

JUNE 2017

Cloverleaf Connection

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Celebrating June

National Safety Month

Camping Month

National Rose Month

National Doughnut Day

June 2

Fishing Trip

June 8

**National Cancer Survivors
Day**

June 4

Flag Day

June 14

Father's Day Lunch

June 16

Firework's Show

June 30



We are sad to announce that our Director of Nursing Mara Whitman is leaving to fulfill her role as a mother and stay at home with her family. Although we are sad to see her leave Pam Nodley, RN formerly our ADON will be stepping up to the DON position.

Pam is a Registered Nurse and Certified in wound management. She has been married for 32 years to her high school sweetheart, Troy, and together they have 2 sons and 3 grandchildren.

After raising their boys, Pam's dream to become a nurse became reality in 2010 when she returned to college at the age of 44. She graduated, as the oldest in her class, with an Associate Degree in Nursing December 2013. She joined the Cloverleaf team in February 2014. She worked at Terre Haute Regional Hospital in Cardiac observation in the beginning of her nursing career but long term care and Cloverleaf was where her heart was.

We are excited to announce her acceptance of the Director of Nursing position.

Nursing Home Week 2017 was a SUCCESS



Employee of the Month

Our June Employee of the month is our Certified Dietary Manager, Janet Weis. Janet has worked for Cloverleaf for 29 years. In those 29 years most time was spent as CDM. Although some of that time was spent in the business and HR office. When nobody else knows the answer, Janet usually does. She gives her all to Cloverleaf. Janet never ceases to amaze us with her creativity and patience to make the most amazing meals and desserts. The butterflies on top of the cupcakes we served for our Mothers Day Luncheon was her most recent specialty. Janet puts forth so much effort to create home like meals for our Residents. Janet says it brings joy to her heart knowing she can help our Residents enjoy meals and events with their loved ones.



Janet's Recipe Corner Frozen Cheesecake Bites

12 oz. semi-sweet chocolate chips
1 tbsp coconut oil
8 oz cream cheese, softened
2 tbsp sour cream
1/3 c powdered sugar
1 tbsp raspberry liqueur
Pinch of kosher salt
12 raspberries

Directions

- 1.) In a medium bowl, microwave the chocolate chips and coconut oil until just melted
- 2.) Pour about a tsp of the melted chocolate into each ice cube mold. Use your fingers or a spoon to cover the sides of the mold completely. Freeze until solid, about 10 minutes
- 3.) In a medium bowl, combine cream cheese and sour cream and beat with a hand mixer until smooth. Add powdered sugar, raspberry liqueur and salt and stir until fluffy
- 4.) Fill each ice cube mold halfway with the cream cheese, then press a raspberry into the center of the mixture. Fill the rest of the mold with the cream cheese mixture, then top with melted chocolate

Old Maid to Order



It began as a prank on June 4, 1948, when Marion Richards secretly distributed greeting cards and bouquets to all the unmarried women age 30 and over at her workplace.

When her colleagues asked her what was going on, she told them it was Old Maid's Day. That same night, married women and younger women threw Richards and her "old maid" friends a surprise party. Richards was declared the holiday's founder, and Dora McCracken was elected secretary and historian. It did not take long before Old Maid's Day was being celebrated in communities across the country. June may be the month of weddings, white lace, and bouquets, but Old Maid's Day celebrates the single woman with a holiday of her own.

Customer Service Superstar

Our Customer Service Superstar for the month of June is Stephanie Hayes, Activity Director.



Stephanie Hayes has been nominated for Customer Service Superstar for Month of June 2017. Stephanie has been our Activities Director for 5 years. However, Stephanie began her journey with us here at Cloverleaf as a CNA and aspired to be our Activities Director, and so her journey really begins there.

When speaking with Stephanie about what inspired her to become our Activity Director, she had this to say. "As a young child, I spent a lot of time with my grandparents and immediately I was drawn to the senior population." "Activities are a very important role in long term care and providing our elderly population with things to do is important to me. "Just because our loved ones go to live in a nursing home doesn't mean their lives and the things that they love to do should stop or be over." Even though Stephanie has always loved WHERE she works, this new opportunity opened her eyes to what she calls, "MY TRUE CALLING."

Every single day, every single month, big things happen here at Cloverleaf and it's impossible to list the big things that happen here every day and I'm going to try. One thing is for sure, all of these things happen because of Stephanie Hayes. Stephanie thank you for all that you do.

June Birthdays

In astrology, those born between June 1–20 are Twins of Gemini. Twins have two distinct and alluring sides to their personality: sociable and ready for fun, or serious and thoughtful. Sometimes they feel as if one half is missing, so they forever seek new friends. Those born between June 21–30 are Cancer's Crabs. Kind and protective, Crabs love to nurture others. While they may be emotional, they are never soft. Cancers are tenacious in their pursuit of harmony at home and in the workplace.

Taylor Bradbury	June 28 th
Pam Buck	June 27 th
Sydney Buell	June 2 nd
Eddie Burris	June 29 th
Eugenna Canada	June 28 th
Emily Carta	June 15 th
Abigail Conrad	June 1 st
Todd Garvin	June 30 th
Kelly Harris	June 19 th
Taylor Hess	June 2 nd
Carleigh Shrader	June 26 th
Katie Whittington	June 22 nd

Mountain-Sized Measurements

Mount Everest gets all the press as the world's tallest mountain, but Mount Chimborazo in the Andes in Ecuador may be larger, depending on your perspective. We



should all be open to this possibility on June 3, Chimborazo Day. Measured from sea level, the height of Mount Everest is 29,029 feet, while Mount Chimborazo is 20,549 feet. However, when measured from the center of Earth, Chimborazo is actually farther away. How can this be? Earth is not perfectly round; our planet bulges at the equator. Since Chimborazo lies near the equator on this bulge, it is 3,967.1 miles from the center of Earth. Everest, which does not sit near the equator, is 3,965.8 miles from Earth's center, a little over a mile shorter by distance. Which mountain is bigger? You decide.