



A RETIREMENT COMMUNITY

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Information

JUNE 2017

Butterfly Bylines

Springwood Retirement Community



My Dad's Hands

David Kettler

Bedtime came; we were settling down,
I was holding one of my lads.
As I grasped him so tight, I saw a strange sight:
My hands . . . they looked like my dad's!
I remember them well, those old gnarled hooks,
there was always a cracked nail or two.
And thanks to a hammer that strayed from its
mark,
his thumb was a beautiful blue!
They were rough, I remember, incredibly tough,
as strong as a carpenter's vice.
But holding a scared little boy at night,
they seemed to me awfully nice!
The sight of those hands - how impressive it was
in the eyes of his little boy.
Other dads' hands were cleaner, it seemed
(the effects of their office employ).
I gave little thought in my formative years
of the reason for Dad's raspy mitts:
The love in the toil, the dirt and the oil,
rusty plumbing that gave those hands fits!
Thinking back, misty-eyed, and thinking ahead,
when one day my time is done.
The torch of love in my own wrinkled hands
will pass on to the hands of my son.
I don't mind the bruises, the scars here and there
or the hammer that just seemed to slip.
I want most of all when my son takes my hand,
to feel that love lies in the grip.

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Birthday Party

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Black Hawk Trip

Joe's Crab Shack

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Leanin' Tree Museum

Of Western Art and Greeting

Card Tour

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"Dogs & Dads"

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Smokin' Yards BBQ

Georgetown Shops

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Rockies vs. Diamondbacks

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Red Hats & Friends

Black-eyed Pea

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Friday Afternoon Live!

Happy Hour

Springwood Van Transportation

Van transportation is available by appointment only.

(New extended hours for Tuesday)

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday

9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

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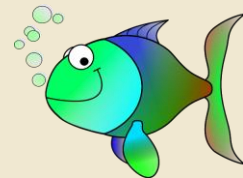
1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Outing Reminders

Please sign up for all outings at the front desk. Please pay for outings with fees other than bus fees, at the time of sign up.

West Cottage residents will be picked up at their driveway. East Cottage residents will be picked up streetside of the cul-de-sac or at the Fountains. Please turn in transportation request forms to the front desk at least 24 hours prior to your scheduled appointment time.

The Big Fish Employee of the Month



**Congratulations to the "Big Fish,"
Of the month, Char Valdez! Char
works in the Companion Plus
department.**

**Thank you Char for your outstanding
service.**

**Thank you to our residents for your
ongoing support. Your votes do
make a difference**

June Birthdays



Resident Birthdays

Warren Roeske 1
Ann Jumper 1
Louis Seybold 6
Frank Giardino 6
Beverly Chasteen 7
Dennis Anderson 8
Blanche Miller 8
Emily Addison 11
Donna Bogard 15
Rose Kinard 16
Ora June Chapman 17
Carol Oshima 18
Irene Osuga 19
Leo Litt 22
Marion Rogers 22
Claudine Browning 21
Marion Rex 23
James Skaggs 24
Kathleen Camacho 26
Norman Wade 29
Dorothy Peter 30

Resident Anniversaries

Joe & Doris Grimsley 3
Chuck & Donna Bogard 5
Joe & June Davey 6
Al & Pat Pence 9
Frank & Ann Barnard 23

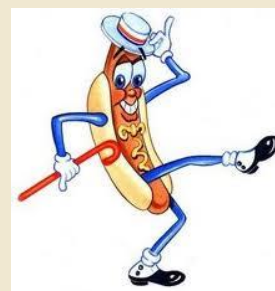
Dogs & Dads

Celebrate Father's Day!

Friday, June 16, 2017

2:00 p.m.

Activity Room



Enjoy a hotdog with the fellas!

Employee Birthdays

June Wells 11
Shari Lareau 20
Jeri Burnham 27

Employee Anniversaries

Fernando Zazuetaazarain 5
Chris Carpio 5
Carrie Crosby 3
Devin Coombe 1
Jane Pohlmann 1
Stephanie Champlin-Wagner 1
Jacob Knott 1



A diplomat is a man who always remembers a woman's birthday but never remembers her age.

Robert Frost



2-3 Lion: In this affecting true story, 5-year-old Saroo is adopted by an Australian couple after losing his way in the urban jungle of Kolkata.

More than two decades later, new mapping technology prompts Saroo to search for his lost family in India.

9-10 Wild Oats: Eva (Shirley MacLaine), a widow and retired history teacher, enjoys a quiet life. Everything changes when she receives a life insurance check accidentally made out for \$5,000,000 instead of the expected \$50,000. At the not-so-gentle urging her best friend Maddie (Jessica Lange), Eva deposits the money and the two friends head to the Canary Islands with every intention of living it up. But their fantasy is short-lived when they discover that they have become media sensations overnight.

Fugitives from justice, the two are forced to outwit a trio of con men, led by the local Wine "warlord", Carlos (Santiago Segura), outmaneuver a dogged life insurance agent Vespucci.

16-17 Magnificent Seven: In this remake of the rousing 1960 Western, a motley group of gunslingers comes together to protect the residents of a mining town, who are being terrorized and victimized by a ruthless gold tycoon and his gang of thugs.

23-24 Denial: In the 1990s, well-known Holocaust denier David Irving sued historian Deborah Lipstadt -- issuing a complaint under British law requiring the American academic to prove that the greatest atrocity of World War II actually took place.

30-1 Arrival: Confronted by a mass landing of alien vessels around the globe, military leaders seek the help of brilliant linguist Louise Banks in an effort to communicate with the extraterrestrials and determine their intentions.

Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat

Thursday, July 20, 2017

Tickets are \$49.00 - Center Seating
Bus Departs at 5:00 p.m.

Please pay for tickets at the front desk
Deadline to purchase tickets July 1, 2017

One of the most enduring shows of all time, *Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat* is the irresistible family musical about the trials and triumphs of Joseph, Israel's favorite son. The first collaboration of composer Andrew Lloyd Webber (*Jesus Christ Superstar*, *Phantom of the Opera*, *Cats*) and lyricist Tim Rice (*Jesus Christ Superstar*, *The Lion King*), *Joseph* blends pop, country, and rock into an uplifting story of biblical proportions! Retelling the parable of Joseph, his eleven brothers and the coat of many colors, this magical musical is full of unforgettable songs including *Those Canaan Days*, *Any Dream Will Do* and *Close Every Door*.

Wednesday Classic Movies

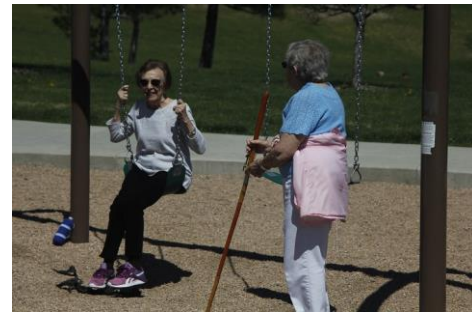
7 Mr. Blandings Builds His Dream House: Sophisticated New Yorkers Jim and Muriel Blandings (Cary Grant and Myrna Loy) leave their jaded city life for a dreamy getaway in rural Connecticut. But when their first house isn't to their liking, the Blandings start over from scratch -- with disastrous results. As local tradesmen increase their work rates and try to cash in on the recent transplants, Grant's advertising executive job may be on the line if he can't think of a slogan to sell ham.

21 From Here to Eternity: This gripping adaptation of James Jones's novel about Army life in Hawaii in the idyllic days just before Dec. 7, 1941, follows the stories of three soldiers and the women who love them.

May Memories



The Walk Club at Westwoods Park



Gloria Angevine & Electa Cameron



The Kellys



Hank Peterson



Carol Oshima



John Hotchkiss



The Zeitlows



Warren Roeske & The Bogards



Pat Pence, Dorothy Wissler, Hazel Carr, Ora June Chapman, Eunice Fox, Marlene Teague, Harriet Sanders, Elaine McGann, Vivan Vance



Meredith Kelly, Dorothy Loder, Gloria Angevine, Mary Giardino Doris Grimsley, Mother's Tea



Mads Anderson, Electa Cameron, Flo Ruff Hank Peterson

Vintage Baseball Game

The Westminster Historical Society presents the annual Vintage Baseball Game and Ice Cream Social, Saturday, July 5, at Wolff Run south fields. Watch the Central City Stars compete against the Westminster Lightning Bolts as they play 1870 rules in 1870 uniforms. Hot dogs, brats and other refreshments will be available for purchase. Come enjoy this free family event. Be sure to sign-up! The Springwood bus will depart at 9:00 a.m.

Thrive Now!

Thursday, June 29, 2017

10:00 a.m.

Activity Room

We ALL change as we age. This is a fact of life. The only question is, "how vibrant and healthy are you going to be as you age"? You will love this funny and informative conversation with nationally recognized consumer advocate, author and speaker, George Bentley, JD. Discover the 5 Secrets to living a vibrant and healthy life to age 100 and beyond. As the "pro-aging" expert, George will guide you through exactly how to assess where you (or an aging loved one) are, how to avoid the pitfalls that increase the risk of pain and suffering as we age, and an outline of a sustainable strategy that you can begin implementing today!

Active Minds Presentations



Turbulent Waters: Conflict in the South China Sea

Wednesday, June 14, 6:30 p.m. – Activity Room

The South China Sea is an incredibly strategic body of water located between China, Vietnam, Malaysia, Indonesia and the Philippines. At stake is one of the busiest trade routes in the world

Buddhism

Wednesday, June 28, 6:30 p.m. – Activity Room

Buddhism is the sixth largest religion in the world with estimates of over 350 million followers. Join Active Minds for an examination of its origins, teachings and practices. We will discuss the teachings of Siddhartha Gautama (Buddha) and discuss the various types of Buddhism, Tibetan Buddhism, and others.