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Please Welcome Our New Director of Nursing



Dogwood Village would like to announce our new Director of Nursing, Tabitha Payne. Tabitha began her new position on July 18th, 2017. She is from Orange County, VA. She has been married for twenty years and has one son. Tabitha also has a dog and loves chickens. Please help us as we welcome her to the Dogwood family.

Celebrating August

National Watermelon Day August 3

National Friendship Day August 6

Lemonade's **Birthday** August 20

> **National** Dog Day August 26



Kindness Rocks!





What Is The Kindness Rock Project?

Goal #1: Inspire other through randomly placed rocks along the way...

Goal #2: Recruit every person who stumbles upon it to join in the pursuit of inspiring others through random acts of kindness.

The painted rock hide and seek craze has hit Dogwood Village! Residents enjoyed using their imaginations along with creative talents to paint rocks then went on a leisure ride to hide the rocks throughout the town of Orange. We had a total of twenty two rocks and made eleven different stops. It was a fun project for everyone involved.











ORANGE COUNTY FAIR

Throughout the year many of our residents work diligently on craft projects, artwork, jewelry crafts and flower arranging which are entered into the annual Orange County Fair. This year the county fair was held July 19-22, 2017. We had forty six entries which won many blue ribbons and several best in show. Sadly, during the week of the fair a damaging storm blew through forcing the fair to close and several of the entries were destroyed. Entries that were able to be salvaged were placed on display in the main lobby of our facility. We are so proud of all of our residents and the hard work they put into their beautiful entries.







Please remember to label and new articles of clothing or blankets you may receive before sending items down to laundry so they will not be misplaced. Permanent markers are available at each nurses station. If you have a missing item, please let the nursing staff know as soon as possible so they can report the item missing and locate item as quickly as possible.



For your safety please remember to let staff know when you are planning on going outdoors. Remember to apply sunscreen and drink plenty of fluids. Sunscreen is available at the nurses station.

Please remember to keep the windows closed during heat advisories in order keep the temperatures down in the facility during the summer months.







•Volunteer Spotlight

The Golden Horseshoe Volunteers of Dogwood Village recently hosted a fundraiser and contributed monies to purchase a new bench for the facility. Pictured are: Volunteers L-R Violet Brown, Mary Wright, Shirley Graham and Olin Herndon. Many thanks to all of the volunteers who assisted with this project.

Resident Spotlight: Tina Nicholson

Tina Nicholson was born September 30, 1973 in Charlottesville, Virginia to James and Mary Nicholson. She has four brothers, two sisters and several nieces and nephews. Tina was raised in Madison, VA and graduated from Madison County High School in 1991. After high school her family moved to Madison Run which is located in Gordonsville, Virginia. During high school Tina volunteered at Autumn Care nursing facility in Madison and volunteered at Dogwood Village before becoming a resident at Dogwood Village Health & Rehab in June 2017. Tina likes to stay active and is very social. She enjoys participating in a wide variety of scheduled activities including musical programs, bingo games, working on puzzle books and listening to music during her leisure time. Tina enjoys expressing her creative talents in craft projects; several of her crafts and flower arrangements were entered into this year's Orange County Fair. Tina is pictured here with her fair entries and winning ribbons.



We'd Love Your Feedback!

Dogwood Village staff constantly strive to meet your needs while offering care with compassion. With this said, we want you to share with your caregivers anything that we can improve upon at any time. We will follow-up as soon as possible, Thank you for your feedback.



A representative from the Orange County registrars office will be at Dogwood Village on September 11th, 2017 from 1:00pm-3:00pm in the Main Dining Room to meet with residents that wish to register to vote for upcoming elections.



Design A Flip Flop Craft 8/I
News Currents with Doris Shumate 8/ 10 & 24
Volley Ball 8/3

Hired Hand Band 8/3

Catholic Mass with St. Isadore The Farmer Church 8/4 & 18

Monthly Birthday Bash 8/4

BG Battle Music 8/5

Lady Bug Craft 8/7

Country Music with Margaret Best 8/8

Lemonade Stand (Units) 8/9

Stoney Point Blue Grass Music 8/9

Music by Nashville Standard with Adam 8/10

Master Gardner's Fruit & Tomato Tasting 8/11

Snow Cone Social 8/11

Free Union Mission 8/12

House of God Tabernacle Visit 8/13

Who's Line Is It Game 8/14

Enriching The Heart & Mind with Aaron 8/15

Woman's Community Bingo 8/15

Movie Night "The Shack" 8/16

Singing on Ground Units 8/17

Ice Cream Social 8/18

Mt. Pisgah Ministry Visits 8/19

Wanted Photo Posters 8/21

Resident Council Meeting 8/21

Cupcake Walk 8/22

Knights Chapel Singers 8/23 (Senior Living Building)

The Way Worn Travelers 8/24

Singing On The Units (Ground) 8/24

Italian Ice Summer Social 8/25

City of Refuge Bible Baptist Church Program 8/26

Oak Chapel Youth (Units) 8/27

Wheel of Fortune Game 8/28

Singing on Units (Main) 8/29

Movie Time "Beverly Hillbillies" 8/31

Terracotta Pot Craft 8/31

Leisure Rides Tuesday Mornings *Weather Permitting*
Afternoon Leisure Rides 8/10 & 8/24 *Weather Permitting*
BINGO Monday morning, Wednesday afternoon &
Saturday mornings.

Please see daily activity calendar for schedule changes



Rebecca McDaniel 8/1

Tom Filer 8/4

Mildred Dowell 8/10

Mike Lohr 8/10

lanet Steele 8/12

Nancy Sherwood 8/13

Elizabeth Fisher 8/18

Viola Winkie 8/20

Glenn Reid 8/21

Therese Spangler 8/31



Maintenance Update

Please pardon our appearance as the facility is under renovations. The maintenance department is in the process of replacing the air conditioner in Dining Services. They have replaced the door leading out to the East Main terrace with a push out door that is now accessed with a badge available at the nurses station. This facility improvement has been made to ensure the safety of our residents. The maintenance. The maintenance department is also in the process of installing new lighting fixtures and painting throughout the facility.



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