

The Wellington News

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Assisted Living • Respite Care Services

Wishlist

- **Plants (indoor and outdoor)**
- **Plastic cups with lids and handles**
- **Ninja chopper**
- **Small dessert plates**
- **Tupperware with lids**
- **Soda pop for Bingo (Coke, Dr. Pepper, Sprite, Mt. Dew, Orange)**
- **Bingo prizes (candy, costume jewelry, perfume)**
- **Books (large print, romance, mystery, Coloring)**
- **Puzzles (Medium-Large sized pieces)**

Facility News

As the cold and snow slowly start to melt away (yay!) we can start to look forward to our annual summer party! Mark your calendars because we are tentatively scheduling it for July 22nd this year. Keep your eyes peeled because we're just getting started with the planning process! As we have more details, we will be sharing them in the coming newsletters.



Trish and Val decorating cookies for activities!



We painted rocks for activities!

Resident News

It's with sad hearts that we announce the passing of Gerry in early February. Her spunky personality is definitely missed here at the facility. Our deepest condolences go out to her family and friends.

We would also like to welcome Vonnie to the facility! Vonnie moved in with us in February from another facility. If you see her out and about, please take a moment to introduce yourself!

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Thank you to every one of our staff for all you do every day helping residents, being a valued team member & making our community great!

From the Corner Desk of Joey

Just as we began to believe it would never end, winter is finally coming to an end. With March comes the vernal, or spring, equinox which marks the official start of the spring season! With spring of course comes the traditional spring cleaning, which provides us a great opportunity to thank our maintenance staff member Ken, as well as our wonderful cook Chris who helps him with deep cleaning around the facility. We wouldn't be able to do what we do without their hard work and commitment to making this facility the very best it can be. March also brings St. Patrick's Day, which is quite different today then how it was originally celebrated. Originally St. Patrick's Day was a Christian celebration known as the Feast of St. Patrick who was a celebrated religious man known for spreading Christianity across Ireland through baptism and

communion. Functionally the feast landed at the midway point of lent, which is known for its traditional fasting and allowed Christians the chance to take a little break before continuing to fast until Easter. The green beer, clothing and parties we associate with the holiday nowadays was popularized by Irish immigrants

to America wishing to celebrate their heritage in their new home. Fun fact, the first time the Chicago River was dyed green was for St. Paddy's Day in 1962 which, much to my own surprise, recently guessed accurately at a local trivia night. Happy Spring everyone from all of us at Wellington Place at Whiting.



Dolores and June before exercises.



Happy Birthday, Thank You Joe!



Happy Birthday

Best wishes to our staff celebrating birthdays this month.

Kristan	3/13
Olivia	3/22
Trish	3/24
Lydia	3/29
Anna	3/31

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Gary is feeling silly!



Kristan and Andrea took Roger to the movies!



Gertrude and Mary staying warm during coffee clutch.