

TABOR MANOR



Tabor Times

July 2014

FROM THE DIRECTOR

We had a wonderful day for our annual Heritage Day, it started off a little cloudy and cool but as soon as the sun came out it was glorious. It was nice to see so many children enjoying the bouncy castle, face painting and pony rides. I know our residents and tenants enjoy watching the children have fun. The corn eating race was a new event this year; hopefully we will have an opportunity to challenge Carl again next year. Thank you to all our volunteers for your contribution to the success of the day, we couldn't have done it without you.

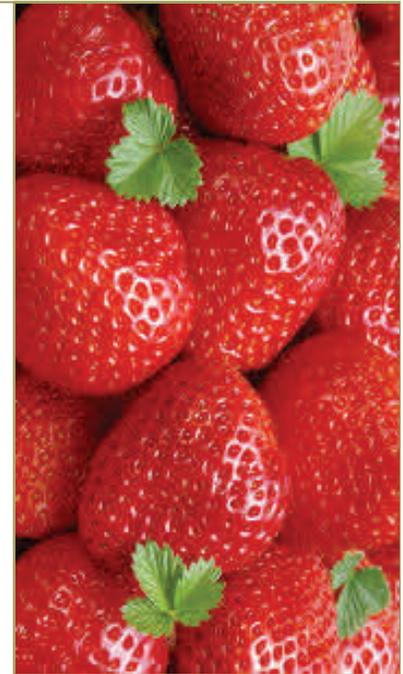
We have hired Deepa Kurian as our Nutrition Manager. Deepa comes to us with over eight years' experience in long term care Nutrition Management. When you see Deepa give her a warm Tabor welcome.

We have also hired Waldo Pauls as our part time chaplain. Waldo comes to us with over 35 years of pastoral ministry experience. Waldo's primary focus will be providing chaplaincy services to our tenant group. Don Middlemiss will continue to serve our residents. Please join me in welcoming Waldo to our Tabor family.

Please remember to assist the residents with the application of sun screen when going outside. The sun screen is located at all nurse's stations, on the top shelf in the café area and at the Welcome Desk.

July is the month we say "Happy Birthday Canada". We are blessed to live in such a great country and I truly consider it a privilege to call myself a Canadian. Whether you choose to go on a picnic, have a BBQ or just enjoy the fireworks, I wish you and your family a wonderful time as you celebrate Canada Day.

Christine Leonard, Director



CELEBRATIONS

Henry Abrahams - July 4
Elfrieda Budarick - July 21
Donna Cook - July 11
George Epp - July 28
Helmi Falk - July 22
Ivy Keir - July 14
Viola Kennedy - July 15
Isabel Wilkenson - July 16

SPECIAL DATES

July 1 - Canada Day
July 18 - Watermelon Feast
July 21 - Hat Day
July 28 - Movie Night
August 1 - Peach Social



HERITAGE DAY

Wow! Heritage Day this year was another FANTASTIC event! The weather was spectacular, the food was great and, well, you just couldn't beat the company!

Two things happen every year:

1. My job gets easier and easier with the help of so many staff, volunteers & family.
2. The bar gets raised to make next year even better!

Thank-you to everyone who came out to enjoy the day. Please mark your calendars for Father's Day Saturday 2015!

DO MORE OF WHAT MAKES YOU HAPPY

MONTESSORI UPDATES

Tabor Manor continues towards implementing the Montessori Philosophy of care through our home.

We have seen a lot of success through various activities and kits that staff have created. We are blessed to have received some donations that are being used in various areas. You will notice that we have a bassinette on second floor and a high chair on fourth floor to assist in our Doll Therapy program. Residents are engaging in many meaningful activities that provide them with enjoyment and satisfaction.

Through our regular team meetings, we continue to develop plans to better serve our residents. We will soon be implementing a trial in the dining room with damp face cloths for residents to wash with, as well as provide various roles and "jobs" for a few residents (folding, passing out the cloths, etc).

We are still very interested in developing some office areas on a couple of floors. If you could please keep an eye out for items we require for this, it would be greatly appreciated!

If you have any questions about Montessori or how you can help, please contact:

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