



Errinrung

Long Term Care Home
May – 2023



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HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY

We know how important it is to be able to celebrate special days with your loved one! For that reason on May 4th we will be having a special mothers day photo shoot with the residents, and will be sending families the pictures to enjoy! On May 12th we will be having a special mothers day tea that family are welcome to join. Due to covid restrictions we cannot have families eating or drinking with residents, unless it is nice enough to host our tea outside.

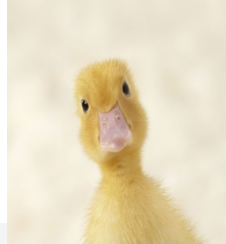
If you would like to book a FaceTime to spend some one on one time with your loved one, please feel free to contact Kristina the Program Services Manager @ 519-599-2737 ext. 6 to schedule a FaceTime visit 😊

Accreditation Update

We would like to thank the staff, residents and families for their participation in the accreditation on April 18th. Our accreditor, Melvin, was very impressed with our home and we received many compliments on the staff, cleanliness of the home, programming and so much more! We will find out the results soon and keep everyone posted 😊

Spring Animals Visit

We will be having our spring animal baby visit on May 5th at 2pm in the south activity lounge. We will get to see baby lambs, chicks, bunnies, ducklings and more!



OUR VISION

Bridging Lives together with meaning and purpose

OUR MISSION

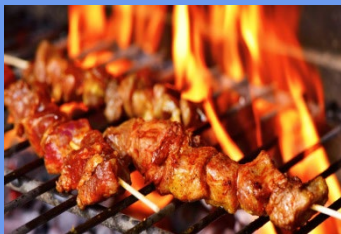
"To provide quality care and services through excellence and innovation.

L- Live life to the fullest

I- Implement change through innovation

V- Value freedom of choice

E- Exceed Expectations



Its BBQ time again! Our Tuesday outdoor BBQ's will start on the second week of May!



Alzheimer Society

Errinrung, in partnership with the Alzheimer's society of grey bruce will be hosting a walk for Alzheimer's on [May 26th at 2pm](#). We will be having a walk with the residents, entertainment from Jim and Mary Lang, and an ice cream bar afterwards. Families are welcome to join and if you are interested in getting a pledge form please reach out to Kristina in programs at 519-599-2737 ext 6.

If you have not checked it out the Ontario caregivers organization has great resources for caregivers. They also have many interesting, free webinars available on topics such as caregiver wellbeing, emotions and caregiving, financial tips, caregiver skills and personal development. There are also tool kits, psychoeducation, group and individual counseling as well as resources for their online learning library. Visit : <https://ontariocaregiver.ca>

We will be starting our Friday night campfires on May 12th in the courtyard. Campfires will happen every other Friday evening. We will sing our favourite campfire songs, and enjoy some bronzed freshly made s'mores. We start heading outside at about 6:30pm, and generally stay out until 8:00pm depending on the weather. We are excited to spend our Friday evenings outside around the fire. Families welcome!☺



Family Council Presents

Sandra Hong, Public Education Coordinator
Alzheimer Society Grey Bruce

When: Monday, May 8 at 2 pm

Where: Lower level conference room at Errinrung

Topics will include:

Being a caregiver
Communication and later stages of dementia

Resources will be provided

All caregivers and family members are welcome!

If you have any questions please reach out to Kristina in programs 519-599-2737 ext 6.

Family Council and Resident Council

A Resident and/or Family Council is a group of persons who either live in a long-term care (LTC) home, their families, and/or the residents' representative, who meet regularly to maintain and enhance the quality of life of residents in LTC. Councils exist to engage the resident community and to improve the experiences of all residents, by providing their insights and advice and represent the collective interests of residents

One of the key roles that a Resident and/or Family Council can play is to promote improved communication and collaboration between residents, family members, LTC staff, and management. This may involve working collaboratively on projects that enrich the lives of residents, making recommendations to decision makers, and communicating common concerns and ideas for improvements. At Errinrung we have both family and resident council. Our residents meet every month and our family council meets every other month.

If you are interested in joining family council please reach out to Kristina in programs (519) 599 2737 ext 6 or feel free to just show up at our meetings, held every other month in the interaction room. Details of the date are posted on our activity board.

Email and Skype

If you would like to
email or skype your
loved one, please feel
free to contact

Kristina at
519 599 2737 ext. 6
Or email
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@southbridgecare.ca

The programs
department would
love to help our
residents connect
with members of
their family.



May EVENTS



May 3rd- Music Therapy

May 4th- Mothers Day Photo shoot

May 5th-Spring Animal Visit!

May 8th- Alzheimer's Presentation by Sandra Hong

May 12th- Mothers Day Tea

May 12- Campfire Night

May 16th- BBQ Lunch Outside

May 17th- Music Therapy

May 17th- Funny Hat Day

May 26th- Jim and Mary Lang Music

May 26th- Walk for Alzheimer's/Ice Cream Cart

Campfire Night

May 30th- BBQ Lunch

May 31st – Music Therapy



May 10th- Eric!

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