

Resident Council Meeting

Will be held on Wednesday, *June 11*, at *1:30* in the *DePiro Room*. Per your request Department managers will be available to update you on upcoming happenings, answer questions and comments.

If you have a concern please do not wait for the meeting to have it addressed.

Stop by the front office today and let us help!

A Father strives to do his best
Many times goes without rest
He cares for his family
and does it so happily

A Father is always there
Always willing, always shares
He offers encouragement
and support
and is always a good sport

A Fathers love is forever
even when you are not together
even when he starts to gray
a hug from him
makes everything okay

So on this Fathers Day
We just want to say
We love you Dad and appreciate you
A medal to you is long overdue!
~ **Author Unknown** ~

Happy Father's Day

Resident Birthdays

Martha Sinden	1st
Maureen Fetcho	7th
Camilla Baker	11th
Margaret Kennedy	23rd
Fay Garrison	25th
Ronnie Waters	26th

We will celebrate resident birthdays on *Wednesday, June 18*, at your regular dinner seating!

Staff Birthdays

Lizette McKinnie	10th
Jeffrey Mills	11th
Justice Taylor	11th
Priscilla Scott	18th
Victoria Quanin	21st
Jessica Green	22nd
Hermela Aju	22nd
Mike Albert	27th
Obie Sue Thomas	28th
Jermaine Battle	28th
Kamahya Hansberry	30th



Welcome New Residents

Lucas & Jill Van Balen	Apt. 329
Phyllis Edwards	Apt. 131

Please greet them and make them welcome!

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Tidings of Peace

A NEWSLETTER FOR RESIDENTS, FAMILIES, AND GUESTS
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UVA's Fralin Museum of Art

The UVA Fralin Museum of Art currently has several exciting exhibitions on display. Including: **O' Powa O' Meng: The art of Jody Folwell:** The iconic works showcased within O' Powa O' Meng "I came here, I got here, I'm still going" in the artist's Tewa language span the breath of Folwell's groundbreaking career and demonstrate the arc of her artistic development. The exhibition centers Folwell's practice intersecting artistic contexts of Kha' p' Owingeh, Native American art and Contemporary and American art more broadly.

Between Hand and Scroll: Torah Pointers Structures: This exhibition draws together artworks and objects from different meanings and experiences of belonging. These works relate to all aspects of life from childhood memories and everyday life, to death, burial and the afterlife.

Joan Mitchell, Uncovering 100 Years and More

In honor of the 100th anniversary of artist Joan Mitchell's birth, museums around the county are installing her works simultaneously to celebrate her talent and broad influence. Mitchell, was a remarkable artist both for her prolific output as well as her success as a woman within the male-dominated art world of the time. Today, we recognize Mitchell's legacy as a leading painter of the Abstract Expressionist movement. ~*Taken in part from Farlin Museum of Art webpage* ~

Join us on *Thursday, June 12*, for a visit to the Fralin Museum of Art where you can see the above exhibitions and many more. We have a scheduled tour for *2:30* which will last about one hour.

If you would like to go **sign up at the mailboxes today**. We will meet in the main lobby at **2:00** and leave shortly thereafter.

Pastoral Corner

Pentecost

Pentecost is the Christian festival celebrating the descent of the Holy Spirit on the disciples of Jesus after His ascension. It occurs on the seventh Sunday after Easter, which is June 8 this year.

Pentecost is regarded as the birthday of the Christian Church and the beginning of the Church's mission in the world. It reminds us of Jesus's promise that God would send the Holy Spirit which was fulfilled. The New Testament describes the story of the Holy Spirit's descent in the Book of Acts. The disciples and a large group were gathering when a wind filled the room. "Cloven Tongues" of fire appeared above the followers' heads filling them with the Holy Spirit. This allowed them to speak in many languages which helped them spread the gospel throughout the world. We will celebrate Pentecost at our ***Protestant Service at 2:00*** and ***Catholic Mass at 3:30 on June 8.***

On ***Friday, June 13***, we will host our Resident/Staff program celebrating ***Flag Day and the Beauty of the Season.*** There will be patriotic songs as well as hymns and some selections focused on nature. We will learn some history about our flag, including the traditional folding of the flag, and a sung rendition of TAPS. Thank you in advance to all those who have signed up to participate. This will be a special event, and I hope to see everyone there.

Blessings, Obie Sue

A Father's Day Prayer

"Heavenly Father, thank you for all fathers. We give thanks for the guidance, love, and support they provide. We pray for all fathers, especially those who are struggling or who are facing challenges. Grant them strength, wisdom, and patience. May they find joy in their roles as fathers and be blessed with health and happiness. We also ask for forgiveness and healing for any broken relationships, and for peace for those who are grieving. May all fathers be a reflection of your perfect love. Amen"

~Author Unknown~

Update from Antique Car Show

I would like to say a big ***Thank You*** to everyone who attended the benefit car show for ***We Bring the Music.*** I am happy to announce that we raised ***\$2,187.*** ***Mary Beth*** and the rest of the ***WBTM*** team were very appreciative.

It was nice to see the parking lot full of residents, family, staff, cars, music, games, food, fire spinners and so much more. There were lots of smiles, laughter, and a great feeling of love and happiness! Looking forward to our next outdoor event!

National Donut Day

Friday, June 6, is National Donut Day, succeeding the donut event created by The Salvation Army in Chicago in 1938 to honor those of their members who served donuts to soldiers during WWI. Stop by the ***first floor lobby*** at ***2:00*** and grab a donut to go before they are all gone!

Summer Themed Bingo

Monday, June 9, at 6:15 in the ***DePiro room***, join your OLOP friends and neighbors for a evening game of "***Bingo***". In addition to candy we will have a nice variety of summer-themed prizes to choose from.

Watermelon to Go

On ***Monday, June 16, at 2:00 on the front porch***, we will handing out a refreshing summertime favorite.....***Watermelon!*** Grab a cup of this delicious fruit to go or enjoy it with your friends on the porch.

West Virginia Day

June 20th commemorates the state's admission to the Union on this day in 1863. We have several residents and staff that calls West Virginia home. Join us in the 3rd floor lobby on ***Friday, June 20 at 2:00*** as we celebrate this day. Enjoy a homemade "***Pepperoni Roll***", a favorite of ***West Virginians*** and some trivia.

Ice Cream

I scream, you scream, we all scream for Ice Cream. Beat the heat with an ice cream novelty bar treat on ***Monday, June 30, at 2:00*** on the front porch.



Out to Lunch at Cracker Barrel

Cracker Barrel Old Country Store offers warm welcomes and friendly smiles with homestyle food made with care and a unique shopping experience – all at a fair price. Whether you're craving breakfast or lunch specials like juicy Fried Chicken or slow simmered Chicken 'n' Dumplings, there's something for everyone. Join us on ***Tuesday, June 10***, as we travel across the mountain to Waynesboro for lunch at Cracker Barrel. ***Sign up*** at the mailboxes starting ***Tuesday, June 3***. Due to the length of the trip, this outing may not be suitable for all.

~Taken in part from Cracker Barrel's webpage

Out to Lunch at Tavern on the James

Join your OLOP friends and neighbors for a scenic drive to the quaint town of Scottsville and have lunch at one of the locals' favorites: Tavern on the James. This popular restaurant offers a diverse menu of American cuisine. Choose from a variety of sandwiches and other country favorites. Join us for this lunch outing on ***Thursday, June 19***. ***Sign up*** at the mailboxes starting from ***Thursday, June 12***.

Lunch in from Szechuan

We will be ordering lunch in from one of our favorite Chinese restaurants: Szechuan, on ***Tuesday, June 24***. We will provide you with a menu, collect your order and money, and deliver the food to you! We will meet as a group in the DePiro Room at 12:00 noon and enjoy this meal together. We can only accept cash as payment for your food. ***Sign up*** at the mailboxes on ***Tuesday, June 17*** if you would like to partake in the lunch in.

Wine & Cheese Social

In honor of National Cheese Day, on ***Wednesday, June 4, at 2:00***, you are invited to join your OLOP friends and neighbors for a Wine & Cheese Social. Enjoy a glass of wine and a variety of cheeses along with some printed fun facts about cheese. The social will be either on the Front Porch or ***3rd Floor Lobby***.

Evening Happy Hour

Our May evening Happy Hour went so well, we decided to try it again! Join us on ***Wednesday, June 25 at 6:15*** on the Front Porch, weather permitting. If we move indoors, we will instead meet in the 3rd Floor Lobby at the same time. Enjoy a light dessert and fruity sangria!

Happenings in June

Join fellow resident **Bill Porter** for an evening of music and songs on **Wednesday, June 18, at 6:30** in the **Main Lobby**. Bring a friend!

Jodie, Frankie, and Suzanne, will be playing music and songs on **Wednesday, June 25, at 2:00** in the Main Lobby. Join them for music and songs. Song books will be provided and they encourage you to sing along with them.

Do you need help with you cell phone, laptop, or iPad? Volunteer **Elizabeth Waterbury** will be here on **Wednesday, June 11, at 3:30 in the Library**. She is very knowledgeable in teaching and showing you how to use your devices. She is not able to fix them or work on them. Stop by and let her help you.

Volunteer **Fred Schneider** will be on vacation during the month of June. He will be back in July with a somewhat science-fiction based theme called “Visions of the Future.” Fred says, “the movies are not all dark and tech-y”! A number of them are lighthearted, such as **Sleeper, WALL E** and **Downsizing**; several are poignant (*The Adam Project, Her, and Bicentennial Man*); and the rest are sort of what you’d expect: *Arrival, The Matrix, and the Martian*”.

Virginia History with Rick Britton

Come hear historian **Rick Britton** twice in June. On **Monday, June 2, at 2:00**, Rick will present “**Samuel Miller; The Wealthiest Man in Virginia.**” Stern yet generous, kindly yet immoral, Albemarle-born multi-millionaire Samuel Miller lived a fascinating life. The founder of the Miller School near Crozet, he lived in modest surroundings despite his immense fortune. Why?

On **Monday, June 16, at 2:00**, Rick will talk about “**Virginians in the American Revolution.**” As we begin the 250th anniversary of the conflict that initiated our nation, it’s important to understand the invaluable role played by the Old Dominion’s talented and brave offspring. Join Rick in the DePiro for both talks. Invite a friend.

New Game: Sequence

Join Cameron on **Tuesday, June 10, at 10:00** in the **Lounge** for a new game Sequence. In this competitive card game, players race to complete a “sequence” of 5 cards in a row while blocking their opponents.

