

JULY NEWSLETTER 2018



Riverwood
Senior Living

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July 4

Independence Day

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Cooking w/ Phil & Frances

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National Hot Dog Day

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First Baptist Pickers

July 22

National Parents Day

July 23

National Blueberry Day

July 31

National Pecan Pie Day

Hello Residents,

July 4th – The American Flag -- Red, White and Blue:

Red represents hardiness and valor:

White represents purity and innocence:

Blue represents vigilance, perseverance and justice!

May the glory of Independence Day

Remain in mind and heart,

May we cherish our hard-won freedom

That it never falls apart!

Because those who walked before us

Believed in freedom's cause so much,

We can carry forth a torch

Of honor and "In God We Trust"!

May each of you enjoy the 4th of July as we celebrate Independence Day. Let's all thank God for our freedom and independence!

Regina Wright,
Executive Director





FUNtastic Friday: Sand & Fun Beach Day – June 1st

The first Friday of every month is our FUNtastic Friday Theme Day. This Friday was Sand & Beach Day. Even the rain could not stop Shelly Shumate with Heyman Hospice Care from coming and showing our residents a Fun Beach Day good time.



Monthly Birthdays – June 4th

Our residents enjoyed birthday cake, refreshments, and music with Richard Nayson. Our “Happy Birthday” wishes go out to France Parker, Elizabeth Bivens, Ruby Gore, Bobby Blackmon, Earl Williams, Latha Lynch, June LeMaster, and Annie Crawford. Thank you Celina Russell, with Tapestry Hospice, for the beautiful birthday cake.



Annual Father's Day Luncheon – June 15th

Riverwood fathers, sons and grandfathers were honored at a special Father's Day Luncheon. Everyone enjoyed a special menu prepared for them by our dietary staff. Earl Williams was honored as the oldest father.



What's Cooking Wednesday? – June 20th

The third Wednesday of every month is our "What's Cooking Wednesday" theme luncheon. This Wednesday's theme was "All Cancer Matters." We had a pizza party to support all people who are touched by any form of cancer. We honored our residents with a luncheon and presented them with a special cancer awareness pin.



Monthly Birthday Party
July 2nd at 2:30 pm

Please come join us in celebrating our monthly birthdays. Richard Nayson has blessed us for years with his music. If you haven't heard him play, this is your chance.



Annual 4th of July Cook-Out
July 3rd at 12:00 pm

Please come and join us for a great time on July 3rd at 12:00 pm. Residents and friends are welcome to come and enjoy hamburgers and hot dogs.



Georgia Mountain Music
July 3rd at 11:30 am

It's always a great time when this Bluegrass band stops by. Our residents have a great, knee-slapping time! All family and friends are welcome to join us.



Music with Elvis
July 13th at 2:00 pm

We are having Rock 'n Roll Day. Come and spend the day with Elvis and bikes. July 13th is National Women Biker Day.



Music with Dale Norman
July 20th at 2:00 pm

Once again, we have Dale Norman coming to sing. He is one of our residents' favorite performers. It is also National Peach Day! Please come and join us for Music and Peach Ice Cream!



Monday Blues with Music
July 23rd at 2:00 pm

Monday, July 23rd is National Blueberry Day. We are having music and blueberry treats. Come and dance the blues away.



Music with New Road 2
July 24th

The award winning group New Road 2, consists of husband and wife team, Stacy & Gina Cooper who hail from Ooltewah, TN. They perform 300 concerts a year all over the country. They're known for their dynamic vocals, tight harmonies, wonderful spirit and high energy stage presence. Stacy and Gina prove to be an exciting, uplifting spiritual experience to all. Please come join us!

***SAVE
THE
DATE***

August 3rd — FUNtastic Friday

September — Riverwood 6th Annual Alzheimer Car Show



Rev. Scott Lambert

July is here! Wow, 6 months until Christmas! Isn't that hard to believe? As we approach this month, we can't help but think about July the 4th and what it means. It is a day each of us are allowed to celebrate our independence. But we must never forget the price that was paid by so many who fought and so many that still fight for us each day. As we celebrate with each other, talking and laughing, eating watermelon and barbecue, let's remember the reason we have the freedom to do so.

I can't help but remember another freedom that we have also. We can live our lives in total peace with joy, comfort and happiness because of what our Savior has done for us. He gave his life on our behalf so that we could have assurance of eternal life to come for us in Heaven. Now we know that there are folks that will condemn us for different things, but doesn't it comfort your heart to know what God's word teaches us in Romans Chapter 8? *There is therefore now no condemnation to those who are in Christ Jesus.* Wow, that excites me! Doesn't it you? Jesus says in John 3:17 *For God did send his son into the world to condemn the world but that the world through him might be saved.* Wow, you and I win when we belong to Jesus. Happy 4th and happy July. Remember, I love each of you, and I'm here for you, day or night.

JULY FUN FACTS

- Canada celebrates 2 days of Independence in July — Canada Day on July 1st and Bastille Day on July 14th.
- If you were born in July, your birth flowers are the larkspur and water lily.
- Independence Day became a federal holiday in 1870.
- Today, the original copy of the Declaration is housed in the National Archives in Washington, D.C.
- The first July 4th fireworks display occurred during the Revolutionary War. Some historians believe this display was meant to boost morale.

WELCOME NEW RESIDENTS!



Helen Coughenour

David Walker

Harold Morris

Edna Helton and Hattie Hodges

★ ★ ★ HAPPY BIRTHDAY! ★ ★ ★

Resident

Neva Kerce July 4

Jimmie Penson July 6

Hoyett Crews July 9

Sybil Langston July 16

Employee

Regina Wright July 2

Samantha Jones July 11

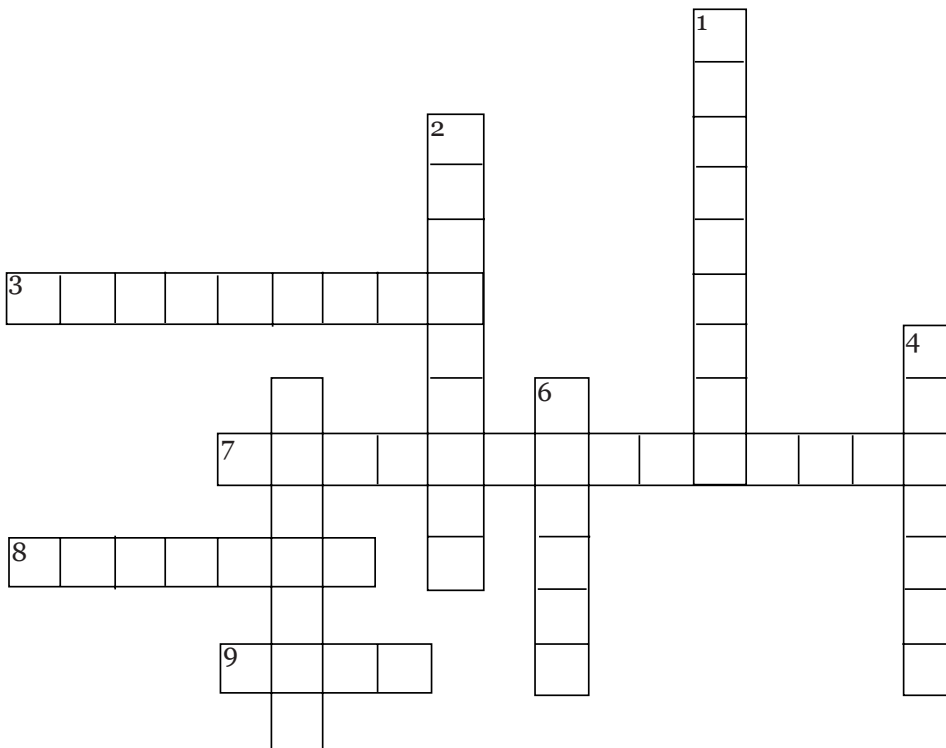
Mary Hammond July 29

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CROSS-WORD



Across

- 3. Striking display of explosions.
- 7. The Star-spangled banner is the U.S. _____.
- 8. Synonym for win.
- 9. Formal indication of choice.

Down

- 1. Last Name of principle author of The Declaration of Independence.
- 2. Made the American flag.
- 4. Red, white, and blue frozen treat.
- 5. Loyal to their country.
- 6. A public procession.

EMPLOYEE OF THE YEAR

Marva Adams



Marva Adams has been a part of our team since February 26, 2010. She is one of our care-staff. She has the “Will do, can do, and what can I do for you” attitude. We feel very lucky to have her working here. Thank you for all you do!

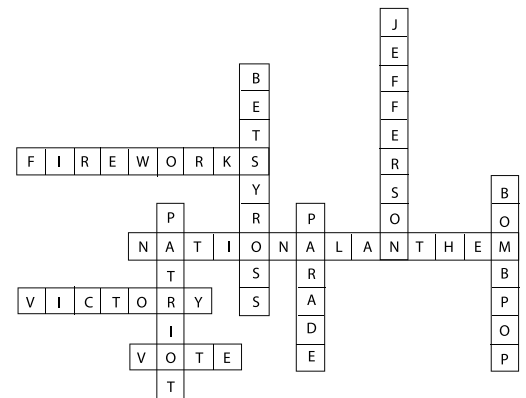
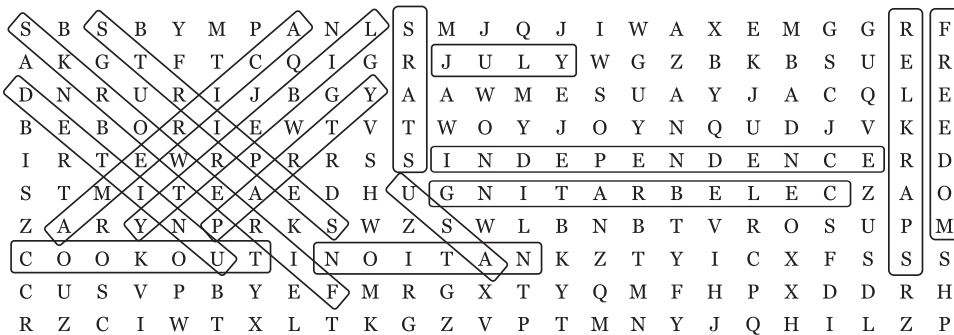
EMPLOYEE OF THE MONTH

Pamela Jenkins



Pam Jenkins is our employee of the Month. She is a CNA/ Med Tech. Pam has been with our family since March of 2014. She helps in every aspect of resident care. Pam makes time in her day to have story time with our residents. She has one of the most charming smiles on her face every day. We are so happy to have her as a big part of our team.

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