

APRIL 2013

Pension Smart Card system implemented by SASSA

FNB "You Can Help" Campaign at Sunnyside Parke Home

30th Anniversary of Minerva Club

Initiated Skype system in the Lodge

JULY 2013

Golf cart for the Woodgrove Village Nursing Service

PADCA committed R1 mil to the upgrade & modernisation of Woodgrove units

Riverside Park Home residents attended the Concert in the Park

SEPTEMBER 2013

Riverside Park Home 25th Anniversary

PADCA's Annual Thanksgiving Christmas Parties & Outings

JANUARY 2014

Social Clubs increased to 19

60 internet users on the Woodgrove Internet system

New Sunnyside Park Home Manager

MARCH 2014

New PABX at Kemwyn



Our senior management team made a commitment to implement the Eden Alternative

PADCA brought the professional nursing staff of Riverside Park Home back in-house.



14 August was a day of fun in the sun at PADCA'S annual SPORTS DAY. 240 participants over 60 shook hoops, scored goals, and sprinted for the finish line. Competitiveness does not wane with age: games were fiercely contested as seniors representing 15 of our clubs came out to play and to win for their team.



Azalea Rotary Annes funded and attended the opening of the "Baking Corner" in Busy Bees at Sunnyside Park Home.



MySchool MyVillage MyPlanet EVERY SWIPE COUNTS

As part of our fundraising initiative, we applied and were accepted as a MySchool Beneficiary.



The objective of the Garden Show changed significantly as we showcased PADCA, its facilities and encouraged visitors to enter the PADCA Moffatt Mile and include us as a beneficiary on their MySchool card.



Our redesigned website is launched

CELEBRATING



An Arts & Crafts Exhibition was held at Woodgrove initiated by Elin Carbutt to display the talents of Life Right Holders and staff in Painting, Photography, Needlework, Quilting, Calligraphy, Embroidery. It was an explosion of talent – a day well attended and thoroughly enjoyed.

Our Graphic Mail database was created this year. To stay up to date on our latest happenings, sign up by popping onto our website.



We celebrated Active Aging with the inaugural PADCA Moffatt Mile at Alexandra Park. There were nearly 200 participants with the oldest entrant being 94. The event raised the awareness of the PADCA brand.



27 November saw 150 PADCA volunteers and some staff put their hats on and strut their stuff at our Day at the Races themed thank you function. They danced till late and proved yet again: age is no barrier to having a good time!

As part of implementing the Eden Alternative, the HOST (Head Office Support Team) was formed consisting of Hillary, Jo-Anne and Pam - it is a forum that was created for new ideas and initiatives, honest discussion and real teamwork. As HOST we decided that it is important to get to know our night staff. We started night visits in December offering cake, cookies, coffee and the favourite - Cappuccino.



To celebrate and honour staff during staff month in March, the Homes created Gratitude Boards to capture messages from residents, families and staff. The Riverside Park Home team created a Gratitude Wall, a brilliant concept which is used continually and reflects the special moments and happenings in the Home.

“...I feel privileged to be joining the PADCA family...” - Gill Jones