



THE MEADOWS
OF DELPHOS

A Trilogy Senior Living Community

Messenger

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Your Guide to Healthy Aging

As we progress through our life journey, it can become easy to forget about the responsibilities that we have to ourselves. We can spend so much time focusing on the well-being of our loved ones, that we forget to tend to our own personal needs. We might ignore the strain that a walk can cause our legs, or the toll that a negative thought can take on our minds. We may even convince ourselves that it's "too late" to take charge of our mental and physical wellness. Luckily, this couldn't be further from the truth.

In honor of Healthy Aging Month, here is some information about what we can do to stay happy and healthy for countless years to come!

Keep an Active Mind

In a study conducted by the American Academy of Neurology, researchers found that the more mentally stimulating activities that we engage in later in life, the lower our chances of developing mild cognitive impairment (MCI) become. Just by engaging our minds

with the world around us, we lower our chances of developing MCIs, and even delaying symptoms of dementia. So the next time you meet up with a friend, swap stories about your favorite memories from childhood. Engage a member of the community in a game of chess, or learn how to play for the first time. Whatever it is that wracks your brain, your mind and body will thank you for it!

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Happy Birthday!

Residents

9/05	Larry Y.
9/08	Eileen J.
9/15	Agnes U.
9/17	Darlene K.
9/18	Nancy F.
9/21	Charles G.
9/25	Mary S.
9/27	Joyce K.

Staff

9/01	Rebecca N.
9/06	Brittany D.
9/10	Megan B.
9/12	Pennie Z.
9/13	Casey D.
9/13	Jen S.
9/13	Kelly F.
9/14	Amy B.
9/16	Allison H.
9/19	Amanda M.
9/28	Vicki S.
9/29	Lori C.



Executive Director Corner

Happy September! I hope that everyone enjoyed

themselves at our Las Vegas Casino Night Theme Dinner. My favorite dish was the Bootleg pineapple upside down cake – a dessert that had all of our card dealers shuffling to the dining room. If you weren't able to attend, don't worry – our next Theme Dinner isn't very far off!

Speaking of special occasions that are on the horizon, Grandparent's Day is just around the corner! On September 8th, we proudly recognize all of the grandmothers and grandfathers of our community. Through your wisdom, love, and friendship, you nurture the world towards becoming a better place for not only your grandchildren, but for everyone who is fortunate enough to know you.

I also want to take this opportunity to acknowledge *Healthy Aging Month*. All throughout September, we're reminded that it's never too late for our hearts to be strong, and for our minds to be free from worry. For our residents who are looking for ways to actively lead a healthier lifestyle, consider talking to our Life Enrichment Director about our Vitality program, where we offer wellness activities such as yoga, Tai Chi, and strength training up to three times a week. If you're thinking about making a change to your diet, our chefs are always receptive to feedback, and will be more than happy to adjust a meal based on your unique needs.

Thank you for always letting your brightness shine throughout our community. It's our pleasure to serve you!

Yours in Service,

Amber Merriman
Executive Director

Did You Know...?

Our Grandparent Sleepover is September 07 and 08, so get your pajamas ready!

That you can read the monthly newsletter on-line. Please follow the campus link: www.meadowsofdelphos.com

The Private Dining Room can be reserved for family gatherings and celebrations! Contact the campus to reserve.

Happy Hour is weekly from 3:00pm-5:00pm on Fridays!

FAMILY NIGHT

On September 12, we have our family night at the Car Show held at the Delphos Trinity United Methodist parking lot starting at 4:00pm. We had a blast at our last Family Game Night playing Family Feud, Yahtzee, Dominoes, and Trivia!



Out and About

We've had a great time out in the community to go see the Music in the Park and Spangler Candy Factory.



Volunteer News

Volunteers give the gift of time. Over 3,000 people presently serve as volunteers within Trilogy campuses. Families make great volunteers! As a volunteer, you are part of the Trilogy team. So why volunteer? Here are just a few benefits: personal satisfaction, community involvement, new meaningful friendships, and developing new skills.

Suggested ways to volunteer include but are not limited to: manicures (nail painting), calling bingo, visiting with residents, leading an activity or teaching a skill, reading to residents, helping residents get to and from activities and meals, photography for special events.

Themed Dinner

In August, we shared our luck with our winning Las Vegas Casino Night. Our next theme dinner in October will bring in our Nashville lovers for our Boot Scoot N' Boogie Theme Dinner!

Featured Resident

Martha J. was born on December 2nd to her parents Norman and Anna. She grew up with her three siblings; James, Max, and Doris. She attended Buckland High School and then she went on to marry her husband, Jess, and had 4 children. Martha enjoys going on outings, doing arts & crafts, bingo, reading, country music, and learning new things!



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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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Take Pleasure in the Little Things

In an article published by *HealthyAging.net*, healthy aging is attributed to not only knowing oneself, but being adaptable to change and new experiences. Have you always dreamt of becoming a famous singer? Start off small and work your way there by practicing once a day. Have you been meaning to work more physical activities into your routine? Talk to our Life Enrichment Director about



stretching your legs with our *Vitality* program. To quote David Bowie, "Aging is an extraordinary process where you become the person you always should have been."

Of course, as a valued member of our campus community, we're here to support you every step of the way. Talk to any one of our team members about the ideas you have

for your approach to healthy aging. Whatever your heart

desires, there's a friend to hear what it is, and a means to make it a reality!

Word Search

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