

December 2021

HOMEgrown



Southbridge Pinewood

2625 E Walsh St. Thunder Bay ON, P7E 2E5

“The Homegrown Newsletter” was designed to inform residents, family, friends and staff of home news, updates, and fun facts.

To submit information or ideas please contact Suzanne Nuorala (Recreation Manager) at 577-1127 Ext. 228 or email at snuorala@southbridgecare.ca

DECEMBER BIRTHDAYS

Darcy H.	December 05
Barry B.	December 09
Debbie L.	December 18
Pearl M.	December 23
Ethel M.	December 23
Noel R.	December 25



Resident Bill of Rights

#4 “Proper care”

“Every resident has the right to be properly sheltered, fed, clothed, groomed and cared for in a manner consistent with his or her needs.”

#5 Safe and clean home”

“Every resident has the right to live in a safe and clean environment.”

Christmas word search

A	A	S	T	N	E	S	E	R	P	N	L	P	S
K	S	R	E	K	A	L	F	W	O	N	S	E	T
R	L	A	T	S	G	E	N	S	T	E	A	T	M
I	P	I	C	A	R	E	I	N	D	E	E	R	I
C	H	R	I	S	T	M	A	S	T	R	E	E	S
A	E	O	O	A	O	C	R	Y	E	E	E	T	T
C	O	O	K	I	E	S	T	N	E	N	L	E	L
C	A	N	D	Y	C	A	N	E	O	T	E	Y	E
M	I	W	P	O	I	N	C	E	T	T	I	A	T
N	A	M	W	O	N	S	S	C	N	N	F	S	O
N	E	S	A	N	T	A	N	A	W	N	L	S	E
A	C	E	O	I	O	S	A	I	G	K	E	K	D
N	N	E	S	E	S	E	S	E	L	P	P	N	
C	L	I	E	H	R	I	H	G	I	E	L	S	S

REINDEER
SNOWMAN
CANDY CANE
CHRISTMAS TREE
POINSETTIA
SNOWFLAKE
MISTLETOE
ELF
PRESENTS
SANTA
COOKIES
SLEIGH



Resident Council & Food Committee Meeting

Tuesday December 14th

SP 9:45, BH 10:45, KF 1:45, HB 2:45

Food Committee will take place following Resident Council

IN MEMORIAM

Mr. Richard Oleski

February 8, 1931 – November 3, 2021

Mrs. Tillie Cox

October 30, 1925 – November 6, 2021

Mrs. Anita White

July 25, 1927 – November 7, 2021

Alice Compardo

March 29, 1927 - November 23, 2021

Covid-19/Home Updates:

Home Vaccination Updates:

Residents: 99% fully vaccinated. 110/124 (89%) have received their 3rd dose booster shot. Consenting residents continue to receive booster doses five months following 2nd dose.

Staff Vaccination Rates: 100% of staff are now fully vaccinated.

Christmas Delivery IPAC Reminders:

- During the holiday season we remind family and friends that any clothing and/or items that require labelling must be in a clear plastic bag labelled with the resident's name, home area and room number. This will help to reduce items being lost during this busy time.
- Food Delivery: Christmas is a time for traditional meals and delicious baking and we encourage these special items to be shared with our residents. It is however important to note that any food brought into the home must directly go to the resident it was intended for only. Homemade items can not be shared with other residents.
- Food items brought into the home for staff must be individually wrapped and purchased from a licensed bakery/business.
- Decorations will continue to be minimal in the home due to Covid-19 and will be cleaned on a regular basis using the Clorox 360 machine and Virox wipes.

Next Zoom Family Town Hall Meeting

Date: Thursday December 9, 2021

Time: 130pm - 200pm

<https://extencicare.zoom.us/j/4819279467?pwd=RmQrS1RgY1BPbGFGZXluOVY1NStlZz09>

Meeting ID: 481 927 9467

Passcode: 903791905



- **Dec. 12 @ 2:00 (Music by: Jim N' I) Hummingbird**
- **Dec. 13 @ 6:30 Music by: (Glen & Jim) Sandpiper**
- **Dec. 15 @ 2:00 (Music By: Rusty Notes) Kingfisher**
- **Dec. 16 @ 6:30 (Music By: K & C) Blue Heron**
- **New Year's Eve Parties @ 2:00**



SHOO FLU

THANK YOU once again to the Family and Resident Council for their generous prize donations for our annual Shoo FLU initiative. Our goal is always to have 100% of our staff, volunteers and residents receive the flu shot each year. The more people vaccinated the less chance of the flu impacting our residents.

If you feel ill please refrain from coming into the home if possible. Masks and hand sanitizer is also available at the front desk. Let's all work hard to SHOO the FLU again this year!

