May 2019



Getting Involved with Theme Week

From April 29th to May 3rd, we celebrated our Chicago Speakeasy Theme Week. As the latest destination in our "Party in the USA" year, this event took us back to the 1920s for five days of jazz, black sequin headbands, and The Great Gatsby.

If you didn't have the chance to participate, or simply want to know more about similar events in the future, look no further! Here's everything you can expect when we celebrate our next Theme Week.

Party in the USA

As you've probably already noticed, we've designed each Theme Week

this year to take you to a different place and celebration in America. In February, we brought out our gold and green to make our home look like New Orleans during Mardi Gras. With our latest Theme Dinner, everyone came together to discuss Manhattans and Martinis in our dining room-turned- Chicago speakeasy. We're already planning for our next destination, and we can't wait for you to see it!

Dressing Up

To make you truly feel like you're experiencing an extraordinary night in a new city, we encourage all of our residents to dress in their best-

themed outfits. Don't worry - your invitation will include additional details on how to best dress for the theme! Our staff will also help you look the part by handing out necklaces, hats, and other wardrobe pieces prior to the Theme Dinner.

Activities Galore

With the help of our Life Enrichment Team, we'll make sure that you're fully immersed in the theme that we're celebrating. In the past, we've had a Cajun lunch outing, created parade floats out of cardboard, hosted jazz bands, and taught each other how to do The Charleston.

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Happy Birthday!

Residents

Maxine S. May 07

Patricia R. May 07

Ruby P. May 09

Donna P. May 27

William M. May 28

Upcoming Events for May

5/6-5/12 National Nurse's Week

5/02 Theme Dinner "Chicago-Speak Easy"

5/12 Mother's Day Brunch

5/13 Art Walk/Health Fair

5/27 Memorial Day

5/29 National Senior

Health & Fitness Day

Smile of the Month



Executive Director Corner

Happy May! As summertime approaches, we encourage you to enjoy the warm weather by taking a stroll through our garden. With grandkids about to be on vacation, you'll need all the "me time" you can get! It's an exciting time to be a member of our community, and we're excited to be kicking this month off in a very special way.

You might have noticed that some members of our staff have added a fedora to their uniform. Maybe you're wondering why your friend is donning a purple necklace with a feather boa to boot. If it feels like everyone has suddenly stepped back in time, you'd be right! With our latest Theme Week, the roaring 20s have come alive again to provide you with an authentic Chicago Speakeasy Experience.

Flappers and gangsters alike recently sat side by side in our dining room to fully immerse

themselves in the Theme
Dinner. We served up Capone's
Baked Ziti with Red Sauce,
along with Breaded Veal Cutlet.
The dessert, Bootleg Pineapple
Upside Down Cake with Tommy
Gun Rum Sauce, had everyone
talking in what looked like
a scene pulled straight from
a noir film. And like most of
my favorite films, I felt like I
could've watched it forever.

Thank you to everyone who joined us for this adventure into the prohibition era. We can't wait for you to see the other Theme Weeks that we have planned for this year. If you're interested in participating, contact a member of our Life Enrichment to learn about how you can save yourself a seat!

Yours in Service,

Brittany Fancher
Executive Director

ACTIVITY HIGHLIGHTS



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Volunteer News

Willows at Citation recognizes that volunteers are a vital component to enriching the lives of our residents. In this spirit, we would like to invite family members, friends and members of the community to volunteer their time and talents to lead activities, pet therapy, visit with residents or assist with special events.

Sunday Brunch

Please join us on Sunday, May 12th from 12:00-1:30 for our Mother's Day Sunday Brunch. We always look forward to mingling with our residents and their families and friends. Each resident can invite up to 2 guests free of charge. Additional tickets may be purchased for \$10 from the business office.

If you anticipate bringing a large group, reservations are accepted up to three days in advance.

Did You Know...?

That you can read the monthly newsletter on-line. Please follow the campus link at willowsatcitation. com and you can also see our monthly calendar.

Please follow us on Facebook and Twitter! You will see a lot of fun and exciting things we do here at our campus!

Don't forget to ask about how to get hooked up to Lifeshare. Ask our staff to get started.

Join us for Happy Hour every Friday at 3:00; we will be having music, appetizers and beverages.



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Tyler Sands

Director of Plant Ops.

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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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'Theme Week'

It's natural to crave adventure, and we're always looking for new ways to bring that adventure to you. So while you wait for our next Theme Week, let us take you for a trip to town. Visit the Farmer's Market, or enroll in an art course with our *Lifelong Learning* program. And while you're enjoying yourself, we'll already be making plans for what you can do next.



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