

TABOR MANOR



Tabor Times

March 2014

FROM THE DIRECTOR

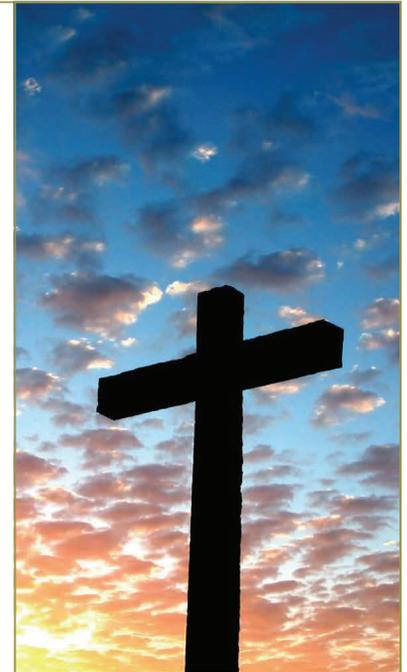
It's hard to believe that we have reached the half way mark of our first year in the new home! As expected we have experienced many firsts and have a few more to go. One of the firsts we experienced in the recent past is our first "Outbreak". Due to both the hard work of our staff and the cooperation of residents and visitors, the outbreak only lasted for 1 week. Thank you to all the staff for diligently following the necessary protocol and ensuring a quick end to the outbreak.

We have also received notice from the Ministry of Health and Long Term Care that our Case Mix Index (CMI) has increased. The CMI determines the funding available for the nursing budget and therefore we are **happy** to announce an increase to our staffing levels in the nursing department. We will increase the number of Personal Support Worker hours on the night and evening shifts and the Registered Practical Nurses hours on evening shift.

We were also blessed to receive specific education funding to be used by March 31st. With this funding, we were able to send a group of 9 staff to attend Montessori training at the beginning of February. We will be sending 12 more staff to the Montessori training in March. This is a philosophy of care that we are adopting at Tabor that will help to serve our residents at the level of excellence we have come to expect here. Our first Montessori team meeting was held on February 21st. We looked at what we are currently doing and brain stormed about what we would like to do in the future. This is such an exciting opportunity to come together as an interdisciplinary team to develop the best possible environment for our residents. Please stay tuned for more updates and information as we continue learning and growing with Montessori Methods.

As always I am thankful for your ongoing support.

Christine Leonard, Director



CELEBRATIONS

Rose Cassidy - March 5
Anne Dueck - March 5
Florence Heier - March 6
Katharina Willms - March 10
Geraldine Lewis - March 11
Edith Himes - March 28
Olive Hochevar - March 29
Marcia Smith - March 31

Birthday Party

March 18



OLYMPIC FEVER

For me, the winter Olympics is one of the most exciting world events there is! The combination of magnificent athletes and patriotic pride is a recipe for excitement. I actually felt that it was my duty to get up early and cheer our teams on to victory!

Here at Tabor, we were very involved in the Olympics. We learned about athletes and about the host country. We competed in a variety of various events like hockey shootout and Olympic relay.

We watched with anticipation as our athletes performed at world class levels and prayed every day for the safety of all competing, their families and everyone involved in carrying out the Sochi 2014 Games.

Thank-you to all the staff and residents who participated in bringing the Olympics right here to our home, and I already look forward to the next Olympic Games!

~Megan



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