



## Activity Highlights

We are planning a cookout for our Memory Care Unit on Aug. 7th for family and friends.



Residents are looking forward to the Mercer County Fair Aug 12th and Van Wert County Aug. 28th.

As the weather starts to get cooler and nights get longer, we will be able to start using our new firepit.

## A LETTER FROM THE ADMINISTRATOR

Hello.

Hope everyone is enjoying their summer. We have had a few fun treats for the residents so far. They have gone out for rides around the lake and out to get ice cream. They also got to sit outside and watch the management get dunked. Yes, we rented a dunk tank and the staff, and the residents were able to take their shot at dunking the management team. A few of them cheated when they just hit the button to dunk us after missing the target when throwing their ball, but in the end, all the smiles and laughs were worth it.

If you have been in the facility, you may have noticed a new face. Bradley Mccullough has chosen Shane Hill to do his AIT (Administrator in Training) preceptorship. He will be with us for about nine months. He will be spending his time with all of the management staff and residents to learn the role of being an Administrator. We look forward to seeing him learn and grow. We look forward to the fresh ideas he may offer in all areas of our healthcare system. Please help us welcome him to Shane Hill.

Sincerely,  
Sherrie McCluer, RN, LNHA

# Happy Birthday!

## STAFF

Buffie Dunlap	8/7
Madison Adams	8/7
Michael Tate	8/10
Angela Gerhardstein	8/17
Jennifer Vasquez	8/20
Dawn Stephen	8/22
Heaven Winters	8/23
Alexis Hanicq	8/23

## RESIDENTS

Janice B.	8/5
James F.	8/5
Marilyn R.	8/6
Mary B.	8/11
Jesse L.	8/13
Vickie S.	8/20
Karen M.	8/24
Ronald R.	8/30



# PHOTO HIGHLIGHTS

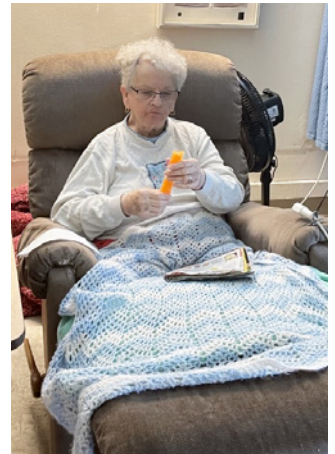
We celebrated the 4th with a big Bingo game and happy hour. Residents were having a great time especially when a wrong bingo was called. Our youngest volunteer Johnse joining in on the fun!



Our memory care was able to get out and enjoy some ice cream and a nice drive around Grand Lake St Mary's. We had beautiful weather and enjoyed seeing the animals.



We celebrated National Freezer Pop Day the best way we could! Marcella and Sally enjoyed picking their favorite flavor.



## Employee of the Month: Peg Dooley



Peg is one of our STNAs on night shift. Peg has been with us since 2011. She's caring, compassionate and a great aide. She picks up extra shifts and is available wherever needed. Thank you for all that you do, Peg!



A fun game of balloon volleyball. Our residents really get into it and have a ball!



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## Featured Resident: Bob H.

Bob is only choosing Divine temporarily while he heals and can go back home. Bob is a pleasure to have, when you greet him, he will give you the biggest smile. He loves to play bingo and socialize with staff and residents. Thank you for choosing us, Bob!



*We have been having volunteers from Venturelinx every Wednesday. They have been helping to get the memory garden weeded and cleaned up. They also helped us paint rocks to go out in the garden. Residents love spending time with them!*

## National Lemonade Day: August 20

National Lemonade Day was originally held on the first Sunday in May, but it was recently moved to August 20 as a national event. Decades ago, neighborhood lemonade stands used to be fun summertime activities where lemonade sold for approximately 5 or 10 cents per cup. Now lemonade stands can be entrepreneurial endeavors with attractive themed-booths for charity benefits and fundraisers with prices ranging from \$0.50 a cup to over \$2.00! Although prices and purpose of lemonade may have changed over time, memories continue to be made each summer at community stands.

Get creative this summer and try a unique flavor of lemonade by adding seasonal berries, herbs (mint, basil, lavender), or soda water. Or enjoy the original classic flavor with friends and family as you reminisce about your favorite summer memories. Did you ever have a lemonade stand? If so, how much did you sell it for? What did you use your profits for? What kind of lemonade recipe did you use, and was it fresh squeezed?





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## Celebrate The King!

Elvis Week is August 9-17

Elvis Presley, known throughout the world by his first name, is widely regarded as one of the most influential figures of 20th century music and popular culture, and his status as a cultural icon appears strong as ever. 2024 will mark the 47th anniversary of his passing.

### Elvis Facts:

- The international superstar was an accomplished and influential artist in several genres of music: rock, pop, country, R&B and gospel.
- Elvis has been inducted into the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame, the Country Music Hall of Fame and the GMA Gospel Music Hall of Fame – the only artist with the distinction of being honored by all three.
- He enjoyed eating peanut butter and banana sandwiches and would often add bacon and grape jelly.



Sources: [graceland.com](http://graceland.com)

# HAPPINESS HAPPENS MONTH: FOUR SIMPLE STEPS TO HAPPINESS

Every person deserves to be happy, and happiness can be positively influential! The more happy people there are, the more likely they are to inspire others. We owe it to ourselves and society to work on our happiness. Try these four simple steps:

### Ready Yourself for Happiness:

Commit to being happy and understand that true happiness comes from within, not from luck, possessions, or lifestyle.

### Envision Yourself as Happy:

Each day, imagine yourself laughing, smiling, and relaxing. The more you

visualize happiness, the easier it becomes to feel genuinely happy.

### Assume You Will Be Happy:

Choose to be happy by recognizing that there is always something in your life to be grateful for, whether big or small. Show your appreciation and gratitude for increased happiness.

### Pursue Your Happiness:

Identify what makes you happy, whether it's a hobby, activity, or spending time with loved ones. Make time for these joy-inducing pursuits, and happiness will naturally follow.



## AUGUST – 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!



### Word List

- ACTIVITY
- BOOKS
- COLOR
- ELVIS
- HAPPINESS
- KING
- LEMONADE
- MARSHMALLOW
- MUSIC
- PRESLEY
- READ
- RELAX
- SENIOR
- SMORE
- WELLNESS