



Featured Resident: Mary P.

Our featured resident is Mary P. Mary just recently moved to Divine of Shane Hill. She loves to spend her time playing the piano, bingo and socializing with the other residents and staff. Mary is often found in the dining room playing the piano for residents or staff. She used to play for 30yrs at church! Thank you, Mary, for choosing Divine of Shane Hill as your home!

JULY 4TH – CELEBRATING INDEPENDENCE DAY

In 1776 when the Declaration of Independence was signed, a staged party was planned to celebrate the birth of America and the separation from England.

Colonists, families and towns continued to celebrate the anniversary of this freedom yearly on July 4 with large crowds and festivities.

Today, we celebrate our free nation with parades, feasts, festivals, fireworks and family cookouts, but there is more to celebrate than our country's

birthday. Our Independence Day celebrations:

- Symbolize the right to live with the freedoms of religion, without persecution and with the ability to think and do for yourself.
- Remind us that it takes courage to protect freedom and often courage is needed in the toughest times.
- Provide a day to reflect on and recognize our nation's multi-cultural heritage, history, and unity of people.

PHOTO HIGHLIGHTS

Happy Birthday!

STAFF

Liana Niemeyer	7/3
Crystal Miller	7/9
Rod Klausing	7/15
Rita Buffenbarger	7/15
Akasa Benton	7/15
Kaila Thompson	7/25
Sharon Link	7/27
Cheryl Miller	7/27

RESIDENTS

Marjiann N.	7/1
Edrice W.	7/8
Robert K.	7/9
Doris F.	7/11
Mary P.	7/14
Carol M.	7/23
Sally B.	7/26



We had a group of volunteers from Venturelinx come and help clean out our memory garden. They will be planting flowers and helping the residents paint rocks for a splash of color.

Activity Highlights

Residents are looking forward to their July 4th party, we will be having a cookout later in the month. They are looking forward to bonfires with our new bonfire pit.



We celebrated National Drive-In day with "Ticket to Paradise" on the "big screen" and a popcorn bar!

Employee of the Month: Melissa Gehm



Our Employee of the Month is Melissa Gehm. Melissa is one of our caring nurses in the Memory Care Unit. She is an RN, fills in where needed and has been here since she finished nursing school. Residents and staff love seeing her smiling face and hearing her cherry voice coming down the hall. Melissa loves what she does, and it shows. Thank you, Melissa, for all that you do!



MORE...PHOTO HIGHLIGHTS



We celebrated Mother's Day with cupcakes and carnations.



Maplewood enjoyed their first ice cream outing. We had beautiful weather and nice conversations. You scream, we scream, Maplewood screams for ice cream!



Rosie B., Kandy H. and Danny B. standing proudly with their Memorial Day/4th of July tree they decorated.

Short-Term Therapy Success Stories

Our short-term therapy success story is Lucretia F. Lucretia was using a Hoyer lift, with therapy's help she went from the Hoyer to a 2 person assist, to using a walker with 1 assist. Lucretia is pleased with her progress from therapy. Thank you for all that you do Therapy team!

Family Council Meeting

Divine of Shane Hill is interested in hosting a family council meeting every quarter. We would like to know what times and days of the week would work best. Please reach out to Sherrie McCluer (smccluer@shanehillhc.com), Sharon Link (slink@shanehillhc.com) or call 419-363-2620 with your interest.

Give Something Away Day

On July 15, Give Something Away Day provides a special opportunity to give back, connect with their community, and experience the joy of generosity. This day can serve as a wonderful reminder to share your time, talents, and resources with others. Whether it is donating cherished possessions, offering assistance, or simply lending a listening ear, seniors have a wealth of wisdom and experiences to share, making Give Something Away Day an ideal time to engage intergenerational activities. Collaborative initiatives like crafting handmade gifts for others, preparing care packages for those in need, or participating in community service projects with children are great ways to create lasting memories while simultaneously passing down important values to future generations.



DROP A ROCK DAY: JULY 3



Have you ever been walking and spotted a painted rock? It mostly likely made you smile. Maybe you wondered how it got there or who created it. July 3, Drop a Rock Day is a great time to be that somebody! All you need is some small flat rocks, acrylic paints, and a paintbrush. **Get creative! Sunshine. Smiley faces. Bright, colorful doodles, flowers, sunshine, rainbows. Uplifting messages!** On your next walk outdoors, take one or two of them with you and place them along your route to brighten everyone's day!

JULY – WORD SEARCH

Find and circle the 15 words listed below. Find words straight across, up and down, and diagonally. All words are forwards reading only. No backwards. Good luck!

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Word List

ACTIVITY
CELEBRATE
FIREWORKS
FLAGS
FREEDOM
GENEROUS
GORGEOUS
HOTDOG
KETCHUP
LOTION
MUSTARD
PROTECT
SAFETY
SUNLIGHT
TALENT