



SUNDALE

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Spotlight

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The Voice of the Sundale Community



RETIREMENT COMMUNITIES

Palmwoods Garden Village

Merry
Christmas



A big thank you to the Recorder Group from Chevallum State School who recently visited Palmwoods Garden Village.

The students were an absolute delight and it was wonderful to see so many residents in attendance.



It looks like the residents at Aloaka Care Centre in Kilcoy had a wonderful Melbourne Cup Day full of fun, fashion parades and fascinators.



Ghouls just want to have fun, and so did the residents at Coolum Waters Care Centre recently when they celebrated Halloween with science experiments, spooky bingo and lime spiders.

It looks like the residents at Coolum Waters Care Centre had a wonderful time celebrating the race that stops the nation.

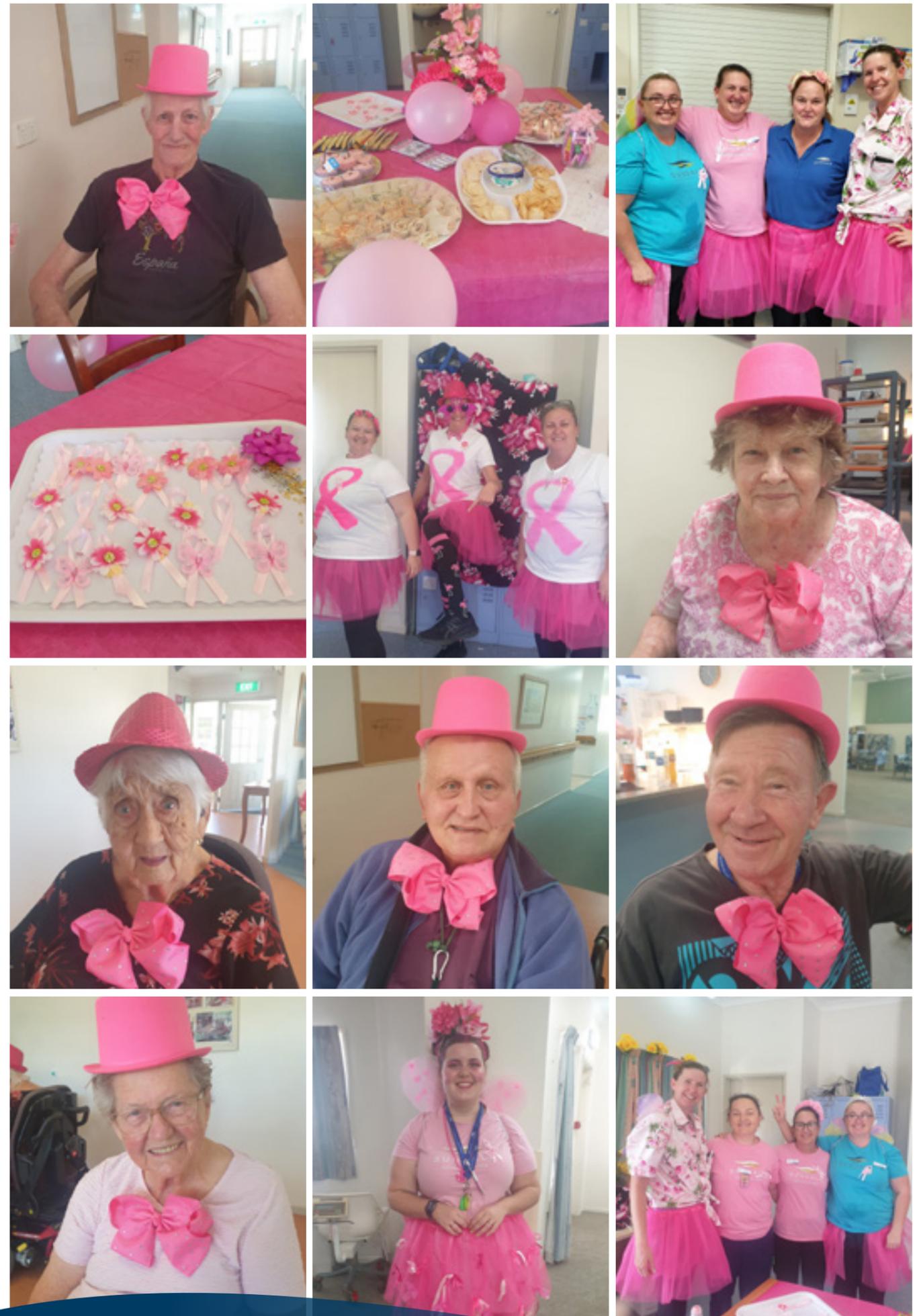
It's fair to say the residents at Coolum Waters Care Centre we're 'all shook up' after meeting Elvis.



CARE CENTRES
Bindaree

The rather stylish residents at Bindaree Care Centre went all out on Melbourne Cup Day, with fashionable hats for the ladies and top hats for the gents.

The residents and staff at Bindaree Care Centre hosted a pink fundraiser, with all money raised donated to Breast Cancer Network Australia.



CARE CENTRES

James Grimes

The residents at James Grimes Care Centre certainly enjoyed their Melbourne Cup celebrations with a fashion parade, special afternoon tea and sweepstakes all part of the fun.

Meantime at McGowan Care Centre, Betty Bampton won 'best dressed' while Fay McMullen won the resident sweepstakes.

The residents and team members at James Grimes Care Centre had a spook-tacular day celebrating Halloween.

A special morning tea of marshmallows, biscuits, cake and chocolates was followed by fashion parade.

Hip, hip, hooray to Marlene Fraser who celebrated her 80th birthday recently surrounded by family and friends.



CARE CENTRES

McGowan

The residents at McGowan Care Centre paused on Remembrance Day to acknowledge those who made the ultimate sacrifice.

Veteran Bill Elliot laid the wreath, veteran Eric Dumschat read the Ode and Joyce Howes read The Lord's Prayer.

McGowan resident Betty Bampton and her daughter Kay Lynch have one Christmas present sorted this year.

Together they handmade this very cuddly looking unicorn.

Happy birthday to Rosemary Bridge who celebrated her 89th birthday in November. Residents and team members united to sing Happy Birthday to Rosemary.

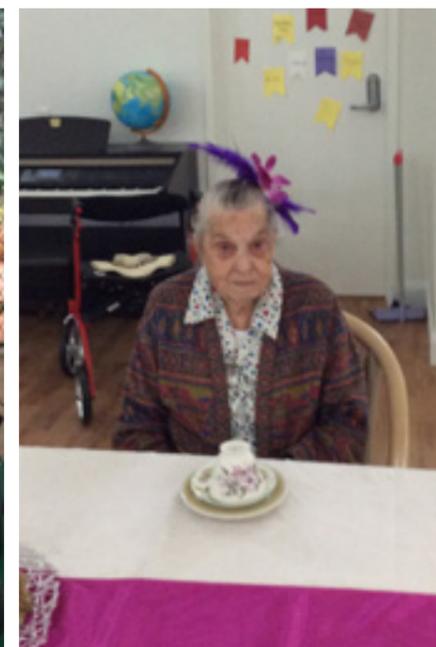
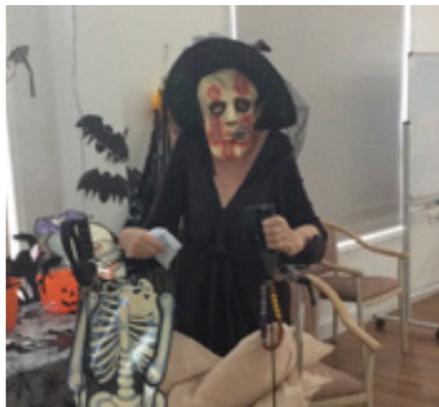


CARE CENTRES

Palmwoods Garden Village

The residents at Palmwoods Care Centre certainly got into the spirit of Halloween, with black cats, jack-o-lanterns and witches' hats...

The residents at Palmwoods Care Centre had a full race card of Melbourne Cup activities, which included morning tea, a fashion parade, nibbles and drinks and of course, the great race.



News & Events

Furry friends

Sundale's residents love getting visitors, especially the furry kind.

That's why our partnership with not-for-profit organisation, Delta Therapy Dogs, is barking up the right tree.

A big thank you 7NEWS Sunshine Coast for the wonderful story.

Sundale was proudly on display at the Job Fair / Job Expo at Caloundra and Mooloolaba last month.



Job fair

The Sundale team also had the most impressive booth at the LifeStyle 55+ Expo held at the Nambour Showgrounds recently.



55+

20-28 November was Social Inclusion Week, an opportunity to connect, feel included, valued and give everyone the opportunity to participate.

To celebrate, Sundale's Stakeholder Engagement Team coordinated a Bingo & BBQ Day at

A big thank you to everyone involved including:

- Lifestyle coordinators - Hayley (McGowan), Noela (Bowder) and Rheamae (JGCC)
- Maintenance team - Paul & Rodriques
- Chef - Emma and team
- Customer Service Officer - Shorelle Greig
- Volunteers - Diane, Jackie, Kay, Christopher, Ian, Diane, Betty and Terri



Social

It wasn't just Sundale's residents who enjoyed the Melbourne Cup, with Julie Davison and Vicky Hamilton looking particularly stylish.



News & Events

Team Culture

The Team Culture Committee 2021 gathered at the Nambour RSL on Wednesday 1 December to celebrate their various achievements, collaboration and friendship.

- Caitlyn Freer - James Grimes Care Centre
- Noela Sharpe - Bowder Care Centre
- Nicala McGillivray - Rod Voller Care Centre
- Joanne Boyle - Rod Voller Care Centre
- Peta Bauer - Palmwoods Garden Village Care Centre
- Cindy Cooper and Janine Hauritz – Aloaka Care Centre
- Krystelle McNeil - Rod Voller Care Centre (ex Coolum Waters Care Centre)

We would also like to acknowledge the following Team Culture Committee members who were unable to make it on the day.

- Angela Smith - In Home Care
- Hayley Austin - McGowan Care Centre
- Michelle Freeman, Sue Woodward and Molly Staite - James Grimes Care Centre

A big thank you to the entire Team Culture Committee for always sharing ideas, asking questions and promoting the Values & Behaviours.



TCC

It's beginning to look a lot like Christmas, especially for Sundale's volunteers who got together for a Christmas lunch.



Volunteers

Have you seen Sundale's wonderful videos which feature a host of our remarkable volunteers?

Would you like to volunteer at Sundale? Volunteers are the backbone of the community and provide friendship, companionship and joy to our residents.

