

# Tidings of Peace

A NEWSLETTER FOR RESIDENTS, FAMILIES, & GUESTS

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## HAPPENINGS IN JULY

History Lectures: July 4 & 25

Men's Group: July 9 & 26

Book Mobile: July 10 & 24

July 1: Patriotic Donuts

July 2:

Watermelon Social  
Special Prize Bingo

July 3:

Music with Joe  
Ice Cream Social

July 10: Music with Bill Porter

July 11: Social Hour

July 17:

Music with Jodi  
Evening Happy Hour

July 18: Out to Lunch:  
The Olive Garden

July 19: 3rd Friday  
Summer Series

July 24: Birthday Dinner

July 30: Out to Lunch:

July 31: Monarch Butterfly  
Presentation

## Happy Birthday America!!

We will kick off the Fourth of July celebrations early, starting on Monday, July 1. Join us for a fun filled week of music, food, activities and more!

**Monday, July 1, at 10:00**, stop by the first floor lounge for a Patriotic sweet treat from **Duck Donuts**. Take it to go, or sit down with your friends and chat. At **3:00**, we will have some **American History Trivia** in the first floor lounge. Test your knowledge on the good ole' U.S.A.!

On **Tuesday, July 2**, join us at **2:00** in the DePiro room for a **Watermelon Social!** Have your fill of one of summer's classic treats; fresh, sweet watermelon! We'll have some lively games of Corn Hole going on at the same time! Later that evening, at **6:15**, also in the DePiro room, enjoy an evening of a favorite, All-American game; bingo! There will be special patriotic prizes along with the regular basket of goodies!

**Wednesday, July 3**, join fellow volunteer resident, **Joe Giovanelli**, as he plays the piano for you in the Main Lobby at **2:00**. This month, Joe will showcase some Gershwin selections including Rhapsody in Blue. Following Joe's performance, come to the DePiro room at **3:30** for an **Ice Cream Social!** There will be a variety of flavors and toppings for you to build your own ice cream creation!

**Thursday, July 4**, we will have a **Patriotic Sing Along** video in the Theatre at **10:00**. **Enjoy cookout style lunch** at **noon** in the Main dining room. There will be hotdogs, hamburgers and a variety of sides! **This will be the main meal of the day!**

## July Outings

### Lunch Outings



If you're looking for a delicious Italian meal and a great atmosphere, look no further than the **Olive Garden!** Per a few residents' requests, we will be traveling to Harrisonburg on **Thursday, July 18,** to eat there. They offer a variety of appetizers, soups and salads as well as lunch sized entrees such as; Chicken Giardino; Grilled

Chicken and a medley of fresh vegetables tossed with ruffled Pappardelle Pasta in a light lemon herb sauce or maybe you would like to try their Creamy Mushroom Ravioli filled with Portobello Mushrooms and topped with a creamy Mushroom Sauce.

We will meet in the Main Lobby at **10:00** and leave shortly after.

**The trip will be approximately 4 hours long.** If you would like to go, there will be a sign up sheet at the mailboxes on Thursday, July 11th.

On **Tuesday, July 30** we will go, right down the road on Greenbrier Drive, to another resident request; Mexican restaurant, **Guadalajara.** The first restaurant was established in 1988 by the Arllano, Lopez and Ornelas Family. Their downtown location was the first to introduce real authentic Mexican food to the Charlottesville area. Their menu features sizzling fajitas, hand-made tamales, enchiladas and tacos as well as combination platters and much more! Two of the items that are on their lunch menu are; the Burrito California; Steak or Chicken Burrito covered with cheese sauce served with rice and beans. Lunch Taquitos; Two (chicken or beef) taquitos with lettuce, rice and beans. We will meet in the Main Lobby at **11:00** and leave promptly after. A sign up sheet will be at the mailboxes on Tuesday, July 23rd.



### 3rd Friday Summer Series

We will go to the Northside Library on **Friday, July 19** for their summer book review series. This month, the showcased book will be; ***We Face the Dawn* with Margaret Edds.** Journalist and historian Margaret Edds discusses her latest book *We Face the Dawn*, the compelling story of Virginians Oliver Hill, Spottswood Robinson, and the legal team that dismantled Jim Crow. Books will be available for purchase from New Dominion Bookshop. We will meet in the Main Lobby at **11:30** and leave promptly after. There will be a sign up sheet at the mailboxes on Friday, July 12th.

**Please note that OLOP staff does not stay at the library during this event.**

## Entertainment for July



**Wednesday, July 3**, at 2:00, our very own **Joe Giovanelli** will entertain you on the piano like only he can! This month, Joe will be playing Gershwin selections including the Rhapsody in Blue. Bring a friend and enjoy the afternoon!

**Bill Porter** will join us on **Wednesday, July 10**, at 6:00 in the Main Lobby. Join your neighbors for an hour of piano and song from this long time volunteer.

**Jodi Stevens** will be here on **Wednesday, July 17**, at 2:00 in the Main Lobby. As always, Jodi and her friends will fill the second floor with fun, positivity and great music! Sing along with the provided song books and get caught up in the songs from yesteryear!

Entertainer, **Bob Clouse** will play the keyboard and sing songs for your enjoyment on **Wednesday, July 17** at 6:15 in the Main Lobby.

**Please note: Music & Fun with Eileen as well as Nursing Homes Swing will take a much deserved break for the month of July. They will both be back in August!**



## Scenic Drives

We encourage you to take advantage of the weekly **Monday afternoon Scenic Drives**. These outings provide you with lovely scenery as well as the opportunity to meet new people on the van and socialize. The Activities Department is always looking for suggestions on where to go on these outings. The van driver will go in and around Charlottesville and the surrounding counties. Beat the summer heat with an air conditioned van ride! Most outings last an hour to an hour and a half. Sign up at the mailboxes starting the Friday before the outings!

## Sunday Evening Movies



We are pleased to announce that the **Sunday evening movie showings** will start back up the end of June.

Long time volunteer, **Fred Schneider** is back from vacation and has an exciting summer series line up titled "**A Sense of Place**". It will start June 30 run through August.

Bring a friend and enjoy the show!

All movies will start promptly at 6:30.

## Special Events in July

### History Lectures with Rick Britton

Join local historian, Rick Britton for two entertaining and informative history lectures. The first one will be on **Thursday, July 4**. The topic of discussion will be; **“Thomas Jefferson, the Declaration of Independence, & the Fourth of July.”** Hear about our local Founding Father and the nation’s birthday.

On **Thursday, July 25**, Rick will speak on **“The Surrender of Charlottesville & the University.”** The events of March 3rd, 1865—the day Union forces arrived in Charlottesville –were stunning, and liberating!

**Both lectures will be held in the DePiro room, at 2:00.**



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### Monarch Butterfly Presentation

On **Wednesday, July 31** at **2:00**, join your friends and neighbors in the DePiro room for a special presentation on Monarch Butterflies. Owner of Social Butterflies, a local business, **Linda Marchman** will be here to give an informative lecture on these beautiful creatures.

Her business began as a hobby over 15 years ago and the name was chosen because a few butterflies naturally seemed to be more “social” than others Monarchs, once they are released, tend to stay around rather than flying away immediately. Linda began raising several different species and sells them to people who are celebrating special events such as weddings and memorials. After the presentation, those that would like to watch Linda release the butterflies in the air, will go **outside** through the doors in the breezeway of the DePiro room. It is truly a lovely sight to see!

Please keep in mind, due to the nature of the release and the delicacy of the butterflies, the space will be limited outdoors. We will try to position Linda in a way that you will be able to watch a section of windows in the DePiro room.

## July Socials

### Men's Group

The men of OLOP will have two opportunities to get together and socialize this month. On **Tuesday, July 9**, at **10:30** join the Activity staff and your neighbors for a morning of coffee, juice and light refreshments. You will also discuss the plans for the meeting later in the month as well.

On **Friday, July 26**, the men will again meet. This activity will be at **12:00** and will consist of lunch from **McDonalds**. Your orders will be taken prior to that day and the staff will pick the food up and you can eat in the card room with your peers.

### "Moon Landing" Social Hour

Join your friends and neighbors for an afternoon social hour on **Thursday, July 11** at **2:00** in the DePiro room. In anticipation of the 50th anniversary of the Moon Landing (July 20th), we will have Space themed décor and refreshments! Where were you and what were you doing when they landed on the Moon?

Bring a friend, we're sure you'll "have an out of this world" experience!



### Evening Happy Hour

On **Wednesday, July 24**, we will have an evening Happy Hour at **6:15**. We are planning to have it on the back patio, off of the Main dining room as long as the weather and/or temperature allows. Enjoy the fresh air and socialization as you have light refreshments and a variety of wines, beers and sodas. If we have to change locations, it will be held in the DePiro room.

Check your daily schedule the day of for any possible changes.

### Exercise Class

Join us on Thursday, July 11, 18 and 25 for an afternoon exercise class at 3:30 in the Fitness Room. We are going to try using a video, in addition to a staff member leading the class. It will consist of gentle exercises, similar to the exercise classes we already do. The class will last approximately thirty minutes. Due to the space, we will limit the class to a maximum of ten residents. Once classes has started, we asked that you not come in. It is important that you arrive on time to all of the exercise classes, to do the warm up which helps cuts down on injuries.



# *Faith In Action*

## **Inspiration**

I have a confession to make... I'm a big fan of the Hallmark Channel. I don't love all of their programming but I'm a sucker for sweet love stories. Most of the plots are rather predictable although the happy ending is always pleasant to experience. Just on the horizon are two "Christmas in July" themed movies. Rest assured, I'll be arranging my schedule to view them. Speaking of Christmas in July... last year we participated in Operation Christmas Child. The official collection occurs in November, although I've been thinking we could start early with a Christmas in July donation effort. From **July 22-31**, we'll be collecting small stuffed animals, school supplies, sunglasses, and hair bows. These items will later be packed into shoeboxes and sent to some of the neediest children around the world. All in an effort to spread the message of hope and love of Christ. And It's never too early for some Christmas cheer!

## **Catholic Mass**—Sundays at 4:00 p.m. in the DePiro Room

- July 7 Fr. Joseph Mary Lukyamuzi, Holy Comforter, Charlottesville
- July 14 To Be Announced
- July 21 Fr. John Mary Lugenwa, Mary Mother of the Church Abbey
- July 28 Fr. Dan Bain, Retired

## **Protestant Worship**—Sundays at 2:00 p.m. in the Chapel

- July 7 Rev. Eileen Lehmann, Connect Church
- July 14 Rev. Buddy Osborne, First Baptist/Park St.
- July 21 Rev. Troy Savage, Local Minister
- July 28 Rev. Kyle Clements, Ruckersville Baptist Church

Please refer to the calendar of activities for a complete list of services and opportunities.

## Resident Council Meeting

The monthly Resident Council Meeting will be held on **Wednesday, July 10**, in the DePiro Room. The meeting will began promptly at **1:30 pm** Department Managers will be available for questions and comments. If you have a question or concern please do not wait until the meeting. Stop by the front office today!

## Welcome New Residents

Brenda Welch                      Apt 220

Edna Clark                         Apt 317



Please greet them and make them welcome!

## July Birthdays



### Residents

Charlotte Jordan	1st
Mary Lou Smith	2nd
Margit Holdsworth	6th
Dan Garlick	10th
Mary Moynihan	10th
Peggy Lantz	12th
Pat Fuller	12th
Brenda Welch	15th
Fay Clark	20th

July Birthdays will be celebrated on  
Wednesday, July 17,  
at your regular dinner seating.

## Staff Birthdays

Margaret Knighting	3rd
Latoya Towles	4th
Latarsha Tolson	5th
Karen Brooks	5th
Katrina Tatum	7th
Chevona White	10th
Tamesha White	10th
Dana Fulk	12th
Antonio Haskins	14th
Shelia Wells	31st



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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	<b>1</b> 10:30 (L) Patriotic Donuts  1:15 Scenic Drive	<b>2</b> 2:00 (dp) Watermelon Social  6:15 (dp) Special Prize Bingo	<b>3</b> 2:00 (ml) Music with Joe  3:30 (dp) Ice Cream Social	<b>4</b> 10:00 (T) Patriotic Sing Along  Main Meal at Noon  2:00 (dp) History Lecture	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>
<b>7</b> 6:30 (T) Movie: Skyscraper	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b> 10:30 (cr) Men's Group	<b>10</b> 11:30 (fpl) Book Mobile  1:30 (dp) Resident Council  6:00 (ml) Music with Bill	<b>11</b>  2:00 (dp) Social Hour  3:30 Exercise (fr)	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>
<b>14</b> 6:30 (T) Movie: A Walk in the Clouds	<b>15</b> 1:15 Scenic Drive	<b>16</b>	<b>17</b> 2:00 (ml) Music with Jodi  6:15 (TBD) Evening Happy Hour	<b>18</b>  10:00 Out to Lunch: The Olive Garden  3:30 Exercise (fr)	<b>19</b>  11:30 3rd Friday Series	<b>20</b>
<b>21</b> 6:30 (T) Movie: The Truman Show	<b>22</b> 1:15 Scenic Drive	<b>23</b>	<b>24</b> 11:30 (fpl) Book Mobile  Birthday Dinner  6:15 (ml) Music w' Bob Clouse	<b>25</b>  2:00 (dp) History Lecture  3:30 Exercise (fr)	<b>26</b>  1:30 (cr) Men's Group	<b>27</b>
<b>28</b> 6:30 (T) Movie: Places in the Heart	<b>29</b> 1:15 Scenic Drive	<b>30</b> 11:00 Out to Lunch:	<b>31</b> 2:00 (dp) Monarch Butterfly Presentation			
						