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COURTYARDS OF ODESSA'S BIRTHDAYS



Mr. Jerry will turn 99 on September 1. Jerry is a US Navy Veteran. He served in WWII in the Navy Air Corps. Jerry was stationed in the Philippines. When asked how he has lived so long, he replied, "Just Lucky, I Guess."

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Happy Birthday



Nelda

Nelda will turn 83 on September 2. Always smiling and eager to help, Nelda says she is not afraid to work hard and started working right out of High School. She took great pride in working for the accounting department of the telephone company.



Miss Della is a beautiful soul who resides in Memory Care. She will be 87 on September 19th.

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Grandparents Day Is Coming

Don't forget! The first Sunday after Labor Day is National Grandparents Day. Take a few minutes to track down your grandparents and let them know they're in your thoughts. A card, a phone call or a visit will really make their day. You'll be glad you took the time to listen to their stories and learn more about the good old days.

Sunset on Summer

The Labor Day holiday signals the unofficial end of summer. Play, picnic, splash and celebrate the last days of the season! Fall arrives Sept. 22.

Good Grief!

The first "Peanuts" comic strip, written by Charles M. Schulz, appeared in seven newspapers on Oct. 2, 1950. Schulz originally wanted to call the strip "Li'l Folks," but United Feature Syndicate changed it to "Peanuts," a name Schulz never liked.

"The journey between what you once were and who you are now becoming is where the dance of life really takes place."
—Barbara de Angelis

Activities Subject to Change

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
CELEBRATING THE 1980s WEEK 1 9:45 Bus leaves for Nazarene Church (Need at least 2 or 3 Participants) 10:30 TV Church 1:30 Price is Right 3:30 Skip- Bo Fun With Friends 3:30 Trash Card Game (Bingo Hall)	Labor Day 2 11:30 Labor Day Lunch and Games 1:30 Trash Card Game (Bingo Hall) 3:30 Dominoes (Bingo Hall) 6:00 Movies in the Theatre / Risky Business	Residents and Staff Dress for the '80s Today 3 9:30 '80s Hair By Veronica 9:30 Hustle for Muscle (exercise) (Bistro) 10:00 Board Games in Bingo Hall 12:00 Flute Player for lunch Hosted by Interim 1:30 Bingo 2:30 Blue Lagoon Drink, Music and Dance 3:30 Photo Booth 3:30 Skip- Bo Fun With Friends	4 9:30 Hustle for Muscle (exercise) (Bistro) 10:30 Church with Mark (Gentiva) 1:30 Miniature golf 2:30 Name that '60s song (Bingo Hall) 3:00 Skip- Bo Fun With Friends 3:30 Retro '80s Jewelry(Bistro) 6:00 Movie Time / ET	5 9:30 Walking Club 10:30 Disco Ball Craft 1:30 Bingo 2:30 Trip to Dollar Tree 3:00 Dice Bingo 3:00 Skip- Bo Fun With Friends 4:00 Yahtzee 6:00 Movie / Foot Loose	6 9:30 Hustle for Muscle (exercise) (Bistro) 10:30 Craft Paper Flowers for '60s Week 1:30 Commercial Trivia 3:30 Dominoes (Bingo Hall) 3:30 Skip- Bo Fun With Friends 6:00 Caddy Shack	7 9:30 Hustle for Muscle (exercise) (Bistro) 10:00 Dirty Dancing in the Theatre 1:30 Yahtzee 2:30 Volleyball in Bistro 3:00 Skip- Bo Fun With Friends
CELEBRATING THE 1970s Week 8 9:45 Bus leaves for Nazarene Church 10:30 Church begins in Bingo Hall 1:30 Cup Stacking Competition 3:30 Dominoes (Bingo Hall) 3:30 Skip- Bo Fun With Friends ('50s Room)	9 9:30 Hustle for Muscle (exercise) (Bistro) 1:30 Hangman 3:30 Skip- Bo Fun With Friends 6:00 Movie / Grease	Residents and Staff Dress for the '70s Today 10 9:00 '70s Hairdos by Amenti 9:30 Hustle for Muscle (exercise) (Bistro) 1:30 Bingo 2:30 Refreshment Bar, Music and Disco 3:30 Photo Booth 6:00 Movie / Bad News Bears	11 9:30 Hustle for Muscle (exercise) (Bistro) 10:30 Cup Decorating (Bistro) 1:30 Fanning the Ball Competition (Bingo Hall) 2:30 Skip- Bo Fun With Friends 2:30 Walmart 6:00 Movie / Blazing Saddles	12 9:30 Hustle for Muscle (exercise) (Bistro) 10:30 Macramé Key Chain 1:30 Bingo 3:00 Dump Cake cooking 3:00 Skip- Bo Fun With Friends 4:00 Scavenger Hunt 6:00 Movie / Rocky	13 9:30 Hustle for Muscle (exercise) (Bistro) 9:30 Men's Group with Clark ('50s Room) 10:30 Rock Painting 1:30 Ax Throwing 2:30 Wheel of fortune 3:00 Skip- Bo Fun With Friends 3:30 Pool 6:00 Movie / The Wiz	14 9:30 Hustle for Muscle (exercise) (Bistro) 10:30 Shuffleboard in Bistro 1:30 Bingo (Bingo Hall) 3:00 Puzzle Time (Bistro) 3:00 Skip- Bo Fun With Friends 4:00 '70s Trivia (Bistro)
CELEBRATING THE 1960s WEEK 15 9:30 Hustle for Muscle (exercise) (Bistro) 9:45 Bus leaves for Nazarene Church 10:30 Church begins in Bingo Hall 1:30 Doughnuts, Coffee and Stories 2:30 '60s Movie 3:00 Skip- Bo Fun With Friends	16 9:30 Hustle for Muscle (exercise) (Bistro) 1:30 Football Toss 3:00 Trash Card Game (Bingo Hall) 3:00 Trash Card Game (Bingo Hall) 6:00 Movie / To Kill A Mockingbird	Residents and Staff Dress for the '60s Today 17 9:00 Beehive Tuesday Hair By Veronica 9:30 Hustle for Muscle (exercise) (Bistro) 11:00 Bingo 12:00 Flute Player for lunch 2:30 Candy Bar 2:30 Refreshments music and the twist 3:30 Photo Booth 6:00 Movie / 101 Dalmatians	18 9:30 Hustle for Muscle (exercise) (Bistro) 10:30 Church with Mark (Gentiva) 1:30 Bring your Recipe /Make a book 3:00 Skip- Bo Fun With Friends 3:30 '60s Trivia 6:00 Movie / In The Heat of The Night	19 9:30 Hustle for Muscle (exercise) (Bistro) 10:30 Community Walk 1:30 Bingo 2:30 In the Kitchen (Recipe to be determined) 3:00 Skip- Bo Fun With Friends 4:00 Dominoes (Bingo Hall) 6:00 Movie / Hang em High	20 9:30 Hustle for Muscle (exercise) (Bistro) 10:30 Kickball 1:30 Pie Toss 3:00 Skip- Bo Fun With Friends 3:00 Yahtzee 6:00 Movie / Sound of Music	21 9:30 Hustle for Muscle (exercise) (Bistro) 10:30 Lava Lamp Making 1:30 Bingo 3:00 Board Games in Bingo Hall 3:00 Skip- Bo Fun With Friends
CELEBRATING THE 1950s WEEK 22 9:30 Hustle for Muscle (exercise) (Bistro) 9:45 Bus leaves for Nazarene Church 10:30 Church begins in Bingo Hall 1:30 Dice Tic Tac Toe 3:00 Skip- Bo Fun With Friends 3:00 Trash Card Game (Bingo Hall)	23 9:30 Hustle for Muscle (exercise) (Bistro) 1:30 Hangman 3:00 Dominoes (Bingo Hall) 3:00 Skip- Bo Fun With Friends 6:00 Movie / To Catch A Thief	24 9:30 Hustle for Muscle (exercise) (Bistro) 10:30 1950s scavenger hunt 1:30 Bingo 3:00 Making Tie Dye 3:00 Skip- Bo Fun With Friends 6:00 Movie/ Imitation of Life	25 9:30 Hustle for Muscle (exercise) (Bistro) 10:00 '50s Trivia 1:30 Car Races 3:00 Fifties Dice Game 3:00 Skip- Bo Fun With Friends 6:00 Movie / Old Yeller	Residents and Staff Dress for the '50s Today 26 9:00 Get Your '50s do 9:30 Hustle for Muscle (exercise) (Bistro) 1:30 Bingo 2:30 Sock Hop 2:30 Soda Shop Floats 3:30 Photo Booth 6:00 Movie / 12 Angry Men	27 9:30 Hustle for Muscle (exercise) (Bistro) 10:30 Board Games in Bingo Hall 1:30 Beach Ball Volleyball 3:00 Puzzle Time (Bistro) 3:00 Skip- Bo Fun With Friends 6:00 Movie / Lady and the Tramp	28 9:30 Hustle for Muscle (exercise) (Bistro) 10:30 Coffee and Current Events 1:30 Bingo 3:00 Skip- Bo Fun With Friends 3:00 Yahtzee
29 9:30 Hustle for Muscle (exercise) (Bistro) 9:45 Bus leaves for Nazarene Church 10:30 Church begins in Bingo Hall 12:00 Dominoes (Bingo Hall) 1:30 Charades 3:00 Skip- Bo Fun With Friends 6:00 Movie Time / Tombstone	30 9:30 Hustle for Muscle (exercise) (Bistro) 1:30 Hangman 3:00 Resident Council 6:00 Movie / Mrs. Doubtfire		ROCKING THRU THE DECADES		FAMILIES PLEASE JOIN OUR SOCK HOP ON THE 26TH	



SOCK HOP

Excitement is coming your way!! Invite your families to our Sock Hop and Floats. Let's get together and enjoy our beautiful '50s room and patio area.

Decade Fun

During the Month of September our Courtyard Family will be surfing through the decades. We will start the first week Discoing through the '80s. We will have ants in our pants (popular game in 1970s) as we groove through the '70s the 2nd week. The 3rd week of September will find us looking for peace and love in the '60s, and finally, as we enter the 4th week, we will hit those awesome '50s. Who still has their poodle skirts? Everyone is invited to dress up on our dance days for the era we are celebrating, but please remember to keep it appropriate. Let's have some fun with this!!!

Fun Facts About Elvis

For fans of Elvis Presley, Jan. 8 is a special day—the entertainer's birthday. To mark the occasion, here's some trivia about the man who will forever be known as the King of Rock 'n' Roll.

He was a twin. Presley's twin brother, Jesse Garon Presley, died at birth. His mother, Gladys, claimed that because of this, Elvis had the energy of two people.

Elvis as Tony? Film director Robert Wise originally wanted Presley to star as Tony, the male lead in the 1961 movie version of the musical "West Side Story." But Colonel Tom Parker, Presley's business manager, felt the role wasn't right for the star, and the part eventually went to actor Richard Beymer.

He pitched one product. Though his likeness has been used in countless ads and promotions, Presley himself made just one product commercial during his entire career. In 1954, he recorded a radio jingle for Southern Maid Donuts, a favorite of the King.

He had presidential genes. Various genealogy studies show that Presley was distantly related to two U.S. presidents, Abraham Lincoln and Jimmy Carter.



Miss Karen turns another year older on September 21. She has a great sense of humor. When asked how old she will be, Karen said, "25." She then began to laugh and said, "No, I'll be 85." Karen worked for the city of Lovington, New Mexico for 15 years.

Residents Show Their Appreciation

Recently our Courtyard family has been showing their appreciation by giving Staff Thank You cards. These cards are located on the Bistro table. There is a box to put them in to be delivered. Please feel free to show your appreciation to them. Staff, you are also welcome to fill a card out for a resident. We all like to know we are appreciated.

