

# JIMBELUNGA NURSING CENTRE NEWSLETTER

## FEBRUARY 2015

### Welcome to our February newsletter

Our newsletter is printed during the first week of each month.

### A ROUND UP OF THINGS THAT HAPPENED IN JANUARY 2015:

With such a busy December, we have all had a rest during January; this includes many of the monthly planned activities. But in saying that we have still had an exciting month.

Sharon one of our entertainers started the year off for us by singing all our favourite songs for us the 1<sup>st</sup> January.

The Queensland Police Pipe Band was here playing many Scottish songs on the Bag pipes. This year they entertained us in the gazebo area, which saved our ears a little. I didn't realise that they are so noisy until they played in the Casuarina Lounge room in 2014.

The residents that were able to vote in the Queensland State Elections were able to do so, as the Electoral Commission visited us.



Our biggest event for January was our Australia Day Celebrations that were held on Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> January.

There were lots of 'cooees' heard all around the place. The thong throwing into our make shift toilet was a lot of laughs.



We finished the morning off with a delicious BBQ lunch.

A big thank you to all the residents and staff that dressed in their Australian Day clothing. The smiles and laughs from many residents on how we looked is all that is needed, to know we have done a good job

At our resident's meeting held last week it was decided that we will be having a 'Jimbelunga Lotto', which is open to the Residents of Jimbelunga for the first week of month and then it is open to resident's family members and staff to try their luck. Each ticket is \$1.00 each and the prize is 50/50. This is made up.....\$50.00 to the winner and \$50.00 to the Activities Department to help with purchases of exciting things in the department. The lotto will run for a month and will be drawn at the Resident's Meeting. Good luck to everyone that enters.

Talina has started 'newspaper readings' and also morning announcements each morning. So if you are interested in knowing what is happening in your horoscope for the day, come along and join in.

## **WHAT'S HAPPENING AT JIMBELUNGA IN FEBUARY 2015:**

Our weekly entertainment is on every Thursday, from 10.30am.

Exercise Class with Occi every Monday and Friday 10.30am-11.30am.



The Council Cab shopping trip, to Beenleigh Market Place, is on a Thursday. Please let Sandra know if you would like to attend.



Logan library day is Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> February. If you would like to borrow books from the Logan Council Library please see Sandra, so this can be organised.



Our monthly church services are held by Twin Rivers and Beenleigh Catholic Church; please see the monthly activity planner for dates and times.

### **Resident's Meeting:**

At our January Resident's Meeting, it was decided to change the date to the first Wednesday of each month. The reason

for this is, if there are any changes that have been introduced for the month we can notify you then. Our next Resident's meeting will be on Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> February 2015 in Casuarina Lounge at 10.30am. Remember this is your meeting and you are encouraged to attend.



Please note:

Country Escape to Brigalow Country Club will start again Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> February.



Put your thinking caps on:

Here is a list of names that the residents have given me for the name of our newsletter. Please have a look and decide what you would like to call the newsletter. I will ask for votes at our next Residents Meeting, which is this Wednesday. Thank you to the residents that have been thinking of names.

- 1-Jimbelunga Journal.
- 2-Message Stick.
- 3-Newsy Notes.
- 4-The Bugle.
- 5- Hot Of The Press.
- 6-Querky Quotes & News.
- 7-Jimbelunga Gazette.
- 8-What's Making News Here.



**Birthday Wishes:** Happy Birthday to our residents that are having a birthday this month.....

Barbara, Helga, Yvonne K, Tommy H, Michael, Richard, Nora.  
Birthday wishes also to the staff, that are having birthdays this month.

**Suggestion and Joke Box:**

Any suggestions and jokes for the newsletter or any suggestions for outings you are able to place them in the suggestion box on the shelf under the TV.



**Did you Know?**

Middle age is when your medicine chest is better stocked than your drinks cabinet.

Months that begin with a Sunday will always have a 'Friday the 13<sup>th</sup>.'

