

September 2021



# Newsletter



## *Grandparents Day: September 12*

### **Grandparents are extraordinary people!**

They have lived many years, and have stories to tell that could expand our horizons. They have seen the world change in many ways. The next time you have a free afternoon ask if they have any “words of wisdom” for you. You’ll be amazed how much practical life advice comes from grandparents.

Make an effort to go out of your way this Grandparents Day and get to know each other via in-person visit, text message, video chat or social media! But don’t forget everyone loves to get mail, so get creative and write a letter or create your very own card craft to brighten their day. **You’ll never regret the time and effort you put into spending quality time with your grandparents.**

## *A Letter from the Administrator*



September is a favorite month in Wayne County! It’s time for the Wayne County fair! The fair is full of fantastic foods and

highlights the agricultural depth of our county. It also means we start to think about the changes soon to come with the weather as we enjoy those last few days of summer and head into autumn.

As a reminder we have added a new feature for payment drop off that should be utilized after hours and on the weekends. There is a locked drop box located in the nursing facility in the reception area by the Business Office. In the assisted living the box is located on the Acorn unit between the activity room and the beauty shop. We ask that all payments be placed in an envelope with

identifying name and room number. Please do not place any loose cash in those boxes. Those boxes are only emptied by an authorized staff member. Those staff are myself, Alyssa Thacker the Receptionist/RFMS Manager, and the new Business Office Manager, Samantha

Just want to share a few additions to the team, Samantha joins us as Business Office Manager – she will be the go-to for billing questions. Renee Franks takes over the role of Housekeeping/Laundry Supervisor. As with the other managers these ladies have oversight for both the assisted Living and the nursing facility.

As always, we will continue to update you on the status of visitation and what PPE is required to be worn upon your visit. We appreciate cooperation from all.

*– Carrie Horst, LNHA*



## August Skilled Nursing Resident of the Month: Ron F.

*When is your birthday?* November 4

*Where were you born?* Painesville, OH

*What was your father's name?* Robert

*What did he do?* Truck driver

*What was your mother's name?*  
Margaret

*What did she do?* Homemaker

*Do you have brothers or sisters?*

6 brothers and 1 sister

*Are you the oldest or youngest?*

2nd oldest

*Are you married?* Yes, to Becky

*How long?* 46 years

*How did you meet?* She worked for me

*Do you have children?* Yes

*How many?* 3 and I have 9 grandchildren, 4 great-grandchildren and 2 on the way.

*What did you used to do for fun?*  
Pinball machines

*What kind of job did you do?*  
Truck driver

*Is there something someone would be surprised to know about you?* I had never flown on an airplane until our 25th anniversary. We were in Hawaii when 9/11 happened. It was a little scary to fly back home.

*What do you enjoy doing now?*  
Walking

*What advice would you like to share with today's youth?* Don't ever go to bed angry.

### Residents

Sept. 4	Patrick H
Sept. 5	Edith F
Sept. 5	Nettie Y
Sept. 16	Jennifer O
Sept. 19	Carol H
Sept. 20	Betty M
Sept. 21	Judy S
Sept. 25	Jack K

### Staff

Sept. 3	Shannon P
Sept. 6	Amanda B
Sept. 11	Juanita P
Sept. 19	Christina S
Sept. 20	Patricia A

### Staff Anniversaries

Sept. 4	Jane D
Sept. 5	Rochie C
Sept. 8	Alicia S
Sept. 10	Karen S
Sept. 11	Michael K
Sept. 12	Laura P
Sept. 12	Makayla W
Sept. 26	Juanita P

## August Assisted Living Resident of the Month: Bob S.

*When is your birthday?* July 13

*Where were you born?* Navarre, OH

*What was your father's name?*  
Robert

*What did he do?* Parents owned a family bar in Navarre

*What was your mother's name?*  
Dorothy

*What did she do?* Parents owned a family bar in Navarre

*Do you have brothers or sisters?*  
3 boys and 3 girls

*Are you the oldest or youngest?*  
Middle

*Where did you graduate from?*  
Fairless High School

*Do you have children?* Yes

*How many?* 2 boys and 2 girls

*What did you used to do for fun?*  
Played drums in a band

*What kind of job did you do?*  
Truck driver

*Is there something someone would be surprised to know about you?* I am a Vietnam veteran of on the ground combat

*What do you enjoy doing now?*  
Playing cards

*What advice would you like to share with today's youth?* Do unto others as you want them to do unto you

## September Skilled Nursing Resident of the Month: Becky F.

*When is your birthday?* May 28th  
*Where were you born?* Barberton City Hospital  
*What was your father's name?* Robert  
*What did he do?* Master Electrician  
*What was your mother's name?* Jane  
*What did she do?* Nurse  
*Do you have brothers or sisters?* 3 sisters and 2 brothers  
*Are you the oldest or youngest?* In the middle  
*Where did you graduate from?* Smithville  
*Are you married?* Yes  
*How long?* 46 years

*How did you meet?* At work  
*Do you have children?* Yes  
*How many?* 3 ( 2 girls and 1 boy)  
*What did you used to do for fun?* Camping  
*What kind of job did you do?* Retail  
*Is there something someone would be surprised to know about you?* We met Paul Lynde at a hotel and he let our children play with his poodle.  
*What do you enjoy doing now?* Playing casino games on my tablet  
*What advice would you like to share with today's youth?* Stop all this racism, go to work and be responsible

## September Assisted Living Resident of the Month: Sandra A.

*When is your birthday?* May 6  
*Where were you born?* Wooster  
*What was your father's name?* Kenneth  
*What did he do?* Machinist  
*What was your mother's name?* Ruth  
*What did she do?* Nurse at Wooster Community Hospital  
*Do you have brothers or sisters?* Stepbrother & stepsister  
*Where did you graduate?* Wooster  
*Are you married?* I was  
*How long?* 20 years  
*How did you meet?* School

*Do you have children?* Yes  
*How many?* 2 Girls 1 Boy  
*What did you used to do for fun?* Go Dancing  
*What kind of job did you do?* Hostess at Ramada Inn  
*Is there something someone would be surprised to know about you?* I like to flirt  
*What do you enjoy doing now?* Flirting, cards, bingo, jigsaw puzzles and reading.  
*What advice would you like to share with today's youth?* Be grateful for what you have. Count your blessings

## A National Day of Service and Remembrance

Saturday, September 11, 2021 marks the 20th anniversary of the World Trade Center terrorist attacks in New York City. Also, known as Patriot Day, it is a tribute to nearly 3,000 lives lost or injured, as well as an opportunity to honor first responders and defenders of our nation's freedom.

An annual ceremony takes place at Ground Zero where the World Trade Center was rebuilt; now the tallest building in the Western hemisphere, with the largest man-made waterfall and two sunken pools, the footprints of the original Twin Towers. The commemoration includes a reading of names and six minutes of silence: two minutes for the moments each tower was hit, two minutes when each fell, one minute for the Pentagon crash and one minute for the crash of flight 93. The commemoration recognizes the hope, resilience and unity of the United States.





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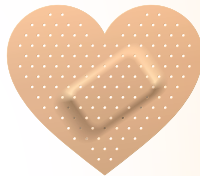
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## Sepsis Awareness Month

Sepsis happens when an infection you already have—in your skin, lungs, urinary tract, or somewhere else—triggers a chain reaction throughout your body. Most sepsis is caused by bacterial infections, but it can be a complication of other infections, including viral infections, such as COVID-19 or influenza. Anyone can get an infection, and almost any infection can lead to sepsis. Some people are at higher risk.

Know the signs and symptoms of sepsis may include:

- High heart rate or low blood pressure
- Fever, shivering, or feeling very cold
- Confusion or disorientation
- Shortness of breath
- Extreme pain or discomfort
- Clammy or sweaty skin



Sepsis is a medical emergency. If you or your loved one has an infection that's not getting better or is getting worse, act fast! Get medical care immediately either in-person, or at minimum, through telehealth services, if available. Ask your healthcare professional, "Could this infection be leading to sepsis?" and if you should go to the emergency room for medical assessment. *Source: cdc.gov*



## September – Word Search

Find and circle the 15 words listed below. Find words straight across, up and down, and diagonally. All words are forwards reading only. No backwards. Good luck!

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R	H	E	L	P	F	U	L	R	C	G	X	I	J	P
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