

Good Neighbor Society

Continuing Care Retirement Community

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August brings with it a sense of fresh starts and new beginnings. For many of us, it stirs memories of sharpening pencils, new school supplies, and the excitement of going back to school. While, for some of us, school days may be behind us, the spirit of lifelong learning and growth is alive and well here at the Good Neighbor Society.



Katie Edgington, Director, Meadows

We believe that every season offers us the chance to learn something new — whether it's picking up a new hobby, revisiting an old passion, or simply making new

friends. Just as children and teachers prepare for a year of discovery and growth, we too can look at

August as an invitation to step forward with curiosity and purpose.

This month, we encourage our tenants, residents, and condo owners to think about what "back to school" means in this season of life. Maybe it's joining that book club you've always wondered about, participating in a new exercise class, or taking part in our educational guest speaker programs. Perhaps it's as simple as trying a new activity or inviting a neighbor to share their skills with you.

August is also a wonderful time to connect with the younger generations — whether it's helping a grandchild pack for school, asking our team members about their upcoming college or continued education courses, sharing your wisdom and stories, or volunteering to help with our annual packing of hygiene kits for West Delaware's Back to School Fair. In doing so, we not only enrich the lives of young people In our community but keep our own minds and hearts young. As we turn the page to this new month, let's embrace the spirit of back to school with open minds and open hearts. Here's to new friendships, new knowledge, and the joy of growing — at every age.

Happy August, everyone!



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Compassionate Christian Care

The Meadows Assisted Living

Meadows August Birthdays

01 Gavle Funke

16 Lisa Fangman

01 Vada Welcher

17 Virginia Allen (90th)

05 Cathy Keppler

22 Janet Gaffney (95th)

10 Darlene Holzwarth 24 Joan Hosch

30 Bonnie Hughes

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Congratulations

The Meadows August **Employment Anniversaries**

Glenna Anderson August 05 15 Years **Gayle Funke** August 07 17 Years **Jenny Quint** August 12 03 Years **Joan Kerns** August 13 06 Years Jennifer Paulsen August 14 07 Years Leticia Timmerman August 19 10 Years

YOU'RE INVITED...

HOSPICE

WED. AUGUST 13TH | 6 PM THE MEADOWS ASSISTED LIVING

All Meadows tenants and family members are invited to attend an informational hospice in-service, complete with games & prizes by Angie Kramer, LBSW.

- Hospice Myths Personalized Care Coordination
- Therapeutic & Daily Living Support
 Customized Programming | Pet, Massage & Music Therapy
- Spiritual and Emotional Support



Initiatives





Welcome





Jack said "Yes" to the address!



Please join us on wishing our newest neighbor, a warm welcome to The Meadows Communitu!





NATIONAL ASSISTED LIVING WEEK®

SAVE THE DATE Sunday 09/07/25

JOIN US FOR THE MEADOWS ANNUAL ASSISTED LIVING FAMILY PICNIC!













Above: Tenants took on the Delaware County Fair Parade! It's always a fun evening on the grounds.







Above: Outing to Divine Word College Art Exhibit "Nature's Artist" works of Jack Becker.









Above: Fair Lunch & 4H Exhibit Viewing.

Above: Municipal Band! **Above:** Riverbend Lunch Outing.









Above: Creative fun with Watercolor Art!

Above: Making Homemade Ice Crea!!



Left/Right: Wonderful picnic outing and rides at Schram Park







Born in August? What's Special About you?

You are Highly Confident!

You are Adventurous!

You are Hard Working!

You are honest!

You are a Leader!

You are STRONG!

You are Determined!

You are blunt!

You are Social!

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