

MAY 2018

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SPRING WAS DEFINITELY IN THE AIR!

Our residents really SPRANG into action at our Easter party last month. They all proudly donned bunny ears, played Easter games, shared their plans for Easter Sunday, and enjoyed plenty of chocolate and other treats to eat. As you can see in the pictures below, everyone at the event enjoyed being a funny-bunny!



RESIDENT OF THE MONTH



MS. MARY
PERRY

INSPIRATIONAL QUOTE OF THE MONTH

“Do something wonderful,
people may imitate it.”
- Albert Schweitzer

Happy Birthday!

Residents:

Vernice T.	5/7
Roselyn R.	5/11
Lula C.	5/19
Deneige W.	5/21
Wanda S.	5/23

Employees:

Clovis T.	5/1
Shelbie B.	5/5
Ursula H.	5/5
Elizabeth L.	5/11
Claudia M.	5/16
Brenda L.	5/18
Amy J.	5/24
Miranda E.	5/26
Angela B.	5/29
Stephanie B.	5/30

GOT VITAMIN C?

Recently, Rose and Joann made their way around the halls of Southwind offering residents freshly cut oranges. Most people happily accepted their offer with a big, juicy YES! Sometimes it's the simple things in life, like a freshly sliced orange, that can make all the difference in someone's day!



RESIDENT SPOTLIGHT: MS. ELLA DOUHON

If you would like to meet SWHR's #1 baseball fan, you would have to find Ms. Ella Duhon. She absolutely, positively loves baseball at any level. These days, she mostly watches college and major league games on television, but before she made the move to Southwind, you could find her enjoying her three sons playing ball from the time they entered T-Ball all the way through high school. Ms. Ella would keep the stats for all their games, as well as cheer them on. She feels fortunate to have a grandson and a niece playing ball at the college level.

Ms. Ella was born to Ada and Ellis Abshire and grew up in the Leleaux area. She grew up with one brother, Francis, and one sister, Joyce. Her dad provided for the family by growing rice on his own farm. Her mother did not work outside of the home but always had hot meals and a clean house waiting for her husband and three children. Later on, Ms. Ella married the love of her life, Mr. Paul Duhon, who she met at a dance in Lyons Point. They were married for well over fifty years and raised three awesome, energetic boys. Although Mr. Paul is no longer with us, he was always quite the gentleman. He joined the Air Force when he was a young man and served during the Korean War. He later provided for his family as a bookkeeper for Acadia Lumber Company for almost forty years. Ms. Duhon also worked outside the home for thirty-six years. She was employed by Acadia Parish School Board as a secretary for more than one of the elementary campuses in Crowley. She loved her job and still speaks about it to this day. In addition to their three sons and daughters-in-law, they were blessed with numerous grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Ms. Ella's very favorite thing to do at Southwind is spend time with her loved ones. She is also very active in our Rosary Club, loves to participate in any type of game offered, and will take on any kind of arts and crafts project being offered through the activity center. Another one of her pleasures is helping anyone at the table where she is seated with any ongoing activities. She welcomes a variety of Cajun food that our wonderful staff prepares such as gumbo, fried fish, boiled crawfish, and shrimp etouffee.

We thank you, Ms. Ella Duhon, for choosing Southwind as your home for the past ten years. We feel very blessed to have you here!



PICTURED ABOVE:
MS. ELLA DOUHON

April Employee of the Month

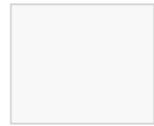


Redessa L.

Redessa is our Employee of the Month for many reasons. She is kind, compassionate, hard-working, and always willing to help anyone. On her time off, she enjoys spending time with her daughters, being outside, and traveling. Thank you so much for all of your hard work Redessa!



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Reminders:

- PLEASE LABEL YOUR LOVED ONE'S CLOTHING AND ITEMS, EVEN IF YOU DO THEIR LAUNDRY.
 - BRING PLASTIC BAGS OR SEALED CONTAINERS FOR FOOD STORAGE .
 - HELP KEEP YOUR LOVED ONE'S CLOSET NEAT BY CLEANING IT OUT SEASONALLY.
 - PLEASE DO NOT DISPLAY ITEMS ON LIGHTS.
- OUR LOST AND FOUND ITEMS ARE LOCATED IN THE LAUNDRY DEPARTMENT (PERIODICALLY DISPLAYED IN THE BEAUTY SHOP).

OUR MISSION

OUR MISSION IS TO ENABLE OUR RESIDENTS TO LIVE LIFE TO ITS FULLEST, REGARDLESS OF AGE OR HEALTH, WITH COMPASSION, UNDERSTANDING, RESPECT, DIGNITY, AND CARING SUPPORT.