



2321 Freedom Way, York, PA 17402

Save The Date!

Haven Annual
Summer Picnic
Saturday,
August 18th
11am-2pm

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June Trivia Quiz

1. June is regarded as the luckiest month for what life event?
2. In June of this year, P.T. Barnum and his circus began touring the United States.
3. In June of 1934, this famous cartoon character debuted in *The Wise Little Hen*.
4. This June holiday was first celebrated in 1910 in Spokane, Washington.
5. This famous book by George Orwell was published in June of 1949.

1. Marriage, 2. 1835, 3. Donald Duck,
4. Father's Day, 5. Nineteen Eighty-Four

Haven Birthdays

George L.	June 2
Donnie R.	June 4
Sandy G.	June 4
Helena S.	June 4
Shirley R.	June 5
Ellen B.	June 14
Helen D.	June 25
Bea M.	June 27
Marilyn D.	June 30



June 2018



Celebrating June

Nail Polish Day
June 1

Flag Day
June 14

Strawberry Shortcake Day
June 14

Fresh Veggie Day
June 15

Father's Day
June 17

First Day of Summer
June 21

Sunglasses Day
June 27

Happy June!

We are so excited that the summer is almost here!

This month we are celebrating Father's Day with a special Dads & Donuts event on Sunday, June 17th at 1:30pm. If you are interested in attending this event, please RSVP to the front desk by Friday, June 15th. Beacon Place is also celebrating with Bingo with Dad at 7:00pm.



Beacon Place will be holding their first annual Butterfly Release! We are watching them grow every day. The Release is scheduled for Saturday, June 16th at 2:00pm in Beacon Place.



National Assisted Living Week is September 9th-15th! We will be collecting copies of photos of our residents and staff in their younger days to hold a Guess Who game during this week of fun events. If you would like to bring in a photo of your loved one, please give it to the front desk to make a copy of.

Have a great month!



June Bus Trips

Dairy Queen • Dollar Tree • Picnic Lunch • Country Ride • Bon Ton
Kaltreider-Benfer Library • York County Senior Games

June Personal Care Special Events

Lunch Bunch	June 8 at 11:30am
Night Wonders of Astronomy	June 12 at 2:00pm
Order Out Lunch: McDonald's	June 13 at 11:30am
Fresh Veggie Happy Hour	June 15 at 3:00pm
Dads & Donuts	June 17 at 1:30pm
Summer Carnival	June 20 at 1:30pm
June Birthday Party	June 27 at 2:00pm

June Beacon Place Special Events

Nail Polish Day	June 1
Harpist Mary-Kate	June 4 at 3:00pm
Music with Lauren K.	June 7 at 2:00pm
Strawberry Shortcake Day	June 14
Butterfly Release	June 16 at 2:00pm
Bingo with Dad	June 17 at 7:00pm
Sunglasses Day	June 27
Taste & Tell	June 28

Resident's Corner

Kudos to the housekeeping crew at The Haven, beginning with Ashley, Missy, Tammy, Becky, and Oma. All of them service my room. Did you know that Tammy trained Missy and Becky? Tammy is also friends with the Easter Bunny and shares her pleasant, cheerful nature with all the residents. Frequently she also shares her cat, Squishy, with the residents on her day off. Jan, the crew's supervisor, is also enthusiastic and an efficient leader, always ready to pitch in when needed. Many thanks to housekeeping!

Love,
Helen K.

A Daddy's Love

I love my daddy 'cause he can scoop me up
And hold me tight in one arm.
He's so strong!
Sometimes I find myself sitting on his shoulders
Watching passersby or a big parade,
I can see far and wide and what joys do I see!
He played a joke on me one time
When I asked him to tie my shoes,
He pulled my hat down over my eyes
And wondered where I went.
He's so funny!

Sometimes when we play games
We stop to rest and have a soda or ice cream
And as we rest, I wonder what he is
Teaching me, 'cause I always seem to win.
Just as I grow older, I can plainly see
The wisdom in what he says and does
'Cause now I know that "daddy" is another
Name for "L O V E." One day he talked
To me about God and how to pray to Him,
But when I looked around, no one was in sight.
"Don't worry son, He is with you every day
And night. Just call on Him and He will hear
And listen to what you have to say,
He never goes away," My daddy said,
"Just keep Him in your heart."
For God so loved the world
That He gave His only begotten Son,
That whosoever believeth in Him
Should not perish, but have
Everlasting life."

John 3:16 KJV

Happy Father's Day!

-Pat Ressler



The Chaplain's Corner "Father Abraham's Great Example" Chaplain Otto A. Mazzoni

One of the most powerful and moving passages in all of the Bible concerns the story of God testing Abraham by instructing him to offer his son, Isaac, as a sacrifice to Him on Mount Moriah. "It came to pass...that God tested Abraham, and said to him, 'Abraham...'Take now thy son ...Isaac, whom you love, and go into the land of Moriah and offer him there for a burnt offering upon one of the mountains which I will tell you'." (Genesis 22:1-2)

The Bible identifies Abraham as "the Father of the faithful" and "the friend of God". That is precisely because he was a man known for his deep faith and complete obedience to God. Yet, one can only imagine the emotional agony that Abraham went through as he wrestled with God's command to sacrifice his son, Isaac. This demand must have been as puzzling as it was painful, since previously God had only required animal sacrifices (to temporarily atone for sin). Thereto, what makes the story so moving is that Abraham and Sarah had to wait 25 years for the Lord to deliver on His promise to give them a son. *Sarah was 90 years old when she gave birth to her "miracle baby", Isaac!*

Despite not understanding God's plan, Abraham obeyed God. He gathered the required materials, saddled up his donkey, and set out for Mount Moriah with his young son. On the third day of the journey, Abraham prepared the altar. Seeing the wood and the fire, young Isaac finally breaks his silence prior to being laid on the altar. "My father... where is the lamb for the burnt offering?" At this, his godly father gave his son wise counsel, "My son, God will provide..." Then, in a moment of blind trust, with knife in hand, Abraham raises his arm to proceed with the sacrifice. But just then, we're told an angel of the Lord called out to him and told him not to harm his son, that it had been a test of faith and that he had passed the test, demonstrating his supreme devotion to God. When Abraham looked up, he saw a ram (a male sheep) caught in the bushes and he sacrificed it instead. (Gen. 22:3-13) Whew!

Why is this heart-wrenching story in the Bible? Clearly, it is meant to move us to appreciate the depth of the cost God paid in sacrificing His one and only Son, Jesus, on the cross to pay for our sins 2,000 years later. Surely, every parent follows the storyline of the "almost" sacrifice of young Isaac with deep concern, understanding the depth of love a parent has for his or her children. Parents in particular can appreciate the anguish Abraham must have gone through as he trekked up Mount Moriah to sacrifice his son, as well as Abraham's great sigh of relief once God stopped that sacrifice. Yet, God the Father did not interrupt the sacrifice of His only Son, since Jesus' death was the only way to atone for our sins. "For God so loved the world that he gave His only begotten Son, that whosoever believes in Him should not perish, but have everlasting life." (John 3: 16)

We can only imagine the pain Jesus must have experienced on the cross in dying for your sake and mine...and we can only imagine the pain His Father felt in allowing it to proceed. Only by personally accepting Jesus by faith will the almost-sacrifice of young Isaac have its intended effect. When Abraham told his son, "My son, God will provide the lamb for the offering", he spoke more than he knew. 2,000 years later, Jesus came into the world as "the Lamb of God, who takes away the sins of the world". How does one demonstrate gratitude to God's Son for personally paying the immense cost for our sins? Simply by calling on Jesus in prayer to personally thank Him for dying for your sins and inviting Him into your life as your Savior and Lord. *In that moment, He will grant you eternal life! (John 1:12)*

As we approach "Father's Day", let us learn from the example of "Father Abraham". Scripture affirms him for being faithful and obedient to God. Surely, all fathers (and grandfathers) would do well to follow his example by trusting the Lord personally and encouraging their children (and grandchildren) to trust Him as well. Truly, it is a God-honoring father who, like Abraham, assures his children, "My child, God will provide!" *Blessed Father's Day!*