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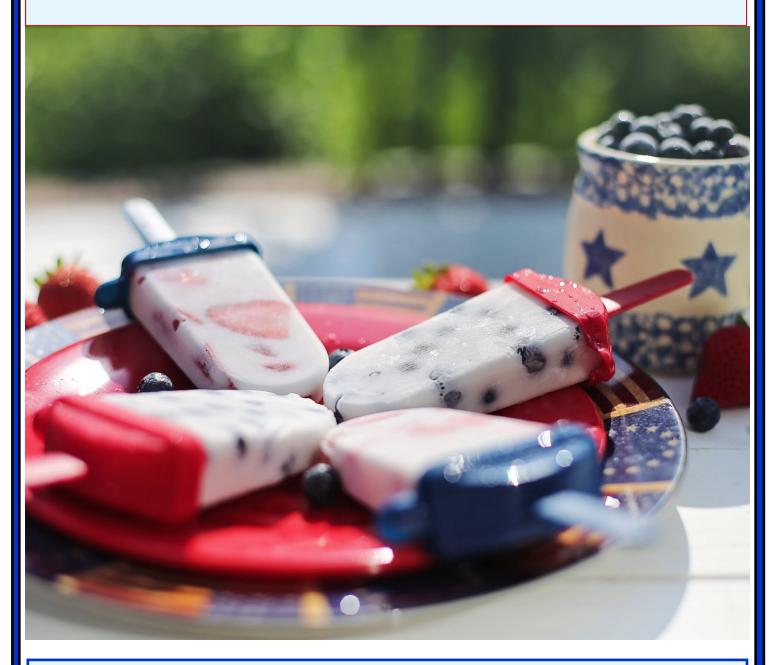
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### The Sunflower Times

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**July 2019** 

### It's Never Too Late for Tech



#### What is iN2L?

Our residents can use iN2L's picture-based, touchscreen interface to explore 4,000+ pieces of engaging, educational, spiritual, and personalized content. From mind-stimulating games, to exercise, to music immersion, and to google earth for looking back at former neighborhoods, iN2L has it all! We invite you to come try it.

### Up Close with iN2L at New Dawn

New Dawn prides itself on delivering a vibrant, engaging, life enrichment program for our residents, and a shining component of that program is It's Never 2 Late® (iN2L) technology that we use in conjunction with our daily activities. Just as surely as technology advances, so too does our involvement with it and how we use it. Learn the latest about our iN2L engagement. We are proud to boast a large stationary in2l system and a mobile iN2L system.

"What I love the most about the IN2L system is that it allows us to engage all of the residents regardless of their individual stage of dementia," - Life Enrichment Director, Angie Rogers

#### What's New on the iN2L Front?

Every two months, iN2L content is refreshed with new and engaging games, activities, programs and more. We train our team to understand iN2L, to build their own personal appreciation for it, and we do regular trainings with our team to stay on top of the latest and greatest iN2L has to offer to our residents.

### Moving Forward in iN2L Style

We're excited about all that iN2L brings to us on a daily basis, and how it can help us to further underscore our mission to create and sustain comfortable, caring environments for those who depend on us.

If you have feedback about iN2L that you would like to share with us, we would love to hear it at media@radiantseniorliving.com.

## **Special Moments**



THANK YOU FOR YOUR SERVICE!
We honored our veterans on Memorial Day with a special program.



We have also been loving the warmer weather and sunshine!









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## July Highlights

July is Picnic Month, World Watercolor Month, Blueberries Month & Grilling Month!

**01** Creative Ice Cream Flavors Day

**02** Anisette Day

**03 Chocolate Wafer Day** 

04 Independence Day; Caesar Salad Day

**05 Graham Cracker Day** 

06 Hop a Park Day; Fried Chicken Day

07 Macaroni Day; Father Daughter Walk Day

**08** Chocolate with Almonds Day

**09 Sugar Cookie Day** 

**10 Pina Colada Day** 

11 American Pet Photo Day

12 Collector Appreciation Day; Jello Day

**13 French Fries Day** 

**14 Mac and Cheese Day** 

15 Tapioca Pudding Day; Horses Day

**16 Corn Fritters Day** 

17 Peach Ice Cream Day; Emoji Day

18 Sour Candy Day; Caviar Day

19 Daiquiri Day

20 Lollipop Day; Strawberry Wine Day

21 Junk Food Day

22 Penuche Fudge Day

23 Vanilla Ice Cream Day

24 Amelia Earhart Day; Drive-Thru Day

25 Hot Fudge Sundae Day; Chili Dog Day

26 Bagel Day; Coffee Milkshake Day

27 Dance Day; Crème Brulee Day

28 Parents Day; Milk Chocolate Day

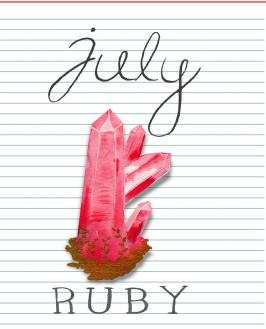
29 Chicken Wing Day; Lasagne Day

30 Cheesecake Day; Father-in-Law Day

31 Avocado Day; Raspberry Cake Day

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# Happy, Happy Birthday to Joanne on July 6th!

Did you know you can regularly check out our past newsletters and calendars, as well as current events on our website? Visit:

www.newdawnaurora.com/senior-living/co/aurora/calendar-of-events

# Welcome our New Executive Director, Lee Carlson!



Lee is an executive level professional with more than 20 years of experience and success in building teams.

His background includes management,

training and strategic planning. Lee is positive and efficient while always maintaining a focus on results.

Most recently, Lee was an Executive Director for a large senior living community. He has been an Executive Director in Colorado and Arizona and also worked as an Area Sales Director for senior living in Colorado and Wyoming.

Lee has a Bachelor of Science degree in Marketing from Western State and is a licensed counselor.

In his spare time, Lee likes to go Jeeping, hiking and mountaineering. Lee has two sons and currently lives in Denver, with his wife Georgette and dog Domo.

### Meet our New Life Enrichment Director, Angela Rogers!

Angela "Angie" Rogers is a fairly new resident to the great state of Colorado.

She has been working in health care for roughly 15 years, specializing mostly in memory care. She has held a Dementia Practitioner Certification for 4 years and loves everything about enhancing the quality of life for our senior population.

She commented, "I pride myself on being spontaneous, bubbly and a provider of joy for all I encounter. I am eager to use my extensive knowledge with our IN2L system here

at New Dawn
Memory Care,
which will allow
me to reach
residents at
every stage of
dementia and
Alzheimer's. I'm
so excited to be
a new member
of the team!"



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