

Wrapping up our 2021 Theme Year

On October 11th, our 2021 “Traditions Around The World” Theme Year will see us stopping at our final destination – Germany! Here’s everything you can expect when we kick off this incredible week:

Lass uns feiern! (Let’s celebrate!)

As a resident of our community, your experience between October 11th through the 15th will be that of someone who is experiencing the sights and sounds of Munich for the first time! Get in the Oktoberfest spirit as we celebrate with a week filled with German inspired activities and programs, all culminating towards an incredible Theme Dinner on October 14th. Don’t forget to wear black, red, and/or gold!

Prost! (Cheers!)

The activities that we have planned for our final Theme Week are as rich in fun as they are in flavor! Get ready for tastings, decorative crafting, and



delicious snack-making that are sure to bring glück (happiness!). When it comes to the dinner, you can look forward to menu items such as grilled sausage, Chef Bob’s Rueben egg roll, German chocolate cake, and more.

We’ve saved the best for last, so we hope that we’ll see you when this one-of-a-kind event kicks off on October 11th. If you have any additional questions, don’t hesitate to reach out to any member of our Life Enrichment team. They’ll be more than happy to hear from you!

Happy Birthday!

Residents

Marilyn K.	October 02
William A.	October 03
Wade C.	October 07
Ella R.	October 07
Dickson S.	October 18
James G.	October 23

Staff

Angela K.	October 01
Alemseged B.	October 06
Adjo-Ambroisine A.	October 10
Monalisa M.	October 10
Janet F.	October 17
Ebere U.	October 19



Executive Director Corner

Happy
October,
everyone!

With

Halloween just around the corner, it can be easy to be frightened by images of ghosts and vampires – but with everything coming up in the next few weeks, there's never been more reason to be excited as a member of our community.

This month, we're wrapping up our "Traditions Around the World" Theme Year with our biggest Theme Week yet – **Germany**. From October 11th – October 15th, we'll be putting on a celebration that rivals Oktoberfest as

we dive deep into cuisines, activities, and programs all inspired by German culture. Be sure to come wearing your black, red, and gold as we kick off this incredible week!

With fall officially in full swing, it's time to enjoy the smell of fresh pumpkins, the taste of delicious treats, and the feeling of relief that comes from the cool, steady air. There's so much to appreciate about this time of the year, and we can't wait to celebrate it with you.

Have a great month!

Jacqueline Altier

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Executive Director

Legacy Lane Spotlight

Family-style dining has returned! Our Legacy residents now get to enjoy delicious meals served at their tables. Elegant tablecloths, napkins, and blue dinner plates are used to make each meal feel special. Did you know that our Legacy dining experience was developed by dementia experts and is a part of our Best Friends Approach to care? For example, soft music is played during meals to set a calm tone, food is made attractive on the serving platters, and the Legacy staff sits and eats small portions with the residents to demonstrate the dining process. Team members also prompt pleasant conversations with the residents to build relationships and foster friendship on the lane.

Legacy family members, save the date for our Legacy Lane Family Night, October 21! This is sure to be a fabulous fall event!

Featured Volunteer: Paul Di Toma

Originally from Syracuse, NY, and a pastor for more than 30 years, Paul Di Toma loves serving at Violet Springs leading Bible studies, visiting residents, offering Communion, and holding church services for special holidays. The teaching pastor at NewLife Church in Canal Winchester, Paul is very active in the community

helping with civic events, parades, festivals, and outreach events. He is also available as a volunteer chaplain here at Violet Springs should any resident or family member need spiritual counseling, prayer, or support.

In Paul's free time, he most enjoys being outdoors and seeing all that beautiful Ohio has to offer. Hiking, kayaking, and exploring are some of his favorite activities. Being from Syracuse, he is an avid Syracuse University basketball fan, but he has been known to cheer for OSU as well. He and his wife have been married for 28 years, have three grown children and a son-in-law.

Thank you, Paul, for volunteering at Violet Springs and for loving on our residents.



ACTIVITIES CORNER

We've ushered out summer, welcomed fall, and transitioned into trippy hippies at Violet Springs! During a "Lighthouse" theme week, residents made their own lighthouses complete with solar lights on top. It was smooth sailing as we "docked in the next port," and made fall grapevine wreaths. Be sure to check out these autumnal beauties on the doors of many of our residents. Another fun craft let us get "groovy" and make our own tie-dye t-shirts. The following Friday, we had live music for the first time since last year, and the residents became hippies for the afternoon in their tie-dye shirts!

We were also glad to welcome Jo Binkley and her 4H girls who brought their pets for the residents to enjoy. The girls did an outstanding job, and the residents really enjoyed the "fur babies." Residents also enjoyed an educational and interesting time with Joanna Hughes our social worker. Joanna is a Civil War buff and shared her knowledge with our residents for one of our club events. Complete with Civil War bullets and a saber, Joanna did a great job!





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 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: What is the
 name of Dracula's sidekick?

Question 2: Where did
 Halloween originate?

Question 3: True or
 false: Bees can only
 sting once.

Question 4: Pumpkins
 are ____% water.

Question 5:
 Who originally
 sang *That'll
 Be The Day*
 in 1957?

*Flip the
 page for
 last month's
 trivia
 answers:*

Q1: blood type is considered the universal donor. Type O
Q2: What product was banned from advertising on television in 1971? Cigarettes
Q3: Edwin Budding invented what tool in the 1820s? The lawn mower
Q4: Who is the only US president to ever resign from office? Richard Nixon
Q5: What is the brightest star in the galaxy? Sirius A

FIND AND CIRCLE TEN DIFFERENCES



Word Search

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ACTIVITIES
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