

WINTER 2019

Preparations for the next stage of the new build are now well underway. The site for the new extension was cleared during the first and second weeks of July. Alongside this work, the commencement of the restoration work of the old building is also underway.



The new development will provide 14 new rooms with ensuites. This will enable the transfer of residents from the old building and will allow for completion of the development.



Work is almost completed on the new gardens and the footprint of the first internal courtyard is taking shape. I am pleased to say that the building process, far from being an inconvenience for residents, has proved beneficial and the topic of much conversation. I would also like to acknowledge the Woodview staff who have shown great respect for the residents of Carnarvon.

Special Celebrations

Over the past few years we have had numerous family celebrations at Carnarvon including a wedding, birthday and christening celebrations. In the featured photo is our resident Mrs Mara and her great granddaughter who attended the Deb Ball with the grandson of one of our other residents (Mr Selu).

The new building lounges are ideally suited to family celebrations and are warmly welcomed by arrangement.

Health and Safety

All visitors are reminded to sign the visitor book by reception on arrival. It is a legal requirement that all visitors sign in and out. This is not related to the present work but under fire regulations it is essential that the Fire Warden has up to the minute information on all those in the building in case of emergency.

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Arrivals

We are happy to announce that we will have a Clinical Coordinator starting on the 1st of August. Her name is **Suja Varghese**, she is a level four experienced registered nurse and we can't wait to have her join the team!

Activities

We've had a very busy time over the past months. We had 1950's entertainment from Eddie Hemara, residents from CHT Royal Oak have visited us for morning tea and some of our residents visited CHT Royal Oak for morning tea. There have been many bus trips to sightsee all over Auckland. A big hit was an outing to search for hidden rocks that have a special message written on them. If you turn them over, you can go to "Westie Rocks" on Facebook to see where they are from and where they have been. The good thing about these rocks is that we can keep them or re-hide them on our next bus trip for others to find.



If you have any questions, concerns or compliments, please feel free to contact me.

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