WHAT'S COMING UP

March 1st World Compliment Day

> March 2nd Dr. Seuss Day

> > March 7th Purim

March 11th Johnny Appleseed Day

March 12th Daylight Saving Starts

March 15th Assisted Living Inter-community BINGO

> March 17th St. Patrick's Day

March 20th First Day of Spring

March 23rd Lunch Outing to Wanda's

> March 28th Trivia with Daniel

March 31st March Birthday Party



MARCH 2023 NEWSLETTER



Residents, Family and Friends,

May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace as you trust in Him, so that you may overflow with hope by the power of the Holy Spirit. — Romans 15:13

March is here, and with it comes the new life of spring. Flowers are beginning to bloom, the weather is getting warmer, and the sun is shining on all.

We are happy to offer several activities this month and encourage all of our residents to take advantage of the beautiful spring weather. We will be celebrating Dr. Seuss Day, participating in a BINGO game with Assisted Living residents from other communities, and enjoying a lunch outing to Wanda's.

Of course, how could we celebrate March without St. Patrick's Day? We'll be enjoying the day with good food and lots of goodies!

Wear your green so you don't get pinched!

Sincerely, Your Rosewood Family

RECENT EVENTS



Popcorn Day

Staff and residents enjoyed our National Popcorn Day activity. We discussed the history of popcorn, how it is made and why it is such a popular snack. After we filled our minds with learning, we filled our bellies with that wonderfully famous, buttery snack!



Hearth Hospice Snow Globe Activity

The ladies from Hearth Hospice came to the community to help residents make snow globes for Valentine's Day. Everyone had a great time! All the residents really used their imagination and their great talents. Thank you to Hearth Hospice for taking the time to do an activity with the residents that they can enjoy for quite some time.







BINGO

Life Enrichment wanted to showcase this BINGO game because there were over 17 residents in attendance! Compared to what our BINGO games usually are, that is a huge increase in attendees! Residents as well as staff are getting the word out and it shows. We love when the activities grow and there are more and more attendees. Thank you to both the staff and residents!



Dancing the Day Away

Our Pathways residents had a great time dancing and singing along to our newest performer, Randall. He has a family member in our community and reached out about performing for our Memory Care residents. The staff and residents had a great time. We are thankful to all of our performers who take the time out of their day to perform for our residents.





Dr. Seuss Day March 2nd at 11:00 a.m.

Rosewood residents will spend the day learning about Dr. Seuss. We will begin the day at 11:00 a.m. with Dr. Seuss history, and we will also read a few of his books. Our Thursday Sunshine Tour at 1:00 p.m. will also focus on Dr. Seuss. Then at 3:00 p.m. we will have a Dr. Seuss celebration where we will eat some Dr. Seuss inspired foods and have a time of laughter. Let's have a Seuss of a day while we learn about a very influential author.



Assisted Living Inter-community BINGO March 15th at 1:30 p.m.

Rosewood residents have been invited to an assisted living inter-community BINGO game. An assisted living community in a neighboring town has invited our residents to join them for a HUGE bingo game. There will be other assisted living communities there as well. So, grab your best "BINGO" yell and let's go have fun with our peers!



St. Patrick's Day Celebration March 17th at 3:30 p.m.

Join Life Enrichment for a St.Patrick's Day Celebration. We will enjoy lots of snacks and goodies as we celebrate St. Patrick's Day. With the "Luck of the Irish" we will have a great time. Don't get pinched, remember to wear your green!





First Day of Spring March 20th

In honor of the first day of spring, we will be doing some spring activities throughout the day. Join us as we celebrate the arrival of a new season and say goodbye to Old Man Winter!



Lunch Outing to Wanda's March 23rd at 11:30 a.m.

We will be going on our monthly lunch outing to Wanda's Restaurant in Rock Springs, GA. Wanda's is known for its down home cooking that many love and enjoy. Residents voted and their vote was heard! Everyone remember there is always a sign-up sheet at the Front Desk. We will have room for 12 residents. Make sure to sign up so you don't miss out on this trip!



March Trivia with Daniel March 28th at 10:30 a.m.

Daniel Barber from Caris Hospice will be here to do March Trivia with our Rosewood residents. He is very engaging and our residents always have a great time when he comes. Our residents, as well as our staff, really appreciate the time that our hospice groups and our performers spend with them.



March Birthday Party March 31st at 3:30 p.m.

Join us as we celebrate our March birthdays! Our birthday party in February had a great turn out! Several came to celebrate and we had a wonderful time of fellowship. Come celebrate with us in March and let's see if we have even more to attend this month!

Save the Date

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Marjorie "Granny" Robinson

This Month's resident spotlight is Marjorie "Granny" Robinson, who has lived at Rosewood for four years. This 108-year-old, who many at Rosewood affectionately call "Granny," has had a life full of love, laughter, and family. Marjorie was born in Andersonville, Georgia. Losing her mother at the young age of nine, Marjorie would wake up from then on to prepare 90 biscuits each day for the family and farm workers.

Hard-work is something Marjorie never shied away from. As an adult, she was a busy homemaker who enjoyed sewing, going to church, and tending to beautiful flowers in her garden, all while raising three children — two daughters and one late son. Marjorie is also blessed with six grandchildren and ten great-grandchildren.

At Rosewood, Marjorie enjoys interacting with



others and having company over, and she is a big fan of our balloon toss activity! Marjorie loves to admire beautiful things, like a nice fabric or flowers. Show her your tattoos, and she'll probably say, "Beautiful! Just beautiful!" When talking to Marjorie, it's clear she is an encouraging person with a lot of love to give. Thank you, Marjorie, for being our "Granny," and someone we can count on to make our days a little sweeter.

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Francis Hartis	Mar. 12	Betty Wheeler	Mar. 24	Bethany Davis	Mar. 24
Ashley Cook	Mar. 14	Catherine Westerfield	Mar. 27		

COMMUNITY STORY

We want to take the time to recognize our Chaplains that take their time to come and tend to the spiritual needs of our Rosewood residents. We often forget that our spirit needs to be taken care of in addition to our physical body. We thank all of you for your dedication to our residents and their families.

I also wanted to take the time to remind all of our residents that Ryan Stoker, Chaplain with Hospice of Chattanooga, has offered to come to Rosewood each Sunday morning and take those who have signed up to attend service at his church, Flintstone Baptist Church in Flinstone, GA. There is only space for 12 residents to go. Their van does not have the means to accommodate those in a wheelchair, but this is something that they are hoping to do in the future.

To go you must sign up in the folder at the front desk no later than noon on the Friday before. That way we can contact your POA to let them know you will be out of the building and also so we can get a packet together to take with you in case of an emergency.

We want to thank our Chaplains and Ryan for taking the time to accommodate our Rosewood community.

WELCOME NEW RESIDENTS!

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- 3. The Vernal Equinox is when the sun is directly above the ___
- 4. There are two zodiac signs in March. Pisces, and
- 6. Alexander Graham Bell made the first-ever _____ call on March 10th
- 8. If you were born in March, your birth flower is a
- 11. Julius Caesar was assassinated on the 15th of _____

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- 2. In old Roman calendars, one year used to be months long
- 5. John F. Kennedy founded the Peace _____ on March 1, 1961
- 7. March birthstones are aquamarine and
- 9. Every year, March, and _____ finish on the same day of the week
- 10. The Anglo-Saxons called March "_____ month"
- 12. The _____ Tower was ascended for the first time on March 31, 1889.



EMPLOYEE RECOGNITION PROGRAM

Thank You, for your outstanding service & care!

EMPLOYEE OF THE YEAR

Cindy Romines



Cindy has been an employee with Rosewood for almost three years. She is our Business Office Manager. She started as the receptionist helping residents and their families. She is dependable, compassionate, understanding, loving, and prayerful. She is

easy to talk to and helps everyone. Cindy enjoys studying the Bible. Her prayer closet is her car where she journals, talks to God, and prays for everyone.

Cindy has 4 children, 13 grandchildren, and has been married for 18 years. Thank you, Cindy, for your prayers, encouragement, listening ear, helping hand, and caring attitude. We are so glad to have you in our community. You are the epitome of what an Employee of the Year should be.

EMPLOYEE OF THE MONTH

Jennifer Westphal



Jennifer has worked at Rosewood for two years. She has been a caregiver for over five years and was a former CNA. Jennifer is a hard worker who is kind and very helpful to her co-workers. Jennifer has been married to her husband for 16 years, and they have

three beautiful daughters. She is originally from California! Her hobbies include ghost hunting and attending paranormal conventions.

Jennifer works mainly alongside our Memory Care residents. When asked, Jennifer said her favorite thing about working at Rosewood is the residents. She said she enjoys making them smile and getting to know them. Thank you, Jennifer, for all your hard work and the help you are always willing to provide for our awesome care staff!

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