tractable leash / lead to ensure appropriate control throughout the visit
- That the owner / volunteer will remain with the animal at all times
- That the animal is discouraged from jumping, scratching and licking.
- Natural relief for animals is taken into account prior to visiting.
- That volunteer will provide the resident / staff with alcohol hand gel / sanitizer after physical contact with the animal.
- Will provide annual immunization report (rabies)

#### **Animal Visitation Rules**

• Animals visiting the home must be clean and supervised by the owner (on a non-retractable leash, caged at all times and able to show yearly vaccinations (i.e. rabies).

When animals are present in the Home, they are not permitted in the following areas:

- o Food Preparation areas
- Clean utility rooms
- o Dining rooms
- Animals will be permitted in the following areas:
  - Recreation Areas
  - Lounges
  - o Resident rooms
  - o Areas set aside for their use
  - o Halls
- Animals will be allowed in patient rooms only under strictly supervised conditions with expressed verbal consent that they wish to visit with the pet; considering that a roommate does not object and if the residents medical condition does not prohibit it.
- Volunteers will be provided with alcohol based hand gel, which will be given to the residents or staff after physical contact with the pet.
- Pet visitation / therapy will be coordinated with the Recreation / Restorative staff.
- Wild, dangerous, or obviously ill animals are strictly prohibited.

#### Pet Registration

#### Pet Handler Agreement

Please read and sign

As the pet's handler, I understand and agree that:

- . I am responsible for all my pet's actions at all times
- . I shall consider the safety of other people at all times
- On each visit, my pet shall be clean, neatly groomed, parasite-free, healthy and up to date on all vaccinations
- I agree to abide by peopleCare's policies and procedures in regards to pet visits in the home

#### Pet Registration From

Tell us al	oout yourself				
Name:	Da			ate:	
Address:	<del></del>			·	
	Street Address			Apartment/Unit #	
	City		Province	Postal Code	
Phone:		Email:			
Resident N	ame:				
	oout your pet			_	_
Name:					
Breed _		Sex:	Birthday:		
Colour and	Markings		Spayed or Neute	YES ered?	NO
Veterinaria	derinarian Date of last exam:				
Vet Addres	dress: Phone number:				
Rabies Vac	ccine Expiration Date:				
Declarati	on of Behaviour				
Has your pet ever shown signs of aggression towards other animals or people?				YES	NO
ii yes pieas	e describe the circumstances.				
	D	isclaimer and Signature			
I certify tha	nt my answers are true and compl	ete to the best of my knowle	edge.		
Signature:			Date:		

Living the peopleCare Values

## **EXCELLENCE**

**Exceed Expectations** 

Do you do your best work, each and every day?

Strive to be better than the rest

## Friendly Reminder:

Spring Bazaar will be held on Saturday April 13<sup>th</sup> 9:0 am – 11:30am at the Delhi Polish Hall

## **HE**RTbeats

Congratulations to our November Draw Winners!

They have received a \$25 gift card for displaying the peopleCare Values!

Thank you for all you do!



### peopleCare is here for You

peopleCare recognizes that we cannot thrive without the hard work and dedication our employees make every day in our Homes. Please remember all of the programs that peopleCare has to assist you in your personal lives, educational pursuits and Employee Recognition! If you are unfamiliar with any of the following, please speak to your manager:

- Employee Assistance Program
- Education Assistance Program
- HEARTbeats rewards and recognition
   Program