

Dinsdale Personal Care Home

Giving Hope Today

April 2021



A Monthly Insight into Life @ Dinsdale Personal Care Home

Dinsdale Buzz



From Langley Blaine Recreation Lead

Hi Residents, Staff & Family,

The past year has been challenging to say the least but through it all the Recreation department's main focus has been the well-being of our residents. We couldn't do group activities for a long time until very recently. However, we continue to focus on engaging each resident in ways specific to them. As restrictions continue to ease, we look forward to more activities in small groups. It is our priority to see that everyone's voice is heard and every need is met. We appreciate all feedback from residents and their loved ones. The Recreation department continues to bring new ideas to the home and we are all looking forward to Spring and Summer. The sunshine and fresh air will be welcomed by all.

Sincerely,

Langley Blaine

About Dinsdale Personal Care

Dinsdale Personal Care Home is a Long-Term Care facility in Brandon Manitoba owned and operated by The Salvation Army. The present facility was officially opened in October 4, 1985 and named in memory of the late George Dinsdale and Honourable Walter Dinsdale, both of whom were life long Salvationists.



Upcoming Events

April 1st Easter Celebrations

April 2nd Good Friday

April 4th Easter Sunday

April 6th Chess/Cribbage Afternoon

April 8th DPCH Tuck Shop

April 15th Chocolate Fondue

April 21st Resident Council Meeting

April 27th DPCH Tuck Shop

April 29th Perler Beads Craft

April 30th IceCream Sundaes

WE NEED YOU FRIENDS AND FAMILY OF DPCH!!

Help us by donating perreniols/annuals or gardening supplies to DPCH by May 7^{th} 2021.

Our sale will take place May 12th from 10am-5pm in the side garden.

Treats and refreshments will be for sale!! Along with a silent auction.

All funds will go towards Resident Council.

Rich Kent's Monthly Joke

Did you hear about the mathematician who's afraid of negative numbers? He'll stop at nothing to avoid them.



April Babies >>>



Happy Birthday to our April Babies!

Angeline Brown April 7th

Betty Town April 19th

Lynne Wittwer April 20th

Gordon Hunter April 25th

Gloria Parkolub April 30th

Alma Stowe, The Cat Lover!

Alma was born May 9th in Miniota, Manitoba. Unfortunately when Alma was fifteen months old she lost her mother due to complications after surgery. She misses her mother dearly. Alma and her family grew up on a farm. Alma spent her childhood helping on the farm along with her five siblings.

Alma later moved on and got married to Ed, who she later had kids with. Alma and Ed together had six kids. Alma enjoyed spending time with her kids, knitting or looking after the farm animals. Alma loves all animals but especially cats. You will

often see Alma holding her cat Daisy who she loves dearly.

Alma's advice to others is to "live a good happy life and enjoy it with good friends and good family."

> Everyone meet Dinsdale's Alma Stowe 🚱

