

HILLCREST SUITES

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EDITOR'S DESK

By Vicki Bruno

Residents, family and friends,

Greetings! It's been a fun but short month for us and I can't believe we are in the month of March already and if you're like me, you are looking forward to warmer days and more sunshine. Don't forget to turn your clocks an hour ahead on March ninth, folks! For those of you who observe the beginning of the Lenten season, Ash Wednesday falls on March fifth and we will have a late Resurrection Sunday falling on April twentieth. The Bread of Life Chapel opened with it's first service on February ninth and every Tuesday and Thursday morning we've been holding a Bible Study there. Because of the interest I have increased services from once a month to every other Sunday and have also put it on your activity calendar. Hope to see you there! I hope you enjoyed playing Cupid's Quest and St. Patty's Peril. I know that I had a great time! Watch for "Staff Gone Fruity" on your calendar and check it out! This game will give everyone participating a chance to win a whole lot of Hilly Bills for the store and a whole lot of fun. That's all I am going to tell you about that and I have sworn all of the staff to secrecy. This month we will be painting wooden gnomes, painting butterfly sun catchers and making cloth bunnies. Games will include the usual Bingo, "Staff Gone Fruity", the Auction will be back and let's not forget the pool tournament, darts, foosball, Barbecue and drawings that will begin on Saturday, March 8th and continue through the weekend. So let's have another great month and as I have said before, "when it comes to the Hilly Bills for the ever expanding store, participation is key!"

Vicki

Activity Coordinator

FEBRUARY IN REVIEW



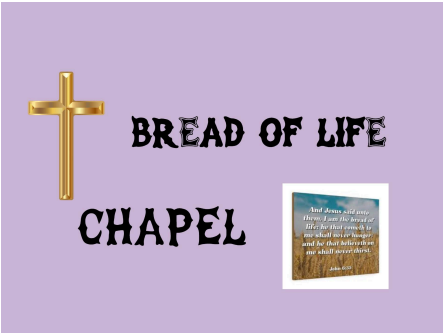
We made hearts and Valentine's Day Buckets and started our animal books!



Residents painted Shamrock suncatchers and earlier in the month made valentine suncatchers from tissue paper. It's special when the staff has time to join in on the fun!



Bread of Life Chapel opened for its first service on February 9th!



We had a lot of fun passing left and right, during "Cupid's Quest" and "St. Patty's Peril"!



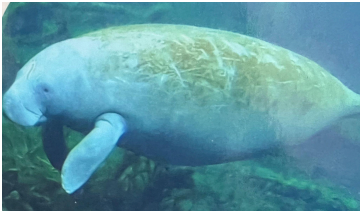
Some of Our Newest Animal Additions



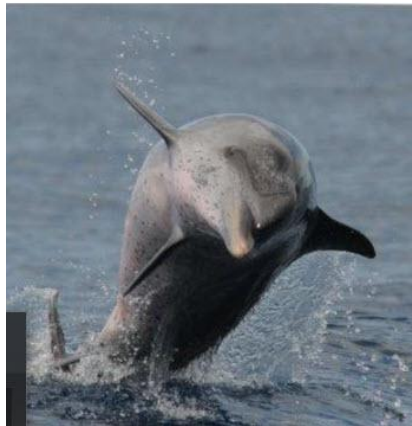
Bonnie the Elephant Seal



Chuck the Whale Shark



Sawyer the Manatee



Bill the dolphin

And Rosy, who is our third snow leopard.



RESIDENT OF THE MONTH



Votes, by the staff, were counted and this month's featured resident is Rodney C. Rodney is a veteran of the Air Force where he served as a security guard and later served as a recreational services specialist. He has four children and looks forward to spending time with his daughter, Toni, each week. He is a very proud grandpa too! His grandson Zachary picks him up once a week and takes him for walks and out to eat. Rodney is a christian who attends church services weekly with friends. He loves participating in all of the activities. We were exercising one morning with a basketball and imagine my surprise when he started dribbling across the floor. When Rodney has a little spare time, he enjoys resting in a chair by the fireplace.

UPCOMING EVENTS

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| MARCH 3 | HAPPY BIRTHDAY RENEE |
| MARCH 5 | ASH WEDNESDAY-LENT BEGINS |
| MARCH 6 | WOODEN GNOME PAINTING |
| MARCH 9 | HAPPY BIRTHDAY GEORGE |
| MARCH 9 | CHAPEL SERVICE |
| MARCH 11 | STAFF GONE FRUITY-GAME |
| MARCH 17 | ST. PATTY PUNCH |
| MARCH 20 | MAKE A BUNNY-CRAFT |
| MARCH 23 | CHAPEL SERVICE |
| MARCH 25 | HAPPY BIRTHDAY TIM |
| MARCH 27 | BUTTERFLY SUNCATCHER-CRAFT |
| MARCH 28 | AUCTION |