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Parker Place Post

Assisted Living & Memory Care



LABOR DAY

It's September, but there's plenty of warm weather left and the last major holiday of the season still to be enjoyed.

Labor Day, traditionally considered the end of summer, is celebrated with parades, cookouts, and family outings. It recognizes the creation of the labor or union movement and honors the social and economic achievements of American workers

SPECIAL DAYS

September 5th
Labor Day

September 11th
Grandparents Day
September 11th-17th
Assisted Living Week

September 21st
World Alzheimers Day
September 22nd
First Day of Autumn

COME JOIN US

✓ Butler County Foot Clinic
September 13th
9am-11am at Parker
Place. Cost is \$20

✓ First Congregational
Church Service
Wednesdays at 10:00am,
open to the public.



Happy Birthday

Friendly Reminders

- ✓ We are always looking for volunteers to assist with crafts, games, entertainment, etc.
- ✓ We still require masks when in our community

Beth Scourick - Sept. 2nd
Cadie Bertram - Sept. 2nd
Sue Boushelle- Sept. 17th



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Ramona,
Howard and
Sylvia
schucking
sweet corn



Big thank you to
Tom for donating
sweet corn for our
family to enjoy



Dean joined in
on the fun.



Parkersburg Fun Days Parade

Parker had 3 vehicles full and 7 golf carts in the parade.



Terry & Jo scooted along in the parade



Jill & Brittany in their "on the farm" get up



Arlene & Kelly



So much Fun!

Parker's Kitchen



Paker Place offers 3 home cooked meals per day. Breakfast is made to order open dining. Lunch is served at 11:30am with supper following at 4:30pm. Friends and family are welcome to eat with their loved one. Cost is \$6 per person.



Zuppa Soup

Ingredients

- 1 pound bulk mild Italian sausage
- 1 ¼ teaspoons crushed red pepper flakes
- 4 slices bacon, cut into 1/2 inch pieces
- 1 large onion, diced
- 1 tablespoon minced garlic
- 5 (13.75 ounce) cans chicken broth
- 6 potatoes, thinly sliced
- 1 cup heavy cream
- ¼ bunch fresh spinach, tough stems removed

Directions

Instructions Checklist

Step 1

Cook the Italian sausage and red pepper flakes in a Dutch oven over medium-high heat until crumbly, browned, and no longer pink, 10 to 15 minutes. Drain and set aside.

Step 2

Cook the bacon in the same Dutch oven over medium heat until crisp, about 10 minutes. Drain, leaving a few tablespoons of drippings with the bacon in the bottom of the Dutch oven. Stir in the onions and garlic; cook until onions are soft and translucent, about 5 minutes.

Step 3

Pour the chicken broth into the Dutch oven with the bacon and onion mixture; bring to a boil over high heat. Add the potatoes, and boil until fork tender, about 20 minutes. Reduce the heat to medium and stir in the heavy cream and the cooked sausage; heat through. Mix the spinach into the soup just before serving.



World Alzheimers Day: Sept. 21st

World Alzheimer's Day on September 21st occurs during World Alzheimer's Month. On World Alzheimer's Day, health organizations across the globe focus their efforts on raising awareness about this disease.

The first diagnosis of Alzheimer's disease was in 1906. Alzheimer's is a progressive brain disorder. It slowly destroys memory and thinking skills. Eventually, when someone has Alzheimer's, they lose the ability to carry out simple tasks. Alzheimer's is the most common cause of dementia. At this time, science hasn't found a cure, nor is there a way to prevent the disease.

An estimated 44 million people in the world have Alzheimer's disease. Of all the places in the world, Alzheimer's disease is most common in Western Europe. North America is close behind. In the United States, 5.5 million people have the disease. Every 66 seconds, someone in the U.S. receives an Alzheimer's diagnosis.

As the population ages, a higher percentage will be affected by Alzheimer's. For example, beyond the age of 65, the prevalence of Alzheimer's doubles every five years. It's predicted that by the year 2050, 16 million people in the U.S. will have Alzheimer's.

Parker Place will be
participating in the Walk
to end Alzheimer's
September 24th





Elaine & Brittany after a day at the beauty shop for Elaine

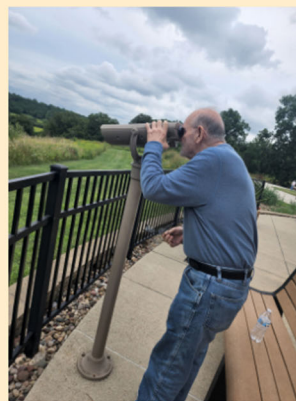


Picnic at Pine Lake

Stub was all smiles during puppy visits



Megan, Jill, Kaitlynn, & Ashley headed to tour our sister community, Arlington Place of Grundy Center



Dave checking out the view

Richard & Cam enjoying a stroll at Pine Lake Park outing



**Fresh Air Friday Picnic outdoors
Viola, Ramona & Marian to the left.
Some of our family from The Gardens below.**



Sue & Eunice & Char

With our awesome parade signs





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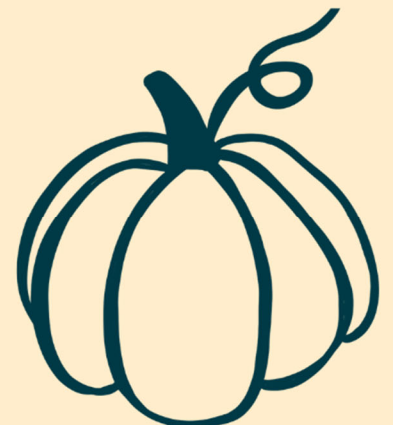
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