



A big welcome to our new residents

Winifred Adams, David Quay, Gwen Sidebotham.

Farewells

We would like to acknowledge the following residents who are no longer at BlueWave Living: Sylvia Bell, Marj Connelly, Marj Taylor, Margaret Long.

New Aged Care Standards

The government has set some new standards that spell out what good care should look like. These new standards have been published, and BlueWave Living will have to use them from 1 July 2019.

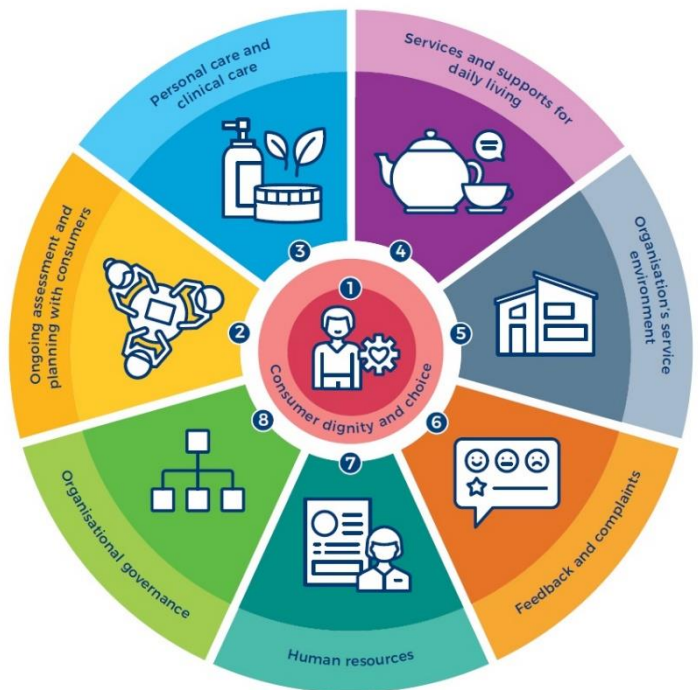
BlueWave Living is in the process of reviewing policies and providing staff education on the new standards. We will provide updates in our monthly newsletters.

The new standards make it easier to check that people receive good care. Good care is about us caring for you and your individual needs.

Each standard says what you, the consumer, can expect. Your aged care provider has to meet an "outcome" for you. They have to demonstrate how they are meeting that outcome.

There are eight standards, and each one is about an aspect of care that contributes to your safety, health and wellbeing.

1. Consumer dignity and choice
2. Ongoing assessment & planning with consumers
3. Personal care and clinical care
4. Services and supports for daily living
5. Organisation's service environment
6. Feedback and complaints
7. Human resources
8. Organisational governance



Great result for Legacy

Bluewave raised \$245 selling badges for legacy this year.



Auxiliary News. Once again, our Auxiliary exceeded expectations raising over \$1,600 at their stall at Empire Bay Fete. A big thank you to everyone that helped with baking treats, making craft items, selling and much more.



Oktoberfest. The residents had a wonderful time for Oktoberfest. As always, our dedicated staff went above and beyond to provide them with a fun day full of laughter and smiles.

Refurbishments Coming Soon

Bluewave is pleased to advise that early in the New Year, we will undertake some significant refurbishment of The Shores building, in addition to works already completed, or underway.

We have recently completed painting in the main dining/living area, and replaced windows blinds with lovely new curtains. We are currently continuing the painting down the corridors, and progressively replacing curtains through all bedrooms.

We have now just signed off on a contract to replace all the floor coverings throughout The Shores, including all bedrooms. These works will begin around February.



This will be accompanied by some new bedroom furniture, painting of the bedroom walls, and new dining/lounge furniture as well as giving The Shores a fresh, new look on completion.

We will also be replacing floor coverings through most of BlueWave as part of this project, with the aim to soften the environment, creating warmer spaces that are more inviting for residents and guests to enjoy. In our Anzac wing, there will also be new dining furniture and lounge furniture provided as part of this on-going refurbishment.

In Palm Sails, we will soon be replacing the myriad of current resident beds with new King Singles, which is the first step towards a new approach to residents comfort with their beds.

We do know these works will be somewhat disruptive as we progress through the areas, and we thank all in advance for their patience during times of disruption, however the end result will be a much more warm and homely environment for our residents to enjoy.

Diary Dates November 2018

	1.30pm	Assisted Shopping The Shores		9.30am	St Luke's Service
2 nd	1pm	Afternoon Tea The Shores		1.30pm	Sound Waves at Palm Sails
5 th	9.30am	Morning Tea Bus The Cove	15 th	9.30am	Morning Tea Bus Palm Sails
	1.30pm	Residents Meeting BlueWave		1.30pm	Shopping Bus The Facility
6 th	10.30am	Julz at The Shores	16 th	1pm	Afternoon Tea Bus The Shores
	1.30pm	Resident Horse Race	19 th	9.30am	Morning Tea Bus The Cove
	3pm	Melbourne Cup Race!	20 th	10am	Morning Tea Bus The Haven
7 th	9.30am	Morning Tea Bus Nursing Home		1.30pm	Singalong with Lonny
	10am	Residents Meeting The Shores	21 st	9.30am	Morning Tea Bus Nursing Home
	1.30pm	Nutrimetics Village Square	22 nd	9.30am	Morning Tea Bus Palm Sails
	2pm	The Gals at The Shores		1.30pm	Shopping Bus The Facility
8 th	9.30am	Morning Tea Bus Palm Sails	23 rd	1pm	Afternoon Tea Bus The Shores
	1.30pm	Shopping Bus The Facility	24 th	1.30pm	Dancing Mates The Shores
9 th	9.30am	Catholic Mass	26 th	11am	Lunch Bus The Cove
	1pm	Afternoon Tea Bus	27 th	11am	Lunch Bus The Haven
11 th	11am	Remembrance Day	28 th	11am	Lunch Bus Nursing Home
12 th	9.30am	Morning Tea Bus The Cove	29 th	11am	Lunch Bus Palm Sails
13 th	10am	Morning Tea Bus The Haven	30 th	11am	Lunch Bus The Shores