# Tanunda Lutheran Home Inc. Tanunda Lutheran Home Inc.

Photo Location: Homburg Real Estate, Tanunda

### Message from the Chaplain — Ian Lutze

Home, Sweet Home



When I returned from my holidays just recently, it struck me just a little bit that all the residents in the care facility are on holidays too. TLH felt a bit like an old school camp, except much more 'splish'. Everybody with their own private 'dorm'. Good food provided in a communal setting. A bit of mischief to be made after the lights go out. Protection from the snorers. Staff looking a little harried, hoping to avoid accidents on the new day. The 'dignity of risk' concept itself feels like an idea picked up from the world of school camps.

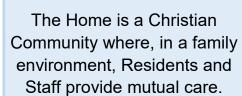
Perhaps a few of our residents do see TLH as a holiday destination, before the penny drops that this is the place you check in to but never check out -a kind of Hotel California.

It is a fairly powerful human drive, however, to use one's imagination to make meaning of one's setting. So some people see TLH as being God's Waiting Room. Not really a home, but a place of preparation for one's real and ultimate home. A place to get one's faith in tip top shape, and work through any bad thoughts and attitudes that have sort of clung on along the way.

Other people feel when they arrive that this is very much going to be their home, and they are determined to be at home as much as possible. There are residents from Tanunda who readily feel at home because they are still living in Tanunda. Bit of a challenge for those crossing over from Nuri! Others feel at home because their families and children live very close by. One of our residents, from the Riverland, feeling quite a long way from home, would open his windows and switch the air conditioner off on a 40 degree day, so that he felt like he was still living in his shack near the Murray. He loved the heat! The heat made him feel at home.

TLH of course exists, and all staff come to work every day, to help people feel at home where they've had no option other than to leave their previous home. Some people make the transition without a hitch. Others struggle. But skilled and empathetic staff give everybody a chance, and most make it quite effectively. Home is where your heart is after all. And we do everything to try to make this place good for the heart.

Blessings for your year, and in particular your home-making!



Jesus Christ said:

"Love one another as I have loved you"

John 13:34

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DEATHS Our deepest sympathy to the families of

Lily Lil Kernich John Hahn Adríenne Míckan Lorraíne Príce Dorothy 'Elinor' Graetz 23rd January Heather Beare Raymond 'Ray' Giersch 27th January Murray Andretzke

5th January 11th January 12th January 20th January 24th January 30th January

May they rest in peace ...

# **FEBRUARY BIRTHDAY** CELEBRATIONS

- 4th Elizabeth Linke
- 6th Betty Kohlhagen
- 14th Raymond Neldner
- 23rd Errol Weiss
- 23rd Rex Mickan
- 23rd Ian Hausler
- 26th Valda Fechner
- 27th **Rosemary Berg**

What did the chef give to his wife on Valentine's Day?

A hug and a quiche.

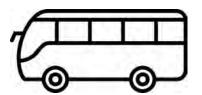
# MARCH TIT TAT

The deadline for all : News/Information/ Stories is Monday 26th February 2024.

Email: kasey.welch@tlhome.com.au

# SHOPPING BUS

Wednesday 7th February Wednesday 14th February Wednesday 21st February Wednesday 28th February



The Bus will pick IL Residents up from their home

- ONLY if you have booked -

TLH (in home) residents must be at reception by 9am and must book.

Do you enjoy reading our monthly TitTat? If so, tell us why and what you like about it, or give us some feedback to improve! Please fill out a Share Your Experience form available in our monthly TitTat, at reception and in multiple areas around the home. You can hand your forms back into reception or slip into the black boxes located around the home. Thankyou!

# FROM THE CEO

# Lee Martin



As I sit pondering what to write, it is 40 degrees outside – I think summer has finally arrived. Please ensure you all look after yourselves during the heat of the day. Stay is side, keep your curtains closed and the air-conditioner going. Drink lots and keep in touch with your family so they know you're doing OK.

Happy Australia Day 2024. May you all celebrate the day and reflect on the history of our great Nation. We are the lucky country – we have many advantages that other don't have. I would like to thank the Lifestyle team for arranging the wonderful display setup in the Protea area.

Well, the changes are starting to come more rapidly. The draft Aged Care Act will ensure all residents in the aged care facility will receive the best care and your individual wishes will be prioritized by staff. Please ensure if there are any questions regarding the Aged Care Act, feel free to seek answers. The new Standards are also coming – eight Standards are being introduced. All those working in the aged care sector are monitoring the outcomes of the new wording to ensure clinical care and governance outcomes are met. Over the coming months, staff and board members will receive training to ensure everyone is aware of their responsibilities and held accountable to actions taken.

It is nice to be able to again confirm that as an organisation we remain fully compliant with the current Standards and also remain a financially viable organisation. I would like to acknowledge everyone involvement in making our organisation one to be very proud of. We are known throughout the aged care sector as an innovative organisation and our care is well above average – we attain a 4-star rating which is pretty good for a NFP stand-a-lone Christian organisation in a regional area.

We can once again breathe a little easier as we have no COVID affected residents in the Home. We have done well to contain the outbreaks as we have. Shortly, another vaccine will be available for residents to choose to receive. Please keep in touch, the Clinical staff will ensure you are notified when it's available.

All our current projects are taking shape. The Nuriootpa Retirement Village is growing – stage three is underway. The planning for the Angaston Retirement Village is nearing completion. Refurbishment of units of the Tanunda Retirement Living is ongoing with the sale of the land at Luther Court nearing settlement. The TRL community center and refurbished Barossa Club area is nearing completion – I'm sure all will enjoy the new environments.

May the Southern Cross guide you to amazing adventures and may the spirit of Australia fill your heart with pride. Happy Australia Day!









Sharon Berridge - Executive Care Manager



Lisa Morrison - Clinical Nurse Consultant

# **Belinda Treloar - Customer Service, Volunteer and Leisure Coordinator**

# **HOME UPDATES:**

We currently have several services which come onto the TLH site to see residents for Hearing, Optometry and Dental care.

Current clients of Ron Kendall (Tanunda) and Bloom Hearing (Nuriootpa) – local Barossa services can be seen at TLH by arrangement, these visits are usually arranged by the audiologist.

Hearing Matters of Gawler are also willing to come on site for our residents if they are new clients from TLH. Blackforest Optometry come on site for eye checks when requested they need a minimum of 5 clients before they will come out. Please see Lisa Morrison for further details.

Australian Dental Foundation come out every 6 months for existing clients, anyone wanting a Dental check-up on site, please see Lisa Morrison CNC to be added to the list – a consent form is required.

# **COMPLIMENTS, COMPLAINTS AND SUGGESTIONS**

During January, TLH received compliments about Care (o), Food & Beverages (2), Lifestyle (0), Maintenance (0), Management & Communication (1) Wellbeing (o) and Other (4).

During January, we received complaints about Care (1), Food & Beverages (3), Lifestyle (0), Maintenance (0), Management & Communication, Wellbeing (1) and Other (0) and a total of (6) Suggestions.

We value this feedback and thank you for taking the time to communicate your thoughts, opinions and experiences with us.







# FOR SALE - \$500 cash

Tilt-in-Space Soft Wheelchair with Mid Wheels. It can be tilted and reclined into various positions to assist with pressure distribution, correct posture and maximum comfort. Wheelchair was purchased in 2017.

Please contact Amanda Havelberg for more details - 0408 807 407



#### HOLLYWOOD

Do you have a suggestion for the next movie display in our Hollywood Hallway? Please let us know at reception or fill out a Share Your Experience form. We can't wait to hear your ideas!



**OCTOBER 2023** 

Sean Hyland

# LIFESTYLE COORDINATOR





# **NOVEMBER 2023**

Julian Soriano



PHARMACIST

# **DECEMBER 2023**

Angela Reimann PERSONAL CARE WORKER





Our robot project continues to gain momentum. Further details of the development of a planned documentary will be released in the near future. This will be a film on how robots, technology and artificial intelligence can work together to assist those who are elderly and in aged care. All our robots continue to assist the staff in performing back-of-house tasks efficiently and safely. In February, we hope to introduce a new social robot called Abi – I'm sure you'll enjoy what she'll be able to do. Some more research will occur during February – please assist if you can.





Clara Mwoyounotsva

**Registered Nurse** 



**Easir Alamin** Personal Care Worker





Saurabh Gyawali Enrolled Nurse



Sukhman Arora Personal Care Worker

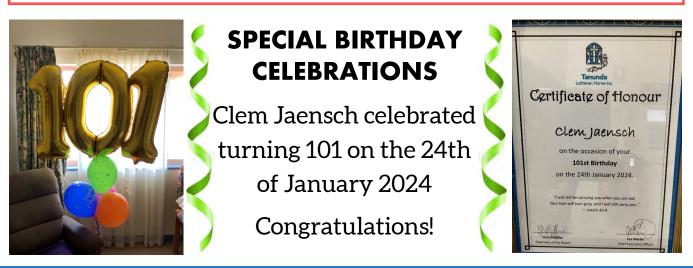


Zoe Cowan

Catering



GET CREATIVE - Start a colouring in, do a puzzle or write a poem SOCIALISE - Call a friend or family member, join in on a group activity or post a letter to someone GET SOME EXERCISE - Go for a walk or sit outside, focus on some deep breathing exercises or move your hands to the beat of a song SELF-CARE - Read a book, get a good night sleep or take time to do something you enjoy



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# **WHAT'S HAPPENING IN FEBRUARY**

# **RESIDENTS MEETINGS** THURSDAY 8TH OF FEBRUARY 1.30PM IN THE CHAPEL ALL FAMILIES ARE WELCOME TO JOIN US



To book an appointment with Belinda Treloar you can contact the Executive Assistant by Email: britany.mickan@tlhome.com.au\_or

Ph: 8563 7733

You can also contact The Aged Care Quality & Safety Commissioner on 1800 951 822 or National Aged Care Advocacy Line on 1800 700 600 - if you prefer not to raise your concerns with management.



Please return this form to the Customer Service Coordinator at Tanunda Lutheran Home via any of the drop boxes located through-out the home or drop of at reception, alternatively you can post to Tanunda Lutheran Home

# We welcome feedback

This form gives you the opportunity to "Share Your Experience" about the service Tanunda Lutheran Home provides.

We value all your feedback (both positive and negative) as it assists us, as we strive for best practice.

This form may be filled in by anyone: residents, relatives, Independent living residents, CHSP clients, friends or staff. Please feel free to ask staff to assist you to complete the form if required. There will be no reprisal in connection with comments. The Manager will acknowledge receipt of this form and after any necessary investigations and consultation you will be informed of the results either in person or by letter if you have indicated All the comments are forwarded to Belinda Treloar (Customer Service Coordinator) who coordinates the comment process and will ensure the correct person is notified of your comment.

You can contact Belinda directly via email at belinda.treloar@TLhome.com.au

# Share Your Experience





Enriching the lives of our older people

Attn: Customer Service Coordinator 27 Bridge Street TANUNDA SA 5352

Follow Up: Yes/ No N/A 3 Months 6 Months 9 Months Other:
CI Required? Yes/No Was the outcome satisfactory: Closure Date:
Phone Letter Email In Person Newsletter Comment forwarded to Department Leader:
Date Received: CCS Log No: # Comment Maker Acknowledged: Yes/No
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If you have provided your details but wish remain anonymous please tick the box
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# **VOLUNTEER NEWS**

Belinda Treloar; Customer Service, Volunteer & Leisure Coordinator



# **VOLUNTEERING AT TLH**

If you would like to become a volunteer at TLH, please either send me an email at <u>belinda.treloar@tlhome.com.au</u> or you can call reception.

# Happy Birthday



To all our wonderful volunteers for the month of February Many happy returns.

# **CAN YOU HELP?**

We are currently seeking volunteers for the following vacancies.

\* Café Helpers – Basic Kitchen Tasks \* Barossa Club Connections \* Pampering in ABGO

If you feel that you have some spare time each week and want to make a difference, please contact me.

The numbers have been tallied and the results are in. A big CONGRATULATIONS to all our amazing volunteers. Between you all 8,243 hours were contributed during 2023. I believe this is close to a TLH record. During this month, I will try and make contact with the volunteer groups and make a time to catch up with you all. Please continue to check your emails for communication from the home, especially with Covid updates. If you are ever unsure if you can come in, please either email or call me. Kasey is also a wealth of knowledge and is probably able to answer most of your questions. As always I look forward to seeing you all around the home.

Have an amazing February – Belinda





### Do you have Social Media?

Head over to Facebook and like <u>Tanunda Lutheran Home</u> You can also follow us on Instagram <u>tanundalutheranhome</u>



# **RESIDENTIAL ACTIVITIES ABGO**

ABGO have enjoyed another month filled with fun and laughter.

Our residents we able to relax with some pampering, enjoy some pats with Mika and challenge their bodies and minds with activities.







# AUSTRALIA DAY



We are one But we are many And from all the lands on earth we come We'll share a dream And sing with one voice

I am, you are, we are Australian



# **RESIDENTIAL ACTIVITIES**



This month, the residents have been able to enjoy the beautiful sunshine and get outside. In between watching the Tour Down Under, the cricket and the tennis, the residents were able to engage in programs such as happy hour, pick a box, rap ball, Paro the Seal visits, and knit & natters.

















# CHSP CLIENTS - COMMONWEALTH HOME SUPPORT PROGRAM



Lutheran Homes Barossa 27 Bridge Street Tanunda SA 5352 (located in the main building)

# ...join us at Barossa Club Connections

High quality services tailored to your individual needs, delivered by a team you can trust ...love your independent life

# Allied Health & Therapy Services

# Exciting services are happening now!

### Group Physiotherapy Exercise Classes—Held in the LHB Gym

The Gym includes: A range of weights, static bike, treadmill, step ladder and balance bars.

#### Hand Wax Bath Therapy- Experience the soothing comfort

If you suffer from hand pain or arthritis, Hand Wax Therapy can provide welcome relief. The gentle heat from the wax soothes aching joints and muscles, reducing discomfort and increasing mobility.

#### Better Balance-Falls Prevention Program

Discover a healthier, more confident you with our Better Body Balance classes, led by experienced physiotherapists. These specialized sessions are designed to enhance your fitness, boost strength, and significantly improve your balance, reducing the risk of falls.

Private Session Available

### Individual Physiotherapy

- Rehabilitation-Post Injury
- Personal Fitness programs
- Pain reduction Massage

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# CHSP CLIENTS - COMMONWEALTH HOME SUPPORT PROGRAM

# Day Excursion to St Kilda





# Activities in the Barossa Club Connections

Last month, a club member, Doug Ramsey completed a very hard puzzle with no straight edges. It is great to see such big achievements happening in the club by all members.





Thursday Mornings Early Bird Breakfast Club



Residential Lifestyle Program

# **ACTIVITY PROGRAM**

#### Thursday 1st

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Thursday 1st		Wednesday 7th	
From 10am CAFÉ' SHOP TROLLEY 10:00 Card Making with Irene & Friend 10:30 Hoy / Interactive Table 10:30 Movers and Groovers 1:30 Bingo 1:30 Tarp Target Toss 1:30 Reminiscing 3:30 Quoits	ds Protea ABGO Chapel ABGO Chapel Waratah ABGO	From 9am TLH LIBRARY OPEN 10:00 Walking Group (weather permitting) 10:30 Tit Tat Reading 11:00 Waratah Service 1:30 Armchair Exercise 1:30 Bean Bag Toss 1:30 Tunnel Ball 3:00 Parachute Game	TC Leave from Protea ABGO Waratah ABGO Protea Waratah ABGO
Friday 2nd		Thursday 8th	
From 9am TLH LIBRARY OPEN 10:30 Gardening Group 10:30 Hoy 11:00 Chapel Service 1:30 Chair Yoga 1:30 BINGO 3:00 Table Games / <b>1x1's</b>	TC ABGO Waratah Chapel ABGO Protea ABGO	From 10am CAFÉ' SHOP TROLLEY 10:30 Hoy / Interactive Table 1:30 Bingo 1:30 Residents Meeting 3:00 Quoits	ABGO ABGO Chapel ABGO
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Sunday 4th		1:30 BINGO 3:00 Table Games / <b>1x1's</b>	Chapel ABGO
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10:30 <b>1x1's</b> 11:00 Worship Service 1:30 Drumming 1:30 Pampering 1:30 Memory Game 3:00 Art & Craft	TLH ABGO ABGO TC / Protea Waratah ABGO	Sunday 11th 10:00 Church Service 1:30 Dart Ball 3:00 Pet Therapy 4:00 1x1	Chapel ABGO ABGO ABGO
Tuesday 6th		<u>Monday 12th</u>	
10:15 Knit and Natter 10.30 Movers and Groovers 10:30 Ping Pong 1:30 <b>Men's Shed</b>	Protea Chapel ABGO The Shed Sensory Room TC / Protea Waratah	10:30 Singing in the chapel 11:00 Worship Service 1:30 Ten Pin Bowling 1:30 Memory Game 1:30 Pampering 3:00 Art & Craft	Chapel ABGO ABGO TC / Protea Waratah ABGO
3:00 Interactive Table	ABGO	PLEASE NOTE : ALL LIFESTYLE PROGRAMS TO CHANGE. PLEASE SPEAK TO A LIFESTY	

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FOR DETAILS ON THE DAY — Thank you

Tanunda Lutheran Home	Residential	Lifestyle Program	February 2024
Tuesday 13th—SHROVE TUESDAY		Monday 19th	
ALL DAY PANCAKE In the chapel From 10am–2.30pm Gold coin donation	1	10:30 Singing in the Chapel 11:00 Worship Service 1:30 Drumming 1:30 Coffee & Chat 1:30 Billiard Bowls	Chapel ABGO ABGO TC / Protea Waratah
ALL WELCOME		3:30 Art & Craft	ABGO
<ul> <li>10:30 Memory Game</li> <li>1:30 Pancake making</li> <li>2:30 Sing Along with Doug</li> <li>3:00 Interactive Table</li> <li>Wednesday 14th—VALENTINE'S DAY</li> <li>From 9am TLH LIBRARY OPEN</li> <li>10:30 ASH WEDNESDAY SERVICE</li> <li>10:30 Valentine's Day Quiz</li> </ul>	ABGO ABGO ABGO ABGO <u>T</u> C Chapel ABGO	<u>Tuesday 20th</u> 10:15 Knit and Natter 10:00 Walking Group (weather permitti 10:30 Ping Pong 1:30 <b>Men's Shed</b> Ladies Pampering 1:30 Water Ping Pong 1:30 Carpet Bowls 3:00 Interactive Table	Protea ng) Leave from Protea ABGO The Shed Sensory Room TC / Protea Waratah ABGO
1:30 Focus on February 1:30 Valentine's Day Quiz—All Areas 2:30 Armchair Exercise 3:00 Pet Therapy / Paro Visits	ABGO Chapel ABGO ABGO	<u>Wednesday 21st</u> From 9am TLH LIBRARY OPEN 10:30 LENTEN SERVICE 10:30 On this Day	TC Chapel ABGO
<u>Thursday 15th</u> From 10am CAFÉ' SHOP TROLLEY 10:30 Hoy / Interactive Table 10:30 Movers and Groovers 1:30 Bingo 1:30 Word Games 1:30 Dart Ball 3:30 Quoits	ABGO Chapel ABGO Chapel Waratah ABGO	10:30 Bottle Top Sorting 1:30 Armchair exercises 1:30 Bean Bag Toss 1:30 Tunnel Ball 2:30 Parachute Game 3:00 <b>1x1's</b> <u>Thursday 22nd</u>	Protea ABGO Protea Waratah ABGO ABGO
<u>Friday 16th</u> From 9am TLH LIBRARY OPEN 10:30 Gardening Group 10:30 Hoy 1:30 Chair Yoga 1:30 BINGO 3:30 Table Games / <b>1x1's</b>	TC ABGO Waratah ABGO Chapel ABGO	From 10am CAFÉ' SHOP TROLLE 10:30 Reminiscing 10:30 Movers and Groovers 1:30 Australia Day Activities 1:30 Concert— Sweet Beat and Harmony 3:30 Bean Bag Toss	ABGO Chapel ABGO
Saturday 17th 1:30 Balloon Tennis 3:00 Walking Group 4:00 1x1 Sunday 18th—DRINK WINE DAY 10:00 Church Service 1:30 Bean Bag Toss	ABGO ABGO ABGO Chapel ABGO	<u>Friday 23rd</u> From 9am TLH LIBRARY OPEN 10:30 Gardening Group 10:30 Hoy 1:30 Chair Yoga 1:30 BINGO 3:30 Table Games / <b>1x1's</b>	TC ABGO Waratah ABGO Chapel ABGO
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#### Tanunda Lutheran Home

#### Saturday 24th

1:30 Rapp Ball	
3:00 Music Therapy	
4:00 <b>1x1's</b>	

#### Sunday 25th

10:00 Church Service 1:30 Dart Ball 3:00 Pet Therapy 4:00 1x1

#### Monday 26th

10:30 Singing in the Chapel 11:00 Worship Service 1:30 Ten Pin Bowling 1:30 Billiard Bowls 1:30 Coffee & Chat 3:30 Art & Craft

#### Tuesday 27th

10:15 Knit and Natter 10.30 Movers and Groovers 10:30 Memory Game 1:30 Men's Shed/ Ladies Pampering 1:30 Parachute Ball 1:30 Billiard Bowls 3:00 Interactive Table

#### Wednesday 28th

From 9am TLH LIBRARY OPEN	TC
10:30 LENTEN SERVICE	Chapel
10:30 Current Affairs	ABGO
10:30 Bottle Top Sorting	Protea
1:30 Armchair exercises	ABGO
1:30 Wheel Of Fortune—All Areas	Chapel
2:30 Tunnel Ball	ABGO
3:00 <b>1x1's</b>	ABGO

#### Thursday 29th

## From 10am CAFÉ' SHOP TROLLEY

10:30 Hoy / Interactive Table	ABGO
10:30 Movers and Groovers	Chapel
1:30 Bingo	ABGO
1:30 Pick a Box—All Areas	Chapel
3:30 Quoits	ABGO

PLEASE NOTE : ALL LIFESTYLE PROGRAMS MAY BE SUBJECT TO CHANGE. PLEASE SPEAK TO A LIFESTYLE TEAM MEMBER FOR DETAILS ON THE DAY —Thank you

## **COURTYARD CAFE**

Residential Lifestyle Program

ABGO ABGO ABGO

Chapel ABGO

ABGO

ABGO

Chapel

ABGO

ABGO

TC / Protea

Waratah

ABGO

Protea Chapel

ABGO

Sensory Room

ABGO

The Shed

TC / Protea

Waratah



Open Monday to Friday 9am – 3pm Café Trolley Available on a Thursday Morning from 9:30am Closed Public Holidays

# **TLH LIBRARY**



TLH Library is located in TC Level 1, Open Wednesday and Friday from 9am -12noon. Stocking a wide range of books (large print), magazines, DVD's & puzzles.

# **TLH HAIR SALON**



Open Tuesday, Thursday and Friday (located next to the Courtyard Café)

For appointments please phone Nicky on 0411 492 682 or EXT 750

