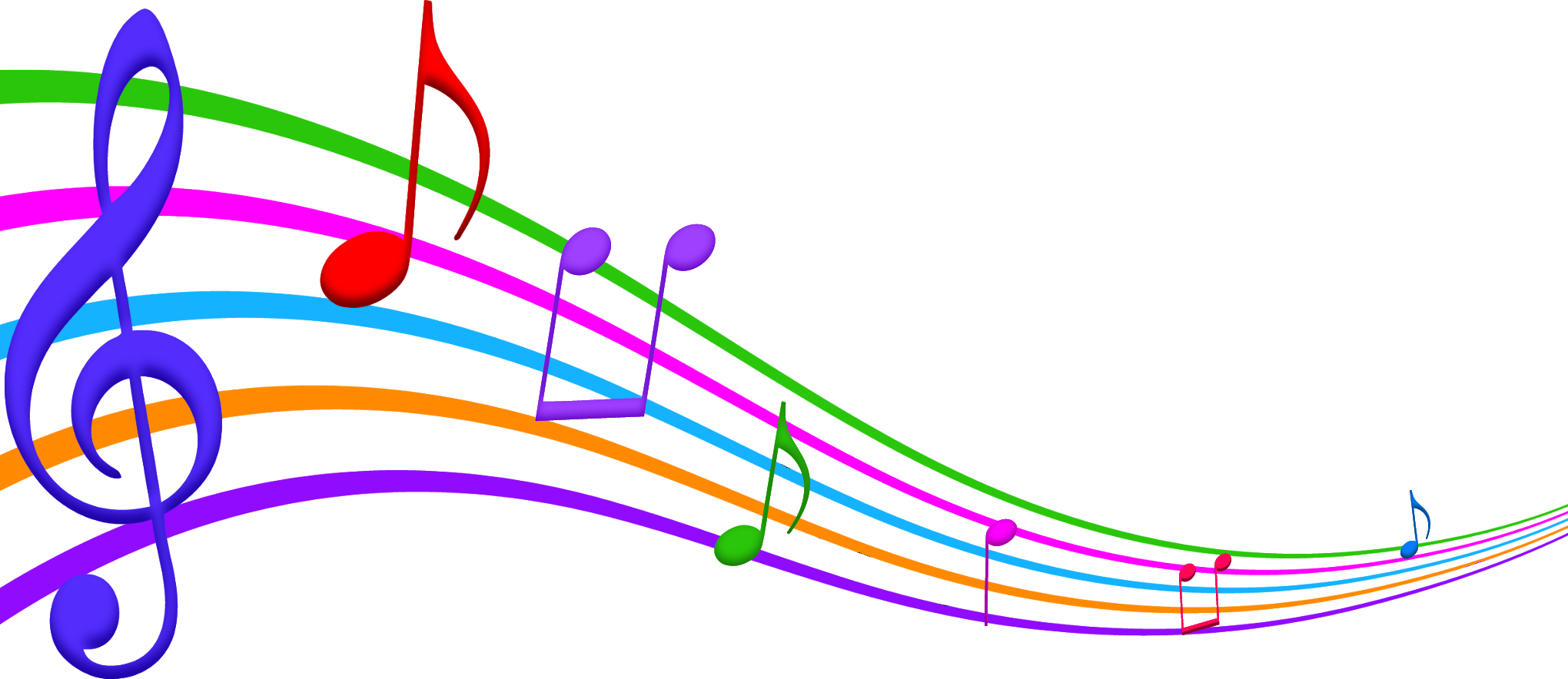
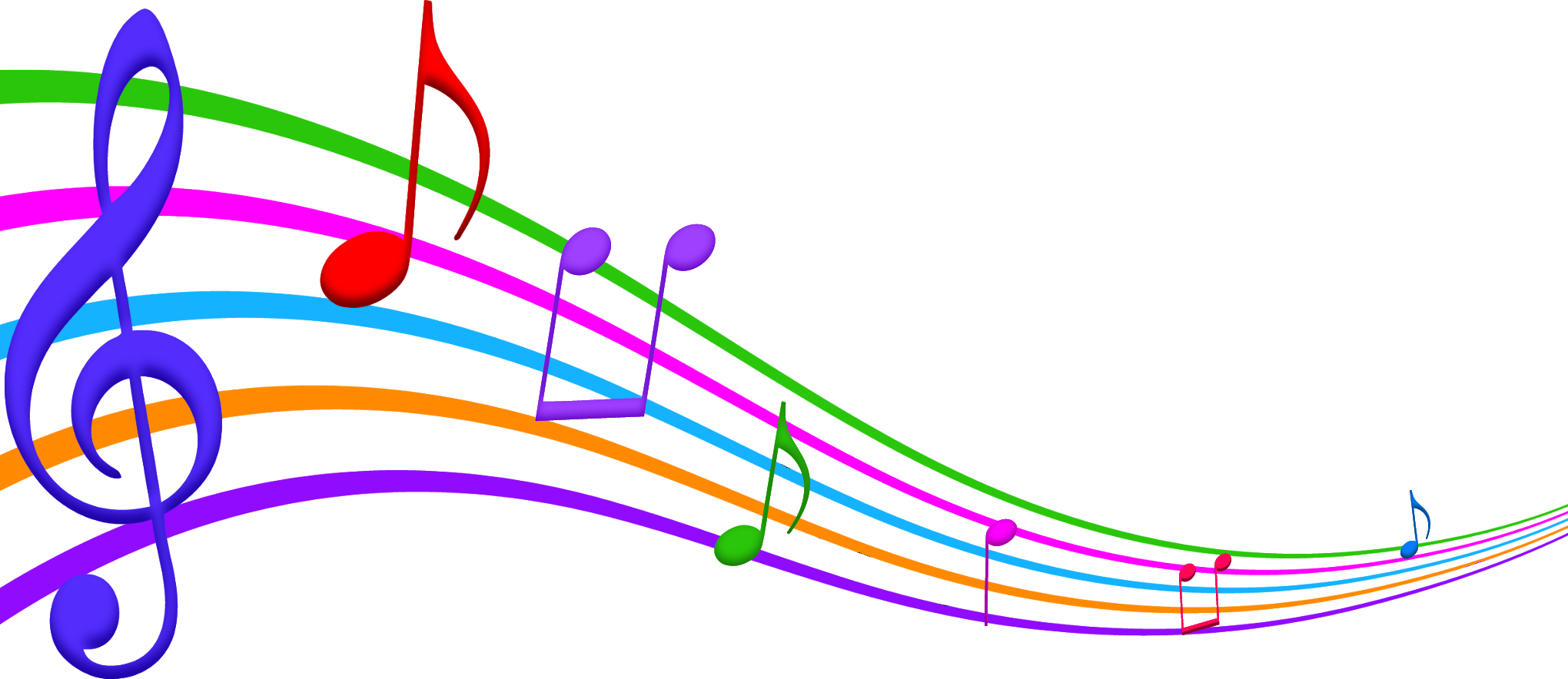
**Berri Cottage Homes**

**“In Tune”**

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**Village News from your Residents’ Committee**

***Happy Mother’s Day to all our mothers in the Village. Have a lovely day!***

***Thank you for your contribution to Residents’ Committee.***

*Members not seeking further terms*

*Dawn Pollard and Brian Schultz Thank you*

***SAVE the DATE for the following:***

***Weekly Friday “Happy Hour”*** *each Friday other than the third Friday when the RSL hold their Dinner.* ***Come to the centre from 4.30pm.***

***On the first Friday of the month there will be a Sausage Sizzle from 5.30pm***

***Cuppa and Chat usually*** *on the second Tuesday of each month commencing at 10am, however for the month of May because we have our Fashion Parade there will be no Cuppa & Chat this month. Friends are always welcome to join you for a gold coin donation.*

***Dressed 4 Success Fashion Parade*** *on**Thursday May 5th at 1.30pm for 2pm start winter fashions will feature. Afternoon Tea will be served following the parade at a cost of $5 per person. Tickets available from Mary Cox Phone: 0422 083 465 please have your friends save the date to join us.*

***Get Well Wishes***

*We have had several Residents on the sick list during April and we wish you all a speedy recovery and hope are back to join us at our events very soon.*





***Celebrating Birthdays in April***

***Celebrate your Special Day***

*2nd Faye Partridge*

*8th Rhondda Bottrell*

*9th Don Trimper*

*13th Heather Butler*

*14th Kevin Sachse*

*17th Christine Goodfellow*

***17th Mary Cox celebrates 70 Years Young***

*19th Ida Andrenacci*

*23rd Stephanie Knight*

*24th Kath Morrow*

***28th Val Cooper is celebrating her 80th***

***May your Happy Birthday be perfect!***

***What’s on at the Activity Centre***

***In May 2022***

***2nd*** *Probus 10am – 12noon*

*3rd Dementia Australia (Meeting Room 10-12)*

***Tai Chi******is every Wednesday 10am*** ***– 11.30am***

***5th Dressed for* Success Fashion Parade and Afternoon Tea 1.30pm for 2pm start**

*6th* ***Happy Hour*** *4.30* ***Sausage Sizzle*** *from* ***5.30***

*and every* ***Friday Happy Hour at 4.30pm***

*8th Resthaven Social Group 10am – 12noon*

***11th & 25th Kymm’s Hairdressing 12– 5pm***

***13th******Happy Hour @ 4.30pm BYO Drinks & Food***

***18th*** *Legacy Meeting 10am – 12 noon*

***20th******RSL Dinner at 6pm $10 for a 2-course meal***

***27th*** *Resthaven Lunch Group 11am – 2.30pm*

***27th Happy Hour from 4.30pm***

***Thank you to the Office of Tim Whetstone, Member for Chaffey, for the printing of our Newsletter!***

***2020/21 Residents Office Holders***

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| *Sally Forward* | *President*  *Unit 25* | *0401 139 628* |
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| *Susan Luchich* | *Secretary*  *Unit 31* | *0428 617 953* |
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| *Dawn Pollard* | *Social Event Coordinator* | *0421 041 770*  *Unit 23* |

***Suggestions***

*Please if you have suggestions regarding functions you would like to see organised, guest speakers you would like to invite to our Cuppa and Chat or anything else you may like to suggest, we would like to hear from you.*

*This past year has been difficult but after our Covid vaccinations kick in we may be almost back to normal, hopefully.*

*Would you like Happy Hour with BYO nibbles, drinks, and glasses at say 4 to 5 at the centre on a day to be agreed? This has been suggested by some Residents.*

***2022/23 Residents Committee***

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| *Sally Forward* | *President & Newsletter Ed.* | *0401 139 628*  *Unit 25* |
| *Adrian Grimsley* | *Position TBC*  *Unit 78* | *0437 503 592* |
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| *Helen Grimsley* | *Committee Member* | *0428 819 151*  *Unit 78* |
| ***Committee Positions*** | ***To be confirmed*** | ***At first meeting*** |

***IMPORTANT!***

***Change of Date***

***You are advised that the Annual General Meeting of***

***Berri Cottage Homes Inc***

***Will be held at the Activity Centre on Sunday 19th June***

***Commencing at 2pm***

***Please save the date***

***The Management Committee***

***Mother’s Day Raffle***

*Tickets are available at the Activity Centre for $1.00 each*

*1st Prize Meal Voucher $50*

*2nd Prize Meal Voucher $25*

***We want to thank the Berri Hotel for their generosity in providing the prizes for our raffle***

***Bottle and Can Collection*** *The next collection day will be Thursday 19th May in line with the end of daylight saving. Collection will be every second month until October. Please have your cans and bottles kerbside by 9.30am on collection day.*

***NEW Knitting Group*** *It has been suggested that we get together at the Activity Centre to knit poppies for Remembrance Day 2022. Margaret Ferguson has an easy pattern so all you need is a ball of 8 ply red wool and Sally Forward has some for $5, some small black buttons and a pair of 4mm knitting needles. Can’t knit but would like to be involved, we also have a crochet pattern. Looking at the diary, Thursdays are free from 2pm to 3.30pm.*

*Come and join the group and have a Cuppa and I’m sure there will be a lot of chat, you don’t need to commit to every Thursday just come when you can or get the pattern and knit at home it’s up to you!*

***Residents’ Annual Meeting***

Our meeting was held on Tuesday 26th April at the Activity Centre with 23 Residents attending and 14 apologies received.

A lot of topics and concerns were covered by the group and full Minutes will be available for those interested in the next week. The Residents’ Committee will prepare a submission to the Committee of Management on behalf of Residents and look forward to answers at the BCH Inc AGM. Apologies to those Residents who attend Seniors for the clash.

***Joke Corner!***

*Women really know how to hold a grudge.*

*My wife asked me to pass her lip balm.*

*By mistake, I gave her a tube of super glue!*

*It’s been a month; she’s still not speaking to me.*

*Husband brings the child home from kindergarten and asks his wife, “He’s been crying all the way home. Is he sick or something? No, replies the wife, “he was just trying to tell you that he’s not our Frankie”.*

*I freaked the Electrician by opening the door naked. Not sure what shocked him most, the fact that I was naked or that I got into his house!*