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Some History about Valentine's Day



The beginning of Valentine's Day is shrouded in mystery, there are many theories. According to one legend, Valentine actually sent the first "valentine" greeting himself. While in prison, it is believed that Valentine fell in love with a young girl -- who may have been his jailor's daughter -- who visited him during his confinement. Before his death, it is alleged that he wrote her a letter, which he signed "From your Valentine," an expression that is still in use today. According to the Greeting Card Association, an estimated one billion valentine cards are sent each year, making Valentine's Day the second largest card-sending holiday of the year. Next to Christmas of course. More on Page 4 ...

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Valentine's Program

EVENING ACTIVITIES FOR FEBRUARY

February 1
Prayer and Share with Bob George

February 2
Carol Burnett Video

February 9
Richard Serletic

February 10
Keck Avenue Baptist Church Youth Group
Valentine's Program

Valentine's Day
is
February 14

February 15
Spiritual Devotions with Bob George

February 16
Teri Martin

February 21
Wii Bowling

February 22
Charlie & Bob

February 28
Carol Burnett Video

Keck Avenue
Baptist
Church
Youth Group
Fri. Feb. 10
@ 6:30 pm





Alzheimer Family Support Group
Wednesday, February 15th, 3:00pm at
Holiday Retirement Village

Everyone is welcome!

More info? Call (812) 602-2672, Megan Dukes
Alzheimer's Association Helpline: 1-800-272-3900

Visitors are welcome at the Heritage Center at Holiday. When you come to visit, please stop at the Front Office or Hearthside Nurse's Desk to sign in and get a visitor's badge. This helps us provide continued security for our residents, staff & visitors. Thank you!

*Saying Good-bye...
to residents who passed from
this life during the month of
January.*



Barbara Herron
Madonna Westerman
Carmen Thomas
Mabel Georgesen
Damyantil Sonpal
Jane Tempco
Mary McKnight

Happy Birthday Staff!!

Lisa Wallis	1st	Sandra Smith	8th	Rhonda Gerbig	21st
Carol Green	2nd	Sharon Bentley	14th	Carla Hynes	21st
Joy Wagoner	2nd	John Crowley	14th	Rachel McDaniel	21st
Jane Brown	3rd	Mackenzie Titzer	16th	Jared Anslinger	22nd
David Chada	4th	Kyle Isaac	19th	Crystal Grigsby	24th
Julia Means	5th	Marina Tieken	19th		

ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF

Executive Director & President - Don Hester
Human Resources - Dora Gaylor
Admissions - Jayme Rainey & Linda Koressel
Director of Nursing - Joanne Bates
Social Services - Megan Dukes
Business Office - Kathy Hillyard



Registered Dietitian - Susan Straub
Staff Development - Marina Tieken
Environmental Services - Jean Rough
Maintenance Director - David Bretz
Rehabilitation Director - Lisa Beyers
Bridges Director - Sandy Taylor



Resident News

Resident Council

Your Resident Council meets on the 2nd Tuesday of each month at 2pm. The next meeting will be held on February 14th in the Pavilion.

All residents are invited!

Resident Council Officers

President - Gary Martens
Vice-President - Jim Schreiber
Interim Sect/Treas. - Gary Martens

Virgene Gaither	1st	Albert Kruse	22nd
Louise Paugh	3rd	John Walton	24th
Elvin Hewins	4th	Louise Turi	27th
Lucille Holfelner	15th	Mary Devault	28th
Mary Murphey	19th	Allen Commens	29th
William Tenbarge	20th		



To Our Residents

Volunteer of the Month



*Larry Daugherty
With Bobbie*



Resident of the Month



Helen Miller



Spiritual Care with Judy George



February, considered to be the month of love, is upon us! Our thoughts turn to those we love! Love has many different meanings to various people. Jesus says, "greater love has no one than this to lay down one's life for his friends." It is good to tell and demonstrate our love to those we love, but the source of all pure love comes from the one who is "love", Jesus Christ our Lord and Savior. Everything about him demonstrates love. We need to read the Gospels of Matthew, Mark, Luke, and John to see multiple examples of the love of Jesus with regular folks like you and me. Jesus specialized on the poor, lame, maimed, and blind. Many times Jesus was criticized for the day, time, manor that he healed and ministered to people. You say, well I'm not poor, lame, maimed, or blind, but we might be spiritually or emotionally in that condition. God wants to minister his "Love" to us whatever our needs are right now. Receive His love, whatever our need is this day and let us share that love with others. It only takes a spark to get love glowing in our homes!

In the Middle Ages young men and women drew the names from a bowl to see who would be their Valentine. They would wear this name pinned on their sleeves for one week. This was done so that it becomes easy for other people to know your true feelings. This was known as "to wear your heart on your sleeve"



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Items of interest to our residents
and families may be submitted to
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Of the 73% of people
who buy Valentine's
Day flowers are
men, while only 27
percent are women.

On February 14th wooden
love spoons were carved and
given as gifts on Valentine's
Day in Wales. Hearts, keys
and keyholes were favorite
Valentine decorations on the
wooden spoons. This
Valentine decoration meant,
"You unlock my heart!"

 Get the information you need! 

Extra Activity Calendars are available at the Front Desk and in the Pavilion.
The Main Calendar is also posted in Center Hall next to the Business Office.
Families are welcome to attend activities with their resident.