#### Welcome New Residents

Welcome to the Northshore Heights Family:

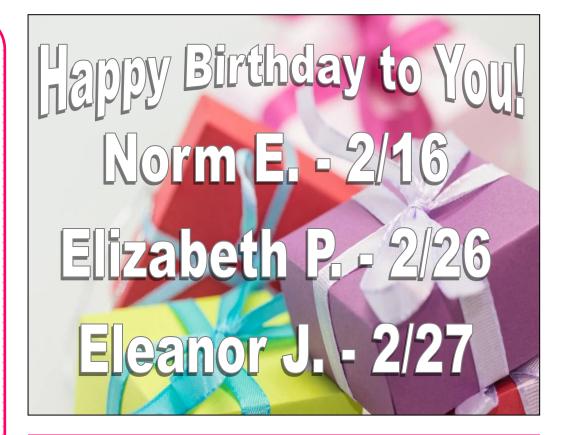
Rhys "Bebe's" C. Bennie M.

When you see your new neighbors around the building, be sure to say Hello!

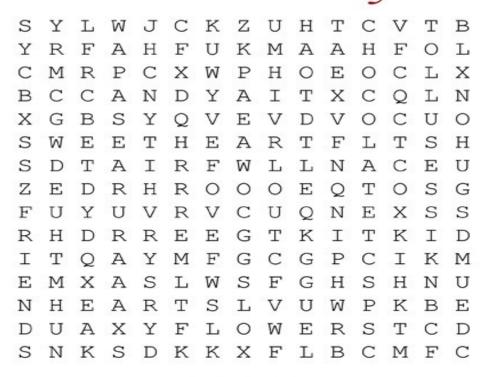
# Resident Council

The Resident Council meeting is held each month, on the third Wednesday at 1:15p.m. in the Activity Room. This meeting is open to all residents. Resident councils play a crucial role in voicing concerns, requesting improvements, supporting new residents & supporting facility efforts to make care and life in the community the best it can be.

Our next meeting will be held Wednesday, *February 21st* 



## Valentine's Day



- 1. VALENTINE
- 2. CANDY
- CHOCOLATE
- 4 CUP
- 5. FLOWERS
- . FRIENDS



- 7. SWEETHEART
- . ARROW
- KISSES
- 10. LOVE
- . HEARTS
- 2. HUGS

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# Northshore Heights News

# February 2024

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# Resident of the Month



For February, we are shining our spotlight on our sweet Eddie as our Resident of the Month!

Eddie is native to Tennessee having been born not too far from here in Maryville. He worked as a mechanic and proudly served our country in the Army. He was married to his sweetheart for 65 years, has a son and four grandchildren. He enjoys the outdoors, bike riding, running, NASCAR, and spending time with his family. He loves sweets and always has a smile on his face.

We love you, Eddie!

## **Employee of the Month**

CONGRATULATIONS to our February Employee of the Month, Evangeline!

As one of our superstar nightshift caregivers, her unwavering reliability and dedication make her an invaluable asset to the team. Congratulations to Evangeline on this well-deserved recognition! We are so grateful for all that you do!



#### Celebrating February

Library Lovers'
Month

Black History Month

Spunky Old Broads Month

**Groundhog Day** 

February 2

Thank a Mail Carrier Day

February 4

Chinese Lunar New Year's Day February 10

Super Bowl

February 11

Mardi Gras

February 13

Valentine's Day

February 14

World Human Spirit Day

February 17

Presidents' Day (U.S.)

February 19

For Pete's Sake Day February 26

















#### Valentine's Day Around the World

On Valentine's Day in Wales, a man carves a wooden "love spoon" for his beloved, decorating it with symbols like a key (to his heart). Danes exchange pressed white flowers and "joke letters" signed with dots. In South Korea, men receive the gifts—ladies get their gifts a month later on March 14. And in Iraq, lovers exchange red apples decorated with cloves, representing Adam and Eve.

#### What's Lucky in February?

Lucky Color: Blue
Lucky Animal: Monkey
Lucky Letters: L and W
Lucky Day: Saturday
Lucky Plant: Rose



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## **February**

Horoscope

If you were born between February 1–18, you are an Aquarius, the Water Bearer. Aquarians are loyal and smart humanitarians who want to make a difference in the world. They

are energetic, have inquisitive minds, and come up with creative solutions. Those born from February 19–29 are Pisces, the Fish. Like fish, Pisces like to go with the flow in an easygoing manner, but on the inside, they are intuitive, intensely spiritual, and deeply emotional.



## **Fun Facts About Mardi Gras**

This year Mardi Gras is being celebrated on February 13, 2024. When you hear "Mardi Gras", I bet the first thing you think of is a big party in New Orleans with beautiful costumes and parades with elaborate floats. You are not wrong, however, Mardi Gras is not just a one day celebration, it's an entire Carnival season full of feasting and fun. It begins on January 6th, known as the "Twelfth Night" and ends on Fat Tuesday. Here are some other fun facts: The first Mardi Gras began in

Mobile, Alabama back in 1703 and is always celebrated on the Tuesday just before Ash Wednesday. It marks the end of Carnival and the beginning of Lent. The official colors of Mardi Gras are purple, gold and green. Purple signifies justice, gold means power, and green stands for faith. King cakes are the traditional pastry eaten on this day. They got their name from the Bible story of the three kings bringing gifts to baby Jesus. A plastic baby or a symbolic bean are baked inside the cake and whoever gets the piece with the baby is responsible for bringing the cake next year!

# Fun & Games in Memory Care













