

Sweet Summer Treats are always the best, says Ms. Ruth Sullivan.



Important Resident information:

If you change your code status, insurance, physician, or power of attorney please make Annette Putman aware in Resident Services.

Shopping was pure happiness as Grace Gordon purchased a basket made in her home town.



Dogwood Dispatch

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Celebrating September

Classical Music Month

Sewing Month

World Alzheimer's Month

Nutrition Week
September 1-7

Victory Over Japan Day
September 2

Labor Day (U.S.)
September 4

International Day of Charity
September 5

Grandparents Day
September 10

Patriot Day (U.S.)
September 11

Rosh Hashanah
September 15-17

Yom Kippur
September 24-25

World Tourism Day
September 27

The Most Fashionable Month

The month of September brings a string of fashion weeks from the industry's most influential designers in some of the world's most fabulous cities. New York, London, and Milan all host runway shows debuting the hottest trends for 2024. This monthlong fashion celebration culminates in Paris, where top designers, celebrities, and fashionistas gather to show off their newest fashion creations. September just might be the most fashionable month of the entire year.

New York, London, Milan, and Paris are known as the "Big Four" fashion cities of the world. Typically, each city hosts its own nation's designers. Donna Karan, Michael Kors, and Thom Browne call New York home; Burberry, JW Anderson, and Simone Rocha rock the runways of London; Italian greats Fendi, Gucci, and Prada strut in Milan; while French fashion houses Chanel, Givenchy, and Dior display their elegance in Paris. While there are plenty of fashion labels in Spain, Japan, Turkey, and elsewhere, fashion houses large and small flock to these four cities, where journalists and celebrities exert tremendous influence over which trends will dominate the next season.

The very first fashion shows were held in Paris. Nineteenth-century designer Charles Frederick Worth and his marketing team replaced fashion dolls with live women to parade new designs in public places like racetracks and beauty salons. During the first two decades of the 20th century, both designers and department stores began staging their own "fashion shows," or fashion parades, to lure middle-class women into stores. It wasn't until 1943, amid World War II, that New York held its first official fashion week, which it dubbed "Press Week." With fashion industry moguls and media unable to fly to Paris, New York decided to hold its own fashion event. American designers could now give buyers alternatives to French fashion. Paris soon established its own regular couture shows in 1945. Our global devotion to fashion trends had finally begun.

Trips:

- 9/1 Carter's Mountain & Lunch Riverside
- 9/6 Leisure Ride
- 9/8 Leisure Ride
- 9/13 Lunch: BJ'S Brew House
- 9/20 Shopping: Terry's Place Consignment
- 9/22 Shopping: Dutch Pantry Amish Market
- 9/29 Leisure Ride

Please keep in mind you must sign up with activity staff due to limited seating.



September 3rd-9th, 2023
NATIONAL HOUSEKEEPING WEEK
" THANKS TO OUR STAFF"



Many happy residents! We had nine outings in August. They enjoyed shopping, sightseeing, antiques breakfast, and lunch.



NATIONAL ASSISTED LIVING WEEK

SEPTEMBER 10TH-16TH, 2023
"SEASON OF REFLECTION"

10th 2:00 Hand Bells by Allyson
3:00 Autoharp Performance

11th 8:00 Thank You Breakfast sandwiches all staff.

10:00 Music by Keith Campbell
2:00 Chick Filet Party (Wear Black & White)
6:15 Water Falls Trio

12th 9:30 Paint it Orange Ceramics (Limited to 10)

11:00 "R" U Freaking Hungry food truck
2:00 Oldies W/Charlie Lopez
6:15 Culpeper Blue Angels

13th 10:00 Music by Billy Brockman
11:30 Trip: BJ'S Brew House (Sign up Required)

6:00 Country Tunes by Austin Boggs & Charcuterie Boards (Family sign up with Activities by 9/5)

14th 10:00 Bingo-Orange Senior Site
2:00 Music by Pill Parrish
3:30 Smokey Wilson music
6:00 DJ Tunes W/James Helmick & Ice Cream Bar (Family sign up W/Activities by 9/5)

15th 10:30 Singing Grandpa
11:00-2:00 Shiver Shack Snow Cones
2:00 Health Program presented by Gentiva Hospice (Door Prize)

16th 10:00 Magic Show by Brian Vince
2:00 Hi Horse Cloggers (outside)

Bingo Fever at Dogwood Senior Living

9/3 Bingo W/ Chelsea
9/4 Labor Day Bingo
9/7 Bingo W/Ellen
9/14 Bingo W/Orange Senior Site (Gift Cards)
9/17 Bingo W/Chelsea
9/21 Bingo W/ Ellen
9/24 Bingo W/Chelsea
9/28 Bingo W/Chelsea



Welcome

Victoria "Vickie" Mackenzie joined the Dogwood family in August. She has lived in Orange County VA for over 30 years. She has a brother and sister that she enjoys visiting. Vickie graduated from California State University Long Beach with a degree in Nursing. She is a retired Register Nurse. She enjoys watching CNN daily, working cross word puzzles and attending church. She expressed her greatest accomplishment in life was getting her wonderful education to help others.



Welcome

Marjorie "Jean" Madden came to live at Dogwood Senior Living in August. She was born and raised in Rensselaer Indiana. She and her husband have lived in Spotsylvania VA for the last 35 years. She worked in various positions with the US Government. She graduated from Rensselaer High School. She spends her free time playing cards, viewing games shows on television and spending time with her children and grandchildren. She is most proud to have raised her children to be successful in life. Stop by and give her a warm welcome.



Byron Madden was raised in Southern Indiana. He has been married to his lovely wife for 65 years. They have four sons. He met the love of his life at a local

basketball game. He graduated from Lynnville High School in Indiana. He served 29 years in the US Marines. His occupation was working for the forestry department. He is an avid hunter and fisherman. He has taught the hunters' safety course for over 35 years. He is a World Champion Skeet Shooter. In his spare time, he likes to play cards, poker, garden and watch Gunsmoke on Television. Stop by and enjoy getting to know this wonderful gentleman.

SEPTEMBER EVENTS

- 9/4 Labor Day Laughs
- 9/4 Waffle Crave Breakfast (Sign up Required)
- 9/6 Bue Birds of Happiness
- 9/7 Flower Arranging
- 9/8 Nancy Napier: Children's Books-Civil War
- 9/18 Rice Krispy Treats
- 9/19 Brown Bag
- 9/19 Resident Council
- 9/20 Blue Birds of Happiness
- 9/21 Biscuits & Biscuits
- 9/22 Bollywood Fitness
- 9/23 Nurf Football
- 9/25 Peanut Auction
- 9/25 Nails W/Heather
- 9/28 Fly Swatter Hockey



Welcome

Anna Marks was born and raised in Madison Conty VA. She has lived the last 50 years in Washington DC. She is one of 10 children. She graduated from Madison Conty High School in 1947. She retired from working in the US Capital as a secretary. She loves dancing and traveling. She expresses her greatest accomplishments is to have traveled to all the continents. Stop by and let her share with you one of many stories about travel.



September Birthdays

- 9/21 Audrey Whitney
- 9/25 Lorraine Clark
- 9/28 Barbara Garr