

# NEWSLETTER

## July 2022

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# Editor's Desk

Hello Residents, Families and Friends!

Its July already!!

I hope everyone is enjoying the warm weather so far!

I just wanted to say a HUGE thank you to our residents who are helping to keep our garden looking beautiful. You guys are doing a marvelous job, and it does not go unnoticed!

If you get a chance, I encourage you to take a stroll through the garden!

There are quite a few fun things happening this month, so keep an eye on the calendar and noticeboards for up-to-date information!

Keep Safe!

*Morgan*



## July Trivia

July was named by the Roman Senate in honor of the Roman general, Julius Caesar, it being the month of his birth. Prior to that, it was called Quintilis.

Zodiac signs: **Cancer & Leo**  
Birthstone: **Rubies**  
Flower: **Water Lily**

## Quote of the Day

*Faith gives you an inner strength and a sense of balance and perspective in life.*

– Gregory Peck

# Month in Review

## Flower Update

Thank to our talented and meticulous residents for their hard work in the garden. Here is a little snapshot at some of the beautiful things we have growing!



## Trevor Baker: Gospel/Country Singer

Trevor Baker stopped by Golden Hills Lodge on his Alberta Tour, and he did a marvelous job! We all enjoyed his fascinating take on song writing!



## Anne of Green Gables Production

This month we went to Prairie Christian Academy's high school production of, Anne of Green Gables. The students did an amazing job portraying this classic story!!



# Month in Review

## Elliot Fleck: Pianist with Potter's Clay Quartet

Elliot Fleck joined Golden Hills Lodge for a spectacular concert. He shared some songs that he performed with Potter's Clay Quartet and play a few old hymns! Residents already want him back!



## Kindergarten Performance

On their last day of school, the kindergarten class from PCA came to share some songs and bible verses they learnt this year!



## Birthday Tea

The weather started out beautiful and then the dark clouds rolled in! We enjoyed our cake and friends before we ran inside!



A Birthday Tea to remember!

# Upcoming Events

## **Stampede Breakfast**

Friday, July 8<sup>th</sup> at 7:50am

## **IDA Tuck Shop**

Tuesday, July 12<sup>th</sup> at 10:30am-11:30am

## **Three Hills Parade**

Saturday, July 16<sup>th</sup>, starting at 11am

## **Resident Meeting**

Tuesday, July 19<sup>th</sup> at 2:00pm

## **Drive Thru Walker Wash**

Thursday, July 28<sup>th</sup> at 2:00pm on Gazebo



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# Regular Events

Reading with June Every Friday at 11:00am

Card Games in  $\frac{3}{4}$  coffee room every morning at 10:30am

Library every 2nd Thursday at 10:30am-11:30am in the Bird Room

Three Hills Ministerial Service Every Sunday at 4pm

Prairie Tab Church Service in Auditorium at 10:30am every Sunday

## **Special Days**

- 1<sup>st</sup> Canada Day
- 1<sup>st</sup> International Joke Day
- 4<sup>th</sup> Independence Day US
- 7<sup>th</sup> World Chocolate Day
- 14<sup>th</sup> Bastille Day (France)
- 24<sup>th</sup> Cowboy Day
- 30<sup>th</sup> Friendship Day

# July Birthdays

In July, we celebrate **5** birthdays!



Please join us in the auditorium on July 20<sup>th</sup> to celebrate!

Princess Diana, 1st of July 1961

Olivia De Havilland, Actress, 1st July 1916

Tom Cruise, Actor, 3rd July 1962

Ringo Starr, Musician, 7th July 1940

Tom Hanks, Actor, 9th July 1956

Harrison Ford, Actor, 13th July 1942

Stanley Kubrick, 26th July 1928

Mick Jagger, 26th July 1943

Arnold Schwarzenegger, Actor, 30th July 1947

## **Cancer (June 21 – July 22)**

Cancer personalities are very emotional and sensitive, and care deeply about matters of the family and their home.

## **Leo (July 23 – August 22)**

Leos are natural born leaders. They are able to achieve anything they commit to.

**WOW!**

## **The origins of the month of July**

July was named in honor of Julius Caesar. Quintilis, which was his birth month, was renamed July when he died. Quintilis means “fifth month” in Latin, which represents where this month originally fell in the Roman calendar.

# Poem to Share

Emma Lazarus, (born July 22, 1849, in New York), was an American poet best known for her sonnet "The New Colossus," written to the Statue of Liberty.

## The New Colossus

By Emma Lazarus

Not like the brazen giant of Greek fame,  
With conquering limbs astride from land to land;  
Here at our sea-washed, sunset gates shall stand  
A mighty woman with a torch, whose flame  
Is the imprisoned lightning, and her name  
Mother of Exiles. From her beacon-hand  
Glow world-wide welcome; her mild eyes command  
The air-bridged harbor that twin cities frame.

"Keep, ancient lands, your storied pomp!" cries she  
With silent lips. "Give me your tired, your poor,  
Your huddled masses yearning to breathe free,  
The wretched refuse of your teeming shore.  
Send these, the homeless, tempest-tost to me,  
I lift my lamp beside the golden door!

# Noticeboard



## NEW RESIDENTS

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A very warm welcome to:

- **Brenda H**

We hope that you enjoy your time here!

## VACTION

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Summer is finally here! I hope everyone is enjoying the warm weather and all the events with family and friends.

I (Morgan) will be away on holidays until July 11<sup>th</sup>.

Please continue to meet up for games at 10:30am in the coffee room!

## RESIDENT VOLUNTEERS

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Would you be interested in volunteering here in the Lodge? Some of the areas might be;

- Decorating for holidays/seasons
- Running card games
- Weekend Movies

If so, please come talk to Morgan.

## LIBRARY LINES

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Good news for fans of the famous American writer Louis L'Amour's books. We received a large donation of his western novels. A recent resident, who moved out, also donated some of his wife's collection of Gilbert Morris' novels (housed in Unit 2A library). We now have room to house these additions to our libraries as we have been clearing out duplicates in our current collection. Some of these have been donated to a local church as they are starting a church library. Others have been donated to our second-hand stores. Again thanks for making use of the 'return books here' boxes and 'keep on readin'!

## THREE HILLS PARADE

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There is a parade happening on the 16<sup>th</sup> of July! If you would like to walk/ride your scooter in the parade with us, please come talk to Morgan or June



# Laughing Matters



**Why do bees have sticky hair?**

Because they use honeycombs.

**How do poets say hello?**

Hey, haven't we metaphor?

**What happened when grandpa insisted to everyone that the Titanic would sink?**

He got kicked out of the theatre.

**At a kid's party, the hired clown was late to arrive.**

When he finally did arrive, he walked up to grandpa and asked, "Where are the kids, sir?"

Grandpa looked him straight in the eye and answered very seriously, "That would be us. We grew up in the time it took for you to arrive."

**Silence is golden until you have children.**

Then silence is very suspicious.

**The young police recruit was asked:**

"What would you do if you had to arrest your own mother?"

"I'd call for backup, Sir!"

# Word Search

## FRENCH WORDS & EXPRESSIONS



A E M P J G V R E N D E Z V O U S  
K U L A E D R A G T N A V A F I M  
F U P L R C E P Q J N K Z G N W N  
M V E A E D A G J Y Z A C I H C N  
S A Z I I V I R A E R U T U O C K  
I T T E D R U G T Y F A R U H M B  
L N M I L A Z O R E O A G V B U U  
E E T V N G B V N A B V U Q F E T  
D V Q R U E U Q E X S L B X X H D  
R U S O U V E N I R N B A W B S J  
U A E A U C U L D E S A C N O W H  
E L W J O I E D E V I V R E C D M  
L O H D G K W F I T I R E P A H F  
F V L E N I S I U C H B M K X R E  
K C E S T L A V I E Q J W X Q G O  
Y E U C R E M E F R A I C H E W C  
I X A H K E G A T E L L O C E D W

Chic

Vol au vent

Fleur-de-lis

Decolletage

Moi

Nouvelle

Couture

Au pair

Souvenir

Creme fraiche

C'est la vie

Matinee

Mardi gras

Joie de vivre

Voyage

Carte blanche

Aperitif

Cuisine

Adieu

Rendezvous

Debutante

Faux

Avant Garde

Cul de sac