

NEWSLETTER

APRIL 2025

MEADOW CREEK ASSISTED LIVING



Easter

Easter is the holiest day of the year for Christians. It celebrates their belief in the resurrection, or the rising from the dead, of Jesus Christ. Jesus was the founder of the religion of Christianity. Easter is always observed on a Sunday in the spring, but its date varies. It can fall on any Sunday between March 22 and April 25.

The name Easter may come from Eostre, an Anglo-Saxon goddess. In ancient times, an annual spring festival was held in her honor.

In many churches Easter follows a season of prayer and fasting called Lent. This is observed in memory of the 40 days Jesus is said to have fasted, or gone without food, in the desert. Lent begins with Ash Wednesday. This day gets its name from the practice of putting ashes on the foreheads of the faithful as a symbol of the season.

What have we been up too?

We had a wonderful time in March. We celebrated Mardi Gras, a care staff found the good luck baby in the King Cake. Fun times. We started our seedlings for our garden and that has been fun watching them grow. Our back patio area is going to be very beautiful and enjoyable. We were also given a great garden cart from our own Miss Paisley, we planted wildflowers in it. Our raised garden beds are in their new home, thank you to a resident's family for donating them. We planted some of our vegetables. We enjoyed great music from many talented musicians. Our big outing was to the casino, the resident's had a blast and may have had some really good luck. Spring is finally here and we are all excited for the sun.

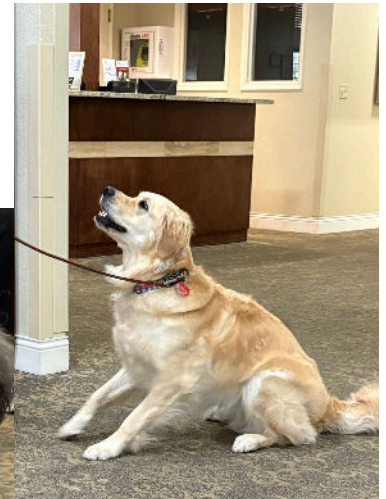
Our Garden



Mardi Gras



Game Time



LIVE music



Employee of the Month

Caitlynn Weiszhaar is our Employee of the month. Although she has only been here a short while, she has really become a great part of the Meadow Creek Family. Caitlynn is our housekeeper, and she is doing such an amazing job, we appreciate all she does. In Caitlynn's free time she likes to read, write and spend time with her almost 3-year-old son Quintin. Big Thanks to you Caitlynn!!

April Upcoming Meetings

4/2 - 2:00pm - All-Staff (Staff Only)
4/3 - 10:00am - Activities Meeting
4/9 - 12:30pm - Chefs Corner
4/15 - 12:30pm - Resident Meeting
4/24 - 12:30pm - Towne Hall

Always remember
You are Important
You are Brave
You are Loved
You are Kind

Resident Spotlight

We would like to recognize Reid as our Resident of the Month. Reid loves to help people. He is great at serving Tea/Coffee and knows exactly what people like. He has a great sense of humor and an amazing smile to go with it. You may also know that Reid has a cat that he loves, sometimes you may see him in the hall with her. Thank you Reid for all you do!

Introductions

We would like to Welcome our new Executive Director JoEda Hanson. JoEda has been working in senior living for over 17 years. JoEda has served in many roles over her career. She loves making a difference in seniors' lives and helping their loved ones. In her free time JoEda enjoys being with her family. She is a true Oregonian. She loves the wilderness and beaches. She has 3 kids and 5 Grandkids to keep her busy.

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Meet our Management Crew

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Live Vendors This Month

Dave Minton - Music

Canine Corp - Therapy Dogs

Brianna Blanchfill - Music

Rachel Hampton - Music

Dennis Colerett - Muscic

Music We Remember - Music

April

Birthdays & Anniversaries

Birthdays

Carrel Manka 4/1

Varene York 4/7

Janet Abraham 4/21

Ruth Williams 4/23

Peggy Lawson 4/24

Anniversaries

Yvonne Alexander 3 years on 4/11

Staff Birthdays

Brian Shamberger 4/17

April DeFoor 4/28

