



**DIGNITY FOCUS**



Each month we focus on a different aspect of dignity within all of our homes;

At Kathryn Court our dignity champions are **Nicollette** and **Primrose**.

**JANUARY** – Zero tolerance of all forms of abuse

**FEBRUARY** – Ensuring residents feel able to make complaints and take swift action

**MARCH** – Enabling each resident to enjoy the company of others

# Kathryn Court Newsletter



DIGNITY IN CARE – DIGNITY FOR ALL



## DIGNITY ACTION DAY 2016

**Monday 1<sup>st</sup> February**

Come and join us for:-

🌸 Pampering 10am – 11.30am



🌸 Chinese lunch 12.30 – 1.30pm



Dignity is a core value and at the heart, mind and action of everything we do here at Kathryn Court, but this day is to continue to uphold our resident's rights to dignity and provide a memorable day for our residents and the families who use our service.

**COME AND JOIN US AND HELP PROMOTE DIGNITY IN CARE – WE CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE!!**

• **DIARY DATES – ALL WELCOME**

- 22<sup>nd</sup> Jan – Cream tea 2pm
- 25<sup>th</sup> Jan – Relatives meeting (6pm)



- 1st Feb – Dignity day (Please let us know if you will attend)
- 8<sup>th</sup> Feb – Chinese New year activities
- 9<sup>th</sup> Feb – Pancake day
- 12<sup>th</sup> Feb – Fresh flower arranging (10am)
- 16<sup>th</sup> Feb – Lifespan entertainer (10.30-11.30)
- 17<sup>th</sup> Feb – Coffee and cake morning (10am)
- 22<sup>nd</sup> Feb – Residents meeting

- 5<sup>th</sup> Mar – Mother's day cream tea (£5 a person) 3pm onwards
- 16<sup>th</sup> Mar – St Patricks Day celebrations
- 16<sup>th</sup> Mar – Ladies Lunch at local restaurant
- 25<sup>th</sup> Mar – Coffee morning with Hot cross buns
- 26<sup>th</sup> Mar – Easter egg hunt and raffle
- 28<sup>th</sup> Mar - Residents meeting





I would like to take the opportunity to wish you all a Happy New Year and welcome new families we have had recently and remind you that I have an open door policy so feel free to pop in and have a chat at any time- No appointment necessary.

In December we received a R.O.S.E award for service excellence, so Thank you to you all for your continued support.

Donna Winterborne  
Home Manager

## MANAGERS SURGERY



We have an open door policy for you to chat with the manager regarding any queries or issues you may have. Alternatively if you would like to make an appointment please do not hesitate to pop in to the office or call us on 01702 292800



### Personal Allowance

Please remember to keep an eye on personal allowance monies for things such as the hairdresser, chiropodist or outings (e.g to the shop, restaurants).

Cheques to be made payable to **Runwood homes**

Please see Michelle (Administrator) to discuss current finances or to pay money in.

### Hairdressing / Foot health practitioner

Hairdresser – Carole is our in house hairdresser who opens her parlor every Wednesday and Thursday.

She offers a wide range of treatments starting from £7.00

Foot health practitioner – Sue visits on a regular basis to help keep toe nails trimmed and healthy. Please speak to a CTM for further information.

£15.00 a visit.



### Laundry

Please can you make sure all clothes are labelled with a name and room number so they do not get mis-placed.

We can label clothing for £10 (up to 100 items)

Please do not bring in lamb's wool jumpers or cardigans as they shrink in our tumble drier.

Thankyou

Kerry

Housekeeper

### KEYWORKER SYSTEM

At Kathryn court we operate a keyworker system; each resident is allocated a member of staff who will:-

- 🌻 Assist in personal care (Hair, nails, baths etc..)
- 🌻 Ensure you have sufficient toiletries
- 🌻 Ensure your wardrobe and drawers are tidy
- 🌻 Review your care 3 monthly

Please speak to a CTM if you are unsure who your keyworker is

## Recent Events



*Christmas Day 2015 - Was enjoyed by residents, relatives and staff.*

*Residents opened their gifts, sang Carols and enjoyed a hearty Christmas lunch*



### DONATIONS NEEDED

DO YOU HAVE ANY UNOPENED TOILETRIES SETS / UNWANTED GIFTS WHICH WE CAN PUT TO USE?

PLEASE SEE DONNA SELBY

