

Spring Message from our Facility Manager

It seems like yesterday was January 26th and today is October 26th, time is like a whirlwind whirling



us from one month to the next. Where has 2023 gone?

We have had our challenges over the last few years with Covid 19, which resulted with Registered Nurse and Health Care Assistant shortages across the New Zealand Healthcare system. I am happy to announce that we have employed two new RNs and several HCAs, and our hospital wing is full.

We have also had a change in Government so it will be interesting to see what they will do for the Health of the Older person in the next three years.

Belinda and I went to conference this year in Wellington. It was informative and interesting to see what new technology is being developed for use in aged care e.g., from software packages to equipment, and furniture.

November is nearly upon us, and we will begin Christmas decorating in the house. For those Whanau new to us this year, our staff turn Cairnfield House into a Christmas Wonderland that we are extremely proud of. Including a Grotto where residents can sit and watch all the Christmas decorations that move or dance or twinkle.



Regards Lesley Middleton