

# OCTOBER NEWSLETTER 2018



## ***Hello Residents,***

We are happy to announce another positive change at Rosewood beginning soon. You deserve the best and we have partnered with a new service provider, Preferred Podiatry Group. This company has been in the business of providing high quality podiatry services since 1972. Dr. Martin will be the doctor caring for you. She is compassionate and a dedicated doctor who is the mother of a daughter and twin boys. We are looking at her first visit to be in October; you will be notified of the day she will begin seeing new patients at Rosewood. If you would still like to see Village Podiatry we will support that as well.

### **Here are a few things about PPF that you may want to know:**

1. The PPG Podiatrists will visit you approximately every 61 days, or more often if necessary
2. A preliminary examination will be performed to evaluate the residents' foot care requirements; follow up care will be rendered to only those with special needs where it is medically necessary
3. All PPG podiatrists will comply with OBRA and OSHA guidelines
4. Yes, PPG does take assignment

So how do you take advantage of this new service when needed? Simply fill out their new patient form which can be obtained at the nurse's station, Tracy Scott's office, Tammy Davidson's or Rhonda Sharp's office. By signing this authorization form you are allowing PPG to treat you and bill Medicare and your supplemental insurance carrier. You only need to sign this form ONCE prior to the visit. Here is how billing will work: Authorization form signed and billing information obtained, resident evaluated and treated, initial billing statement is sent to the primary carrier such as Medicare, PPG takes assignment, therefore, Medicare is responsible for (80%) of the claim.

*We look forward to happier and healthier feet throughout Rosewood!  
Thanks for being the best residents ever...please let the staff know how we can better serve you.*

**Greg Pflug,**  
Executive Director

## **October 3**

New Resident Welcome  
Birthday Party

## **October 8**

Indigenous Peoples' Day

## **October 8**

Cards for Veterans

## **October 12**

Memory Care Sunshine Tour

## **October 16**

Fall Skin Care Clinic

## **October 18**

R and D Apple Orchard

## **October 24**

Beltone Check-Ups

## **October 30**

Autumn Costume Bash

## **October 31**

Memory Care Halloween Party





### ***Cookie Social to Welcome New Residents – September 4th***

We had a wonderful afternoon as we sat and socialized with our new residents. We sipped ice cold pineapple orange tea and enjoyed pumpkin spiced snicker doodle cookies. We are looking forward to more socials in the coming months as we get to know all our new residents. Please be sure to check your calendars for dates and times for upcoming socials and special events. Our next Birthday and New Resident Welcome Celebration will be held on Wednesday, October 3rd in the Media Room at 2:30 pm. Please come join us!



### ***Residents Celebrated Grandparents Day with Compassus Hospice – September 8th***

Our residents had a fun time celebrating Grandparents Day with Angie from Compassus Hospice. They played their favorite game of Bingo and shared snacks together. They really enjoyed their day talking about their grandchildren. It's been so nice to hear them share their stories and experiences they have had over the years. If you are a young person with children and you are in need of some pointers on how to build a firm foundation for your children, our grandparents here at Rosewood can be a great resource for you. Just sit and talk with them sometime.





## ***The Tea Party with Rena and Tracey – September 11th***

Everything was so beautiful! All the details were so well planned and taken care of. There were freshly baked iced scones, petit fours, dainty tea pot cookies, cucumber sandwiches, and a variety of flavored teas. There was excitement about the room as the ladies and one gentleman gathered around the pink and green dressed tables. The exquisite and unusual eclectic tea cups and saucers appeared to be from a collector's cabinet from a far away place. They really set the tone for our "Capturing the Moment" theme of the week. Everyone had a wonderful afternoon! Rena and Tracey exemplified great teamwork! Well done, ladies!



## ***Family Night in Memory Care "The Roaring Twenties" – September 13th***

On September 13th, Family Night in Memory Care was the bee's knees, the cat's pajamas, the be-all-and-end-all! The Roaring Twenties roared to life with hot jazz, great food and razzmatazz. Gatsby himself would have been impressed with how swell everyone looked in their flappers' finery and gangsters' get-ups. Puttin' on the Ritz has never been so much fun! The Joe Chambers Band provided just the right mood music for the occasion. Residents and their families enjoyed an atmosphere of frolicking fun and finery!





### ***Memory Care Sunshine Tour*** *October 12th at 1:00 pm*

In September, Memory Care residents enjoyed a scenic tour through Chickamauga Park. The outing was a great success! On October 12th, Memory Care residents will enjoy a tour through some of this area's most beautiful locales, in hopes of spotting autumn foliage. What a view to enjoy! Beautiful wooded areas, mountains in every direction, history at our fingertips and (hopefully) autumn in all its glory!



### ***Cards for Veterans*** *October 8th at 2:30 pm*

On October 8th, Memory Care residents will begin designing and decorating Thanksgiving and Christmas cards for veterans. The cards will be sent to our troops overseas, in the hopes of uplifting and honoring those who serve us so well.



### ***Fall Skin Care Clinic*** *October 16th at 2:00 pm*

Fall Skin Clinic will be held in the Media Room on October 16th at 2:00 pm with Effie Lyons. She will be discussing how to prevent dry skin in the fall months, how to take care of dry chapped lips, and how to take care of dry cuticles. Come out to hear more and to get your questions answered about your skin care needs.





## ***Trip to R and D Apple Orchard October 18th at 9:00 am***

We will be visiting R and D Apple Orchard again this year on Thursday, October 18<sup>th</sup>. We will leave Rosewood at 9:00 am. This is an all day trip. We will eat lunch at Amicalola Falls State Park & Lodge Restaurant. If you would like to go, please RSVP by Wednesday October 10th by letting Megan, our receptionist at the front desk, place your name on the list. This a fun trip; we had lots of fun last year. It's a special fall treat!



## ***Autumn Costume Bash October 30th***

Wear your favorite costume character, come out to play silly games, dance, have fun with friends, and eat fall treats. We are looking forward to having a wonderful time. Most of all we are looking forward to seeing all the silly, cool costumes, and how creative everyone will be. See you there!



## ***Beltone Hearing Check-Ups October 24th at 9:00 am***

Beltone representative Amanda will be in the Dining Room at 9:00 am on October 24th to do hearing check-ups. Amanda will be stopping by Memory Care to do check-ups for MC residents the same day. Please welcome her and let her know of any needs or questions you may have about her company's services.



## ***Memory Care Halloween Party October 31st at 2:00 pm***

On October 31st, Memory Care residents will enjoy a hauntingly good time! The MC Halloween Party and Costume Bash will set the tone for the day. Great food, fun and games, cool prizes, and Halloween costumes galore will be sure to lift spirits and shake the rafters. Come join Memory Care residents for a chain-rattling good time!

***SAVE  
THE  
DATE***

***November 2nd — FUNtastic Friday: Nursery Rhyme/Children Stories Day***



## Billie Davis

She has been such a joy since I met her. Every time I see her in the dining room she is always wearing a smile. She tells me how much she enjoys being here. She encourages me in many ways. We enjoy having her in Bingo and at the cookie socials. We are looking forward to getting to know her. Please join us as we recognize Billie Davis as our resident of the month, for the month of October.

## OCTOBER FUN FACTS

- Ireland is believed to be the birthplace of Halloween, which was originally a Celtic festival called Samhain.
- The word “witch” comes from the Old English wicce, meaning “female magician, sorceress.”
- “Jack O’Lantern” refers to the ghostly figure of Stingy Jack, who, according to Irish lore, was forbidden entrance into both heaven and hell. He was condemned to wander the Earth with nothing but a burning coal placed into a carved-out turnip, to light his way. The people of Ireland and Scotland began making their own versions of Jack’s lantern in order to frighten Stingy Jack away.
- Turnips, potatoes and beets were originally used to make Jack O’Lanterns. It wasn’t until Irish, English, and Scottish immigrants moved to the Americas that pumpkins were used.
- On October 9, 2016, Mathis Willemijns set a world record at the Giant Pumpkin European Championship with a pumpkin that weighed 2,524.6 pounds.

WELCOME NEW  
RESIDENTS!



Bill Jones



**HAPPY BIRTHDAY!**



### Resident

Linda Crownover	Oct.03
Robbie Fletcher	Oct.06
Joan Roberts	Oct.06
Pauline Allen	Oct.07
Joyce Chambers	Oct.09
John Parker	Oct.11
Dorothy Anderson	Oct.12
Laura Raulston	Oct.16
J.L. Smith	Oct.22
Billie Davis	Oct.26

### Employee

Megan Bryson	Oct. 2
Shasta Meloche	Oct. 6
Melissa Driggers	Oct. 12
Laura Maya	Oct. 13
Micah Robles	Oct. 21
Tracy Kilgore	Oct. 24



## WORD FIND

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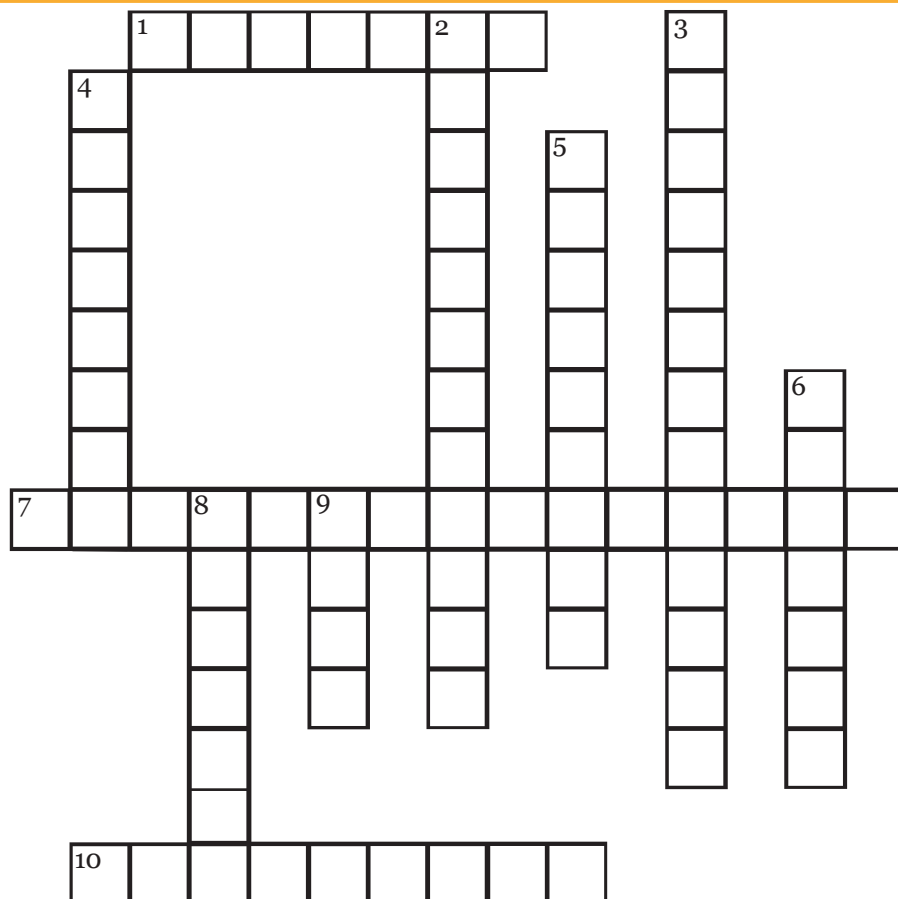
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GHOST  
HALLOWEEN  
JACKOLANTERN

LIBRA  
OPAL  
PUMPKIN

SCARY  
SCORPIO  
WITCH

## CROSS-WORD



### Across

1. Tried in Salem, MA.
7. Custom of calling at houses at Halloween.
10. October's flower.

### Down

2. Bats "see" with \_\_\_\_\_.
3. Originally carved from turnips, potatoes or beets.
4. Another term for witch's pet.
5. October 31st.
6. President most commonly seen haunting the White House.
8. \_\_\_\_ apples, a popular Halloween treat.
9. October's birthstone.





### EMPLOYEE OF THE YEAR

#### Scott Davis



Congratulations, Scott! Scott Davis is such a blessing to all of us here at Rosewood Assisted Living. He is a true friend and, to many of the residents, he fits the role of a son, grandson, or nearest and dearest

relative. Scott is the guy you can call on when you need a friend. He is caring, compassionate, makes extra efforts to accommodate others, and is a team player, in every sense of the word. Scott, we are so thankful for all you do here, and we are honored to call you our 2018 Employee of the Year!

### EMPLOYEE OF THE MONTH

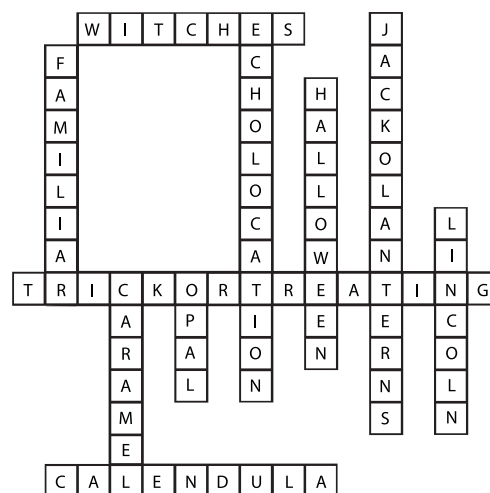
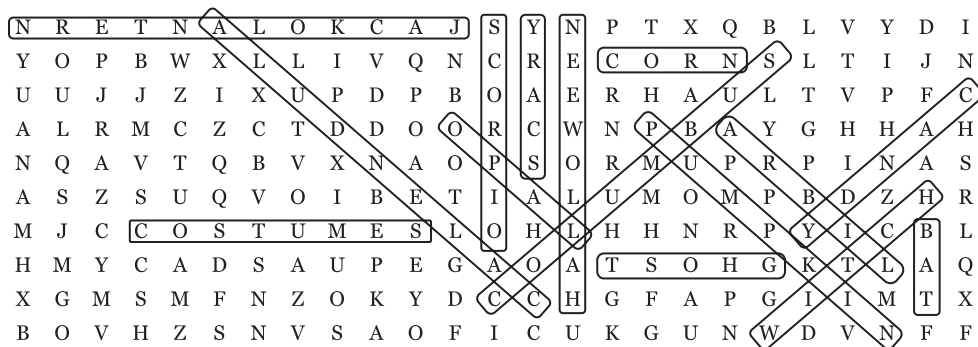
#### Amanda Parson



Amanda is an amazing LPN! She comes in early and stays late to fill in whenever asked. She is a team player and she has no problem helping her team with showers, assisting in the dining area and

going the extra mile to make sure all our residents are taken care of. Please join us as we celebrate and congratulate Amanda as our Employee of the Month for October 2018!

### ANSWER KEY:



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