

# PARKER PLACE

Gracious Retirement Living

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## AUGUST 2020

### PARKER PLACE STAFF

Managers.....SCOTT & PAMELA ARTMAN  
Assistant Manager ..... BRENT & APRIL HOLLEY  
Executive Chef..... JOSH WELLMAN  
Community Sales ..... MARK HERSCH  
Sous Chef ..... AUSTIN WILCOXON  
Activity Coordinator .....ZOEY PERRY  
Maintenance .....MIKE MITCHELL  
Bus Driver ..... PAUL IANNINI  
Lead Housekeeper..... REBA REICHERT

### TRANSPORTATION

**Monday, 9 a.m.-2 p.m.:** Errands

**Tuesday & Thursday, 8:30 a.m.-3:30 p.m.:**  
Doctor Appointments

**Wednesday, TBD:** Outings

**Sunday, 9:30 a.m.:** Church Service Route

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## Hurry Home ... We Miss You!

Whenever one of your fellow residents is in the hospital or gone to rehab for any reason, we will place one of these large 'We Miss You' cards in the Atrium for all of our residents and staff members to sign, fill with love and encouraging words.

A staff member will then hand deliver this card upon their hospital/rehab visit with that resident.

It is important that no matter what, all of our residents are reminded that through thick and thin, they have all of us supporting and rooting for their quick and safe recovery and that we are eagerly anticipating their return home so we can see them again!

We are more than just a community — we are a family and we want you to be reminded of that always.





## Welcome New Residents!

### Jim Decker

- He enjoys working in the garden in his spare time.
- His favorite food is hard salami.
- Pumpkin pie is his favorite dessert.

### Edith Decker

- Loves spending time with her eight grandchildren and her 18 great-grandchildren.
- Her favorite food is spaghetti.
- She enjoys walking in her spare time.

### Mary Trenka

- Loves to do Word Searches in her pastime.
- Has two dogs: Koko and Pepi
- Loves to listen to music.

### Baba Pawar

- His favorite place to vacation is Florida.
- His favorite food is a fried egg.
- He loves to travel when he can.



*Jim & Edith Decker*



*Mary Trenka*



*Baba Pawar*

## This Day in History

**August 6, 1924:** The comic strip Little Orphan Annie debuted in the New York Daily News. Annie and her little dog, Sandy, were creations of cartoonist Harold Gray.

**August 9, 1930:** Betty Boop made her first appearance in the animated cartoon Dizzy Dishes. The character was modeled after Helen Kane, a famous singer of the 1920s known for her song “I Wanna Be Loved by You,” and Clara Bow, a popular 1920s actress and the first “It Girl.”

**August 12, 1990:** Sue, the world’s largest, most complete, and best-preserved Tyrannosaurus rex skeleton, was discovered in South Dakota by paleontologist Sue Hendrickson. It is now a star attraction at the Field Museum of Natural History in Chicago.

**August 17, 1939:** “The Wizard of Oz” premiered in New York City. It was the first movie to use a combination of color and black-and-white film. Judy Garland and Mickey Rooney performed onstage at the premier for 30-minute song-and-dance routines between showings of the film.

**August 31, 1997:** Princess Diana of England died along with her companion, department store heir Dodi Fayed, when their car crashed in a Paris tunnel while trying to evade the paparazzi.

## Did You Know?

The 52 cards in a deck represent the 52 weeks in a year. The four suits represent the seasons.

Tootsie Rolls were introduced in 1896 by Leo Hirshfield. He named them after his daughter, whose nickname was “Tootsie.” The mildly chocolatey, taffy-like confection was America’s first individually wrapped penny candy.

Giant squids have the largest eyes in the world — the size of soccer balls. They live deep in the ocean where those large eyes are useful in spotting predators.





## Beanbag Baseball Champions

We just finished up our second season of Beanbag Baseball, and this was an exciting one to say the least. We had the following four teams battling it out for the Champion title: The Bean Baggers, The Parker Diamonds, The Old Bats and the Blockbusters.

The Parker Diamonds walked away as our Season Two Champions beating The Bean Baggers 28 to 21. It was truly a nail biter!

However, The Bean Baggers walked away with the most games won all season.



*The Bean Baggers*



*The Parker Diamonds*

- The Bean Baggers finished off the season with five wins.
- The Parker Diamonds finished off the season with three wins.

- The Old Bats finished off the season with two wins.
- The Blockbusters finished off the season with two wins.

We had a season full of home runs, strikeouts, laughs and memories all of which we are taking into season three with us!

We have five teams battling it out in season three: The Foul Balls, The Hotshots, The Parker Comets, The Sliders, and The Sharks. Be sure to stop by and watch our teams battle it out for the Season Three Championship title every Monday afternoon in the Atrium!

## Floor Wars

August 1st will kick off Parker Place's Second Floor Wars Competition. Through the course of the month, floors one through three plus the cottages, will have the opportunity to earn points for their floor many different ways. At the end of the month, whichever floor has the most points will win an ice cream party!

### **You can earn points for your floor by:**

- Participating in activities led by a Manager, Josh or Zoey = 1 point
- Wearing your name tag to the activities = 1 point

### **Competition Rules:**

- Cottages participation will be broken up as follows.
  - Cottage 1 and 2 — Floor 1
  - Cottage 3 and 4 — Floor 2
  - Cottage 5 and 6 — Floor 3
- At Activities, a Manager, Josh or Zoey, will be responsible for counting how many people from each floor have attended and of those people, who is wearing their name tag.
- After each activity, each floor's participation and points will be documented.
- At the end of the month, whichever floor has the most points will have an ice cream social on Tuesday, September 1st!



AUGUST  
2020

Birthdays

Phil Mattingly, 8th  
Edith Decker, 10th  
Marcele Wynn, 19th  
Charles Barack, 19th  
Bill Owen, 20th  
Pamela Martin, 21st  
George Knotts, 21st  
Mary Novak, 23rd  
Nancy Stellenkamp, 23rd  
Bertha Girdler, 24th  
Gerald Anderson, 25th  
Carl Stump, 27th  
Rosemary Dacek, 28th

Anniversaries

Robert & Erma  
Wilson, 8/9/1960  
Ken & Rosemary  
Dacek, 8/23/1958

Locations

Activity Room, AR  
Atrium, AT  
Chapel, CH  
Dining Room, DR  
Dining Room  
Fireplace, DRFP  
Game Room, GR  
Library, LB  
Outing, OUT  
TV Lounge, TV

Breakfast: 8 a.m.  
Dinner: 12:30 p.m.  
Supper: 5:30 p.m.

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
						<div>1</div> <div>10:30 Stronger Seniors, AR 2:15 Bible Study, AR 6:45 Movie Night, AR</div>
<div>2</div> <div>11:00 Matinee, TV 2:30 Catholic Holy Communion, CH 3:00 Nickel Bingo, AR 4:00 Rosary, CH 6:45 Movie Night, TV</div>	<div>3</div> <div>9:30 Senior Stretch, AR 10:30 Beanbag Baseball Practice, AR 11:30 Brain Games, AR 2:00 Beanbag Baseball Game, AT 3:15 Book Club, LB 4:00 National Watermelon Day, FP 6:45 Wii Bowling Team 2, AR</div>	<div>4</div> <div>9:30 Sit and be Fit, AR 11:00 Manager Doughnuts &amp; Coffee Meet &amp; Greet, AR 1:30 Resident Meeting, DR 2:00 Chair Balloon Volleyball, AR 3:15 Current Events, AR 4:00 Letters to ..., AR 6:45 Wii Bowling Team 3, AR</div>	<div>5</div> <div>Outings TBD 9:30 Stronger Seniors, AR 2:15 Matinee, TV 4:00 Pinochle, AR 6:45 Bingo</div>	<div>6</div> <div>9:30 Exercise with Legacy 10:30 Pictionary, AR 11:30 Target Golf with Brent, AR 3:15 Show &amp; Tell, AR 4:00 Headbands (Guessing Game), AR 6:45 Wii Bowling Team 4, AR</div>	<div>7</div> <div>9:30 Get Up and Move, AR 10:45 National Water Balloon Day, FP 2:15 Bingo with Zoey, AR 3:00 Nickel, Left Right Center, AR 4:00 Happy Hour, AR 6:45 Wii Bowling Team 5, AR</div>	<div>8</div> <div>10:30 Stronger Seniors, AR 2:15 Bible Study, AR 6:45 Movie Night, AR</div> <div></div>
<div>9</div> <div>Happy 11th Birthday, Parker Place 11:00 Matinee, TV 2:30 Catholic Holy Communion, CH 3:00 Nickel Bingo, AR 6:45 Movie Night, TV</div>	<div>10</div> <div>9:30 Senior Stretch, AR 10:30 Beanbag Baseball Practice, AR 11:30 World Lion Day (Educational), AR 2:00 Beanbag Baseball Game, AT 3:30 Headbands, AR 6:45 Wii Bowling Team 2, AR</div> <div></div>	<div>11</div> <div>9:30 Sit and be Fit, AR 10:30 Arts &amp; Crafts, AR 11:30 Wheel of Fortune, AR 2:00 Chair Balloon Volleyball, AR 3:00 Uno (Card Game), AR 4:00 Fact or Fiction, AR 6:45 Wii Bowling Team 3, AR</div>	<div>12</div> <div>Outings TBD 9:30 Stronger Seniors, AR 10:00 Knitters &amp; Needles Club Meeting, AR 2:00 Wednesdays with April, AR 6:45 Bingo</div>	<div>13</div> <div>9:30 Exercise with Legacy 10:30 Science Experiments with Zoey, AR 11:30 History Mystery, AR 3:15 A Moment of Meditation &amp; Mindfulness, AR 4:00 Horse Race Derby, AR 6:45 Wii Bowling Team 4, AR</div>	<div>14</div> <div>9:30 Get Up and Move, AR 10:30 Wii Darts, AR 11:30 Creativity Coloring, AR 2:00 Referral Buck Bash!, AR 3:00 Quarter, Left Right Center, AR 4:00 Happy Hour, AR 6:45 Wii Bowling Team 5, AR</div>	<div>15</div> <div>10:30 Stronger Seniors, AR 2:15 Bible Study, AR 6:45 Movie Night, AR</div>
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## Welcome New Management Team!

We are so excited to welcome our new Management team to Parker Place!

Here are a couple fun facts about each of our new Managers:

### Scott Artman

- His favorite food is pizza.
- In his spare time you can find him hunting and fishing.
- He prefers colder climate weather.



*Our New Managers,  
Scott & Pamela*

### Pamela Artman

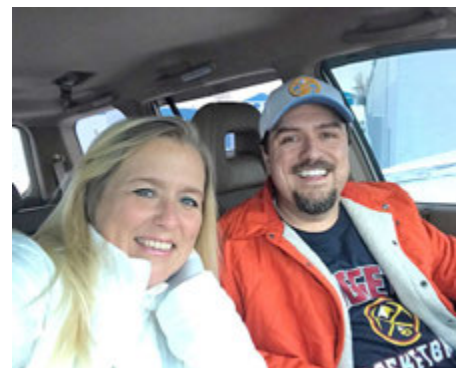
- Her favorite dessert is prune cake.
- The hardest thing she ever had to endure was saying goodbye to her son when he joined the military.
- She and Scott have four kids and four grandkids.

### Brent Holley

- He is a single child.
- His favorite food is pizza.
- He is a very good golfer.

### April Holley

- She loves to travel.
- She is a preacher's daughter.
- In her spare time, you can find her playing video games.



*Our New Assistant  
Managers, Brent & April*

We will have a Coffee & Doughnut Meet & Greet with our Management team on August 4th.

- Scott and Pamela will be in the Activity Center from 11 to 11:30 a.m.
- Brent and April will be in the Activity Center from 11:30 a.m.-Noon.

This is an opportunity for our residents to sit down in a fun but intimate setting, enjoy some snacks and coffee, and get to know their new Managers and for their new Managers to get to know them. I highly encourage all of our residents to take advantage of this opportunity!

## What's New in the Parker Place Library

New books to check out in our Library:

### Fiction

- "Abandoned" by Allison Brennan
- "Point of Origin" by Patricia Cornwell
- "At All Costs" by John Gilstrap
- "Sarah's Window" by Janice Graham
- "After All These Years" by Susan Isaacs
- "Fatal" by Michael Palmer
- "The Guardian" by Nicholas Sparks

Thank you to all who have donated to our Library! Have any old books lying around and you are unsure what to do with them? Please consider donating them to the Parker Place Library! Feel free to just drop them off on the book return shelf in the Library on the 2nd floor.





## Guess Who?

Can you guess which of your fellow residents this is?

I'll give you three hints:

1. He lives on the first floor.
2. He is a veteran.
3. He has seven kids.

Figured it out? Come to Zoey with your guesses!

Our Mystery Baby from last month was none other than Richard Dillow!

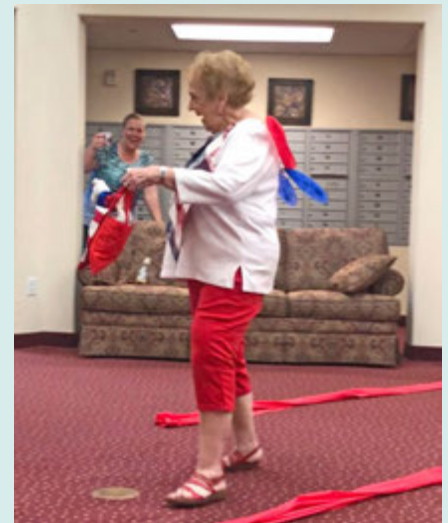
If you would like to be featured as our mystery child of the month in future newsletters, please bring a baby or childhood picture of yourself to Zoey.



*Who am I?*

## Fourth of July Fashion Show

On Friday, July 3rd, we celebrated the birth of American Independence by having a contest for the most patriotic outfit! Whether it be a shirt, pants, flags, beads, wings, all of the above or whatever you can think of, we saw it all. Thank you to everyone who participated and let their patriotic flag fly down the runway!







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