

**March
2025**



Arcadia
SENIOR LIVING
Clarksville

Letter from the Executive Director

Resident Birthdays

Fred Lessing 3-8
Leonard "Len" Mason 3-8
Russell Emil 3-14
Hubert Griffy 3-14
Margaret "Sam" Hossom 3-18
Shirley Mason 3-25
Bessie Mosley 3-26

Employee Birthdays

Sheryl Hayag 3-12
Amber Malone 3-17
Jaliah Townsel-Siefert 3-24

Anniversary

Jerrie Burnett 1 year

*"To plant a garden is to
believe in tomorrow."*

We had a nice February despite the heavy rains bringing flooding, the snow, and the couple of days with single digit temperatures. We celebrated several national holidays and a monument for the 95th birthday for one of our residents. We also announced our 2024 Fourth Quarter Ambassadors which are Jaliah Townsel-Siefert and Briana Black. Our Fourth Quarter Ambassadors are acknowledged with a certificate and a monetary gift of \$250 each. From the eight Ambassadors for 2024, Emma Jeffreys has been chosen to be our 2024 Arcadia Clarksville Ambassador and has been given a certificate, a \$1,500 monetary gift, and has been entered into the running for the overall Arcadia Ambassador of 2024. We had a gathering for the 2024 winners and our annual winner and were very excited that Brian Durbin, President of Arcadia Communities, was able to join us. We should know the overall winner of the Arcadia Company-wide Ambassador sometime in March. Fingers crossed for Emma.

A few special things to look forward to in March will be Mardi Gras (Fat Tuesday), Ash Wednesday, Daylight Saving Time, the First Day of Spring, Our Week for Ireland, and the beginning of March Madness. Fat Tuesday is a day of feasting before the fasting season of Lent. Fat Tuesday is another name for Mardi Gras which is the French name. Ash Wednesday is a Christian holy day and the first day of Lent, a 46-day period of fasting and prayer leading up to Easter. Daylight Saving Time is Sunday, March 9th. On Saturday, the 8th, remember to move your clocks forward one hour. We are losing one whole hour of sleep!

We will be celebrating a different country each quarter and Ireland is our first try at this new activity. This will begin on Monday, May 17th and include a social, entertainment, and an Irish food buffet for lunch one day. Then there is March madness. This final college basketball event starts on Sunday, March 16th. Although many do not care about watching college basketball, we hope you will find it entertaining to follow our bracket that we will have on display in the Governor's Club during the tournament. Overall, I hope we have a fun and amusing month for you all.

Sheila Dickmann, Executive Director

"Spring is far more than just a changing of seasons; it's a rebirth of the spirit."

February Activities Captured



Arcadia Clarksville acronym for love.

L-is for the Laughter and fun we had all month long as we enjoy each other's company during our Valentine's Day social.

O-is for how Outstanding Ms. Connie looked as she celebrated her 100th birthday!

V- is for how Vibrant Dr. Vann looked during his 95th birthday celebration.

E- is for how Ecstatic we are on the upcoming activities we have going on in March!

Make sure you check out our Facebook page for more photos and details.



Resident Highlight

Lucille Thompson was born in Wiley, Colorado a statutory town in Prowers County. With Lucille being the oldest of five children, she had a lot of responsibilities at an early age. One of her most important jobs was to tend to the farm animals including cows, pigs, and lambs.

Lucille had two marriages. Her first husband, was Thomas Nelson, and they were married for 25 years and had four girls together. Then she married her second husband Ed Thompson, of 22 years.

Lucille worked for a meat packaging plant as their key punch operator for 12 years before retiring and becoming a stay at home mother. Once her children were old enough, Lucille worked at St. Bethlehem United Methodist Church as their secretary for 11 years.

Lucille enjoys spending time with her nine grandchildren and five great-grandchildren each chance she gets. When she's not tied down with family, she does enjoy socializing, shopping, traveling, and games.



Lucille Thompson

Welcome to Arcadia!

Patrick was born and raised in the mountains south of Buffalo, New York. Patrick came from a large family with eleven other brothers and sisters with him right in the middle. Patrick spent four years in the Navy near the Great Lakes. While he was in the Navy, Patrick was able to attend school for electronics. His fondest memory was boarding The US McCaffery (DD860) better known as the Destroyer.

After four years in the Navy, Patrick used his electronic degree to work for a local electronic company repairing and servicing equipment for the stock market for almost 40 years.

Patrick was married to his late wife Lila of 48 years. They have two children and five grandchildren together.

Patrick enjoys playing chess, Sudoku, socializing, and music.



Patrick Steiner

Welcome to Arcadia!

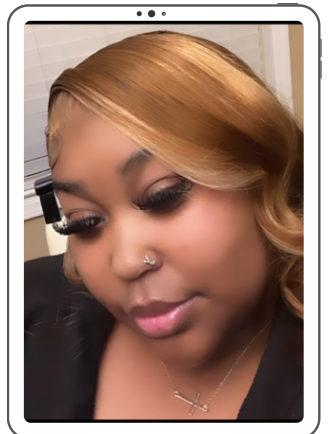


Employee Highlight

Ms. Alexia Burrow joins us from Gallatin, TN where she spent the majority of her life. Alexia's mother had a new home built moving them to Clarksville, TN during her senior year of high school. Alexia is the 2nd oldest out of five children.

During her spare time Alexia, loves shopping and spoiling herself each chance she gets. When she isn't out shopping, Alexia is usually spending time with her younger siblings and cousins.

Alexia enjoys vacationing in Florida, and her long term goal is to travel to Bora Bora! Alexia's five year goal is to become an anesthesiologist and eventually start a family. Alexia also enjoys styling hair and makeovers!



Alexia Burrow

Thank you for making Arcadia a great place to work!

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for Your
Neighbor



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Arcadia's Way!

Don't forget to stop by the front desk and nominate a staff member who exemplifies the qualities and values of teamwork, accountability, integrity, respect, and safety. Our 1st Quarter Ambassador nominations are underway!

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