KIMIHIA KHRONICLE

The official newsletter of Kimihia Home & Hospital - Huntly



Residents with their Game Face On!

In the spirit of the recently concluded Paris Olympics, the Diversional Therapist (DT) team organised a spectacular competition for the residents. They were divided into 3 teams, who participated in 4 games and a quiz. In the end, the team "Kaumatua in Blue" took the gold, followed by Team Yellow and Team Hi-Viz. The residents had a blast! The games encouraged them to move around and socialize more with others. Everyone who participated received certificates and prizes for the winners.

















Quilts Made with Love to Welcome New Kimihia Residents

The 'Te Kauwhata Patch and Quilters Group', (see photo right), are now supplying handmade quilts and blankets to Kimihia Home to be given as a gift to new residents. The group is composed of lovely ladies from Te Kauwhata and Huntly. They have been sharing their work outputs to Aparangi Village for many years now. Their labor of love will definitely warm the body and comfort the souls of our new residents in the facility, who sometimes have difficulty adjusting to their new environment.



Flowers, Food and Fast Cars

A FFFantastic month has flew by with residents learning to do flower arrangement, preparing some yummy kai and taking a trip to see Classics Museum in Hamilton featuring over 100 automobiles.



New Sofa Beds for Hospital Rooms

Through the continuing fundraising efforts of the 'Friends of Kimihia Trust', they have recently donated 2 folding sofa beds for our hospital rooms. Thank you to the people behind the Trust and congratulations for another successful project with the raffle.











Cheers to our celebrants for the month of September

Sept 03 - Veronica Perry 08 - Jan Groom 23 - Hohi Mahuta



Staff Training

For September, staff will be receiving training on:

- Documentation
- Hospice Symptom management
- Hospice Serious Illness Conversation workshop
- Fundamentals of Palliative Care
- Palliative Care for caregivers
- Fire Warden Training



Farewells

Our deepest sympathies to the whānau of:

- Brian Flowerday
- Alice Murray
- Graham Blithe
- Tony Skelton

=Welcome=

New Residents

Let us give the following a warm welcome to Kimihia Home:

- Barry Mills
- David Milner
- Raymond Simmons
- Barrie Dodsley