



### *Chinese Restaurant Outing to Euroa*



On Wednesday 17th July a group of residents went on a lovely outing to Euroa for a very special luncheon at the Chinese Restaurant.

This is a very popular restaurant in Euroa and came highly recommended.



The menu had so many choices with something for everyone. Definitely did not disappoint.



The meal was thoroughly enjoyed by all. Residents, staff and volunteers alike.

Thanks once again to Larry Cronin, who volunteered to drive the bus. Greatly appreciated.



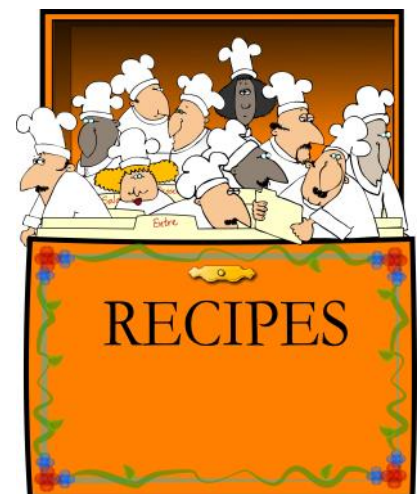
### **A Darlingford Recipe Book.....**

A recipe book is being lovingly created by our staff members at Darlingford, as part of our fundraising projects.

Residents, families, staff members and friends are all welcome to contribute their favourite recipe.

If you have any recipes, maybe handed down from grandma or just something enjoyed by your family, we would love to include it in the recipe book.

Please write or print out your recipe and give to Iris Cronin or just hand it into Reception.





## *Beatitudes*

*(For those who walk with the aged)*

Blessed are they who understand  
 My faltering step and shaking hand  
 Blessed who knew my ears today  
 Must strain to catch the things they say  
 Blessed are they who seem to know  
 My eyes are dim and my mind slow  
 Blessed are they who look away  
 When tea spilt on a cloth that day  
 Blessed are they with a cheery smile  
 Who stopped for a chat for a little while  
 Blessed are they who knew the way  
 To bring back memories of yesterday  
 Blessed are they who never say  
 You've told that story twice today  
 Blessed are they who make it known  
 That I'm loved, respected and not alone  
 Blessed are they who ease the days  
 Of my journey home, in loving ways.

*This lovely poem was submitted by a Resident at Darlingford*

## Notice from the Laundry....

We have returned to Gouge Linen Service to supply and launder our towels, sheets and pillowcases. Feedback has been positive and the quality of the linen is of a high standard.

**Knitwear....** When choosing items of clothing, please be aware that our laundry staff are not able to handwash woollens or delicate items.



Any items requiring handwashing will need to be collected and washed by family.

## Labelling of clothing



Unfortunately due to general wear and tear, clothing labels are constantly replaced by our laundry staff to avoid lost property department.

This month we have included the annual clothing label charge with our monthly fees. It is important that all clothing be named before being placed in wardrobes. If new clothing arrives, please give to a staff member to take to the laundry for labelling.

## Flu Season in here.....

Prevention is better than cure, so please use the hand sanitiser available when entering and leaving the facility.



If you are suffering from flu like symptoms, please defer your visit if possible, to avoid sharing with our residents, and the staff who are for them.



## Residents & Relatives Meetings

**August 13th 2019**

All residents, family & friends are welcome to attend.