Dinsdale Personal Care Home



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Resident Council Minutes

Date: March 18th, 2019, 9:30 am

Attendance: 27 Residents, Rhonda Burnett, (Acting Manager of Recreation), Maria Patterson, (Recreation) Sherri Pearce, (Acting Manager of Nutrition Services), Rob Yule (Manager of Support Services), Tunji Olasunkanmi, (Chaplain), Steve Todd (Executive Director).

- **1.0 Call to Order**: The meeting was called to order at 9:34 am.
- **2.0 Agenda** The Agenda was accepted with no additions.
- 3.0 Review of Minutes Minutes of January.16th 2019 were read by Rhonda.
 Moved by Dennis and seconded by Gloria that the minutes be adopted as read.

4.0 Upcoming Events:

- 4.1 March 18th Daffodil Sales 10-12pm
- 4.2 March.18th Ukulele Students @6pm
- 4.3 March.19th Burger Lunch
- 4.4 March.20th Shopping @ Shoppers Mall
- 4.5 March.22nd St.Patricks Day Party Lions Country Entertain 2pm
- 4.6 March.25th Trip to the Winter Fair
- 4.7 March.26th Birthday Party Music and Dancers
- 4.8 March.27th Out for Lunch and Bus Ride

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5.0 Old Business

- **5.1 I-Pads** are now in full operation they are alternating between floors.
- **5.2 Saturday Programs** Are in full swing programs are ran from 9:30am until 11:30.
- **5.3** Maintenance department has cleaned and vacuumed all vents in resident's rooms and hallways.

6.0 New Business

- 6.1 Rhonda has been contacted from a fella from CNIB regarding a program which is called cycling without age. This organization takes the elderly and less abled citizens out for bike rides in a specialized bicycle called a trishaw. We will be looking further into this. I feel it would be a great opportunity for our residents here at Dinsdale. My understanding is that the bike is free of charge. Will get in contact with him and hopefully he can come in and give us more information and a demonstration.
- 6.2 Recreation is looking at getting ahold of Brandon School of Dance to hopefully have some students come to perform at Dinsdale on a Sat.
- **6.3** Manitoba Standards will be at Dinsdale Wed April.3rd.
- **6.4** Steve has been in contact with Cando regarding rail ties being donated for our rail ties for our raised flower beds, if he does not hear back, we

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will have maintenance go out and buy the supplies and they will build them.

- 6.5 Brandon Sun subscription is up, and renewal is due. The total for a year's subscription is 171.26. Residents were made aware and voted to subscribe for another year. Motion made by Dennis to continue subscription and it was seconded by Wanda Meadows. Rhonda will have Cathy Williams pay Brandon Sun.
- 6.6 Ashley's Clothing Sale will be here at Dinsdale Friday, May. 10th from 2-4.
- **6.7** Our bus is up and operating again. It needed two batteries.
- **6.8** Resident and family surveys are at the front desk and at each of the nursing units. Please ask your family to help you fill on out if you require assistance.
- **7.0 Round Table/Cares and Concerns-** Dennis D complained his bed was acting up. Rob will look at this. Rob stated it may just be a dud.
 - 7.1 Norah has a concern about the sidewalk. Steve informed her that it is also a concern of his and he has written a few letters to the mayor regarding this.
 - **7.2** Sherri asked if the food was being served hot with the use of the new serving wells. All the residents said yes and were happy with same.
 - **7.3** Leon brought up how he would like to have someone who could play whisk and bridge. Rhonda will look at getting a volunteer in.

Next Meeting Date/Location—April 17th ,2019 at 9:30 am

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8.0 Welcome New Residents - David Pasowysty

9.0 Adjournment: 9:56 am

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