

Welcome Note

A warm welcome to everyone and to our new residents and family members. The clocks have gone back and the nights will be starting to draw in. Hopefully we will still have some nice sunny days through the autumn and into winter. Time to check those winter woollies are available to snuggle into as the days get cooler. Any new items can be brought to our receptionist Katherine for labelling.

Flu vaccines and Covid-19 vaccines will be available shortly. We will keep you up to date with the vaccination schedule.

Foundation Day 2021



Activities and Celebrations

Our activity programme offers a variety of activities, however if there is an activity you would like to see included let our activity co-ordinators know. This year each month has a theme with a celebration meal. In January we celebrated New Zealand with a typical Kiwi barbeque.

February we celebrated Chinese New Year with a Chinese styled meal and in March we celebrated St Patrick's day with Irish stew. Also in March we celebrated CHT Foundation Day where the staff are recognised for their contribution to the facility.

Our regular entertainers continue to entertain each month, however we have a few new groups such as the Te Puke Pipers which are very popular. Te Puke kindergarten children have also paid us a visit. Children and animals are always warmly received.

Our bus trips explore the local area such as Sulphur Point, Papamoa, Matapihi, Pukehina and various parks around the region. Bus trips are always popular with a rotation basis used so everyone can have a turn.

Te Puke Pipers



Improvements and Initiatives

Lift Door



Our VisTab tablet (our signing in system) is proving very successful and the majority of users find it easy to use. It is not only useful should we have to complete contact tracing it also is used in an emergency situation should we have to evacuate the building.

It has been a great relief to have the internal door of our lift replaced. It is much easier to use now. However there will be plans to replace the current lift in the refurbishment of the facility.

The Autumn/Winter menu has been commenced. We welcome any feedback about the meals.

Resident Stories

Rod came to the CHT Glynavon family in July 2017. In a past life Rod was a teacher, headmaster, entertainer in a theatrical company and a magician. Rod says he likes being at CHT Glynavon because everybody is very friendly here. Rod keeps himself busy by attending the activity programme each day and reads extensively. He has been known to read to the group of residents attending the activity programme adding funny voices to the story. He also likes to go out for a walk to the local diary, weather permitting. Rod can still conjure up the occasional magic trick.

Rod Stewart



We are still in the planning stage of the redevelopment but once the plans have been finalised we will be able to share them with you all.

Please bring any concerns you may have to our attention as soon as possible so that we can address them in a timely manner.

We hope that you all have a healthy and safe winter and that we keep our residents safe and well. Please remember to stay away if you are unwell to reduce the risk of passing it onto our residents. Thank you.

Best Wishes
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