



## Baking Demonstrations

- 06 Lemon Sugar Cookies at 10:30am
- 13 Apple Pie at 10:30am
- 16 Banana Cookies 11am
- 20 Peanut Butter Oat cookies at 10:30am
- 27 Raspberry Oatmeal Cookies at 10:30am
- 30 Granola Bars at 11am

## April Photo Gallery



## RESIDENT BIRTHDAYS

- Sue R. 5/2



## \$3,500 RESIDENT REFERRAL BONUS

Have you shared your love for Waltonwood lately? When you refer someone to a Waltonwood community, they'll thank you for it - and then we'll thank you for it too! Ask for details!

FRIENDS & FAMILY REFERRAL PROGRAM!



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# CHERRY HILL CONNECT

MAY 2026



## UPCOMING EVENT HIGHLIGHT

This May, our community will be buzzing with exciting events to celebrate the season of appreciation, growth and togetherness.

We will begin with a lovely **Mother's Day Brunch** on May 2<sup>nd</sup> to honor the amazing moms who fill our lives with love and warmth. Up next, during **National Teachers Day and Nurses Week**, we will take the time to recognize and thank the dedicated educators and compassionate nurses/caregivers who make a difference every day with two separate luncheons; teachers' luncheon will be held on May 11<sup>th</sup> and the nurses' luncheon will be held on May 12<sup>th</sup>. On May 19<sup>th</sup> for **National Plant Something Day**, residents will enjoy getting their hands in the soil as we plant flowers and herbs to add vibrance and life to our courtyard. We will keep the energy high for our **Memorial BBQ**- join us on May 22<sup>nd</sup> for a festive afternoon filled with music, dancing, and mouthwatering barbecue for residents and their loved ones to enjoy together. Finally, we will close out the month with **National Senior Health & Fitness Day** on May 27<sup>th</sup> with fun physical programs and wellness tips to support healthy aging.

We look forward to sharing these joyful moments with our community as we celebrate, connect and make lasting memories together.

## COMMUNITY MANAGEMENT

**Angie Hanson**  
Executive Director

**Lanor Jablonski**  
Business Office Manager

**Joel Vassallo**  
Culinary Services Manager

**Alex Lillie**  
Environmental Services Manager

**Krystal Sidibe**  
Independent Living Manager

**Logan Winton**  
IL Life Enrichment Manager

**Rebecca Wilson**  
AL Life Enrichment Manager

**Mallory Bryant**  
MC Life Enrichment Manager

**Renee Ralsky**  
Marketing Manager

**Caneca "Cece" Pinkston**  
Resident Care Manager

**Britney Harris**  
MC Wellness Coordinator

**Virginia Rios**  
AL Wellness Coordinator

## ASSOCIATE SPOTLIGHT

AL / MC Associate of the month

### JACKIE

Jackie has made a remarkable impact as a Life Enrichment Assistant in our Memory Care neighborhood, and it is with great pride that we recognize her as associate of the month here at the Waltonwood Cherry Hill. Her compassion, patience, and genuine connection with each resident creates an environment where individuals feel valued, engaged, and understood. Her positive energy and dedication inspires those around her and helps keep our community active! Thank you for all that you do, you are truly appreciated!



## MAY OUTING OPPORTUNITIES



**Come join us for our enriching outings!**

- Thursday, May 7<sup>th</sup>: Scenic Drive at 1:30pm
- Tuesday, May 12<sup>th</sup>: Barson's Greenhouse at 1:30pm
- Thursday, May 14<sup>th</sup>: Chili's Restaurant at 12pm
- Thursday, May 21<sup>st</sup>: Belle Isle Aquarium at 1pm
- Thursday, May 28<sup>th</sup>: Scenic Drive at 1:30pm

**Please let Mallory know if you are interested in joining us on any of the outings!**

## APRIL HIGHLIGHTS

**02 Community Easter Egg Dying Event**  
We had an egg-cellent time during our fun filled community egg dying social! All three communities gathered together and reminisced on shared easter memories.

**17 Independent Living Entertainment**  
What a wonderful time we had this day! We watched a fabulous duo partake in the Argentinian tango and enjoyed traditional Argentinian flan and medialuna.



**22 Earth Day**  
To celebrate the wonderful Earth we live on, we made delicious chocolate dirt pudding, watched a travelogue highlighting the most beautiful locations and ended the day with a relaxing walk around our community!

**24 April Birthday Celebration**  
Happy birthday to Shirley M., Lary and JoAnn! We celebrated their special day by gathering together to enjoy sweet treats, sparkling juice and we cheered to good health and great company!



## MAY SPECIAL EVENTS

**05 Cinco De Mayo**  
Join us for a fun filled fiesta! We will celebrate with a chips and salsa social while learning about the history of Cinco de Mayo.

**19 National Plant Something day**  
Whether you have a green thumb or not, join us on this day as we plant flowers in the court yard. What kind of flowers do you think we should add?



**22 Memorial BBQ**  
We are hosting our annual Memorial Day barbeque on this day! It will be located at our independent living entrance at 12pm. Join us to celebrate and to dig into delicious BBQ.

**27 Senior Health and Fitness Day**  
To bring awareness to senior health and fitness, all events on this day will incorporate fun ways to learn more about how to live a more fit and healthy lifestyle! Join us for our community wide trivia game in our independent living dining room at 1:30pm!



## FOREVER FIT: Keep Moving

Weather this time of the year can wreak havoc on our bodies, especially those battling the aches and pains of arthritis. Cool morning and hot humid days can trigger arthritis flare ups that leave even the most active seniors bound to their chairs. The good news is there's something you can do to help ease the discomfort, move! While it may seem counterintuitive getting up and getting moving can actual help keep muscles strong and joints mobile. By incorporating a daily walk, some light resistance training and gentle stretching you can face those arthritis pains head on and come out stronger and feeling better than before.

## EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR CORNER

The month of May has arrived with the welcome of freshly bloomed spring flowers and taking the time and focus to celebrate all mothers on their special day! Here at Waltonwood we are taking this time to focus on services, training and fresh starts. I am happy to report that our customer service results have arrived and the leadership team has come together to determine areas of focus for each neighborhood. A letter has been sent out with details of where we scored highest and what our plans are moving forward. In addition, we are having a companywide 3-day Symposium Conference on May 5-7 in Detroit where all department heads from each community will come together for team building, leadership training, to share best practices to keep elevated services on the forefront. We have planned additional staffing so not to disrupt services or programming while we are off site during this time. I hope you get the time this month to enjoy some sun and fresh air!!