

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

| Jeannine G. | March 02 |
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| Dorothy G. | March 02 |
| Dorothy M. | March 03 |
| Mary M. | March 03 |
| Eugene S. | March 15 |
| Lynne T. | March 20 |
| Sharon D. | March 21 |
| Irene T. | March 24 |
| Dorothy P. | March 24 |
| Juanita G. | March 29 |
| Staff | |
| Jessica S. | March 09 |
| Brandi F. | March 15 |
| Chesney M. | March 20 |
| Lin S. | March 24 |
| Suzie K. | March 28 |

Family Night

March 5 – Happy Hour 3:30 pm-4:30 pm

Elvis performs at 4:30 pm

Dinner at 5:30 pm

Each resident is allowed 2 guests.

Taste of Town

Taste of Town is a program sponsored by our Dining Services. This monthly program allows our residents to enjoy a meal from local restaurants. This is just another way we keep our residents

Connected to their community. This month residents will enjoy a meal from Denny's.



Executive Director Corner

Greetings from The Willows at Bellevue! 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 Willows at Bellevue, 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 CRCA 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,

Christine Greilich
Executive Director

Photo Highlights





More Photo Highlights













Sunday Brunch

We ask that you invite your family to Sunday Brunch March 17 from 11am to 1pm. Please let Melanie Woodland know how many will be attending in your party by March 11 that the dining staff have the proper seating arrangements for you and your family. Reminder that the first two guests are free of charge and any other guests would be \$7.00/person.

Did You Know...?

That you can read the monthly newsletter on-line in addition to the printed copy or rather than receiving it in the mail. Please follow the campus link www.willowsatbelevue.com and let Melody Barger know you would like to discontinue the newsletter by mail.

The Private Dining Room can be reserved for Family Members. Please contact Melanie Woodland can be reserved for you and your family.



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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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