# Belvedere Heights News & Views December 2014

***Welcome to New Residents:***

*Marilyn Holmes*
*Marian Stoneman*
*Gloria Glenney*
*Verna Tabobandung*
*Gerald Harvey*
*Jenny Lumgair*

New Residents were thrilled with their new afghans made with TLC by our friend Barb:

**George Classen**

**Marilyn Holmes**

**Donelda McConnell** (below on left) presented **Claire Shalla** (right) with her welcome gift.

**Donelda & Claire**

**Connie Craddock**

**Devina Crisp**

**Harry Johnson**

**Marian Stoneman** **Gloria Glenney**

**Verna Tabobandung** (Left photo) receives welcome gift from **Lynn Whitely** and **Gerald Harvey** on right receives his afghan from **Maryanne Schnock**.

***In Memorium***

***Deepest Sympathy is extended to the families of:*** *Christa Strasburger* *Edna Bosley*
*Howard Schneider* *Ruth Bailey*

**Clem & Millie Mintz** celebrated **80 Years** of **Wedded Bliss** on

November 19th, 2014.
They are officially the longest married couple in **Canada!**

We are truly blessed to share our days with this wonderful couple who reside at Belvedere Heights.

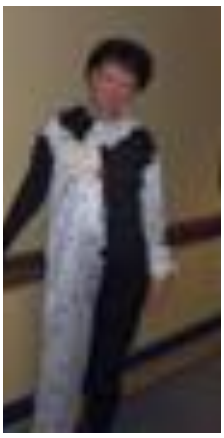
## Belvedere Halloween Staff Costumes

**Angel of the Month – Shellie Wolfe**
**Who knew?**

**Lori Neall** **Rebecca McEwen** **Richard Holloway**

**Pauline Hind**

**Sue Laing & Dace Smith**
**Programs & Restorative Staff**



**Teri Salt** **Carol Marshall** **Maryanne Schnock**

## Nursing's "Amazing Racers"

**Mary Walker & Kevin England**

## CSS Staff

**(L-R) Karen Lauren, Val Stanley Anna Holloway and Linda Taylor**

**Infection Control Education**

**Maryanne Schnock** (left) and **Barb Bennett** (right) shared health related tips with staff to promote wellness in the Home.

***Inspirational Thought***

***Rule 149 …. For a Better Way to Live***
***A wise old owl sat in an oak;***
***The more he saw the less he spoke;***
***The less he spoke the more he heard***
***Why can't we be like that wise old bird?***

## VOTING AT BELVEDERE

**Hilda Bylow** (on left) participated in the online voting on Election Day with the assistance of **Carol Marshall**, Programs Manager.

**Ralph Hind** from the Residence of Belview by the Bay is keeping in shape for the golf course in the spring of 2015! What an inspiration Ralph is to all the "couch potatoes" out there!

## THANK YOU

TO OUR VETERANS AT BELVEDERE:

EARL NORRIE
GERALD WAGER
JOHN HYATT
CLEMON MINTZ
ESME AVIS
EUGENE FOURNIER
HARRY JOHNSON
EARL DONNELLY

AND **BERT ANDERSON.**

## 80th Wedding Anniversary

**Clem Mintz** received a message of Congratulations from the Town of Parry Sound presented by **Mayor Jamie McGarvey.**

**Ever Wonder ...?**

**Why** a cluttered desk is a sign of a cluttered mind,
but an empty desk is supposedly a sign of neatness?
**Why** some people are old at 18 and some are young at 90?
**Why** Oak trees do not produce acorns
until they are at least fifty years old?

**Be thankful for the bad things in life… They opened your eyes to the good things you weren't paying attention to before!**

***Staff News***

**Deepest Sympathy** is extended to **Cristy-Ann Vallas** on the loss of her Dad.

**Heartfelt condolences** go out to **Cindy** and **Marshall Morden** on the death of Cindy's sister.

**Congratulations** to **Valerie Lemkay** on her transfer to the new **PSW Coordinator/Coach** position.

**Best wishes** to **Dace Smith, DONA** on her retirement. You will be missed!

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## Poetry Section

## An Ode to Lorne Ferris

Submitted by Lorne's sister
Vera Saunders from PEI
(Sung to the tune of Yankee Doodle)

Uncle Lornie he splits rocks
A strong man's occupation
Turns boulders into stepping stones
For future generations

Uncle Lornie
he's our man
He's the Quarry hero
He eats dinner
from a can
And quits work with a
zero

**(Above) Vera visits her brother Lorne at Belvedere.**

*Lorne worked at Hall's Stone Quarry for years.*

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## Guardian Angel Shellie Wolfe

**Shellie Wolfe** received her angel pin from **Yvonne Harvey** (left). Congratulations, Shellie! Shellie's Halloween Angel costume was perfect this year!

## Grandparent's Brag Corner

**Gloria Glenney** was thrilled to have a visit with her granddaughter **Robin MacDonald** and Great Grandson **Eli** (18 months). Eli loves to ride around on Great Grandma's walker!

**Congratulations** to **Winners** of the **IPC Routine Practices Quiz:** Donna McArthur, Chris McEwen, Lauren White, Amanda Peltomaki, Dawn Robinson, Teri Salt and Darlene O'Brien.

## Residents' Bill of Rights – Revised May 2010

13. Every Resident has the right to not to be restrained, except in the limited circumstances provided for under this Act and subject to the requirements provided under this Act.

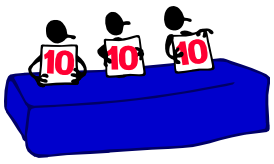
## Staff Monthly Attendance Draws:

2014 WINNERS

**Nursing Staff: Diane Beggs**

**Support Staff: Dawn Gallinger-Dumont**

Winning tickets were drawn by Yvonne Harvey, Tuck Shop Volunteer.




## Bay Freeze Date Contest 2015

Stop by at Administration to select your lucky date and secure your prediction early!