

# TABOR MANOR



## Tabor Times

August 2015

I hope you are enjoying the summer days as much as I am. The sunshine, beautiful flowers, trees and flowering shrubs are delightful. I wish we could put some of these gorgeous days in storage and pull them out in January, February and March.

We have recently had our annual Resident Quality Inspection from the Ministry of Health and Long Term Care. We should receive the written report within the next three weeks. I will share more detail once we have received the official report. I would like to take this opportunity to thank the staff for providing excellent care for our residents. The Ministry inspectors had positive comments on what wonderful staff we have and how the staff love the residents they serve, so thank you to our staff.

I would also like to introduce the newest member to our management team, Penny Zdichavsky, Nutrition Manager. Penny comes to us with many years of experience in dietary management and truly has a resident focus. Please join me in welcoming Penny to Tabor Manor.

We continue to focus on the “Montessori Way” implementation in the home. We hope to offer Montessori training for staff sometime in the fall. If you would like to learn more about the Montessori Philosophy of care please contact Sherri Davis, Therapeutic Recreation Manager/ Coordinator of Volunteers.

Thank you,

Christine Leonard

### **WE REMEMBER...**

Kathleen McCauley

Margaret Thiessen

### **WE WELCOME...**

Ruth Miedema

### **WE CELEBRATE THE AUGUST BIRTHDAYS OF...**

Eugenia Jankiwsky—3rd

Lillian Sachvie—5th

Maria Klemen—10th

Hans Marthol—11th

Doris Thompson—16th

Mabel Barnard—17th

Johanne Jensen—24th

Peter Peters—25th

Elvera Thiessen—30th

### **RESIDENTS' COUNCIL MEETING**

Wednesday August 5th  
at 10:00

In the Great Room

## MONTESSORI MOMENT

The Montessori Method of care considers that each person benefits from having a meaningful role in their community. Pictured below is a resident who calls the numbers for the very popular weekend Bingo game, allowing a staff member to assist residents requiring an extra helping hand. This is just one example of how we may engage residents to be active in their community!



Have you noticed the mailbox just outside of the Tuck Shop? Feel free to drop your outgoing mail here for daily pickup!

Need a stamp? They are available for purchase in the Tuck Shop along with many other treats!

Check us out!

Reminder—

the Tuck shop will be closed Saturday afternoons in August.

## Corn on the Cob Social

Friday August the 21st  
In the courtyard



## Taking the Time to Remember



The *Time of Remembrance* has been very well received within our Home and we thank everyone for supporting and engaging in this meaningful time. We would now like to introduce

our rose of remembrance. As a means of communication, after a resident has been called to their heavenly home, a rose will be placed at their seat in the dining room until after the Time of Remembrance.

*"The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want."*

Psalm 23

Please help us to welcome our New Nutrition Manager, Penny Zdichavsky! Penny has a passion for good food, is resident focused and has excellent knowledge and experience in long term

care. In her short time here Penny has already sourced local fresh raspberries and ensured that resident diets are able to enjoy the take out picnic lunches! Welcome Penny!

