



THE MEADOWS
OF LEIPSIC

A Trilogy Senior Living Community

Messenger

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Woman Meets Her Birth Mother after 50 Years, Learns She's An Actress From Her Favorite Show

When Lisa Wright sat down to watch *That's My Mama* every week as a child, she never could have imagined how accurate the title would prove to be.

As an adopted child, Lisa never sought out her biological family. Once she had a child of her own, however, she began investigating.

"My (adoptive) mom told me, 'Your mommy loved you, but she was really young, and she knew she couldn't take care of you. I wanted a baby so bad, and that's why your mom let me take care of you. You weren't abandoned. This was just the best thing for you,'" Lisa said in

an interview with the *Today* show.

Following a DNA test, Lisa was quickly put into touch with members

of her biological family – and before long, her biological mother.

"A voice on the other end (of the phone) says, 'Is this my daughter?' And then I just went, 'Oh, my God, is this my mother?'" Lisa said. "And then she goes, 'Yes, sweetie, this is your mom.' It was just the most indescribable feeling."

Lisa would quickly learn that her mother is none other than Lynee Moody – an actress from one of Lisa's favorite shows from childhood.

"I grew up watching my mother on TV and didn't even know it," Wright said. "*That's My Mama* — that was



our must-see TV. We all sat down and watched *That's My Mama* every week, and who knew? No idea.... And that's my mama!"

Original story from people.com

Photo credit: Michael Tullberg/Getty



Happy Birthday!

Residents

Marilyn H.	7/06
Pauline G.	7/10
James S.	7/10
Ninfa N.	7/11
Carolyn V.	7/11
Kathy W.	7/12
Richard H.	7/15
Joanne R.	7/18
Darla E.	7/18
Virginia C.	7/18
Mary W.	7/23
Doris M.	7/23
Iris S.	7/26
Viola T.	7/29
Eugene O.	7/31

Staff

Mikaylie M.	7/10
Danielle T.	7/14
Tony K.	7/17
Jorelou Mae H.	7/24
Danielle M.	7/26
Kristina W.	7/31



Executive Director Corner

Happy July, everyone!
I hope that you're

enjoying cooling down from the heat and the easing of restrictions, because summer is officially in full swing – and we have a lot to celebrate.

Our "Traditions Around The World" Theme Year continues this month with our latest Theme Week – **France**. Taking place from July 12th – July 15th, this theme week will see our campus filled with blue, white, and red colors as we celebrate the sights, sounds, and smells of France from the comfort of home. Be sure to ask to our Life

Enrichment Director about all of the incredible activities we have planned! *C'est l'heure de faire la fête (it's party time!)*.

As we begin celebrating our independence from COVID-19, we're also excited to be kicking off our **Independence from Hunger** food drive. Over the course of the past 5 years, we have been able to raise more than 7.3 million pounds of food to support local food banks across the Midwest. Talk to a team member today to learn about how you can participate!

Have a great month,
Stephanie Keaton
Executive Director

Campus in Color

We will be able to enjoy some home-grown vegetables! We can't thank you enough for the time put in to make this happen! Your time and dedication are appreciated!



Smile of the Month

Barbara S. really enjoyed our theme dinner, South America – Carnaval.



Recognition Congratulations to Jennifer H., our May Oh Great One. Honored with a bouquet and sweet words from the team. We want to thank you for being an essential part of the team and for working to serve our residents every day!

Why Volunteer? Improve Personal Health and Wellness, Build New, Meaningful Friendships, Enhance Community Connections, Learn New Skills, Share your Passions with Others, and It's FUN and helps us and others feel GOOD! If you would like more information on what you can do to make a difference, contact the Life Enrichment Team to become an essential volunteer.

THEMED DINNER

For the second theme dinner of the year, we partied like it's the Rio Carnival! We celebrated the sights, sounds, and smells of South America from the comfort of our campus, with an exciting week of theme-related activities, events, and an incredible theme dinner.



Taste of Town

Taste of the Town will be held on Wednesday, July 14, 2021. We will be enjoying food from our very own campus grill. If you have any restaurant suggestions, please contact, Director of Dining Food Services.

Senior Executive Club

Senior Executive Club will be held on Tuesday, July 13, 2021 from 11:30am - 12:30pm. We will be having a drive thru at the Lilac House. Hope to see you there!

Did You Know...?

That you can read the monthly newsletter on-line in addition to the printed copy. Please follow the campus link <http://www.trilogyhs.com/campuses/meadows-leipscik>

Happy Hour is weekly at 3:00pm in the Main Dining Room unless noted otherwise on the calendars.

The Trilogy Foundation Grants Live a Dream Wishes for residents that have a desire to experience something big or small that they have always wanted to try or do again. Please contact Lisa Stateler, Life Enrichment Director, at 419-943-2103 for more information.



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Stay in the Loop

Keep up with latest campus news and happenings by following us on your favorite social networks!

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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Monthly Trivia & Activity Corner

All trivia answers will be printed in our upcoming month's newsletter!

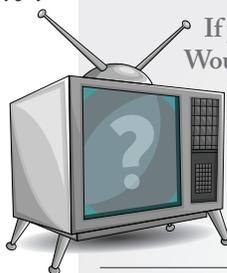
Question 1: The Fourth of July celebrates the adoption of what historic document?

Question 2: What is the name of the largest planet in our solar system?

Question 3: What is the name of the local jazz group that performed "I Don't Want To Set The World On Fire"?

Question 4: In what year was the 19th amendment ratified?

Question 5: On what day does the summer solstice occur?



If you could create a TV show, what would it be? Would it be a sitcom? Game show? Crime drama? About animals? Or something new? Write a brief description and share your ideas.

Flip the page for last month's trivia answers:

Q1: What river runs through the Grand Canyon? The Colorado River
Q2: The world's first vaccine was developed to fight which disease? Polio
Q3: The ocean covers more than ___% of the earth's surface. 70
Q4: What was the name of Lucy's neighbor in I Love Lucy? Carolyn Appleby
Q5: What is the name of the largest freshwater lake in the world? The Caspian Sea

Word Search

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