



# “IN THE KNOW” NEWSLETTER

Dear Family & Friends,

Well, Mother Nature has kept her promise bringing us into winter. The first snowfall seems to catch many drivers off guard and makes walking a little difficult. Please remember to slow down.

We have our Remembrance Day service coming up on Nov.10<sup>th</sup>. Father DJ will be officiating the service at 4pm. We ask all veterans to wear their attire to the service, so they can be recognized and honored. Any family wishing to attend are welcomed. Please wear your mask while in common areas.

We have some changes to our recreation department. Unfortunately, Liana has moved away and has taken a new position. Our new recreation gals are Geri and Ludimayla. We will continue to do our best in the rec department to keep them busy and entertained.

Christmas decorating will begin toward the middle of November. We will try keep the recreation calendar on schedule. Anyone wishing to come in and help the residents decorate, you are more than welcome to do so.

The Lloydminster Learning Council has a pen pal program set up with one of their local classes. Anyone wishing to take part, please submit your name and address to the rec staff. We will then forward your information to the program.

For the safety of our residents and staff, starting immediately, we will be locking the front door at 4 pm each day. For entering the building after 4pm, please ring the doorbell.

Thank you to the families for bringing in costumes for the Halloween Party. We had a great time. Thanks to Bev Skotheim for taking pictures.

Thank you to Petite Ecole for coming in and visiting the residents. They were so cute all dressed up in their costumes. The residents really enjoyed their company.

Thank you to Syd & Ed from Alberta (Syd is Louise Wick's brother H1) for stopping in and entertaining us. They did a fabulous job.

Have a safe and enjoyable November

GSV Recreation Team

## Upcoming Entertainment

**November 3** Entertainment with the “Job Mates”

**November 9** Music and Dance with our friend Wes Stubbs

**Nov 14** Singing with Florette

**Nov 17** The Mama's

**November 22** Entertainment with Rick Martin

**Nov 26** The Wastonaires

## Church Services

Nov.1 New Hope Community Church

Nov.8 Messiah Lutheran with Dennis Serfas

Nov. 10 Father DJ Remembrance Day Service

Nov. 16 Salvation Army

Nov.21 St. George's Anglican Church

Nov. 25 Catholic Mass

Please check the calendar of events for times.

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November Birthday celebration will be held on Nov.18<sup>th</sup>. Come on out and help wonderful people celebrate:

**Ethel Duffield Nov. 4**

**Jenny Lake Nov. 4**

**Mike Fedinuw Nov.11**

**Stan Turner Nov.19**

**Laurence Desmarais Nov.24**

**Evelyn Goertzen Nov. 29**

**PROGRESSIVE BINGO CARDS ARE AVAILABLE FROM THE CANTEN CART. Don't miss out!**

## HELLO'S & GOOD BYES

It is with sincere sadness, we say good bye to Karl Sterzer. Karl was resident of Good Shepherd for the past 7 years. Karl will missed by all. He was a softspoken sincere man and an AllStar athlete. Condolences to his family.

We would like to welcome Patricia Hannah, House 3 to Good Shepherd. We hope you enjoy your new home. Your future friends, look forward to your company.

### In Flanders' Fields

In Flanders' fields the poppies blow  
Between the crosses, row on row,  
That mark our place; and in the sky  
The larks, still bravely singing, fly  
Scarce heard amid the guns below.

We are the dead. Short days ago  
We lived, felt dawn, saw sunset glow,  
Loved, and were loved, and now we lie  
In Flanders' fields.

Take up our quarrel with the foe:  
To you from failing hands we throw  
The torch, be yours to hold it high.  
If ye break faith with us who die  
We shall not sleep, though poppies grow  
In Flanders' fields.

Major John McCrae, 1915

