

Can you believe the holidays are here? It seems like every year time goes by even quicker than it did the year before. We forget to take time for ourselves and to enjoy the small moments with our loved ones. The Holidays give us the time to reflect and be thankful for what we have been given.

Kelly Cozad, Social Worker, has decided it is time to move on to the next chapter in her career. She has been a great asset to Westview Acres, the residents, and families and we will miss her greatly. We have hired Lori Pearson to take her place. While she has big shoes to fill, I am confident she will do just that. If you see Lori introduce yourself if you see Kelly wish her well.

Happy Holidays!

Rose Saxton

"Thanksgiving is a time of togetherness and gratitude." -Nigel Hamilton

- 1st Putting up Christmas Tree
- 3rd Dress Like an Elf
- 4th Cookie Day
- 7th Pearl Harbor Remembrance Day
- 8th Brownie Day
- 10th Flannel Friday
- 14th Biscuits & Gravy Day
- 15th Dress up Like the Grinch or Wear Green
- 17th Ugly Sweater Day
- 20th Holiday Headwear (Hat, Headband, etc)
- 21st Winter Begins- Dress like your Favorite
Christmas Character
- 22nd Wear Christmas Colors
- 23rd Holiday Socks Day
- 24th Christmas Eve (wear Christmas PJ's)
- 25th Christmas & Pumpkin Pie Day
- 31st New Year's Eve

Names to Know

Medical Director

Nathan Allen,

Administrator

Rose Saxton

Director of Nursing

Malinda Graham

MDS/Care Plan Coordinator

Tara Green

QA Nurse

Carla McIntosh

Office Manager

Rachel Klingston

Activities Director

Tiffany Young

Dietary Manager

Jessica Norman

Social Services

Lori Pearson

Environmental Services

Marlene Carlberg

Maintenance

Don Showers

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DECEMBER BIRTHDAYS

STAFF

Blake Shields 12-4

Becky Gibson 12-18

Ashlie Ball 12-22

RESIDENTS

Martha Sanborn 12-3

Donna Flummer 12-10

Donna Fulton 12-24

Glenna Hein 12-25





Double Layer Pumpkin Cheesecake

- 2 (8 ounce) packages cream cheese, softened
 - ½ cup white sugar
 - ½ teaspoon vanilla extract
 - 2 eggs
 - 1 (9 inch) prepared graham cracker crust
 - ½ cup pumpkin puree
 - ½ teaspoon ground cinnamon
 - 1 pinch ground cloves
 - 1 pinch ground nutmeg
 - ½ cup frozen whipped topping, thawed
- Preheat oven to 325 degrees F

In a large bowl, combine cream cheese, sugar and vanilla. Beat until smooth. Blend in eggs one at a time. Remove 1 cup of batter and spread into bottom of crust; set aside.

Add pumpkin, cinnamon, cloves and nutmeg to the remaining batter and stir gently until well blended. Carefully spread over the batter in the crust.

Bake in preheated oven for 35 to 40 minutes, or until center is almost set. Allow to cool, then refrigerate for 3 hours or overnight. Cover with whipped topping before serving.



ATTENTION: Please stop in at your earliest convenience to sign the consent form for the Covid booster shots. Thanks !!!

I want to thank all the staff, residents, and families that enriched my life with your help, friendship, and teamwork while I have been here. I will miss you terribly but promise to visit as often as I can. I'll still be around during the summer to take care of the flowers outside so I'm sure I'll see you then.

Blessings to all of you and your families for the holidays!

Kelly Cozad, Social Services



Guess Who??



This month's Guess Who was born in Douds, Iowa. She grew up with one sister. The family moved to Washington, Iowa where she completed the 10th grade. She worked at the telephone office and met her future husband at a local restaurant. Her husband worked as a lineman, and they traveled for his work until they started a family. They moved to Grand River, Iowa to farm, raise cattle, and their four children. Their sons were in the service, so they traveled down to see them and has seen the Atlantic Ocean. This resident participated with the Ladies Aid Club at her church. She has 12 grandchildren, 24 great grandchildren and 1 great-great grandchild.

Last month's **Guess Who** was **Doris Olson**

And the **winner** was **Amy Davis!!!**

November Birthdays

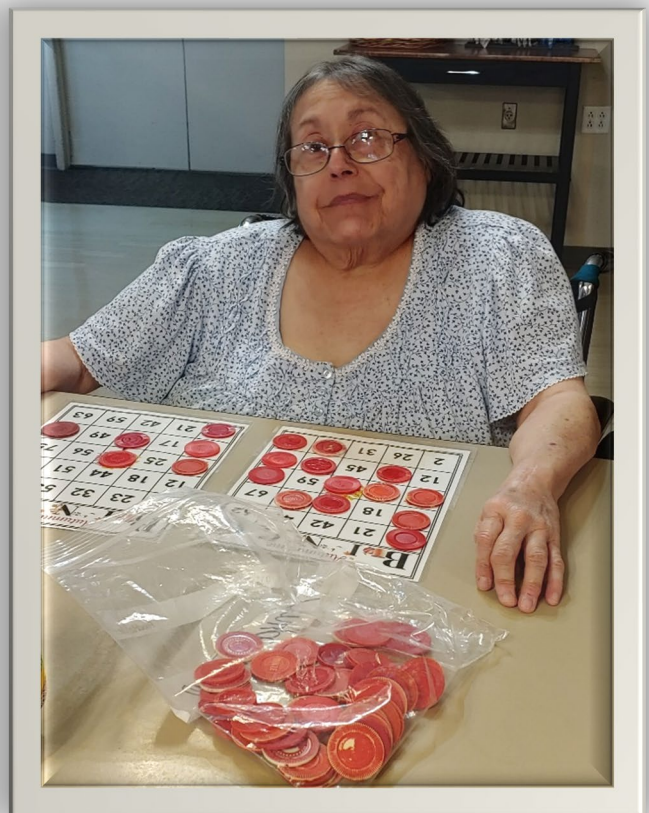


Resident Spotlight



This month our spotlight is on Doyle South. Doyle was born at the Decatur County Hospital and grew up with 2 brothers and 1 sister. At the age of 9 Doyle lost one brother in a tractor accident. He went to the Leon school until the 11th grade then Doyle helped his brother-in-law and uncle farm. He proceeded to work for Johnson Plumbing and Heating for 20 some years and the City of Leon for 29 ½ years and retired from the city. Doyle has lived here all his life but did go to Japan once while on vacation with an aunt and uncle.

Bingo Fun!!!





Breaking out the Christmas Decorations!!!!



Sunday

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

Saturday

DECEMBER 2021

CHURCH SERVICE 2:30 Oseola Community of Christ	5	10:45 GROUP 1:30 BINGO ROOM VISITS A HALL MANICURES	6	10:45 GROUP 1:30 Christmas Bulbs 3:30 Cotton Candy & Conversation B HALL MANICURES UNIT MANICURES Deck the Halls Day	7	1:30 Putting up West Christmas Tree CHRISTMAS MUSIC Rochefeller Tree Lightin	8	9:00 CATHOLIC MASS 10:45 GROUP 1:30 BIBLE STUDY 3:30 Wood Stick Ornaments A Christmas Carol	9	10:45 GROUP 1:30 BINGO ROOM VISITS ACTIVITY PACKET ELF DAY	10	ALL DAY... FIND FRIENDS & ENJOY THE BORDEM BUSTER TABLE Social Saturday
WALT DISNEY DAY		St. Nicholas Day						Christmas Card Day	Christmas Card Day	Gift of the Magi	LET IT SNOW	
CHURCH SERVICE 2:30 Leon Salem Mennonite 6:00 LIVING HOPE CHORUS	12	10:45 GROUP 1:30 BINGO ROOM VISITS A HALL MANICURES	13	10:45 GROUP 1:30 Foam Sheet Bowl 3:30 BIRD FEEDERS B HALL MANICURES UNIT MANICURES	14	DRESS UP GRINCH OR WEAR GREEN 1:30 WII WEDNESDAY & MISC. GAMES 3:30 GILLAND FAMILY MUSICAL Grinch Day	15	9:00 CATHOLIC MASS 9:00 Books on Wheels 1:30 BIBLE STUDY 3:30 Paint Stick Snowman Choc. Covered Anything	16	10:45 GROUP 1:30 BINGO ROOM VISITS ACTIVITY PACKET DECK THE HALLS DAY	17	ALL DAY... FIND FRIENDS & ENJOY THE BORDEM BUSTER TABLE Merry & Bright Day
DOZEN DAY		COCOA DAY		Christmas Bird Count								
CHURCH SERVICE 2:30 Davis City Methodist Church	19	HOLIDAY HEADWEAR HAT HEADBAND,ETC. 10:45 GROUP 1:30 BINGO ROOM VISITS A HALL MANICURES	20	Christmas Character 10:45 GROUP 1:30 Christmas movie 3:30 Resident Choice	21	Wear Christmas Colors 1:30 GAME DAY 3:30 GENERAL STORE	22	HOLIDAY SOCKS 9:00 CATHOLIC MASS 10:45 GROUP 1:30 BIBLE STUDY 3:30 BINGO Twas the Night before x	23	10:45 GROUP 1:30 BINGO CHRISTMAS PARTY CHRISTMAS EVE	24	
FUNNY SIGN DAY		It's a Wonderful life Ann		First Day of WINTER		Hang an Ornament Day						
CHURCH SERVICE 2:30 Leon Christian Fellowship	26	10:45 GROUP 1:30 BINGO ROOM VISITS A HALL MANICURES	27	10:45 GROUP 1:30 Paint Stick Snowman 3:30 Residents Choice B HALL MANICURES UNIT MANICURES Call a Friend Day	28	1:30 WII WEDNESDAY & MISC. GAME 3:30 RESIDENT COUNCIL Tick Tock Day	29	9:00 CATHOLIC MASS 10:45 GROUP 1:30 BIBLE STUDY 2:15 FRANKLIN SCHOOL SODA DAY	30	10:45 GROUP 1:30 BINGO & TREATS NEW YEARS EVE	31	
CANDY CANE DAY		Cut Out a Snowflake										

Calendar may change due to unknown circumstances.