May 2024

APPY BIRTHDAY

7th David Blatt #416 8th Alice Fine #201 8th Diane Baldwin #407 19th Ron Dittmer #128 21st Russell McPike #532 21st Dawna Roberts #509 24th Susan Wagenblast #227 27th Sue Dittmer

The patriot's blood is the seed of Freedom's tree. **Thomas Campbell**



Join us for cake and music by Larry Allen & Becky Jean as we Celebrate May birthdays in the dining room on Tuesday, May 14th at 2:30 PM.





FISH Outdoor Market Fabulous Fridays will resume in May! Join us at the YWCA for fresh produce and other commodities from FISH Friday, May 3rd in the YWCA parking lot at 12:30 PM.



Remembering with love resident David Mason Who passed away April 16, 2024. David thought of others first and was always willing to give a had when someone needed help. He loved cooking, was proud to share his recipes in our newsletter and loved talking about new food ideas. David is especially missed by his brother Pat, sister Liza, brotherin-law Terry, and the many residents who were his friends at Knights of Pythias Retirement Center.





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mankind.

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Memorial Day Remembrance Ceremony Every year, Knights of Pythias Retirement Center has a remembrance ceremony to honor everyone who has served in the armed forces now deceased. This year our Memorial Day Remembrance Ceremony will be held in our dining room Friday, May 24, 2024 at 2:00 PM. We will enjoy patriotic music, light refreshments, and we will remember friends and family who served in the armed forces, now deceased, by presenting a flower in their honor. There will be a sign up sheet on the concierge desk where you can sign up to receive a flower. We also encourage you to bring a picture of the person you wish to honor to the ceremony. Ronda will have a special table set up for you to place your picture. If you are a gold star family Member.

Honoring Our Mothers

This month we will be honoring all the moms who live here in a few different ways. On Friday, May 10th at 2 PM we are having a Mother's Day tea in our dining room. Seating will be limited to 20 because we want to make this a truly elegant experience. Please sign up at the concierge desk. On Sunday, May 12th, all mothers are welcome to come to the front desk for a special gift because we appreciate you! Thank you for all the many ways you impacted others by being a mom. The world is a better place because of you!



Lots of happy, smiling faces, young and old at our Easter egg coloring event held the Saturday before Easter. Residents colored eggs and were invited to bring their family to the event. The young and old together made for lots of fun!



You are welcome to submit an article, poem or encouragement to be printed in the tidbits. Please submit it to Lori, either by placing a written copy in her mailbox, or emailing it to lori@koprc.com. Please submit a copy as originals may not be returned. Submissions must be received no later than the 25th of the month to be in that month's Tidbits. Lori reserves the right to edit submissions if necessary, or to not publish any material deemed inappropriate for the newsletter.

Crafting Time: Paper Flowers and Window Clings













