



## COOKING DEMONSTRATIONS

**04** Cinco Festival 2pm

**11** Mother's Day High Tea  
2pm

**18** Strawberries and Cream  
2pm

**25** Memorial Day Treat 2pm

## COMMUNITY EVENTS



## RESIDENT BIRTHDAYS

5/2-Frank is 90  
5/15-Larry is 88  
5/31-Marsha

Caregiver Support  
Group 5/21 @ 1pm.



## \$3000 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!

# TWELVE OAKS CONNECT

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## COMMUNITY MANAGEMENT

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### "All Things Seem Possible in May." Way Teale

Happy Mother's Day to all the moms!!

In May Post 32 American Legion Honor Guard will come to Waltonwood to honor Tom Mullaly for his years of service. It is a special ceremony for him and his family.

We all are looking forward to the warmer days ahead to enjoy walks around the community and time on our patio. Soon our Garden Club will meet to choose the colors of our flowers. We will once again plant a sensory herb garden and tomatoes. Hopefully our friendly hummingbirds will be back to visit. It'll be so nice to feel the warm breezes and watch the birds that come to the birdfeeders.



Please mark your calendars for our annual Camp Waltonwood, which will be on Friday, June 26 from 4:30-7pm. Please join us for this wonderful intergenerational event. The community will be transformed into a camp for the day. We'll have a LIVE animal show, a pony ride, rock climbing wall, tee shirts to tie-dye, arcade games, a sack race, music by the campfire, s'mores and so much more!! Stay tuned for our upcoming flyer that I will post at the concierge and as you enter MC. Please make sure to RSVP with the concierge to get a space for this wonderful event!!

## ASSOCIATE SPOTLIGHT-JUSTIN WILL

Justin Will is our new Independent Living Manager. He started at WTO on April 6, 2026. He has been working in the medical field for 15 years starting out as a tech while he was going to nursing school. He worked private duty, at hospitals in the ICU and trauma surgery. Then he decided to switch gears while still helping people. So, he went into administrative work as a Director of Operations over 8 facilities. When COVID began, he became a Director of Quality Assurance. Justin heard about Waltonwood from a recruiter and when he came to interview it felt like home.

Justin is originally from St. Louis, Missouri. He is a huge U of M football fan. He also loves to golf and spend time with his 2 sons.

Please make sure that you welcome Justin to the community when you see him.



## TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION

Please join us for some wonderful Spring Outings.

- Tuesday, May 5, Lunch at Mama T's Kitchen in Walled Lake at noon.
- Tuesday, May 12, Petland for Pet Therapy @1:30pm.
- Tuesday, May 19, Farmer John's to get our garden plants @1:30pm.
- Tuesday, May 26, Dairy Queen & Drive around Walled Lake at 1:30 pm.



## APRIL HIGHLIGHTS



### 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 actually 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.

## MAY SPECIAL EVENTS

**04** Cinco Fiesta. Come **11** Mother's Day High Tea.

join the party as we play pinata and move to salsa music, as we sip on our mock margaritas and enjoy some delicious fiesta food.

We will enjoy celebrating all of our ladies in style for a Mother's Day High Tea. We will feature some of their favorite tea and delicious pastries. They will also receive bracelets for a special surprise.

**25** Memorial Day.

Come join the parade as we march proudly through AL, waving our flags in honor of those soldiers that made the ultimate sacrifice. We'll also enjoy a patriotic sing along, a piano concert and a special treat.

**27** National Senior Health & Fitness Day.

Let's celebrate all of the things we do to stay healthy in our community. We'll enjoy Katie's Fun & Fit classes, take a yoga class, eat healthy food, take a walk around our community and enjoy some fresh air and work in our courtyard.



## EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR CORNER-Joe Whitney

April showers bring May flowers.....and a new roof! I just wanted to thank everyone for their patience and understanding while the roof on the community is being replaced. This is something that has been needed for a while and shows the community is moving forward. I also wanted to thank everyone for help during Earth Day, helping clean up the community. Waltonwood Twelve Oaks is a community, and it takes everyone from staff, to residents, to families to make it a thriving and vibrant community. Thank you for the part you play in making this a great place to be!