

Towards an idyll retirement

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BANGALORE: The 130-acres of integrated township at Brigade Orchards in Devanahalli will also comprise retirement homes named 'Brigade Parkside', said Mr. M.R. Jaishankar, CMD, Brigade Group.

Announcing the launch of 156 Parkside homes designed for retired citizens, the houses, that are expected to be ready in the next two years are packed with amenities to suit the age of the end-user, he said.

The group has tied up with Age Ventures India (of Help Age India) for making operational

the assisted living facilities at the homes.

Mr. Kailash Advani, Executive Director, BCV, said that the homes formed the missing link in terms of location and inclusivity that other old-age homes were bereft of. "We are having an entry level price of 40 lakh that would include amenities like extra-wide corridors, ramps and hand-rails in connecting areas along with non-skid tiles and a wheelchair-friendly design housing a 24/7 medical assistance," he said.

Among those who spoke were P.C. Sen and Arun Gupta, of Age Ventures India.