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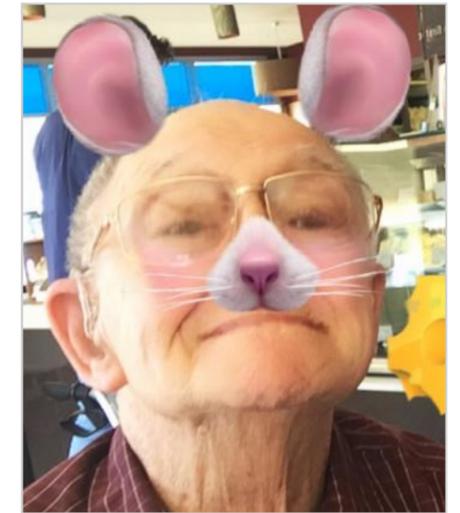
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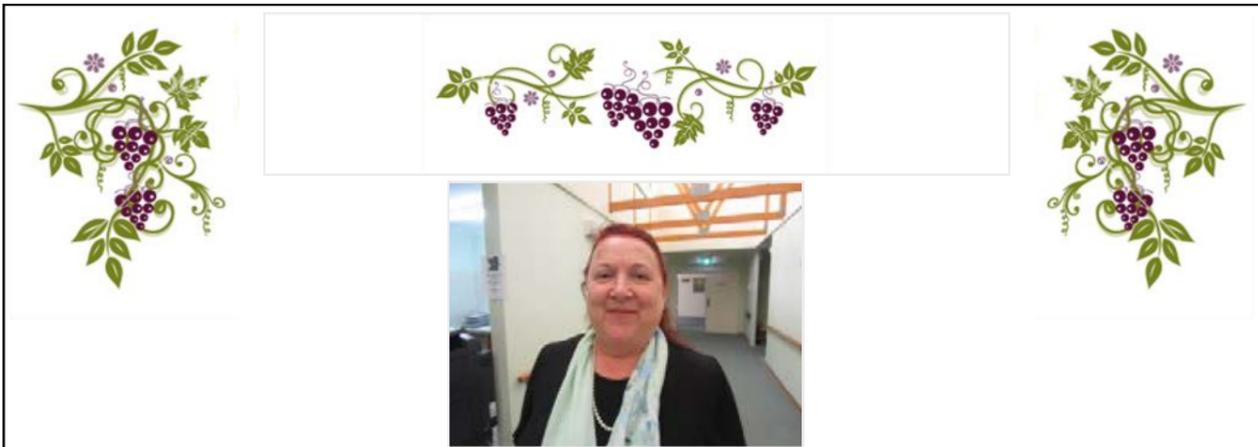
GUS EVANS



FR LAURIE



REX NETTLE



Dear Residents and Families,

A big thank you to the residents and staff re our state wide power failure. Everyone worked together to keep everyone safe. We succeeded. A full review of how we managed has been conducted and we have looked at what we can learn from the power failure, to be more informed in the future.

There had been some care complaints and so a range of actions were put in place that appear to be successful including a roster skill mix review.

Wishing you a happy Melbourne Cup function.

Warm regards

Darylin
Area General Manager



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Madeline Merino



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Aged Care Complaints Commissioner

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RESIDENT & FAMILY MEETING

WEDNESDAY
23RD NOVEMBER

ST CLARE UPSTAIRS

LAST MEETING FOR THE YEAR



“I came to St Joseph’s early March this year. My son and grandson come to visit almost every day.

I’ve tried to work out who’s who with the staff but they all wear pony tails. They all look the same to me. They treat us all very good.

I don’t have a preference with choosing an activity I like the most. They’re all OK.

I don’t have anything else to say except that I’m happy living here.”

Beryl Carragher

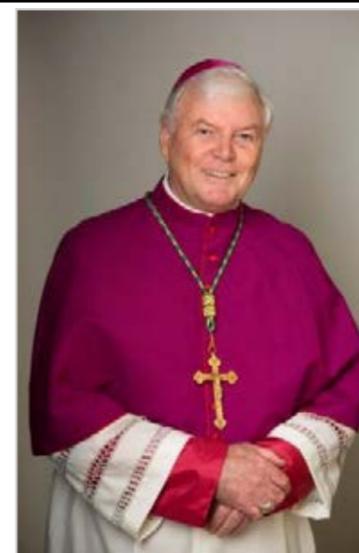
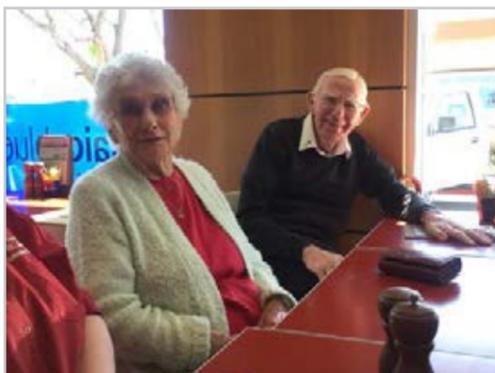
SYMPATHY

We Offer our deepest sympathy to the family and friends of the late:

Raymond Robinson

May He Rest in Peace

RESIDENT FRIDGES
A gentle reminder to families to please clean out your resident’s fridge weekly, to have food dated and labelled and to defrost regularly. They are a family responsibility. Your assistance with this matter is much appreciated.



Dear Mrs Cowling

Would you please convey to the staff at St Joseph's House and Star of the Sea my pride in them and my congratulations for the work they undertook recently when both places were affected by severe weather.

I know that staff who were off duty came back to the Homes in order to help out with the extra work required because of the power failure. The lifts were not operating and the work of the kitchen was crucial to keep the residents well cared for.

It is that generosity of heart that helps give both St Joseph and Star of the Sea a special community sense that so many visitors comment on. The degree of satisfaction engendered by the staff of our two Homes is a matter of great satisfaction for the diocese.

We are being Christian people for the elderly and frail, for people somewhat on the edges, and your goodness has responded to their vulnerability.

On behalf of the diocese, thank you.

Sincerely yours

Bishop Greg O'Kelly SJ
Diocese of Port Pirie

ANSWERS TO: QUIZZES

1: The answer is C and Y

2: It's TRUE. The Roman Numeral FOUR (IV) is in the middle of the word FIVE: F(IV)E

3: The answer is Charcoal.

ANSWERS TO: SPOT THE DIFFERENCE

- 1: One less drop from champagne cork.**
- 2: Cup gains handle.**
- 3: Flower missing.**
- 4: Black flag.**
- 5: Jockey's shadow longer.**
- 6: Fence post railing appears.**
- 7: Betting slip on ground moves.**
- 8: Horse's tail changes.**
- 9: Stripe on Jockey's cap.**
- 10: Bird moves.**

BUS TRIP TO BOWMAN'S PARK

LIBRARY
 Mobile Library
 Wednesday fortnightly
 Please see lifestyle if
 You wish to join.

MASS
 In house Mass
 Conducted each
 Wednesday at 10:30am
 Upstairs at St Marks

ADVANCED CARE DIRECTIVES
 Advanced Care Directives for all Care Recipients is still underway by the Registered Nursing Staff so you can look forward to one of them contacting you.

COMPLIMENT AND COMPLAINT PROCESS
 St Joseph's House supports the rights of Care Recipients and their Advocates to share compliments, feedback, concerns or to make a complaint.
 If you wish to make a comment or complaint please feel free to approach any senior staff member or contact Darylin Cowling (AGM) or Marra Pearn (Resident Liaison Officer)
 If you wish to lodge a formal complaint please complete a "Comments & Complaints" form which is available from the Reception foyer and place it in an envelope for delivery to Administration.
 Once the form is completed the CQI Co-ordinator will make a record of lodgement and the suggestion or concern is then followed through until resolution is achieved.



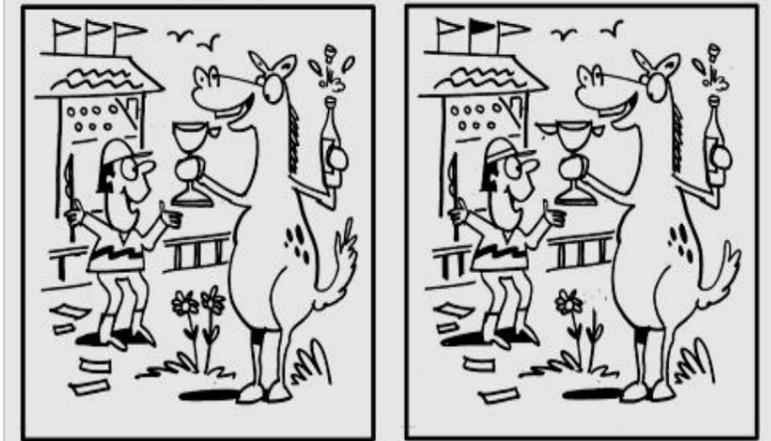
BRAIN TEASERS

MELBOURNE CUP WORD SEARCH



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| ARCHER | VA |
| BALLAST | MARE |
| BAUER | MASTER |
| BEST BET | OREILLY |
| CARBINE | ODDS |
| C'EST LA | PHAR LAP |
| GUERRE | PRIZE MONEY |
| CLASSIC HATS | QUINELLA |
| COLT | RACE |
| CROP | RAILS |
| CUP | REINS |
| DERBY | STEWARD |
| DRY | STRAPPER |
| EFFICIENT | SYNDICATE |
| FORM | TAB |
| GALLOP | TRACK |
| GELDING | VIEWED |
| HEAD | VIGOR |
| HORSESHOES | YEARLING |
| IMPORTS | YELLOW |
| JOCKEY | ROSE |

Racing spot the difference



THERE ARE 10 DIFFERENCES BETWEEN THE TWO CARTOONS

- The word **CANDY** can be spelled by using just 2 letters.
 Can you figure out how?
- FOUR** is **HALF** of **FIVE**.
 Is this statement True or False?
- What is black when you buy it from the shop, red when you use it, and grey when you throw it away?

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HOSPITALITY NEWS:

November already, and what a busy month it will be. Melbourne Cup, Remembrance Day and Memorial Day; Next stop Christmas.

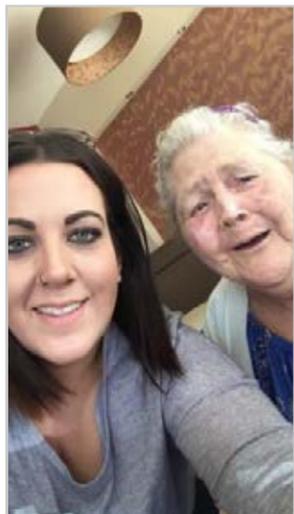
We have made some adjustments to our rosters in catering, in our continuing quest for improvement, particularly in the presentation of the evening meal. I hope you are seeing an improvement in our service and that the tea time meal is warmer and fresher looking. Stay tuned for more new ideas in the future.

The ladies in the laundry have started a card filing system to help with labelling and tracking down lost clothing, the lost clothing tables also seem to have helped in this.

Did you have the cup winner and why didn't you tell me?

Cheers

Philip



UPCOMING EVENTS

FORTIES PLUS MOTORCYCLE CLUB YOGA WITH JOY
 ARTS & CRAFTS EXERCISES WITH CLIVE
 BINGO BIRTHDAY CELEBRATIONS
 PORT GERMEIN FELLOWSHIP
 MELBOURNE CUP CELEBRATIONS
 REMEMBRANCE DAY

PAMPURR ROOM WITH CECILIA:



SING ALONG WITH RAELENE:





ARTS & CRAFTS:



LIFESTYLE:

Lifestyle information:



Hi all

Well I cant quite work out which season we are in beautiful one day cold the next.

We have had a busy month starting with the grand final Sydney against the Bulldogs with the Bulldogs taking the cup. The ladies have been doing some lovely craft with Judy, and the lolly trolley is still a hit, don't forget the Op Shop is open each Friday afternoon.

Our bus trip to Bowmans park was a little chilly but a good day. Big thank you to Rex for all his help with cooking the BBQ. Much laughter was had as I tried to teach him to snapchat. Other residents also had a play with snapchat at the café visit you can see the photos on the front page.

We thank all our entertainers for their precious time and we all enjoy what they bring to the home.

The volunteers and myself are working on some changes to next years activities, so if you have any favourite things you would like to do or change some things please let Marra know.

Coming up in Nov we have the Melbourne cup, we have a luncheon on, don't forget to get your sweeps from lifestyle.

Prizes for the best dressed male and female and prize for best hat/bow

We have our service on Remembrance Day

Our memorial service for our residents who have left us over the past year is on the 16th.

Port Germein Fellowship will be in to play for us,

The 40s plus Motorcycles group will be here for a BBQ on the 19th note it will be a late lunch that day at 1pm.

Well we look forward to some nice weather

Take care and Much Love

Lifestyle and Volunteers



JOKE CORNER:

#1 On The Money

I backed a horse last week at ten to one. It came in at quarter past four.

#2 Empty Pocket

How do you make a small fortune out of horses? Start with a large fortune.

#3 The Bad Time

I bought a horse. In its first race it went out 25 to 1. The only problem is that all the other horses left at 12:30.

#4 The Bed-time story

My horse came in so late the jockey was wearing pyjamas.



There was a preacher who was trying to sell his horse. A man stopped by to see how the horse rode. The preacher told the man that instead of saying, "walk", say, "praise the Lord," and instead of saying, "whoa," say, "amen." So the man got on the horse and said, "praise the Lord," and the horse started to walk. The man then said, "praise the Lord," again and the horse started to trot. He said it a few more times, then the horse started galloping. Suddenly a cliff appeared. The man yelled "Whoa!". The horse didn't stop. He tried yelling all sorts of things, and he tried to pull the horse up, but it wouldn't stop. Then suddenly he remembered what to say. The man said, "amen." The horse stopped right before they fell off. The man was so relieved that he put his hand on his forehead and then said, "Praise the Lord."

A man was sitting quietly reading his paper one morning, peacefully enjoying himself, when his wife sneaks up behind him and whacks him on the back of his head with a huge frying pan.

MAN: "What was that for?"

WIFE: "What was that piece of paper in your pants pocket with the name Marylou written on it?"

MAN: "Oh honey, remember two weeks ago when I went to the horse races?"

Marylou was the name of one of the horses I bet on." The wife looked all satisfied, apologises, and goes off to work around the house. Three days later he is once again sitting in his chair reading and she repeats the frying pan swatting.

MAN: "What in the world was that for this time?"

WIFE: "Your horse called."