

Resident Council Meeting - RECONCILIATION DUE BY 1/31/2018

- **Staff Members Leading:**
- Brandon Kellogg, Life Enrichment Coordinator
- Samantha Prisk, Life Enrichment Assistant

- **What is resident council?**
- An organized, decision-making group of long-term care residents meeting regularly to voice their needs and concerns and to have input into culinary services, activities, policies, and issues affecting their lives in the facility.

NEW BUSINESS

The August Resident Council meeting was attended by (24) residents and (2) family member(s). (Tabitha Martin) (Nurse), Shareen Kinninater (Nutritional Services Coordinator), Samantha Prisk (Life Enrichment Coordinator), and Ericka Goerlitz (Administrator) attended the meeting to discuss resident concerns.

The JMC RC President MT and Vice President DM were present to call the meeting to order. The meeting began with the Pledge of Allegiance.

The meeting was managed by the Life Enrichment Assistant; Brandon Kellogg.

Everyone who took part in the meeting were pleased with the services provided at Jefferson Memory Care, with the addition of just a few concerns and suggestions to communicate with the building staff. Summary follows:

Nutritional Services: (Candy Olson)

Announcements:

- Keep an eye out for new faces in the kitchen!

Comments Include:

- Can we go back to writing on the boards for meals?
 - **Sure, we planned on bringing that back!**
- Can we get more mandarin oranges?
 - **That's possible**
- Can some meals be based on improving memory grain?
 - **That's an interesting question. We will look into it**

- Can some of us get bigger portions?
 - Some residents have Doctor ordered restrictions, but we try to make seconds available for those who can have some

Administration (Ericka Goerlitz & Rebekah Kellogg)

Announcements:

- No Announcements

Comments Include:

- No comments

Resident Health: (Tabitha Martin)

Announcements:

- No announcements

Comments Include:

- One resident was concerned with things going missing from her room
 - We will take a look at this situation, and try to come to a resolution.

Life Enrichment: (Brandon Kellogg & Sam Prisk)

Announcements:

- Samantha Prisk will be taking over the activity department. Brandon Kellogg is stepping down into a less restrictive role, to focus on his schooling
- We will be getting rid of 6pm activities in February

Comments Include:

- Good activities!
 - Thank you!

Environmental Services: (Bruce Fuller)

Announcements:

- No announcements

Comments include:

- Is it possible to get bathroom mats, or traction?
 - We will look into that for interested residents

Other questions/comments/concerns/feedback:

None

Meal of the Month:

Residents have decided on a meal of the month for April:

- Meatloaf
- Twice Baked Potatoes
- Beets
- Salad
- Ice Cream Strawberry Sundays
- **The meal of the month is to be served in: February, Date TBA**

The meeting was adjourned by Resident Council President MT and Vice President DM

Next Meeting: February, Date TBA