

# Health & Life Gardenside News

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### "Nostalgia of Cars" Show Successful

The first-ever "Nostalgia of Cars" Show—a cooperative effort between JCH&L Gardenside and Heritage Care Center held on Sunday, May 21 — was a success!

"We were thrilled to have 38 vehicles on display—with many different makes and models. The support of our sponsors and our community was wonderful. The cooperative effort between Heritage and Gardenside was a great partnership. And most of all, we saw many residents of both Heritage and Gardenside with wonderful smiles. Our residents thoroughly enjoyed the day," said Wayne Franzen, organizer.



Greg and Jeff Bakewell pose with their mom, Jane Bakewell, in front of Jeff's 1973 Ford Mustang, which was one of the Top 10 winners at the show.

The show raised more than \$2,000, which will be split between Heritage and Gardenside. At both facilities, the proceeds will be used to directly benefit residents. At Gardenside, the proceeds will be used for Christmas gifts for residents.

Event sponsors were: Scherbarth Ace Hardware; Heartland Bank; NAPA Auto Parts Action Auto Supply; MH Paint and Body; Schmidt Machine; Union Bank and Trust; The McBattas Group; Barber Home Furnishings; Ol' Red 99.5; Arnold Motor Supply; DeBoer Beef; Twin Rivers Auto Group; American National Bank; Riverside; TO Haas Tire and Auto; Maatsch Oil Company; Gerdes-Meyer Funeral Home; Fairbury Dental Associates. Judges were Kirk Weichel, Stephen Lord and john Ebke.

Best of Show went to Chad Zabokrtsky with his 1972 Chevy K10 pickup. Residents Choice went to Daryl Stamey with his 1955 Chevy Belair. Top 10 were: Mark Wasserman, 1971 Oldsmobile 442; Dr. Rebecca Stroklund, 1965 International Scout; Pat Kujath, 2023 Harley Davidson TriGlide; Jeff Bakewell, 1973 Ford Mustang; Duane Woutzke, 1996 Buick Park Avenue Ultra; Sandy Bauer, 1999 Chevy Corvette; Jeff Perry,

### Happy Anniversary



Jan and Mike Slater celebrated 60 years of marriage on May 17, 2023. A party was held on May 18. Congratulations!

### **Admissions**

- Patsy Dittmar, May 18
- Fred Achtemeier, May 19
- Kristi McAuliff, May 24

### Birthdays

- Judy Dugan, June 10
- Fred Achtemeier, June 13
- Virgil Wasserman, June 18

### **Deaths**

Gardenside was saddened by the death of one resident in the past month. Our sympathy is with the family of:

Patsy Dittmar, May 29

### Anniversary

 Mike and Jan Slater, May 17, 1963.

#### **Our Team to Serve You**

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Most recent state survey:
In a folder on east side of the wall by the
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## **COVID Health Emergency Ends**

The end of the Public Health Emergency happened on Thursday, May 11, 2023, at midnight. As of that time, CDC will NO longer receive data needed to publish the Community Transmission levels that have been used to determine source control guidelines for health care facilities.

Health care facilities will identify local metrics that could reflect increasing community respiratory viral activity to determine when broader use of source control in the facility (such as masking) might be warranted.

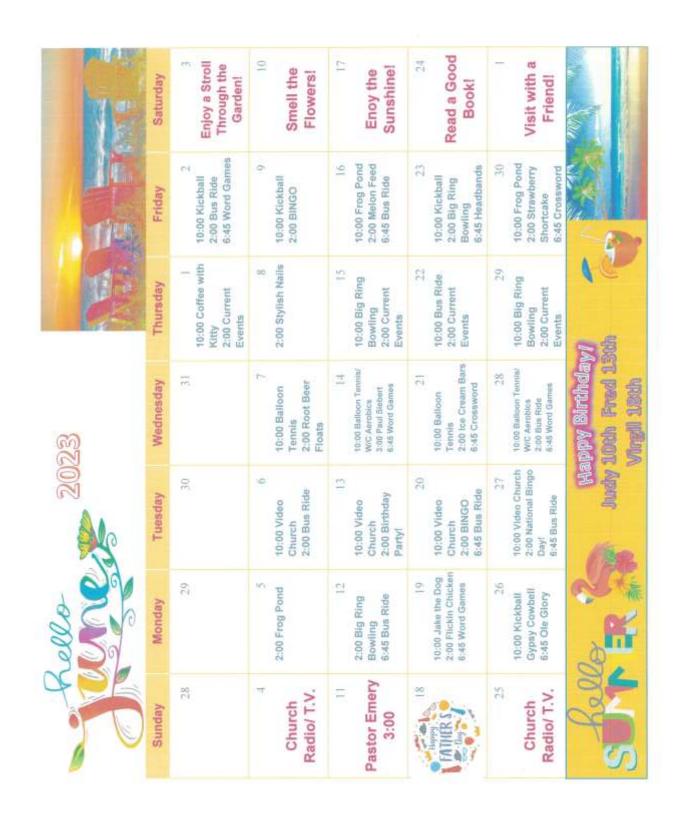
As we update our policies and procedures, we will keep you updated. For now, the signage at all entrances is being taken down, and checking "community transmission status" on the CDC website for masking requirements is no longer required.

Please continue to safeguard the health of our residents, and don't visit when you are ill. Thank you!

## Work on rooms is progressing

We are moving along with getting the rooms painted, new flooring and TV brackets on the walls. We still have several rooms left the end is in sight now! source control guidelines for health care facilities.

Results of the most recent state survey are available on the east side of the wall by the Activity Room. Nurse staffing hours are posted west of the nurses station.



# June 2023

| Sunday  | Monday   | Tuesday   | Wednesday   | Thursday  | Friday  | Saturday  |
|---|--|---|---|---|---|---|
|   |  |   |   | I<br>L: BBQ ribette<br>S: Creamed funkey<br>over biscult              | 2<br>L: Beer batter<br>fish<br>S: Hot roast<br>beef and swiss | 3<br>L: Salisbury steak<br>S: fried shrimp        |
| 4<br>L: Roast beef<br>S: Pork tittler   | 5<br>L: BBQ meatballs<br>S: Cranberry<br>Chicken Salad on<br>Croissant | 6<br>L: Roast tunkey<br>S: Rueben                             | 7<br>Li chicken and<br>dumplings<br>S: BLT                          | 8<br>L: Brown sugar<br>glazed ham<br>S: Pancakes and<br>sausage links | 9<br>L: Lasagna<br>S: Chicken<br>Ceasar Salad                 | 10<br>L: Turkey tetrazini<br>S: Pan pizza         |
| L' Glazed meatloaf S: Chicken tenders  The control of the control | 12<br>L: Chicken tried<br>chicken<br>S: Smoked pork<br>sandwich        | 13<br>L: Swiss steak<br>S: Battered fried<br>shrimp           | 14<br>L: Uver and<br>orlons<br>S: Philly<br>cheesesteak<br>sandwich | 15<br>L: Salmon pathy<br>S: Steak fingers                             | 16<br>L: breaded fish<br>au grath<br>S: Chicken<br>Parm       | 17<br>Lichef salad<br>S: meatballs with<br>gravy  |
| 18 L: Oven fried chicken S: Polish sausage on bun   | 19<br>L: Beef tacos<br>S: chicken<br>lasagna                           | 20<br>L: Creamy Swiss<br>chicken<br>S: Sioppy Joe on a<br>bun | 21<br>L: Meatical<br>S: Turkey club on<br>croissant                 | 22<br>L: Salisbury steak<br>S: Breaded chicken<br>on bun              | 23 L: Oven Fried fish S: Chill and chnamon roll               | 24<br>L: Roast Beef<br>S: Chicken Tender<br>Salad |
| 25 L: Bacon wrapped chopped steak S: Harn and bean soup   | 26 L: Oriental beef stirify S: Hot ham and cheese                      | 27 L: Spagetti with meat sauce S: Boneless barbecue wings     | 28<br>L: Chloken Fried<br>Steak<br>S: Pan pizza                     | 29 L: Beef tips with gravy S: Fairbury hot dog with bun               | 30<br>L: Tuna noodle<br>casserole<br>S: Fish<br>sandwich      |   |

Guests are welcome to join us for meals. To make planning easier, please notify the charge nurse a day or two in advance if you will join us for a meal. Please pay for guest meals in the cafeteria. Guest meals are \$5 (tax incl.) Guest meals are not billed to resident rooms. Thank you!

## Variety of activities for Nursing Home Week







Top, from left,
Marge Veatch, Bev
Leseberg and
Dorothy Reed
decorate flower
pots.

Bottom, from left, Joan McKenzie and Judy Dugan pot flowers.



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# Car Show was final event of Nursing Home Week











Top left—staff assist residents in seeing the car show. Top right, Virgil Wasserman gave a trophy to Residents' Choice winner Daryl Stamey.

Middle left, Dick Bugby checks out a pickup on display. Middle right, Willard Endorf checks out vehicles to find his favorite. Bottom, Beverly Leseberg prepares to mark a favorite on her judging sheet.

## "Nostalgia of Cars" Show Successful

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1993 Harley Davidson Softtail; Kurt Itzen, 2015 Polaris Slingshot; Kurt Itzen, 2021 Dodge Charger; and Mitchell Heidemann, 1970 Dodge Charger.

In addition to vehicles on display, the day included a food truck by Billy D's, bake sale items from Heritage and JCH&L staff and residents, craft items from staff and residents, t-shirts for sale, and facepainting for a free-will donation.

"We were pleased with the turnout of both participants and people coming to see the show," Franzen said.









Top left, the Weers family checks out their pickup. Top right, staff and residents are on the move looking at vehicles. Bottom left, Dale Maatsch is accompanied by family and friends. Bottom right, Wayne Stewart prepares to place his vote.

## Many fun activities in May

#### By Nate Behrends

### **Evening Activity Coordinator**

May was filled with fun as we celebrated Nurses Week and Nursing Home Week with many fun-filled activities. Many games and bus rides along with building and decorating items for the car show and bake/craft sale filled our days. We celebrated May birthdays with Beverly Leseberg, Carol Hart and Norris Gold by having a party for all.

Bobby Gadaury performed during Nursing Home Week, bringing his talent to Gardenside. The Houston Solution also graced Gardenside with their twist on yesterday's country and rock and roll hits.



Billie Eisenhauer, Gardenside hair stylist, has begun doing nails for our ladies. Thank you, Billie!

June has many fun activities scheduled: watermelon feeds, bus rides, the return of Gypsy Cowbell, and Paul Siebert returning for the first time since — (well, you know!)

Thanks to all who came out and supported "Nostalgia of Cars" show!







Top left, Billie Eisenhauer does Melody York's nails. Bottom left, Carol Barber works on flower pots. Bottom right, Beverly Leseberg and Dorothy Reid work on flower pots, with Savannah assisting. Above, Wayne gives a hand massage to Vivian Belding.

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Top, residents and staff pose for a group photo with their Cultivate Kindness shirts. Bottom left, Donna Starr, Jane Bakewell, Bob Weers Beverly Leseberg, and Marge Veatch watch planting. Bottom right, Laura DeBoer plants and Willard Endorf observes.

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## Happy Birthday!







Happy May birthdays to Carol Hart, Beverly Leseberg and Norris Gold.