

St Joseph's House Connections January/ Feb 2024

HAPPY
New Year



Hello Residents, Families and Friends!

Happy new year to you all

We hope you all enjoyed your time over Christmas and look forward to hearing what you did and the celebrations you had with your loved ones.

Well it is 2024, we hope we go into this year a little better than the world we left in 2023.

We hope this year there is more peace, happiness, love and Kindness.

What is your new years resolution?

I know mine will be to concentrate more on the special people in my life, to see them more and talk to them on the phone, not just text.

To travel more and see things I haven't seen before.

I have changed the Newsletter up a little this year, Let me know what you think. Please feel free to let us know if there is anything you wish me to add or take out.

We hope you have enjoyed the events over the past few months, concerts, Melbourne cup,

Memorial Service and Christmas festivities. We have enjoyed spending those celebrations with you.

Activities for 2024, please let me know if there is any particular activity you would like to do or any events you would like to celebrate . I love hearing your ideas and putting them into practice, so please do not hesitate to bring them forward.

We will continue the consumer resident meetings in to 2024 and am pleased you feel they are running well for you. You will find 2024 meeting dates on page 11, along with the library delivery dates. Any resident wishing to have library books delivered please see one of the lifestyle Girls who will set this up for you.

Thank you to everyone who participated in our Christmas Raffle.

*And the
Winners
are...*

1st Prize winner (\$250.00 Moonta Bay accommodation voucher)

2nd Prize winner (\$100.00 Caputo Voucher)

3rd Prize Winner (\$80.00 Alex's Butcher Voucher)

We thank Caputo's for contributing to the voucher, it is very much appreciated.

Keep Safe!

Marra , Kerry and Sarina

We say Goodbye

Sadly we say goodbye to

- Margaret Jackson
- Maria Debari

To their family and friends - May you find strength in the love of family and in the warm embrace of friends.

Caring for your loved one was our privilege.

Next Resident meeting

**JANUARY
16TH 2024**

**FEBRUARY
20TH 2024**

Welcome to

A very warm welcome to:

- Melba Gutte
- Pauline Willis
- Andy Bennett
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We hope that you enjoy your time here!

Hair Dresser

We have a hairdresser who attends every Monday.

If you would like an appointment please Contact Allison direct on 0408335002

Library Service

We have a mobile library service that delivers & picks up library books / audio books to reception. If you would like this service, please talk to lifestyle.

Congratulations

CHRISTMAS RAFFLE WINNERS

- 1ST** REBECCA THOMPSON
2ND MAUREEN GALE
3RD LOLA NESS

Mass

Mass is conducted each Wednesday morning upstairs St Marks
Ecumenical services are conducted each month on the 3rd Monday in St Marks up

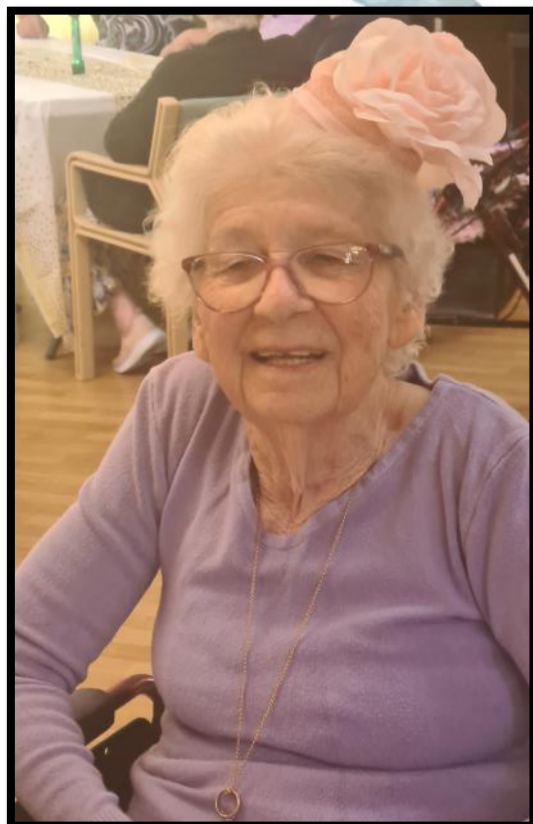
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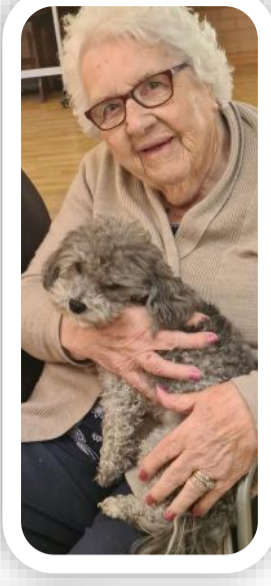
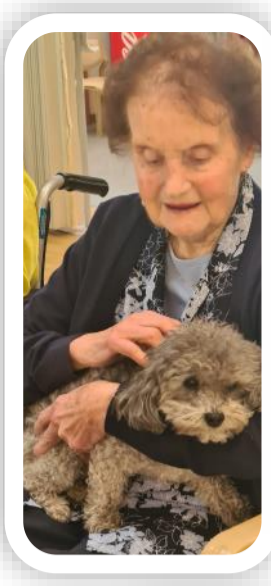
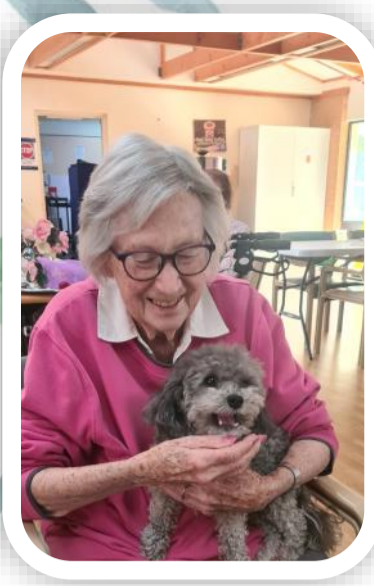
**OUR CURRENT
VISITING HOURS ARE
MONDAY TO FRIDAY
11AM TO 5PM
WEEKENDS
1PM TO 4PM
OUT OF HOURS BY
APPOINTMENT**



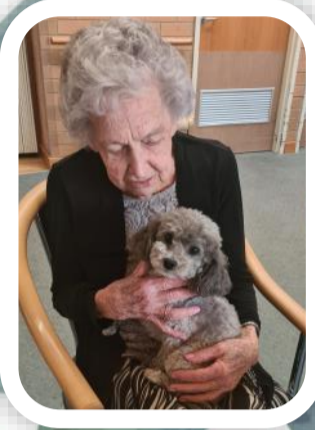


Melbourne Cup

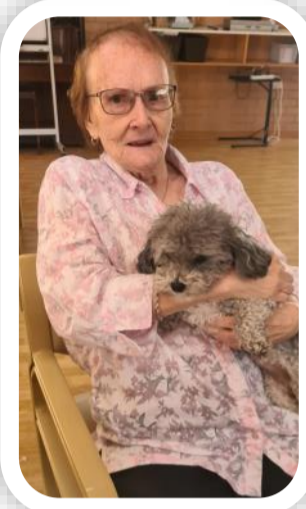




dogs leave
paw prints
on your heart



Cooper



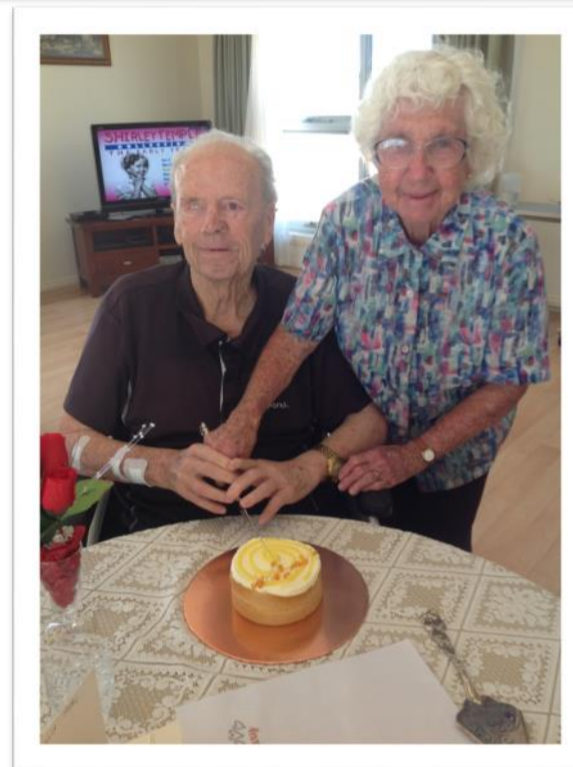
concert from Garret Lyon
(talented Principal performer)



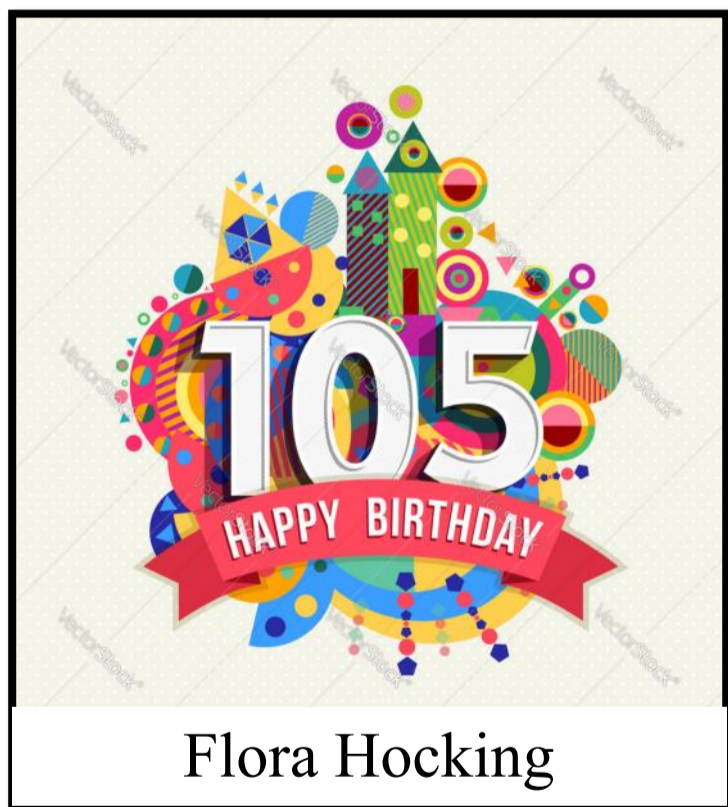
Hit Productions / musical play called
The Sunshine Club around Australia.
It is an Indigenous production
filled with jazz and swing.



Ron and Patty 70 Years



January/February Birthdays



Flora Hocking



January Birthdays

- Frederick Campbell
- Jack Gregory
- Trevor Halse
- Margaret Johns
- Joan Robinson
- Dorothy Slaven

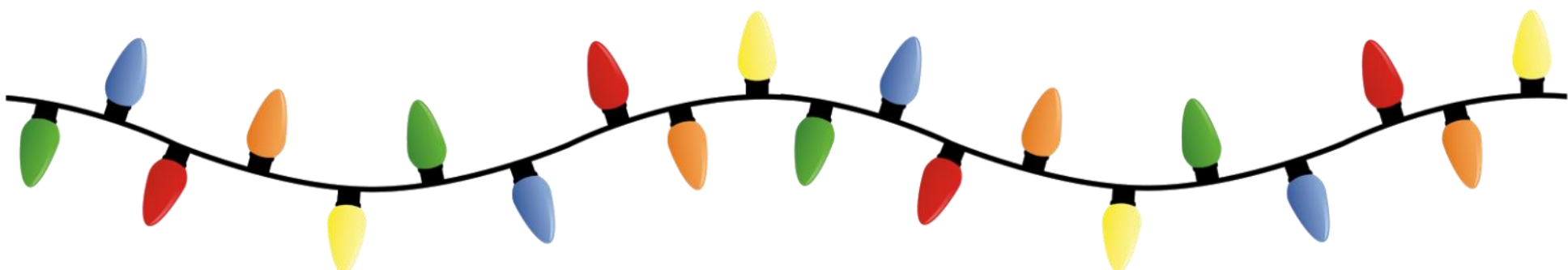
February Birthdays

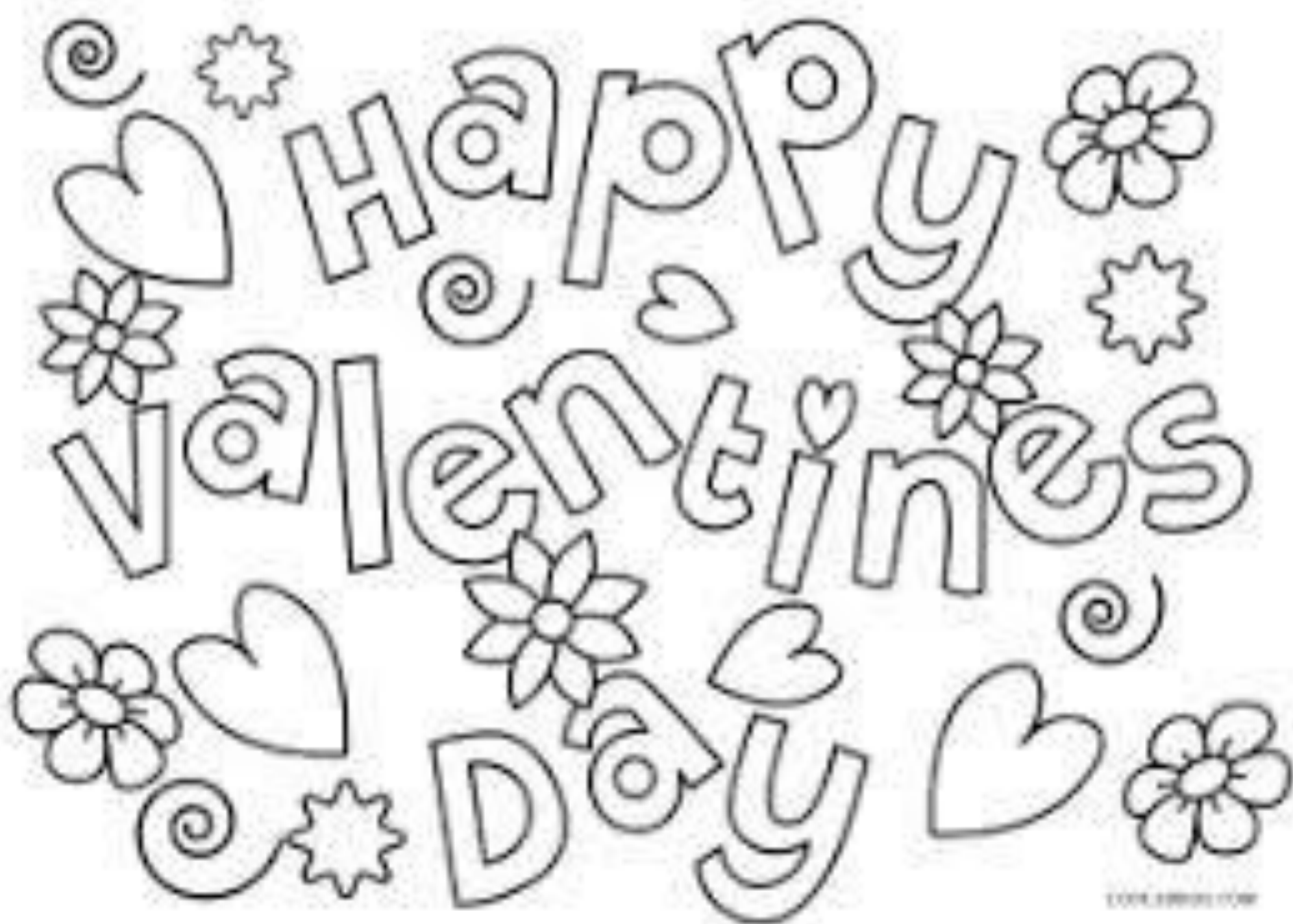
- Margaret Dite
- Beryl Hoffman
- Vonnie Parks
- Lynette Phillips
- Brian Rutgers
- Don Sanders





Sing Australia





Supporting you to understand and exercise your aged care rights

OPAN can help. Call us today.

1800 700 600



The latest Government advice. Aged Care homes must have our own risk management strategies – ours include:

- we will only implement masks if there is a high community risk or a positive case of covid (RSM to decide this)
- To maintain the 1.5m as required we advise 2 visitors in the room at a time
- We ask for visitors to limit movement around the facility where possible
RAT screen every second day

GOVERNMENT ADVICE

Advice for visitors

To enter a residential aged care home

Residential aged care homes may have strict procedures for visitors to follow, in line with the directions of their state or territory government.

When you visit a residential aged care home you may need to:

- be screened before entering, including taking a RAT test
- wash your hands before entering and when leaving a resident's room
- stay 1.5 meters away from residents, where possible
- wear a mask
- Stay home when unwell

Do not visit a residential aged care home if you:

- have tested positive to COVID-19 in the past 7 days
- have been in contact with someone confirmed to have COVID-19 in the past 7 days
are unwell, including with a fever or symptoms of acute respiratory illness (such as a cough, sore throat, runny nose, shortness of breath).

Visitor requirements while at a residential aged care home:

Visitors must:

- supervise any accompanying children
- practice good hand hygiene
- comply with directions given by staff
- follow any other requirements put in place by the residential aged care home.

Feedback and Complaints Process

St Joseph's House supports the rights of Consumers and their representatives to provide compliments, feedback, concerns or to make a complaint.

If you wish to provide feedback or make a complaint please feel free to approach a senior staff member:

- Sharon Ley, Residential Services Manager
- Therese Johnson, Clinical Nurse Consultant
- Marra Pearn, Resident Liaison Officer

If you wish to provide written feedback please feel free to:

- Email us admin@stjosephshouse.net.au
- Complete a Feedback Form available from various locations around the facility and place it in one of the feedback boxes.

Once received, the Quality Coordinator will make a record of lodgement and the feedback or complaint is assessed for response and follow up by a senior staff member.



Australian Government
Aged Care Quality and Safety Commission

Engage
Empower
Safeguard

The Aged Care Quality and Safety Commission can be contacted on
1800 951 822

In need of an advocate?

aras
aged rights advocacy service inc.

1800 700 600



Resident committee

- January 16th
- February 20th
- March 19th
- April 23rd
- May 21st
- June 18th
- July 23rd
- August 20th
- September 17th
- October 27th
- November 19th
- No meeting in December



Please Book in with Allison Directly on
0408335002

Allison's Hair

2024 Price List

Men's Hair Cut	\$15.00 to \$25.00
Ladies Cut Only	\$25.00
Ladies Cut and Blow dry	\$35.00
Hair Set or Blow Wave	\$30.00
Wash Cut Blow dry or set	\$40.00
Cut/ Colour blow dry or set	\$80 to \$100
Colour Cut Foils	\$90.00 to \$100.00

**PORT PIRIE REGIONAL
» LIBRARY**



Library Deliveries For 2024

- January 10th and 24th
- February 7th and 21st
- March 6th and 20th
- April 3rd and 17th
- May 1st and 29th
- June 12th and 26th
- July 10th and 24th
- August 7th and 21st
- September 4th and 18th
- October 2nd, 16th and 30th
- November 13th and 27th
- December 11th





HAPPY NEW YEAR



Wordsearch

Search for the words going up, down, left and right.

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A	Z	N	A	G	A	V	A	R	T	X	E	I	Q	I
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CELEBRATION

COUNTDOWN

EXTRAVAGANZA

FIREWORKS

GATHERING

INVITATION

JANUARY

MIDNIGHT

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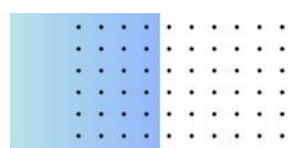
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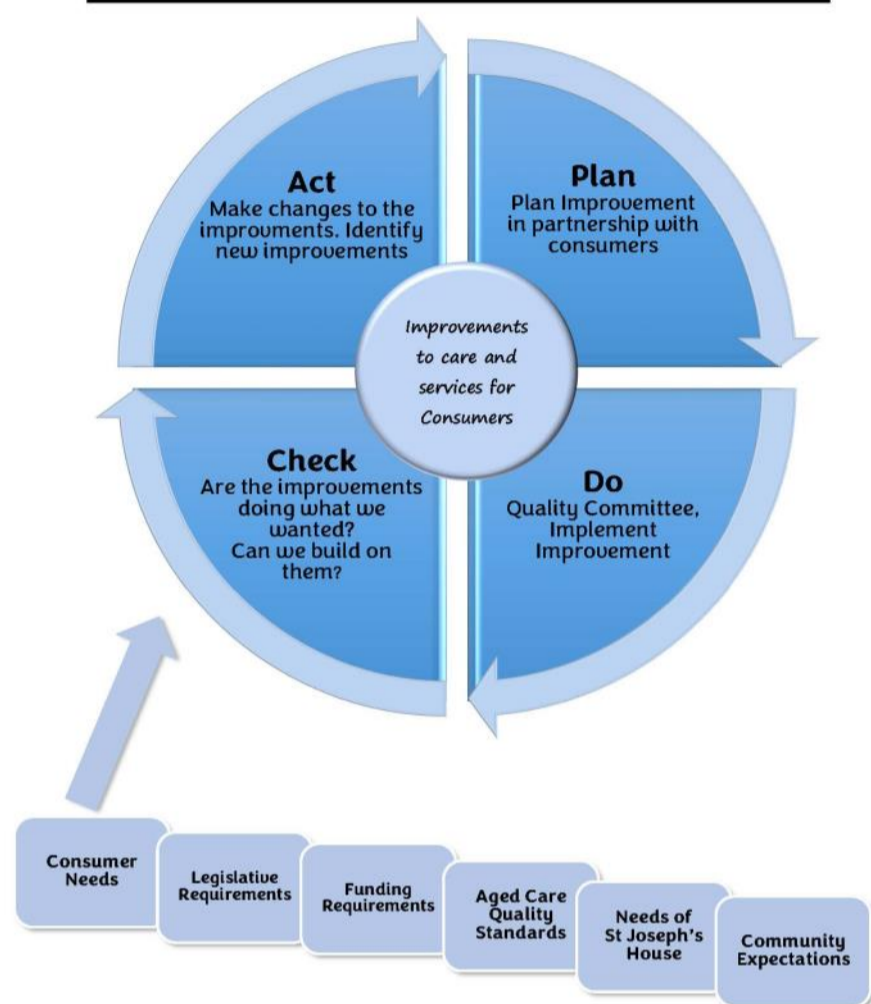
TRADITION



Continuous Quality Improvements



CONTINUOUS QUALITY IMPROVEMENT CYCLE



Continuous improvement is a core part of the governance framework at St Joseph's House.

All continuous improvements that are implemented are for the purpose of improving the care and services that everyone at St Joseph's House receives.

There are a few ways we capture suggestions for improvement from you:

- Feedback and Complaints
- The Consumer Advisory Committee (Resident Meeting)
- Surveys you choose to participate in

We love to hear about how we can make improvements to your home and your lives while living here.

Please take the opportunity to give us your feedback, all of it becomes part of making sure St Joseph's House is a place that is designed for your needs.

Laundry Information

Hi everyone

Just a reminder as we come in to the new year and we have new residents, if clothing has not been labelled, ask staff to place your clothing in a bag with your name on it so it does not get lost.

If you have missed placed clothing please fill in a lost clothing form in your area and we will do our best to locate it as soon as possible.

Happy new year everyone

Lucy, Annette, Tayla and Toni



Catering information

Hi Everyone

By law we are now required to have a food safety officer on site every shift. Food safety officers are Alley, Terry and Toni.

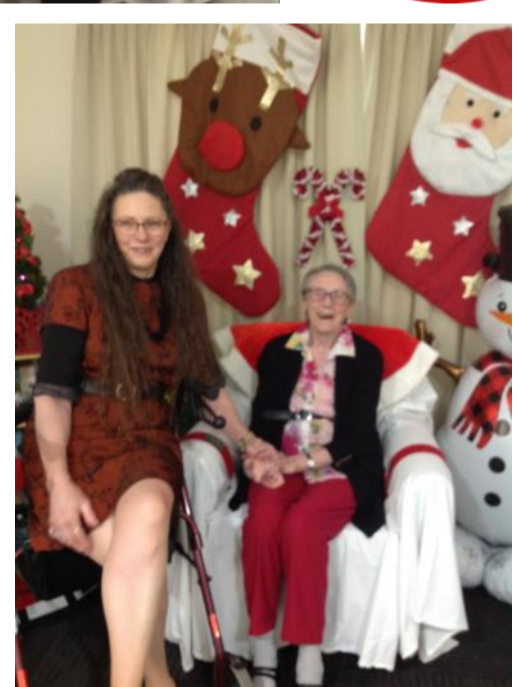
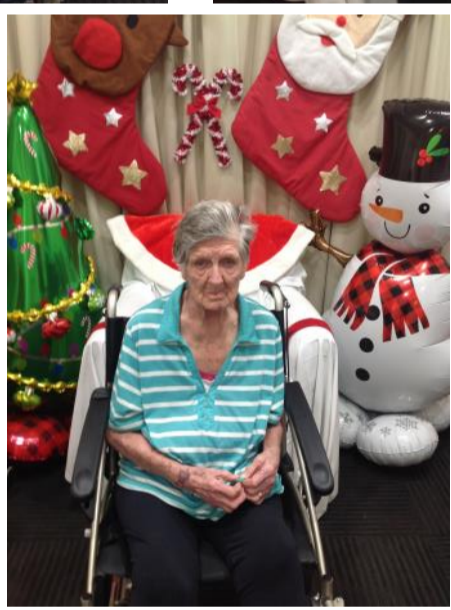
The Girls are currently finishing off their education for this.

Our next food safety Audit by the council will be in February, we will inform you of the outcome of that audit when we receive the report.

Thank you

Ally, Terri, Toni, Wendy, Denise, Tayla, Veronica, Sydney, Leanne and Lil







Merry Christmas



January 2024

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
1  Public Holiday	2 10:30am exercises & socializing outdoors 130pm Bingo	3 9am Hairdresser 1030am Mass 130pm Nail care	4 1030am chair exercises 130pm sing a long with Les Rich	5 10:30am Activity area for choice of social Activities 130pm Bowls	6 Activity Packs supplied for your weekend leisure	7 9am golden oldies trax FM Songs of praise 11:30 am ABC 7pm reading local paper
8 Hairdresser 1030am Nail Care Outside Hair dresser 130pm Derek Sing a long	9 10:30am exercises outdoors 1:30pm Sing a long with Daryl and Sue	10 1030am Mass 130pm Bingo	11 1030am Chair Exercises 130pm Men's group	12 10:30am Activity area for choice of social Activities 130pm Bowls	13 Activity Packs supplied for your weekend leisure	14 9am golden oldies trax FM Songs of praise 11:30 am ABC 7pm reading local paper
15 Hairdresser 1030am Nail Care Outside Hair dresser 130pm Nail Care continues	16 10:30am Consumer Feedback Meeting 130pm Bingo	17 1030am Mass 130pm Café Visit	18 1030am Chair Exercises 130pm Painting / drawing/ coloring	19 10:30am Activity area for choice of social Activities 130pm Bowls	20 Activity Packs supplied for your weekend leisure	21 9am golden oldies trax FM Songs of praise 11:30 am ABC 7pm reading local paper
22 Hairdresser 10:30 Nail Care and socializing 130pm Nail Care continues	23 10:30am exercises & socializing outdoors 130pm Bingo	24 1030am Mass 130pm Birthday celebrations	25 1030am Chair Exercises 130pm Australia Day afternoon tea Music with 'Just Us'	26  Public Holiday	27 Activity Packs supplied for your weekend leisure	28 9am golden oldies trax FM Songs of praise 11:30 am ABC 7pm reading local paper
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