

Introducing the Leadership Team

Executive Director: Beondi Hewson
 Community Sales Director: Mike DeRubertis
 Wellness Nurse: Diane Cagle
 Business Office Director: Peggy Dunphy
 Wellness Directors: Gary Monnin & Maria Moreno
 Maintenance Director: Josh Sabota
 Dining Services Director: Sara Scheurn
 Life Enrichment Director: Kelsey McKelvey

Team Member Spotlight



Welcome Kelsey McKelvey, our new Life Enrichment Director

Kelsey is a Rogue Valley Native, born and raised in Ashland, Oregon. She grew up skiing on Mt. Ashland and very is involved in the community.

She attended California State University Fullerton on a track and field scholarship and obtained a bachelor degree in health science. Shortly after, she started her career in life enrichment at a senior living community in Ashland. Kelsey is excited to bring her fun and positive mindset to the residents here at Pioneer Village.

We're pleased to welcome you, Kelsey!

moments captured



March Art Gala: The community enjoyed our talented resident art displays, beautiful harp music, hors d' oeuvres, wine and sparkling cider.

Thank you to everyone who participated!



"Despite the forecast, live like it's Spring."
 - Lilly Pulitzer

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A Note from the Executive Director



Beondi Hewson,
 Executive Director

Happy Spring to all of our Pioneer Village Residents, Families and Friends!

I would like to offer a warm welcome to our newest residents Sheria R., Carol H. and Daniel V. Also, welcome to Kelsey M., our new Life Enrichment Director.

Congratulations to Jennifer C. and Kristen H. for your recent promotions to Wellness Coordinator for Assisted Living.

I would like to invite everyone to our Spring Picnic Event taking place Friday, April 19th in the A Lobby and outside in front of the A Building entrance. The event will be between 11:30 AM to 2 PM. We will unwind and enjoy a Spring picnic with live music and dancing.

"Some old-fashioned things, like fresh air and sunshine, are hard to beat." - Laura Ingalls Wilder

HAPPY Birthday

Residents

- Marge C. April 1
- Marcia S. April 1
- Dodie N. April 5
- Jan V. April 10
- Sharon F. April 14
- Judy H. April 17
- Mary Jo H. April 20

Staff

- Kitty M. April 4
- Jennifer S. April 7
- Pam F. April 18



upcoming events

A special “thank you” to our residents who displayed their incredible talents at our recent Art Gala; Mary S., Ann S., Damaris N., Judy H. and Mary Jo H.

New April Highlights:

- Java walk to Pony Espresso
- Cocktail Hour
- Pub Trivia
- Fun in the Kitchen (where we will be serving our creations at Happy Hour)
- Gardening Club
- Swap & Shop, the 12th-14th on the third floor

Please join us for our Spring Picnic, Friday, April 19, from 11:30 AM to 2 PM. We will enjoy BBQ, chips, sides and fruit pie. Dancing & live music by Bob Hayworth.



SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
	1 TRANSPORTATION 10:00 Tai Chi with Pamela 3F 11:00 Wii Bowling 3F 12:00 Sourdough Tasting DR 1:00 Painting AK 2:00 Billiards 3F 3:00 Resident Council B 4:00 Netflix Docuseries CR WWII: From the Frontlines Sourdough Bread Day	2 TRANSPORTATION 10:00 Exercise with Kelsey 3F 11:00 10,000 (Dice) AL 1:30 Poker 3F 1:30 Mexican Train 3F 2:00 Welcome Committee B 3:00 Cocktail Hour/Pub Trivia B	3 9:00 Java Walk \$ AL 10:00 Balance Exercise 3F 11:00 Shopping at Trader Joes 1:30 Arts & Crafts AK 2:30 Menu Meeting CR 3:00 Glee Club B 3:00 Scenic Drive AL 4:00 Netflix Docuseries: CR Our Planet: One Planet	4 TRANSPORTATION 10:00 Chair Yoga 3F 11:00 Battle Ball B 1:30 Poker 3F 2:00 Parkinson’s Group CR 3:00 Dan & Carol: Oregon Trail B 4:00 Garden Club B	5 8:30 Friday Donut AL 10:00 Exercise with Megan 3F 10:15 Outing: Harry and David Tour \$ AL 1:30 Fun in the Kitchen AK 3:00 Happy Hour w/ Lillian B 6:30 Movie CR “Memory Keepers Daughter”	6 10:30 Bible Study CR 11:00 Battle Ball B 1:30 Poker 3F 1:30 Mexican Train 3F 3:00 Corn Hole 3F 4:00 TV Time CR 6:30 Movie CR “Walk the Line”
7 8:00 Catholic Church Transport 9:00 Lutheran Church Transport 10:30 Presbyterian Church Transport 1:30 Poker 3F 1:30 Mexican Train 3F 3:00 Scenic Drive AL 3:30 Women’s Circle BL 4:00 TV Time Hallmark CR	8 TRANSPORTATION 9:30 Jacksonville Booster Transport AL 10:00 Tai Chi with Dayton 3F 11:00 Activities Meeting B 2:00 Billiards 3F 3:00 5 Crown Cards 3F 4:00 Netflix Docuseries CR WWII: From the Frontlines	9 TRANSPORTATION 10:00 Exercise with Kelsey 3F 11:00 10,000 (Dice) AL 1:30 Poker 3F 1:30 Mexican Train 3F 3:00 Cocktail hour/ Creekside Chat B 4:30 Dinner out at Wharf \$	10 9:00 Walk & Talk AL 10:00 Balance Exercise 3F 11:00 Shopping at Bi-Mart \$ 1:30 Arts & Crafts AK 2:30 Menu Meeting CR 3:00 Scenic Drive AL 4:00 Netflix Docuseries: CR Our Planet: Frozen Worlds	11 TRANSPORTATION 10:00 Chair Yoga 3F 11:00 Battle Ball B 1:00 Piano with Louis Faro BL 1:30 Poker 3F 1:30 Mexican Train 3F 3:00 Dollar Bingo \$ 3F 4:00 Garden Club B	12 8:30 Friday Donut AL 10:00 Exercise with Megan 3F 11:00 Outing Butte Creek Mill 1:30 Fun in the Kitchen AK 2:00 Book Club CR 3:00 Happy Hour w/ Michael Cruz 6:30 Movie CR “The Kings Speech” <i>Swap and Shop 3F</i>	13 10:30 Bible Study CR 11:00 Battle Ball B 1:30 Poker 3F 1:30 Mexican Train 3F 3:00 Corn Hole 3F 4:00 TV Time CR 6:30 Movie CR “Pride and Prejudice” <i>Swap and Shop 3F</i>
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