

JIMBELUNGA NEWS | EDITION 2 | MARCH 2021

Jimbelunga hosts NDIS information session

Jimbelunga and ATSICHS Brisbane recently hosted their first information session for residents, families and friends.

ATSICHS Brisbane is a registered provider and has been working with the Institute for Urban Indigenous Health (IUIH) and our medical clinics to improve NDIS services with mob in community. It's now time to offer that same service to Jimbelunga residents.

What does this mean?

Jimbelunga residents and families, staff, GPs, health specialists and our NDIS providers can now work collaboratively with transparency to meet the needs of all residents while maintaining cultural appropriateness and connection. Age is not a determining factor of care and younger people are not a minority at Jimbelunga. They are and will continue to be valued and contributing members of our community.

Eligibility

- Residents under the age of 65.
- Residents that meet the criteria under the NDIA guidelines.

Services

Individualised plans that meet the needs and goals of approved residents. If anyone would like more information please speak with our staff and a referral can be made you your behalf. Please let me or admin staff know if you would like to know more information.

From Belínda







Clinical Services

- Staff have completed elder abuse training that ensures all residents are protected and if there are concerns, staff will know best how to handle the situation.
- Screening prior to entry continues and we are now using QR Code or On Location via iPad, don't forget to sign out as you leave.
- Medical/specialist/dental appointments

 we encourage families to attend these appointments with their loved ones where possible.

COVID-19 Vaccine

Dr Jonathan Leitch provided an information session and Q&A for residents.

The residents were engaged and had some fantastic questions. At the end of the session everyone was feeling much more comfortable about receiving a vaccination.

No dates have been confirmed for the vaccination and once more information is available we will be in touch with all the details.



Special Acknowledgment

Congratulations to Hawa Abbas for her new appointment into the role of Clinical Nurse Manager.

Hawa has been a valued registered nurse at Jimbelunga for over 12 months and has

demonstrated commitment to improving the lives of all residents. Her leadership skills and clinical knowledge are great attributes and she is a wonderful addition to the Jimbelunga Nursing management team.



Well done Hawa!!!!

Welcome

- Jade Dale (RN)
- Melissa Takahashi (RN)
- Tayla Hillier (AIN)
- Makaela Flick (AIN)
- Norah Pakinga (AIN)

Farewells

- Michelle Sohl (AIN)
- Vicky Russell (AIN)
- Beryl Gairo (ESO)

Are your email contact details up to date?

If you're a resident's family member we'd like to email you our newsletter. Send us your contact details and we can add you to our list. Email: admin@jimbelunga.org.au

Environmental Services

This month sees us introducing new recipes to the menu and will start with morning and afternoon teas. Resident feedback is welcomed.

Please ask staff to assist in completing a green form or feel free to talk to Chef Kevin or one of our friendly Kitchen staff to provide input.



Feedback

Your feedback is important to us. Please complete green forms and drop these in the box located near the blue phone near the Casuarina dining room. Staff can assist with these if needed. Alternatively, you are more than welcome to visit Sharen and discuss any concerns you may have around the menu, laundry, cleaning, maintenance or grounds.

Special Acknowledgment



Laundry services were applauded at the resident meeting this month. Residents are able to request a delicates wash bag to ensure their clothes are kept fresh and colourful. These will be washed separately from the normal wash. You can request this from Admin.

Additional Services

Allied Health Services are recommencing.

IUIH- Podiatry

This will recommence every Friday. We welcome back Amber with the easing of restrictions.

If anyone has any concerns or is requesting an urgent referral please see the RN on shift.

Physiotherapy

This month we say farewell to Craig and thank him for his service in providing physiotherapy to the residents. We will miss him and wish him well.

Physiotherapy services will continue with Paul remaining onsite. They are currently recruiting another to replace Craig.

Have you got feedback?

We would love to hear from you

Send us your contact details and we can add you to our list. Email: admin@jimbelunga.org.au

National Apology Anniversary

This year marked the 13th Anniversary of the National Apology to the Stolen Generations.

This was a very significant day for all residents and staff to reflect and mourn. We held a service where residents shared their stories, remembered and reflected.















Happy Birthday



MARCH

- Graeme D. 4th March
- Sylvia F. 4th March
- Dorothea J. 8th March
- Frank M. 12th March
- Tammy L. 13th March
- Robert S. 17th March
- Russell T. 17th March
- John N. 29th March





What's On

Wednesday 3 March Resident's Meeting 10.30am Jacaranda Activities Area. All welcome.



Monday 8 March International Women's Day. Ladies Only Morning tea. 10.00am Casuarina Dining Room. All staff are encouraged to wear purple or mauve on the day.

Wednesday 17 March St. Patrick's Day. Fun activities.

Special lunch at 12noon in Casuarina Dining Room. All welcome. **Staff are encouraged to wear green.**

Sunday 21 March Harmony Day

Sunday 28 March Palm Sunday

Tuesday 30 March Lyn Butler will entertain us. 10.30am Jacaranda Activities Area. All welcome.

February Craft

We have been busy with art and craft activities this month. Our residents made colourful Valentine's Day posters.

On other art and craft days, we worked on Chinese New Year items. The group made red and yellow lanterns for the tables and posters to decorate the walls.

While we were busy doing these Karen read out our Chinese Horoscopes. We all had a little laugh at what symbols we are.



Resident's Shopping



When the COVID restrictions started last year residents were unable to go on their Thursday outing to Market Place.

We decided to do online shopping so the residents were able to get their snacks etc. for the week.

Our resident Tina offered to help with the ordering and also came up with a name for the shop, T-Mart. She even greets residents with...'Welcome to T-Mart how may I help you?'

When the online shopping is collected and brought back to Jimbelunga, Tina and another resident, Glenys help sort the shopping into individual orders and deliver it to the residents.











Move and Groove

We are always busy at Jimbelunga. Paul our Physiotherapist offers 'Move and Groove' on Monday and Friday mornings from 10.30am.

During this time, we have the music up loud and all enjoy keeping active.





Resident's Events

What a busy month we have had with residents taking part in Chinese New Year, Valentine's Day and Shrove Tuesday (Pancake Day).

We celebrated Chinese New Year with a lunch held in Casuarina Dining Room. Love was in the air when we held Valentine's Day activities. We were treated by chef Kevin and his staff who served us a delicious meal and finished with a chocolate dessert.

Chef Kevin was kept busy during February as we also marked Shrove Tuesday with pancakes, jam and cream.







Donations

The Activities Department would like to create a special art project for the Beenleigh Show in September and we are looking for donations of any size buttons and any old costume jewellery not being used.

If you have these items and you no longer want them, please call Sandra or Karen.











Entertainment

We were treated to a performance by Robert McCullough on Valentine's Day. It was great fun and everyone had the chance to dance or sit and sway with the music.





Resident's Dignity Daisy





Sorry Business

RIP our friends:

Barbara

Reminders

Don't forget that we have a walking group each morning. We go for a walk in the Cultural Area.

It's nice to get out in the fresh air for a little while.

If you want something to do in the afternoon from 3pm until tea why don't you join us to watch a movie in the Jacaranda Activities Area. If there is a movie you would like to watch please let Sandra or Karen know and we will do our best to find it for you.

If you would like to join the Logan Home Library Service please let Sandra or Karen know so we can join you up.

Visiting hours are daily between 8.30am and 4.30pm.

Activities and Lifestyle

If anyone has requests or recommendations please feel free to share your ideas.

We are always looking at new ways to fill our days with activities that will make you smile.



From Sandra

We're social... join us on social media

Keep up to date with all the latest news and photos through:

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