# **Our Team**



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# September 2024 NEWSLETTER

#### **Resident Birthdays**

9/1-Jerry M. 9/1-Diane H. 9/12-Judith A. 9/14- Bob F. 9/21- Karin V. (QC) 9/28- Anne R. 9/30- Don V. (QC)

Employee Birthdays
9/9- Shelly M.
9/12- Carl N.
9/16- Amy J.



# Letter from our Executive Director

**Happy September Bluffs Family!** 

I've been seeing the Fall decorations in the stores for quite some time now and I have been in denial that Fall is right around the corner.

Welp, here we go! Break out the pumpkin spice!

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We have a busy September planned. September always brings National Assisted Living Week (NALW). Although we are not technically an Assisted Living Facility, we still celebrate this event each year. The theme this year is "Inspiring Generations." We will kick off the week with Goodies with Grandparents on Grandparents Day. Please come see Grandma and Grandma on this fun day! We will also feature a generational display in the lobby, stop by and take a look at the generations through the years. Kalyssa will touch on some more of our NALW activities in the Activity Highlight section.

On the 15th of this month, we will be having a nice dinner in celebration of our 24th anniversary. Stay tuned for more details.

Looking forward to a great month and great memories. See you soon! -les

### **Activity Highlights**

Hello Residents, Families & Friends!

I hope you had an amazing August, and are looking forward to September. We have a busy but fun month ahead of us! To kick off the month we have a Labor Day Picnic on Monday the 2nd.

National Assisted Living week starts on the 8th. We will enjoy Goodies with Grandparents followed by a craft with the local Cub Scouts Troop. On Monday we will have a Great Gatsby Photoshoot followed by a tea party, stay tuned for the pictures!

Residents are looking forward to our annual pancake breakfast which will take place on the 12th. We will also be showing the movie "CoCo" and encourage family members to come for movie night!

We'll wrap up our week with a Sock Hop Happy Hour with live music by Jan Arnold.

We have many other great activities in store throughout the month, please take a look at the monthly calendar on the inside ( as well as our website) and join us when you can!

Looking forward to a great month of "Inspiring Generations"! -Kalyssa

### **Culinary Corner**



"We should enjoy food and have fun. It is one of the simplest and nicest pleasures in life." - Julia Child Greetings from the Culinary Department!
We have been incorporating fresh produce from the garden into our recipes as it has become available! Harvest season is just about wrapped up, we hope you enjoyed the fresh produce!

We are currently working on our Fall & Winter Menus which will roll out in October. We are excited to bring back some hearty and cozy meals and keep your favorites on the rotation! If you have any suggestions for the menus in the next few weeks, please stop by and see me!

Thanks! ~ Shelly

#### 1st EVER Comedy Show!



## NALW Dress Up Days

Monday 9/9- 20's Dress Up
Tuesday 9/10- Bluff Shirt Day
Wednesday 9/11- Patriot Day- Wear Red, White & Blue
Thursday 9/12- 70's Dress Up
Friday 9/13- 50's & 60's Dress Up



September 2024 Activity Calendar

# **Community © Captures**



























#### 2nd Annual Bingo Bonanza Fundraiser!



## **Additional Reminders**

- Recognize an outstanding employee: Please fill out an Arcadia Ambassador form for any employee that goes Above & Beyond for you!
- No assigned seats: Please remember we have no assigned seats in the Dining Room.
- Pendants: Please be sure to wear your emergency pendant at all times!
- ACH for rent: Feel free to sign up for automatic rent payments, it is very easy and convenient! See Abbie for details.

#### **October Save The Dates**



10/4- October Birthday Lunch 10/4- Plaidurday 10/31- Bluffs Spooktacular Boofet & Costume Contest

