BAYBERRY COMMONS NEWSLETTER



MOTHER'S DAY TEA: Our ladies had a great time dressing up and having a tea party. Thank you Bev for all of your hard work!

FROM THE DESK OF THE ASSISTANT **ADMINISTRATOR: ERICA FOX**



Entering the world of Senior Care and Bayberry Commons:

Happy June Everyone! As many

of you know, I have become the new kid on the block as the Assistant Administrator at Bayberry Commons. Sweet Robin Yozzo, our former Assistant Administrator, is genuinely one of the greatest ladies I have encountered and I'm humbled and very excited to be a part of the Bayberry family!

Now for a bit of background: I am from sunny California and have grown in a loud, fun-loving family of 10 children (eek!). Several years ago, on a sporadic road trip, I visited the Willamette valley. As soon as I came back to California I announced that I was going to move to Oregon and finish my education at University of Oregon. Oregon had won me over.

My work background has consisted of wholesale and retail management with small, local businesses whose endeavor

is to assist women in feeling empowered and beautiful. Being part of a team that seeks to provide empowerment and personalized care is something that I desired for a career and immediately recognized that Bayberry offered in ways I had never seen.

My first couple of months at Bayberry have already flown by and has been filled with warmth and adoration as I get to know our staff and residents. There are many things that I have already come to cherish about my job here at Bayberry, from chatting with our residents about their life stories to helping pour coffee at breakfast. Our residents and staff fill the building with love and respect that you feel as soon as you walk in the door. I'm honored to be here and I look forward to the coming years as part of the Bayberry family.

Spring has emerged and with it a variety of fun, upcoming events! June 17th will be our next big social event for Father's Day! There will be plenty of beer and comfort food that you won't want to miss, so be sure register at our front desk!

Happy Birthday!

Residents	
Helen S.	6/10
Mabel G.	6/10
Stan K.	6/14
Donna F.	6/15

6/27

Delores O.

Staff	
Marcia B.	6/2
Daryl O.	6/8
Juanita S.	6/17
Jen K.	6/19
Mindy G.	6/29

And finally, our annual Bayberry Yard Sale will be held on Saturday, July 14th. Please remember us as you are spring cleaning! This is our largest Alzheimer's fundraiser of the year. Feel free to ask for a tax form when you donate items too. Thank you so much in advance!

Wishing you a Happy Spring!





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Activity Highlights

JUNE 1ST

2:30 Sing-A-Long w/Annadon

JUNE 2ND

2:30 Ice Cream Social

JUNE 3RD

2:30 Music w/Timothy Patrick

JUNE 8TH

11:30 Lunch Outing

JUNE 8TH

2:30 Guitar w/Gordon

JUNE 9TH

2:30 Ice Cream Social

w/Hosanna Dancers

JUNE 12[™]

2:30 Memory Tones

JUNE 15TH

2:30 Music w/Julie

JUNE 16[™]

2:30 Ice Cream Social

w/Parson's Creek Posse

JUNE 17TH

12:00 Western Themed

Father's Day Lunch

JUNE 22ND

2:30 Piano w/Gus

JUNE 23RD

2:30 Ice Cream Social w/Steve

JUNE 29TH

12:00 Men's Lunch

Employee of the Month:

TRUDI B. — Residents and staff chose Trudi as the Employee of the Month because she is always ready to help and goes out of her way to do it, very friendly, efficient and reliable, and is always smiling. You can



tell that Trudi loves helping our residents and we are truly thankful she is part of our family!

Mother's Day Brunch was a Huge Success!



Marty





Irene



Thank you ladies for all of your hard work in the kitchen!



Marilynn



Mary



Betty



Dawn & Veronica

It was so nice to have so many families come show some love to their mothers.



Mvrtle



Marie



Patsy



Dorothy



Norma



Opal



Pat



Frances

Featured Resident: Jeanne C.



Jeanne and her twin sister were born in East Liverpool, Ohio on October 5, 1936. She also

has an older half-sister. They all grew up in East Liverpool right on the Ohio River. Jeanne said that her mother called her twin her "other half". She said having a bond with a twin is the best relationship you can have with someone.

After high school, Jeanne went to Ohio State University and earned a Bachelor's of Science degree as a Medical Technician with a specialty in bacteriology. She later received a Master's degree in Spanish Culture from the University of Madrid and received high honors for her work. She worked as Bacteriologist for many years but later in life started working for the Orange County Red Cross. Jeanne was the Director of Volunteers and helped organized all of the help needed during the San Francisco earthquake and traveled to schools teaching the children CPR, first aid and other life skills.

Jeanne first met her husband Mannie while folding clothes in her apartment laundry room. She had originally fixed him up with her twin sister since she was already dating someone else but they just didn't click. Mannie and Jeanne went on a road trip to California and during this time, they started dating. They were later married for 52 years. The couple had four children who all have very successful careers. Jeanne has five grandchildren and enjoys visits with them whenever she can.

Bayberry welcomed our new friend Jeanne to the community the beginning of this year. She fit right into our happy family and brought great conversation, wonderful friendship and loving hugs with her.



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WEEKLY EVENTS

- 1. Fitness with Terri Sears on Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 10:00am. This class is held in our Atrium.
- 2. Wine & Cheese Social's are Thursdays at 3:30pm. Bring a friend and join us.
- 3. Enjoy an old fashioned ice cream social on Saturdays at 2:30pm.
- 4. Playing BINGO on Wednesday's and Mondays at 3:00pm.
- 5. Reading and Activities with Patricia Tuesdays



at 2:00 p.m.

Our lovely ladies have enjoyed some fun activities inside and out.

We love the beautiful weather we have had lately and can't wait for our garden to grow!





Ida

Mindy & Shawna Two peas in a pod!! (They even wear the same thing!)Memory Care is lucky to have you both ▶







Sally

Marjorie