



Emmy Monash
Aged Care

emMY news

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RESIDENTS



MELBOURNE RECITAL CENTRE LIGHTS UP EMMY MONASH

Emmy residents and families were treated to a magical performance by the Hetty Kate Trio from the Melbourne Recital Centre yesterday. We hosted singer Hetty Kate and two accompanying musicians with a double bass, guitar and numerous ukuleles in tow. The trio played two concerts, one in the Alter Family Function Room and also in Lewinsky Plaza. Hetty Kate's renditions of familiar songs from the 1920's right through to the 50's were very popular with the residents, and saw plenty of beaming smiles and tapping fingers as residents enjoyed songs from eras gone by.



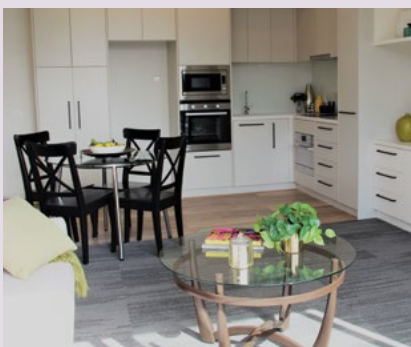
MITZVAH DAY 2017

Partnering with Darchei Shalom (Caulfield Shule's Social Action Group), this Mitzvah Day residents and volunteers baked cakes for those in need in our community. The cakes were delivered to seniors at the Inkerman Street Public Housing Estate. Earlier in the week, Emmy residents also spent a morning with the pre-schoolers at Gandel Besen House to make cakes for the less fortunate in the community. For some residents, it was also a chance for an extra cuddle with their great grandchildren!



MEMORY FRAMES

New memory frames will soon be installed at the entrance to residents' rooms in the Bierman-Sajet and Smorgon Units. Families will be invited to bring in small items that can be placed in these frames, to bring a sense of meaning to the resident. Objects that have special resonance are most effective, as they help the resident to feel personally connected to their room as well as stimulate happy and familiar feelings.



EMA APARTMENT TOURS AVAILABLE

Our upgraded EMA Independent Living apartments have been attracting strong interest in the community among active seniors. EMA apartments offer the perfect balance of independence, community life and security. You can register to join an apartment tour or have a private discussion regarding your needs by calling Sharon Projekt on 8508 9300. Apartments are ready for occupancy now!

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HEIDI MUSEUM OF MODERN ART & EMMY

Last week saw a group of art loving residents visit the Heidi Museum of Modern Art in Bulleen. As part of the Art Down Memory Lane program, residents together with Juanita Bekinschtein and Board member Bruce Joske, indulged into the world of Sidney Nolan at the exhibition, Making History: Nolan at the Newsagent. After learning much about the history of Heidi and Sidney Nolan's paintings prior to the visit, the residents relished in their adventure to Heidi and truly appreciated seeing the art they had studied, in person.



THE SHABBAT PROJECT

Together with Prep students from Mount Scopus Gandel Besen House and PJ Library, the Emmy family celebrated the worldwide Shabbat Project with a challah bake. Inter-generational bonds were strengthened and Jewish identity honoured as the students and residents shared stories and baking skills celebrating the keeping of shared traditions. It was wonderful to see great grandchildren share in the excitement with their family members.

STAFF



WELCOME

A warm welcome to staff members who have joined Emmy recently — Personal Care Attendants **Navroop Kaur, Satwant Kaur, Harleen Khubber, Ameesha Lakhani** and **Jamaica De Guzman**; Accountant **Gunjan Verma** has joined the Finance Department; and, **Sheryl Dominy** joins the Community, Culture and Wellbeing Department as Wellbeing Assistant.



FAREWELL JOY-ANN GOLDBERG

After 20 years' service as Finance Officer, we bid farewell to Joy-Ann, who has been an integral member of the Emmy family and greatly contributed to our community. She experienced the growth of Emmy Monash first hand and implemented processes over the years to constantly improve the delivery of the Accounts service. We wish Joy-Ann all the best in the future.

Upcoming Events

Sunday 3 December
Concert: Cantor Laloum
and TBI Choir

Wednesday 6 December
End of year Staff Party

Sunday 10 December
Concert: Peter Garam,
pianist/vocalist

Wednesday 13 December
NGV House of Dior Exhibition
visits Emmy

Sunday 17 December
Chanukah Family Day
11.00am–3.00pm



Sunday 24 December
Concert: Jason Fookes saxophonist