



Dogwood Village of
Orange County
Health &
Rehabilitation
120 Dogwood Lane
Orange, VA 22960

Celebrating April

Easter Sunday
April 1

April Fools Day
April 1

**Thomas Jefferson's
Birthday**
April 13

**National
Volunteer Week**
April 15-21

Tax Day
April 16

Earth Day
April 22

**Occupational
Therapy Month**

**Dog Appreciation
Month**

**Keep America
Beautiful Month**

**National Autism
Month**

**National Garden
Month**

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APRIL IS OT MONTH!

What is Occupational Therapy?

Occupational therapy enables people of all ages to live life to its fullest by helping them promote health, and prevent - or live better with - injury, illness, or disability. Occupational therapists help residents adapt to and overcome any physical limitations that may prevent people from doing things they want and need to do through the therapeutic use of daily activities. Occupational therapists help residents to relearn the skills needed in daily living, such as dressing, grooming, bathing, eating and homemaking. Dogwood Village is very fortunate to have such wonderful therapists working with our residents. Please help us thank them for their hard work during OT month!



Pictured above from left to right: Shanelle Dinkins, COTA , Nancy Radford, COTA and Jennifer McClune, MS, CHES-R, OTRL.



SAFETY TOPICS

As warm weather approaches temperatures will be higher during the day but will still be cool in the evening hours. Please be mindful to close windows in residents rooms, social areas and main dining room.



Resident Spotlight



We would like to wish Ms. Mabel Wright a very Happy Birthday! She recently celebrated her 100th birthday on 3-20-2018. Ms. Mabel was born and raised in Madison County, Virginia and worked as a factory worker at The Silk Mill in Orange, Virginia. She has one son and one daughter who are very supportive and visit with her often. Her daughter in law, Alice, is the receptionist at Dogwood Village Health & Rehabilitation. Ms. Mabel has been a resident of Dogwood Village since June 2012.



SOCIALWORKERS leaders. advocates. champions.

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.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding your care or rights please contact resident services.



Pictured left to right: Rita Johnson, LSW, Martha Robeson, MA, Kristen Smith, BSW, Patty Talley, Director of Customer & Community

Volunteer Spotlight

Dogwood Village would like to thank Larry Lloyd for his contributions to our facility. Larry has been a volunteer at Dogwood Village since 1991 when his mother was a resident. After seeing what good care his mother received at Dogwood Village he wanted to give back by volunteering. Larry is a former Orange Town Police Officer and is a retired Dominion Energy employee. He is very active in the community; an active member and deacon at Orange Baptist Church, currently serves on the Orange Board of Directors of the American Heart Association and is a member of the Orange/Barboursville Masonic Lodges. Larry is married to his wife Julia and they have three children (Laura, Melissa and Joe) plus five grandchildren (Kayla, Cole, Alex, Brandon and Conner). In his spare time, Larry enjoys spending time with family and friends, driving the Orange Baptist Church activity bus, RV camping and working in his yard.



To The Editor:

National Volunteer Week scheduled for April 15th-21st gives an opportunity for staff, family members and residents of Dogwood Village to salute our volunteers for their many hours of faithful service, outstanding contributions, and for making a positive difference in our community and the lives of the residents. They spread cheer, smiles and comfort to all of us!

Our volunteers are representative of the strong bond, which has always existed between our facility and the community it serves. Community support is crucial. Without the presence of our volunteers and the support of the community, it would be impossible to provide the many caring touches that give our facility a true sense of home – “Best place to live, best place to heal”.

Volunteers are the heart of our team!

We sincerely thank you volunteers for the difference you make every day! Thank you for your compassionate, upbeat and thoughtful efforts. Giving time.....touching hearts.

Please join our make-a-difference team and make a difference in your life, your community, and the life of some very special people. As quoted by Helen Keller – “Alone we can do so little, Together we can do so much!” If you are interested in becoming a volunteer with Dogwood Village, please contact Brenda Hutchinson, Volunteer Coordinator, at 672-2611.

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A heartfelt 
 Thank You
 TO OUR
 VOLUNTEERS

National Volunteer Week
 April 15-21, 2018



April EVENTS

Sunday School every Sunday morning
 Weekly worship service every Sunday afternoon
 Bingo Games (Monday & Saturday Mornings)
 Weekly Sing Along with The Bluebirds of
 Happiness (Wednesday)
 News Current with Doris Shumate (Thursday)
 Catholic Mass , St. Isidore The Farmer Church
 4-6, 4-20

Easter Sunday Luncheon 4-1
 Bunny Races 4-2

Worship & Song with Archie Seal 4-2
 Funnercize with Pokey 4-3, 4-17
 Pass the Egg Game 4-3
 Afternoon BINGO 4-4
 Leisure Ride 4-5, 4-12 & 4-24
 Victory Baptist with Teddy Cave 4-5
 Monthly Birthday Bash 4-6
 BG Battle Music 4-7
 Tulip Painting Craft 4-9
 Nest Craft 4-10
 Jim Lilly & Sunnyside 4-10
 Nashville Standard with Adam 4-11
 Rhoadesville Baptist Kids Hope Group 4-11
 Master Gardner's Garden Club 4-13
 Spring Social 4-13
 Free Union Mission 4-14
 Memorial Service for Dogwood Angels 4-16

Tax Day 4-17
 Kevin Sings The Classics 4-17
 Woman's Community BINGO 4-17
 Annual Volunteer Luncheon 4-18
 Afternoon BINGO 4-18
 The Way Worn Travelers 4-19
 Peanut Butter & Jelly Social 4-20
 Evening with Lawrence Welk 4-21
 Dacey Bingo Game 4-23
 Residents Council Meeting 4-24
 The Country Troubadours 4-25
 The Hired Hand Band 4-26
 Food For Thought Menu Meeting 4-27
 Ice Cream Social 4-27
 City of Refuge Bible Baptist Church 4-28
 Oak Grove Youth Visit 4-29
 Hymn Sing (WG) 4-30



S. Smith 4-9
 A. Freeman 4-11
 D. Vivello 4-14
 B. DeLage 4-18
 D. MacEwan 4-21
 E. Bowers 4-28
 A. Sorrell 4-28



*"The April is in her eyes; it's the love's spring,
 and these the showers to bring it on."*

-William Shakespeare



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