

## WHAT'S COMING UP

### September 5

International Day of Charity  
Labor Day

### September 6

National Read a Book Day

### September 8

World Physical Therapy Day

### September 9

International Sudoku Day

### September 11

Grandparents Day  
Patriot Day

### September 12-16

National Assisted Living Week

### September 17

Start of Oktoberfest

### September 21

World Alzheimer's Day

### September 22

Fall Equinox

### September 23

Native American Day

### September 25

Rosh Hashanah

### September 28

National Good Neighbor Day



## SEPTEMBER 2022 NEWSLETTER



### ***Hello Residents,***

We had so much fun with our first 2022 Family Night at Rosewood this past month. The petting zoo, face painting, and great food all added to the experience. Families getting together is truly what makes Family Night so special.

We are truly blessed with a great Leadership team who all contributed to making the night possible, but a big special thanks goes out to our Life Enrichment team, Tori and Chloe, and the Dietary team, Conrad and his staff. It takes a lot of planning and coordination to make an event like this come together. We look forward to our next event...something special is in the works!

We are looking for a new hair stylist to operate the salon. Also, we want our families to know that if you are interested in volunteering for Life Enrichment activities, we would gladly work with you, part-time or full-time positions are available. Let Tori Rogers know if you are interested and she will let you know how easy it is to get started. We want our community to thrive and we all know that it takes a village to make that happen.

This month we will be celebrating National Assisted Living Week. Life Enrichment is planning a week-long series of various events. We also have a new state-of-the-art vending machine that carries a variety of food, snacks, and drinks. It is located near the breezeway in Personal Care on the main floor.

Our family is growing at Rosewood with more residents and staff. It's such a blessing that we can provide a vibrant community to meet the needs of those that live and work at Rosewood,

Please contact anyone on the Leadership team if there is anything we can do to make your days at Rosewood more enjoyable. Another way is to attend the monthly resident council meeting led by Life Enrichment and the food committee meeting led by Dietary.

God Bless,

***Greg Pflug, Executive Director***

PS: We want to thank all the families and Residents that have inquired about Tracy Scott our Business Office Manager. She will be home soon and continues to make progress daily.



## Carnival Family Night – August

Our first Carnival Family Night was a huge success! We had a great dinner cooked by our amazing dietary staff, led by Conrad. Amazing music was led by Marty Von Schaaf, and a fun petting zoo was provided by Grace Fed Farms! We are so lucky to have all of our amazing families and hope to see more of you at our next family event!



## What's Cooking Wednesday: Luau – August

Conrad and his wonderful dietary team created an amazing Hawaiian-style meal for our monthly What's Cooking Wednesday. Our residents loved the food, leis, and decorations. Our staff had a wonderful time serving our residents in our Hawaiian shirts and grass skirts!





### That 70's Social with Cathy Worley & Papa Sway — August

We had a very groovy afternoon with music provided by Papa Sway and the always energetic Cathy Worley from Tapestry Hospice helped with our efforts to tie-dye shirts and encouraged the residents' participation in the music! Make sure to thank Cathy for bringing Papa Sway and for always being a smiling face in our community.



### Book Club — August

Our residents are greatly enjoying our weekly Book Club Reading of "The Little Old Lady Who Broke All the Rules", By Catharina Ingelman-Sundberg. We spend an hour each Saturday laughing at the hijinks Martha and her gang get into. We recap the previous chapters each week, so don't worry about missing the first few weeks.





## Men's Group in the Community Lounge

September Saturday Mornings at 8:45 a.m.

This new group is specifically for our men. We meet weekly on Saturdays at 8:45 a.m. with Tori or Chloe serving fresh tea or coffee. We get to know each other better by playing card games, discussing major life events, or just chatting and enjoying each other's company. We have a lot of men living at Rosewood but a majority of them are not involved in activities. We hope you will join us on Saturday mornings after breakfast in the community lounge.



## Drive-In Movie Night

September 12th at 6:00 p.m. in the Discovery Center

We will be having a "Drive-In Movie Night" in the Discovery Center to kick off National Assisted Living Week. Residents will vote on a classic movie to watch. We will have fresh popcorn, candy, and sodas for all of the residents. The movie will begin at 6:00 p.m. and will be done by 8:30 p.m.



## National Assisted Living Week Dress-Up Days

September 12th-16th

To celebrate National Assisted Living Week we are going to have a different dress-up day, every day that week. All staff and residents are encouraged to dress up. If any residents need assistance with costumes, let Tori or Chloe know and we will help as much as we can!

**Movie Monday:** Dress up as your favorite movie character! Examples: Wednesday Addams, Dorothy Gale, Forrest Gump, Marty McFly, Batman, etc.

**Tailgate Tuesday:** Dress up in your favorite sports uniform or team colors!

**Wild Wednesday:** Dress up as an animal or zoo keeper! We will have Trina from Kindred at Home doing animal face paint for residents at 10:30 a.m. that morning in the Discovery Center.

**Throwback Thursday:** Dress up in your best 50s-90s attire! Pull out your poodle skirts, bell bottoms, parachute pants, and double denim.

**Farm Friday:** To wrap up our week of celebrations we are having Farm Friday. Dress up as a farmer or farm animal! Be ready for Farm themed BINGO with fun farm-themed prizes and we will conclude the week's activities by watching BABE in the Discovery Center!

**\* Please reach out to the Life Enrichment Department if you have any questions or need help coming up with a costume to match the theme!**







## Quinn Bishop

Quinn Bishop is a new resident at Rosewood but that hasn't stopped him from jumping in head first and making friends.

Quinn married the love of his life and best friend, Joan, in 1968. Together they had two children, Mark and Daniel. They also have five grandchildren, Eli, Cason, Calloway, and Christian. They were both school teachers. Joan taught 1st grade and was a librarian. Quinn taught Junior High history and was a Music Minister at Newnan Springs Methodist Church.

He plays piano, organ, and sings. Music is one of his favorite ways to worship. Christ was always the center of Quinn and Joan's marriage. They chose Jeremiah 29:11 as a verse to build their marriage on. Together they spent many years being missionaries with Wycliffe Bible Translators. This ministry allowed them to reach small tribes in Colombia.

One of Quinn's favorite things is traveling. They traveled to at least one country on every continent with the exception of Antarctica and Australia. In the picture of Quinn, you can see a few of the many sunflower decorations in his apartment. Sunflowers were Joan's favorite. Quinn stated, "She always said we should be like sunflowers, always focused on the SON." Quinn, we are very excited to have you here at Rosewood. Welcome Home!

### WELCOME NEW RESIDENTS! 🏠

Imogene (Jean) Adams  
 Sally Beasley  
 Quinn Bishop  
 Barbara and Wes Bowden  
 Madeline Delaney  
 Charles Tyler  
 Mary Ann Stansbury  
 Beverly Thompson  
 Rachel Heard  
 Charles Tyler  
 Betty Boldt



# Happy Birthday



#### Resident

Russell Earp            Sept. 3  
 Johnnie Longley      Sept. 14  
 Dillard Hall            Sept. 19  
 Margie Harless        Sept. 21  
 Helen Richardson     Sept. 21  
 Kenneth Venters      Sept. 24

#### Employee

Jenny Bullard            Sept. 7  
 Tabitha Knight        Sept. 9  
 Martha Marsh          Sept. 13

## BACK to SCHOOL



### FUN FACTS

- » September's name is really quite inaccurate these days. It was originally the seventh month of the ancient Roman calendar, and as such, it was named Septem, which translates into "the seventh month". It wasn't until 451 BC that the months of January and February were added to the calendar, making September the ninth month.
- » September also used to only have 29 days. Thanks to Julius Caesar's reform of the Roman calendar in 46 BC, the month now has an additional day!
- » The Romans would quite often associate different months with different gods. The month of September is associated with Vulcan, the Roman god of fire, quite possibly because it was a fiery hot month back when it was the seventh month of the year.

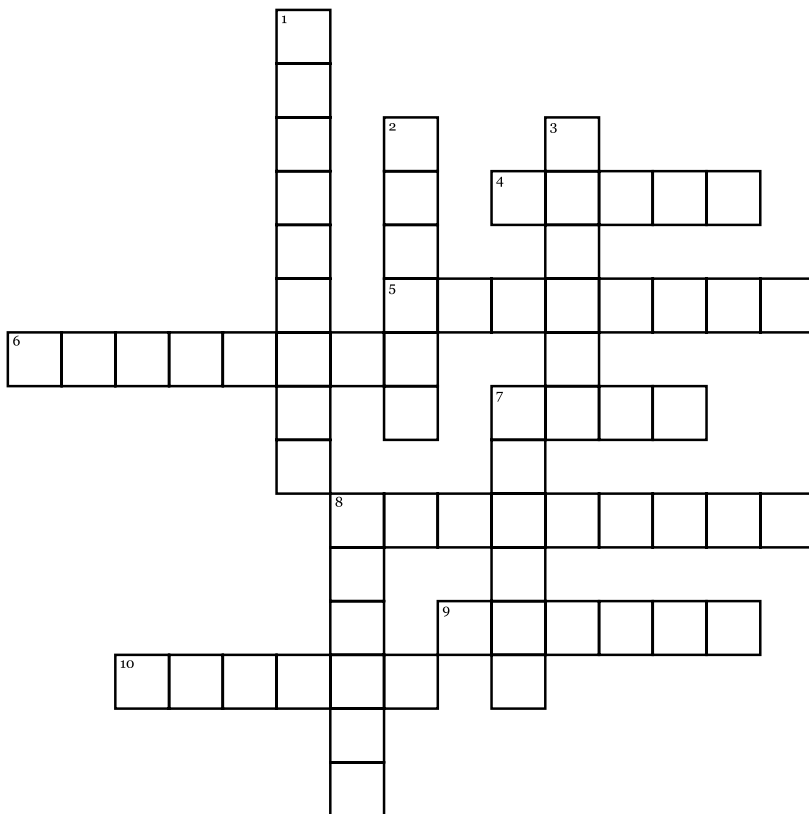


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CROSS-WORD



Down

- In 1752 the British Empire changed the calendar from Julian to \_\_\_\_\_.
- What was September's name in the ancient Roman calendar? \_\_\_\_\_
- September 13th is International Talk Like a \_\_\_\_\_ Day.
- The first newspaper in the US was published in \_\_\_\_\_.
- On September 1, 1939 Hitler invaded \_\_\_\_\_.

Across

- September has two star signs Virgo and \_\_\_\_\_.
- The common sapphire is blue due to high contents of \_\_\_\_\_ and iron.
- What is September's birthstone? \_\_\_\_\_
- National Drink a \_\_\_\_\_ Day is in September.
- Sapphires protect the wearer from \_\_\_\_\_ and evils.
- On September 2, 1666, fire burned the city of \_\_\_\_\_.
- Who is the Roman god of fire? \_\_\_\_\_

**EMPLOYEE OF THE YEAR**

**Maria Medina**



Maria has been an employee with Rosewood for over nine years. She works in our Personal Care department and is a model employee. She balances resident care, family needs, and department function with skill and professionalism. Maria is cherished among the residents. She always looks out for their best interest

and well being. Maria's primary duties include passing and recording prescribed medication. She may address wounds or other health issues as well. She is responsible for guiding the care staff and directing the daily function of her department. Maria works very hard to ensure the utmost standard for anyone in her care. She is always directing and promoting care staff to develop and execute the best care possible. Honest, reliable, and full of integrity are just three character traits that describe Maria and her work ethic. Her love for the residents is seen in everything that she does. She is praised weekly by residents, residents' families, and coworkers. Maria sets a very high bar with her abilities, and challenges those standards daily to make herself even better than the day before. She is strong in her purpose and dedicated to detail in everything she does. Maria is the very definition of Employee of the Year.

**EMPLOYEE OF THE MONTH**

**Ashley Hutcheson**

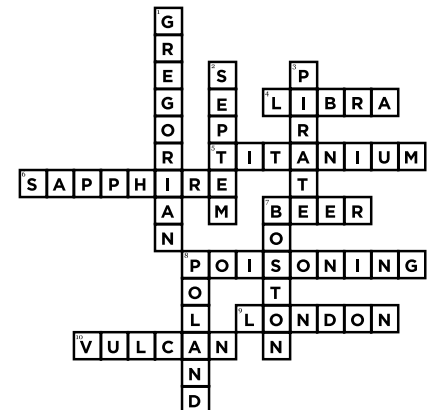
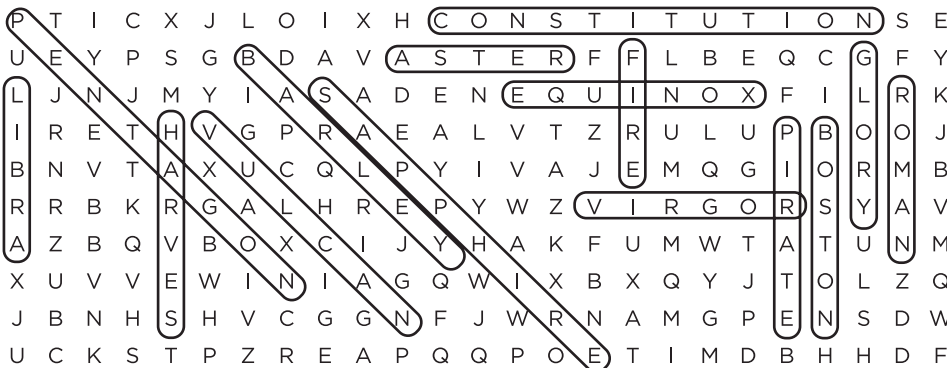


This month we want to recognize our wonderful care aide, Ashley. She works diligently to care for our Memory Care residents and absolutely loves what she does. Prior to being a

healthcare worker, she was a stay-at-home mom to her four children. She has one child graduating high school this year from Lakeview-Fort Oglethorpe High School. Ashley has been married for five years and loves her family very much. She has been working in healthcare for about six years. Ashley loves working with the residents and caring for them! She has always been a caring person and loves having a job that allows her to do that every day.

Make sure you congratulate Ashley and thank her for all of her hard work here at Rosewood. Thank you for everything you do for our residents, we appreciate everything you do!

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