



Grapevine Retirement Village & Care Centre Control Con

DUTCH VILLAGE "ONS DORP"

PLEASE NOTE:

Atrium Water Cooler

- If you are using the hot water lever (pictured) please only press the two tabs together. Please DO NOT TURN the tap. Turning the tap will cause it to break.
- You will also notice we now have our hot drink cup holder back, and in working order.
 You only need to GENTLY PULL the cups to get them out. If you do get more than one cup, please place it back into the holder from the top, the cover flips open.
- When making your drinks please take all items to a table or with you, DO NOT USE THE TOP OF THE WATER COOLER TO ADD SUGAR.

Spilt sugar on this appliance will attract ants and also get into the machine.



Please keep the area clean and tidy for the next hot drink user ©

From the Desk of the Village General Manager

Hi all,

COVID-19 Vaccine Booster Update

As stated in my June Report there has been a concerning increase in the number of reported cases (may be influenced by the colder winter type weather) from early May when there was only 2,343 to 8,943 on 23rdJune 2024. Once again the continuing pattern is that just under a third of these are actual new cases with approximately two thirds being reinfections. Also as noted in my previous reports it is important to note that that while there has been an increase in reported cases, this figure is still well below the peak of cases in June 2022 (nearly 30,000 in a week).

Given this increase in Covid numbers if you did not get the latest Vaccine Booster shot on the 5th June at the Village I would encourage you to go your local Chemist and the latest Booster shot. It is important to note that this new Booster targets the latest COVID 19 Omicron variant XBB15.

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BVN Dutch Television Channel Update

Over the last month, Trust Board member Roelof Siebring and I have been working with an external technology company called ARC (suggested by resident Ton Fontein) to ensure uninterrupted live streaming of BVN through the internet to residents in the Village. We are pleased to advise that after two weeks of testing the new Software Code developed by ARC (which automatically relaunches the web browser) ensures all BVN viewers in the Village do not miss out on any of the favourite programs. Happy BVN viewing to all residents in the Village.

Repairs or part replacement of lower Roofs

Over the last few months we are continuing to monitor Villa iron roofs and as required repairs or undertaking part replacements to stop any identified leaks. During the wetter winter months if there are any leaks in your roof please log the job on Skillet or call Russelle on Reception to log the job for you. Arrangements will then be made for Laser Plumbing Te Atatu (previously Sumich Plumbing and Drainage) to inspect your roof. If any repairs are needed this is at no expense to residents.

Sale of Villas.

We now have one Villa that is coming up for sale in mid-August 2024. The current owner's family have until then to fully clear out the Villa so that Bryce Carters team can start the refurbishment process. This can take up to 3 months and dependent on the amount of work that is required.

Gary Williams: General Manager

FRIENDS

WE HAVE LOST

Our condolences to family & friends

CARE CENTRE: **GYSBERTUS** (GARY) VAN DOORN 11 JUNE, 2024



(In loving memory of those who are not here today, but who are always forever in our hearts."

Wishing anyone who is unwell or in hospital, all the best and wishing you a speedy recovery.



at the Care Centre

Ditty van der Mespel

12 June

Tina Drumm

25 June 84

Welcome Ditty, and Happy belated birthday joining the Care Centre family, June 13. We hope you enjoyed your gift.

QUICK TIPS

HOME PHONES

Recently there are a lot of people are having trouble with their phones.

Most phones can be fixed by turning them off, waiting a minute or two then turning back on, correcting a lot of these phones issues.



MODEMS

Both Bestcomm and other providers have handsets and a modem box. You can unplug the modem box to turn it off, wait a minute or two then plug it back in.

MODEM NOTE: Wait for all the lights to come back on at the front of the device, especially the phone light.

HANDSETS

With your handset hold down the phone icon (sometimes in red) until the handset turns off, wait a minute or two, then hold it down again and the handset should turn back on.

Some handsets have a on and off button on the side. If your phone does have a side button this is the way you should turn it off and on.











Care Centre **PLANE SPOTTING**

Residents enjoyed a trip out to the airport recently, and watched planes arrive and depart.







VILLA MEAL DELIVERIES

Care Centre meals are provided for \$10 each meal, 7 days a week.

If you wish to order a meal contact Reception. You can also request a weekly menu. If it is the weekend, call 09 838 6567 and select 4 for the kitchen.

ONS DORP RESIDENT LIAISON ADVISORS

Mieke Penning is available Mondays & Thursdays

PLEASE NOTE: Mieke will not be available to visit on a Public Holiday that fall on a Monday or Thursday.

Franciska is available on Wednesdays

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not be available to visit on Public Holidays that fall on a Wednesday.

If you require Mieke or Franciska to contact you please call Reception on 838 6567, opt 0 to book a visit or chat.

skillet

Login

Available at the Pavilion Computer Hub

Book your non-emergency Maintenance or Gardening jobs online

Pavilion Printer

Need to do some printing? We have a colour printer in the Pavilion computer room. Call reception if need to know how to use it.

PLEASE LEAVE THE PRINTER ON for the service team to remotely access for toner supply requests, and any other issues the printer may have.

A NOTE FROM KARIN VERBEEK:

Breast Cancer update: Thank you everyone for your support. I am now on track to have surgery, July 4th. I will be not be in the office all of July, however I will be working from home once back from the hospital. Please phone or email if you need anything. If you require something scanned or printed please contact Russelle at Reception.

Thank you all for your support, Karin



Winter is here!

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The weather has a bit more "bite" to it now. and the Care Centre is enjoying more inside activities. Lots of buzz playing games, doing jigsaws or just chatting over a hot cup of chips or listening to music. The activities team are all geared up to celebrate Matariki, the Māori New Year with stars and flags brightening up the main lounge room.





ALL Care Centre Visitors MUST SIGN



IN at Reception

Don't be offended if staff remind you to sign in. The Care Centre is required under the Fire, Health and Safety Regulations to have

ALL visitors sign in

Don't forget—we would prefer and encourage you to wear a mask when visiting. Masks available at Reception.

We have recently welcomed **Charlie** the cat (above) who arrived with Anke Aalbers at the Care Centre. She has a great nature, comes out to the lounge, cuddles with residents who want a cuddle, and also has found the best place to "lounge" in the winter sun.

WestCity Henderson JP Services

every Thursday from 6pm – 8pm & every Saturday from 10am – 12pm

You can find them on Level 1, by Japan Mart.

Can't get to West City?
Call one of the names
on this list provided.





TRUST
BOARD MEETING
25th July

PLEASE DO NOT FEED THE FISH WHEN VISITING IN THE ATRIUM

Editor: Reception 09 838 6567, opt 0 onsdorp@onsdorp.co.nz

KIWI STAMP PRICES

New Zealand \$2 Australia \$3.30

Netherlands \$4.00

DON'T FORGET: Have your letters at Reception before 4.30pm to have them dropped off to a post box.



WAITAKERE LIBRARY PICK-UP WILL BE:

ALL RETURNS can be dropped off to the Care Centre Reception. Please **DO NOT** return your books to the Ons Dorp Pavilion Library.



RECYCLING TOP TIPS

Keep it clean - empty and rinse ALL containers

Remove **ALL** lids and put them in the rubbish bin **DO NOT** crush or flatten containers, no containers larger than 4 Litres.

DO NOT place newspapers, cardboard etc in plastic bags, better to place in a cardboard box.

ONLY cardboard packing boxes should be flattened. If in doubt, leave it out



Local Justice of the Peace contacts https://jpauckland.org.nz/locate-jp/

HENDERSON

HENDERSON	
Feroz Aswat	021 782 786
Donna Barratt	027 563 5338
Evelyn Edie	09 836 3306
Marion Humphrey	021 471 904
Elizabeth Jones	027 481 5610
Murali Kumar	021 685 804
David Lui	021 251 8201
Victor Martick	027 780 1996
Michelle Mascoll	021 021 88 233
Roger Phillips	027 439 2647
Rahul Uppal	027 731 1111
Roger King	027 282 2102
Caleb Watson	027 421 3308
Lucky Slade	021 112 6055
Sung Park	021 811 367
Lusila Tauafiafi-lutoi Geoffrey Holmes Adam Ryan Paul Ghai Kamlesh Naidu Ramzan Anjum	027 474 4972 021 241 4670 021 255 5130 021 995 049
SUNNYVALE Robyn Butler-Shaw	021 126 4251
WESTERN HEIGHT Vincent Naidu	
GLENDENE Warahi Paki	027 243 5924
SWANSON Alee Talava	021 159 9862

Sharon Davies 027 498 9597

July 2024





Available at the Pavilion Computer Hub

Book your non-emergency Maintenance or Gardening jobs online

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun	
	2	3	4	5	6	7	
8	9	10 Auckland Library Book drop off / pick up	П	12	13	14	
15	16	17	18	19	20	21	
22	23	24	25 Trust Board Meeting I.00pm Beatrix Pavilion	26 Market Day Beatrix Pavilion	27	28	
29	30	31	Ons Dorp Book Available John Heynen (past foundation Trust Chair 1982-1993) has a book out about the Ons Dorp Retirement Village, from concept to final Villa built. If you are interested in a copy please call or email John Heynen 09 818 3406; email: JMandJH@xtra.co.nz				