



# Residence at Home

Integrated supported living



My name is **Kelly** and I am 30 years old. I have my very own business where I cook vegetables. I supply Nursery Schools and Boma Meat Market. My vegetables are very healthy. I have been working as a kitchen helper, Tuesdays and Thursdays for 11 years at Kiddies Academy Lynnwood. Kyle is my "fiancée".



My name is **Kyle** and I am 40 years old. I love my music and enjoy sport very much. I love to go with my dad and my brother to watch the Blue Bulls play rugby at Loftus. I have 3 sisters and 2 brothers that love to spoil me. I started working 2 weeks ago at ISE - Indoor Sports and Entertainment Arena in Lynnwood Road. I pack the drinks in the fridges and I help set up the different sports arenas for the teams who come play matches at ISE. Kelly is my "fiancée".

## Who is Residence at Home?

Residence at Home is the brain-child of a few dedicated Parents, who have been blessed with Challenged and Special-Needs Children. These amazing Parents joined together in 2005 and created a permanent Residence where their Physically & Mentally Challenged Children could live a semi-independent life together and under the care, guidance and supervision of qualified and trained personnel.

These Parents' primary goal was to create a Home away from Home for their Children and not an Institution! One of the young adult's parents generously donated a hectare of their land to Residence at Home, which is situated on Plot 176, Nkwe Road, Tiegerpoort, in Pretoria East. This enabled everyone to build the kind of house they wanted for their children.

After 2 years of solid, dedicated hard work, plus the support and generous help with donations from an amazing group of Individuals and Companies, in and around South Africa and the USA - Residence at Home proudly opened her amazing doors on the 30th of June 2012, where the entire Tiegerpoort Community embraced the Cause!

## Our Name

**Residence at Home** is a Non-Profit Organization (NPO) that was registered on the 13<sup>th</sup> of October 2008, under the then name of Pathways Residence.

## Non-Profit Status

On the 10th of December 2009, Residence at Home were issued with Public Benefit Organization no. **930029604** from the South African Revenue Services.

## Residence

Residence at Home has 10 private bedrooms, all with their own bath/showers & toilets.

The main lounge, dining and living area, is all open plan facing out onto a nice veranda and swimming pool.

The Residence has a House Manager, an Assistant House Manager, 2 Facilitators and a Gardener.



My name is **Shaun** and I am 28 years old. I love to do the garden. I have my very own lawn mower, edge cutter and blower. I am starting my own business called "Green Fingers by Shaun", and I am currently the assistant gardener for Residence. I love to sing and listen to music and watch TV. I have a sausage dog and her name is Tammy, I love my Tamarin. I enjoy giving out hugs and love all the girls.



My name is **Lozelde** and I am 24 years old. I am in a wheelchair and have my own facilitator, yet nothing holds me back. I am starting my own business at Workshop called "Creations by Lozelde". I will be creating greeting cards on my computer and printing them out for sale. I love music and my favorite Soapie is 7de Laan.



Residents, Staff, some parents and an amazing USA family who are not only huge donors, but also friends in front of our bus and Residence

### Workshop



My name is **Ewald** and I am 31 years old. I am very clever when it comes to birds. I know all the birds' biological names and I love to draw and paint them. I even paint them on my T-shirts. My hobbies are to watch TV and to google my favorite programmes like National Geographic and to watch DVD's about nature and sport.

Residence@Work also boasts a very dynamic and colorful workshop, where the Young Adults are taught life-skills, by the Workshop Manager every weekday morning, thereby gaining a sense of purpose for our Young Adults to go to work, be rewarded each month by a salary and enjoy it! The variety of products which includes articles such as Pottery, Mosaic, Dog biscuits, Sewing Cushions, making of Earrings, Necklaces, etc, etc the list goes on, is heart rendering for our young adults to see their very own achievements - All products go on sale to markets and the community, to help raise much needed funds for our Residence & Workshop.



My name is **Funeka** and I am 25 years old. I have 2 younger sisters who I love to play with. I enjoy working in the kitchen and love to help anyone, who needs my help.



My name is **Jacomien** and I am 38 years old. I love to read and enjoy nature. My favorite colour is purple. My parents stay in Vryheid and I have an older brother and younger sister.



My name is **Gisela** and I am 43 years old. I love Kelly very much. I really enjoy being around the young people of Residence. I am very handy, and I knit and do Tapestry. I like being clean and tidy. I love cooking and really love music. I really enjoy listening to my CD's and I also love to swim.



My name is **Nato** and I am 32 years old. I love to come to the workshop and I enjoy horse riding, hiking, rowing, reading books and swimming. I love to paint, draw and cut out pictures.



My name is **Ché** and I am 28 years old. My favorite time of the year is Christmas. I have 2 Labradors, who I love dearly. I enjoy visiting my grandpa who stays in Amsterdam. My girlfriends name is Lozelde. I just got myself a job 2 days a week working at our Tierpoort OK Foods.

### Funding

Residence at Home as well as Residence@ Work, is primarily funded by the 8 Parents whose children reside in the house. The Workshop offers employment and skills training to other semi-independent youngsters in and around the community. The running costs are high to maintain the exclusivity and individual attention for all, thus both entities are very much reliant on donations to sustain, maintain as well as to improve.

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