

As the cold weather retreats in preparation for spring, the month of March makes itself known with the blooming of flowers and the budding of leaves. You might even come across a four-leaf clover - reminding you that Saint Patrick's Day is just around the corner. If you're already green with excitement and looking for ways to get involved in the Irish holiday, here are some Life Enrichment programs we offer that are sure to get you in the spirit.

Get Inspired with Inspirations!

When it first began in the 17th century, Saint Patrick's Day was a time for Irish-Christian families to celebrate the arrival of Christianity in Ireland. Today, the holiday has

branched out all across the globe; encouraging everyone to partake in a day of embracing Irish culture. If you're someone who is interested in the spiritual side of Saint Patrick's Day, you'll love our *Inspirations* programs. Offered on a weekly basis, we encourage our community to attend worship services, Bible studies, meditations, tranquility programs, sing hymns, share life stories, and more. Much like Saint Patrick's Day, regardless of your religious background, there's something here for everyone to enjoy.

Celebrate with a Happy Hour!

If you've ever been to a Saint Paddy's Day parade, you know that people come for the party as much as they do

the floats. At our campus, you can celebrate the holiday in style during our *Happy Hour*! Every Friday afternoon between 3:00 and 5:00 p.m., you can sip on your favorite beverage, enjoy snacks, and mingle with friends. It's the perfect way to celebrate Saint Patrick's Day, and an even better way to end a week.

Get crafting!

Create pieces of art to match the beauty of Ireland with our *Artisans* program! We'll provide all the supplies you'll need to craft anything from popsicle stick leprechaun magnets to crepe paper shamrocks. The only thing you'll need to bring is a creative mind!

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Happy Birthday!

Residents

Donna S. March 1

Mary C. March 9

Staff

Cynthia W. March 5

Diana R. March 6

Kristina S. March 11

Alexis T. March 23

Family Night

March 5th 6-7:30 Mardi Gras.

Sunday Brunch

March 24th 11-1

Themed Dinner

March 14th

Taste of Town

Hickory Pit

Living Arts

The residents have been busy making snowflakes, winter senes and snowman. Could that be the reason for our winter we had! We were busy in Febuary with Valentines for vet's.

Volunteer News

We are always looking for volunteers so please come in and share your talents with us.



Executive Director Corner

Greetings from the Meadows of Delphos! March

promises to be another month full of exciting opportunities for our residents, and we can't wait for them to see what we have in store. In honor of St. Patrick's Day, I'd like to personally invite you to any of our Friday Happy Hours, or to simply unwind by participating with your loved one in any of our other Life Enrichment programs. Here at the Meadows of Delphos, we do our best to make sure that no two days are ever quite the same, and each one is more special than the last.

Of course, none of this would be possible without our dedicated team. Our staff is second to none, and we want to make sure that we give them the recognition they deserve. Kicking off this month is Employee Appreciation Day, and we couldn't have more to be thankful for.

This past winter, our team went the extra mile to make our facility a home fit for the holidays. Whether it was one of our chefs preparing a warm, home-cooked meal, or a CNA helping a resident put the star on top of their Christmas tree, every member of our staff spent the giving season by giving their best effort. But this doesn't stop just because the weather gets warmer - their attention to deal and compassionate spirit is something you can count on year round.

I hope March is as wonderful to you as our team has been to us!

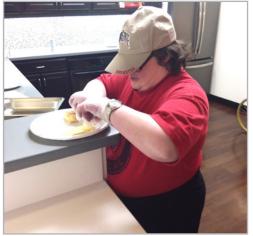
Yours in Service,

Amber Merriman

Executive Director

FEATURED RESIDENT: IS VIRGIL D.

Virgil D. was born on Jan 20th in Putman County to Magdelna (Miller) and Anthony H. Dickman. Virgil had six brothers and two sisters. He attended school in Kalida and Ottoville. His first job was a construction jobin Cleaveland Ohio. On June 25th 1955 Virgil and Susie married. They had two sons and three dauhgters. Virgil and Susie shared a terrible loss when daughters Kathy and Tina died as infants. Virgil operated the Vandel Truck Stop and The Ramblers Roast Restraunt. He also retired from General Dynamics as a steam engineer. Virgil is a member of St. Johns Catholic Church, Delphos and the Delphos Eagles. He servedas a volenteer Firefighter for 50 years on Middle Point Fire Dept. He also served in the Middle Point City Council for over a decade. Virgil was always busy serving in his community. In his spare time he enjoyed spending time with family, friends, and neighbors. He also enjoyed spending time in his garden. These days he still enjoys spending time with family and friends and partcipating in the activitews with new friends here at The Meadows of Delphos. Thank you Virgil for your service to the community and thank you for letting us serve you here at The Meadows!





Legacy Lane Spotlight

Is on our legacy residents. They have been enjoying the daily creative cooking sessions with the delicious receipes they have been making. Thanks to Jenni S. life enrichment associate who bundled up in that cold January air and brought in snow for the residents to enjoy!









Hawaiian Day



Welcome: Laurie M.



We would like to introduce you to our new Director of Food Services Laurie Mast! Laurie and her

husband Gary live in Paulding County with their dogs Lily, Tuff and Henry. Laurie is a creative and outgoing person who loves new technology and gadgets. She is a Diet Technician with over 15 years of long term care experience and an impressive resume. She prides herself on the outcomes of her kitchen and enjoys finding new recipes to keep the menus interesting and fresh! We could go on and on about her accomplishments, but they would be told best by her. Stop by and meet our new dining leader!

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We strive to provide the best customer service and quality care for our residents.
Our Department Leaders are here to solve any concerns you may have.
In the event that you need further assistance with any unresolved concerns, we encourage you to call or email our Compliance Hotline: 800-908-8618, ext. 2800; or comply@trilogyhs.com

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'St. Paddy's Day'

These are just a few ways you can get ready for Saint Patrick's Day, but the options are limitless. Dress up as a leprechaun and join your friends for a party. Play a themed version of bingo or have your grandkids search for gold with a scavenger hunt. If you have a special way you would like to celebrate the holiday, let us know, and we'll do our best to make it happen. When you chose to live with us, you chose a lifestyle of fun and fulfillment - and we couldn't be luckier to have you!



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