

# BAY HAVEN

senior care community

October 2018 newsletter



**On Tuesday October 2<sup>nd</sup>, residents will be making a large turkey craft to go on the halfway wall in the Nursing Home. Residents, staff, volunteers and family members are encouraged to write something they are thankful for on a turkey feather and place it on the turkey. These feathers will be available in the Recreation office and staff room!**

## End of Summer Party Hoedown...Yee Haw!

Bay Haven's Retirement Lodge celebrated the end of summer with a Harvest Hoedown! All staff, residents and even the musicians took part in dressing up! We even had a Texan staff member show us a few moves in her cow girl boots!



\*\*Residents interested in participating in the [Municipal Election](#) can do so on [October 17<sup>th</sup>](#). Representatives will be available to assist Retirement Home residents at 9:30am and for Nursing Home residents at 10:00am in the North West Sitting Room.



Standards for Living. Quality of Life.

Bay Haven Retirement Home, along with 300 other Ontario Retirement Homes, took part in ORCA Open House on Sunday September 23<sup>rd</sup> from 1:00-4:00pm. Linda Ross played beautiful music on piano while guests and residents enjoyed baked goods and a special winner won a draw for a gorgeous gift basket courtesy of Collingwood Real Food Market. It was a wonderful day enjoyed by all!



Flu Season is in full swing. Our nursing department would like to remind everyone to practice diligent hand hygiene. Please note that Bay Haven will be providing all staff and residents the FLU SHOT in mid-October.

## Trick or Treating at Bay Haven

Bay Haven Nursing Home residents will be trick or treating on Oct 31st office to office, Nursing station to Nursing Station and door to door throughout the entire building. Residents in the Retirement Home who would like Nursing Home resident trick or treaters to visit their door, will need to decorate their door, that way everyone know to come to your room for treats! Get decorating staff and residents! Don't forget to dress up if you like!



## ABOUT ME

**NEW "ABOUT ME" documents are in Nursing homes residents rooms above each residents bed. The Recreation team and Nursing department worked together to complete these documents, to ensure each resident is well known and understood as individuals. Staff, please refer to these documents to better know your residents!**

## Retirement Home Regulatory Authority Routine Inspection Report 2018

The Retirement Home Regulatory Authority visited the Retirement Home on September 18<sup>th</sup> to conduct their regular routine inspection. There were no areas of noncompliance. Great job everyone! The Retirement Homes Act requires routine inspections of every retirement home at least once every three years for the compliance of the act. Inspections focus on required policies, documentations, and implementation of critical requirements to ensure residents safety and choice. When conducting the inspection, the inspectors look through residents' records, behavior management, falls strategies to see if there are any cases of abuse and neglect, ensure staff training and qualifications are being met and look through medication administration and compliant procedures.

*Roseanne Beurpe, Retirement Home Manager*



Bay Haven is hosting two Job Fairs on...

**October 12<sup>th</sup> from 9:00am to 12:00pm**

**October 16<sup>th</sup> from 1:00pm to 4:00pm**

Spread the word!