

Bridgewood Rivers  
1901 NW Hughwood  
Roseburg, OR 97471

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Information

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# Bridgewood Bugle

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**Bridgewood Rivers Assisted Living Residence has cared for seniors in the Roseburg community since 1990. Bridgewood Rivers was the first Assisted Living Residence to receive licensing in the state of Oregon. Our Executive Director Teresa Courtney Administrator has been here for over 33 years. For additional information please Contact us at (541) 440-1914**



## Birthday & Anniversaries

### Birthdays

Ralph N. December 11  
Sarah M. December 14  
Kyla G. December 19  
Dorothy S. December 30

### Anniversaries

Dan K. 18 Years  
Richie S. 2 Years  
BettyLou W. 1 Year



Executive Director-  
Teresa Courtney

Resident Service  
Coordinator/ Concierge-  
Jennifer Carabellese

Director of Wellness  
Services-  
Leah McDonough, RN

Community Relations  
Director  
Connie Kloha

Dietary Manager-  
Steve DeLaCruz

Life Enrichment Director-  
Tanya Dean

Housekeeping-  
Lisa Mosley

Director of  
Maintenance-  
Bob Slifert

Bus Driver-  
Susan Kees



## A Perfect NYC Christmas

There are hundreds of things to do in New York City any day of the year, but the city takes on a sparkle during the Christmas season that makes it feel like you've stepped into a Hallmark movie. The bustle and constant activity can be overwhelming, but they also add to the festive atmosphere.

There's nothing like staring up at the magical tree at Rockefeller Center, which towers 80 feet above the crowd and twinkles with more than five miles of lights! After admiring the tree, many people don some ice skates for a few laps around the famed Rink at Rockefeller Center. Others swear that Wollman Rink at Central Park, featured in movies such as *Home Alone 2*, is a superior choice.

Strolling along Fifth Avenue to take in the window displays is another iconic holiday activity. Stores like Bergdorf Goodman, Tiffany & Co., Barney's, and Macy's create extravagant themed windows that attract tourists and other holiday-fun seekers. The windows showcase fairytale wonderlands, glittery winter landscapes, and magical scenes of Santa and his elves hard at work.

In a town known for its shows, going to see a Christmas performance should be on every list. The Rockettes' *Christmas Spectacular* is filled with the expected high kicks and beloved Christmas tunes. An outing to see Tchaikovsky's *The Nutcracker* is a holiday tradition for families all over the country, but the Lincoln Center's production is one of the most admired performances of this 1892 classic.

The Christmas season isn't complete without picking up some presents for family and friends. Shopping options in the Big Apple are always plentiful, but the European-style Christmas markets have some truly unique gift items. The atmosphere is festive—chilly air, twinkling lights, bustling stalls, and the scent of baked goods create the perfect backdrop for discovering local and handmade goods. For native New Yorkers and visitors alike, nothing beats Christmas in New York. Additionally, indulging in some seasonal treats like sipping on hot cocoa or munching on roasted chestnuts from street vendors can add a delicious layer to your New York City Christmas experience. The combination of delightful flavors and festive sights truly makes the holiday season in the Big Apple a cherished memory.





Need help filling out your Christmas cards?  
Come see Tanya on  
Thursday, December 7 at 10:00.



Guess how much candy is in the jar and win a prize.  
Each week until Christmas there will be a jar on the front desk.

Whoever gets closest wins a prize.  
Good Luck!



**Santa Clause is Coming to town!**

Santa & Mrs. Clause will be here  
along with 4H Ambassadors who will be  
handing out Christmas cards.  
Friday, December 15<sup>th</sup> at 2:00.

We will also be having a dessert bar.  
Be sure to invite your Grandkids so they can  
get their pictures taken with Santa.



We will be decorating the  
Christmas Tree in the Dining  
Room at 10:00 on  
December 1.  
Come join in the fun!

**Independent Shopping**

Monday, December 4 at Bimart  
Monday, December 11 at Safeway  
Monday, December 18 at WinCo

**Scheduled Outings**

Trip to Festival of lights  
Thursday, December 14  
Out to lunch at Kentucky Fried Chicken  
Wednesday, December 20  
Out to lunch at Five Guys  
Wednesday, December 27



Dillard Church of God  
Singing Christmas Carols  
Saturday, December 2 at 12:00

Louis the Piano Player  
Tuesday, December 5 at 2:00

Westside Christian Church  
Singing Christmas Carols  
Saturday, December 9 at 5:00

Gary the Accordion Player  
Tuesday, December 12 at 2:00

Leah & Jennifer singing  
Christmas Carols  
Tuesday, December 19 at 12:00

Cocoppella A cappella group  
Sings Christmas Carols  
Wednesday, December 20 at 2:00

Louis the Piano Player  
Thursday, December 21 at 2:00

Old Time Fiddlers  
Tuesday, December 26 at 2:00



**Good Friends Make Good Neighbors  
Program**

When a Bridgewood Rivers resident  
or family member refers a new  
potential resident to a Cascade Living  
Community and the person moves in  
for at least 90 days, the resident will  
receive a \$4,000 credit applied to  
their base rent.



Be sure to join in the fun at the ugly  
Christmas sweater party on  
Wednesday, December 12.



Need help wrapping presents?  
Come see Tanya in the Activities  
room on 12/14 & 12/21 at 10:00  
and she will help you.