

VILLAGE VOICE

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Embracing the Golden Years: Celebrating Life's Journey in July

As the summer sun shines its warmest rays, July arrives with a sense of vibrancy and celebration. For seniors, this month offers a chance to reflect on the journey of life and embrace the golden years with renewed joy and appreciation. From honoring independence to cherishing intergenerational connections, July presents opportunities for seniors to engage, learn, and savor the blessings of their well-earned wisdom.

Celebrating Independence:

July commences with a resounding celebration of independence. As the nation gathers to commemorate the Fourth of July, seniors can join in the festivities and reflect on the significance of freedom. Recalling their own life stories and the hurdles overcome, they can take pride in the progress made and the legacy they leave behind. Engaging in community events and fireworks displays, seniors can relish the unity that binds a nation and the power of determination in shaping a better tomorrow.

Nurturing Interconnectedness:

July also offers a unique chance for seniors to foster intergenerational connections. With schools out for summer break, grandchildren and younger relatives are often available to spend quality time together. Engaging in shared activities such as picnics, outings to parks or museums, or even exploring hobbies together, seniors can bridge the generation gap and pass down their knowledge, experiences, and values. By nurturing these connections, they create lasting memories and contribute to the continued growth of their families.

Exploring the Great Outdoors:

The warm and inviting weather of July beckons seniors to venture outdoors and revel in nature's beauty. Whether it's taking leisurely walks, gardening, or participating in outdoor exercises, seniors can embrace the rejuvenating power of the natural world. Exploring local parks, beaches, or scenic trails not only promotes physical well-being but also offers opportunities for social interaction, as many fellow nature enthusiasts gather to savor the summer season.

As July unfolds, seniors have the chance to embrace the beauty and joy that life has to offer. From celebrating independence and nurturing intergenerational connections to exploring the great outdoors, this month is filled with opportunities for seniors to bask in the richness of their experiences and continue thriving in their golden years. By seizing these moments and embracing the spirit of July, seniors can create lasting memories, forge meaningful relationships, and inspire others with their wisdom and resilience.

Would you or a family member like to leave a lifelong legacy? You can make a contribution or memorial to the Westminster Village Foundation. To learn more about the foundation, go to www.wvmuncie.com/village-foundation-inc 7/3-2:15 p.m. Music with John Walker

7/4-6:30 p.m. 4th of July at Morrow's Meadow

> 7/5-1:00-3:00 p.m. Next to New Shoppe

7/5-7:00 p.m. Music with Larry Davis

7/6-11:00 a.m. Lunch Bunch-Cammack Station

7/11-7:00 p.m. Music with Denni Glander

July Special Events

7/12-1:00-3:00 p.m. Next to New Shoppe

> 7/14-4:00 p.m. Social Hour

7/17-7:00 p.m. Music with Paul White

7/18-7:00 p.m. Music with Todd Berry

7/19-1:00-3:00 p.m. Next to New Shoppe

7/19-3:30 p.m. Music with Lee Whiteman 7/24-7:00 p.m. Music with Rhatatat

7/25-3:00 p.m. Speaker: Jim Coffin

7/26-1:00-3:00 p.m. Next to New Shoppe

7/26-3:00 p.m. Doris Day Presentation

> 7/28-4:00 p.m. Social Hour

> 7/28-7:00 p.m. Sweet Sounds



NEXT-TO-NEW SHOPPE IS OPEN TO THE COMMUNITY

The Next-To-New Shoppe is a re-sale shop operated by a group of Volunteer Residents located in the Lower Level at Westminster Village. The Shoppe accepts clothing and jewelry items for donation and re-sales to Residents, Employees and the public.

All profits received from purchases are donated to fund the Tuition Assistance Grants for Westminster Village Employees. The Residents have given 86 grants and a total of \$55,348 to employees since 2009.

Open every Wednesday 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.

"COOL & COMFORTABLE" FOR SPRING & SUMMER

Now is the time to start thinking about where you want to spend spring and summer. With life-enriching connections to enhance your mind, body, and spirit, you can celebrate the season in a cool, comfortable environment. Pack your bags and enjoy a fun and relaxing spring and summer!



For more information, call Tyler or Melody at 765.288.2155



EMPLOYEE SPOTLIGHT

Name: Lisa Burelison

Job Title: LPN, Evaluation Nurse

Department: Nursing/Assisted Living

What is your favorite hobby? Golfing

What's one thing on your bucket list? Lisa would love to visit Italy.

What's a fun fact about you that many people may not know? She was in the band in High School and they marched in the Macy's Day Parade (1984).

How long have you been with the company? 28 years

What do you enjoy most about working here? Lisa's job has a lot of variety and she is always learning something new. She loves when she can help a co-worker or be a resource to somebody. The administrative team is always supportive.



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