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Life-Changing New Year's Resolutions

Setting New Year's resolutions is pretty easy, but sticking to them can be a challenge. For extra incentive to follow through on goals in 2019, check out these big-reward resolutions!

Take a Daily "Me Moment" to Breathe

Every day, make time (even if it is one actual minute) to connect with yourself. Close your eyes, sit up straight, relax your body, and breathe in

through your nose and out deeply through your mouth. You'll feel the benefits instantly.

Become an Active Listener

For this one, you do yourself a favor and the person with whom you're conversing. Maintain eye contact, really hear what the other person is saying, and think before responding. Your conversations will become much more meaningful.

Only Apologize When it's Appropriate

People of all ages and walks of life can struggle with apologizing when another word or phrase would better communicate a feeling. Examples: pardon me, excuse me, thank you, that sounds very difficult, how frustrating, I would prefer, might I suggest...Doing so can raise self-esteem and help with communication.

Reach Out to a Friend

In certain instances, distance or time can put



wedges into relationships. Other times, they don't, but we perceive that they have! Take the first step and reach out to a friend with a note or a call to let them know you care, are there for them, or that you miss them.

Thoughtfully Avoid Judging Others

Sometimes, people judge things or actions without even realizing it. Try to change your thought process if you start to judge. It will make you more empathetic and

understanding, and can improve relationships.

Avoid Looking at Screens Before Bedtime

This one is a challenge. It's hard for many to disconnect, but doing so can vastly improve how fast you are able to get to sleep, and your sleep quality. Try some reading before bed if you need to busy your mind.

Take a Daily Walk

Taking a walk every day can improve overall health and well-being. It can be as simple as you want and may just brighten your day.

Share Your Knowledge or a Skill

People often have the resolution to learn a new skill, but how about teaching one? Everyone has their areas of expertise and what could be nicer than sharing them for free with those who would like to learn?!

Let us know your resolutions! We will post them in the newsletter next month!





What type of creative outlet or artist most inspires you?



Special Moments

"Spending time with family"
- Gayla
"Family History"
- Isabell

"Music"
- Harriet

January Highlights

- 1 New Year's Day
- **3 National Chocolate Day**
- 4 Spaghetti Day / Trivia Day
- **5 Whipped Cream Day**
- 6 Shortbread Day / Technology Day
- **8 Sierra Arts Foundation Music**
- 9 Law Enforcement Appreciation Day
- **11 Monthly Birthday Bash**
- **15 Music with Catfish Carl**
- **16 Fig Newton Day**
- **17 National Hot Buttered Rum Day**
- **19 National Popcorn Day**
- **20 Cheese Lover's Day**
- **21 Martin Luther King Jr. Day**
- **23 Family Dinner & Education**
- **26 National Peanut Brittle Day**
- **27 National Chocolate Cake Day**
- 28 Blueberry Pancake Day / Kazoo Day
- **29 National Corn Chip Day**
- **30 Croissant Day**
- **31** Inspire your Heart with the Arts D

January Birthdays!



Wishing You A Joyous New Year

2019

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- Blog.radiantseniorliving.com
- Radiantsrliving & Radiantvoices on Instagram
- RadiantSrLiving on Twitter
- Pinterest.com/radiantsrliving
- Radiant Senior Living on YouTube

Chuckle of the Month: "Plant carrots in January and you'll never have to eat carrots." - Gardening Saying

We wish you a very Happy Birthday! Join Us for our Monthly Birthday Bash!

> **Isabell, January 3** Gayla, January 6

Resident of the Month! Gloria

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This Basque woman from Ely, NV was a registered nurse for 75 years. Her great devotion to medicine is only surpassed by her endless devotion to family and friends. She cared for her brother John. who had special needs and fostered his love for woodworking. Gloria served with other Basque friends on the Board of Directors for the Reno Basque Club, helped to coordinate the annual Basque Festival with the goal of preserving Basque heritage. Her X X X XXXXXXXXXX outgoing, compassionate, and outspoken spirt envelops all of us at the Arbors.

You Are Loved!





Team Member of the Month! Decker

Much of life's success and xxxxxxxxx happiness is based on positive interactions. **Decker** connects well with residents and is able to anticipate and respond to their can depend on her willingness to be of assistance no matter what. She is always up to any challenge that is given to her, with an incredible smile on her face. She really is an amazing, hard working xx^X xXx xXx team member.

Thank You For All You Do!

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11:00	Newspaper Chat	2:30	Piano w/Joe	2:30	Sierra Arts	11:45	Lunch Bunch	2:30	Bingo	2:30	Birthday Bash	2:30	Table Top Q's
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11:00	Darts	2:30	Animal Collage	2:30	Joe on Guitar	11:45	Lunch Bunch	2:30	Bingo	2:30	Valentine Craft	2:30	IN2L Music
2:30	Picasso & Wine	4:00	Hot Cocoa Social	4:00	Scenic Bus Ride	2:30	IN2L Games	4:00	Scenic Bus Ride	4:00	Happy Hour	4:00	Fancy Fingers
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