## Social Hour!

Come and join us during Social Hours.


## Gardens Around the Globe

With blooming flowers and budding trees, a garden in springtime is an inviting place to enjoy nature's splendor. Take a virtual stroll through some of the world's grandest gardens Keukenhof - Called the "garden of Europe," this park in the town of Lisse, in the western Netherlands, is famous for its brilliant
display of Dutch tulips, along with daffodils, crocuses, hyacinths and bluebells. More than


7 million bulbs are planted each year for the
burst of color that unfolds from March through May
Nong Nooch Tropical Botanical Garden - The coastal city of Pattaya, Thailand, is home to 600 acres that showcase and conserve hundreds of native plants.
Villa d'Este - The enchanted terraced gardens of this Renaissance-style estate in Tivoli, Italy, date back to the 16th century and are known for their elaborate water features, including waterfalls, fish ponds, and over 50 fountains, one of which plays organ music.

## The Story of the School Nurse

In communities across the country, school nurses offer care to students of all ages, safeguarding their health and education The history of this vital nursing specialty begins at the turn of the 20th century. Due to its growing population, New York City's public schools battled a rise in contagious infections among students. Despite hiring doctors
 to provide health screenings, the rates of illnesses and absences remained high until a woman named Lillian Wald stepped in
A nurse who worked in low-income neighborhoods, Wald saw the need for children to receive basic health care at school. In 1902, she persuaded officials to hire the first public school nurse in America, Lina Rogers. In her first month on the job working at four schools, Rogers treated nearly 900 students and made over 100 home visits. Soon after, 27 more school nurses were hired, and within six months, health-related absenteeism dropped by a whopping $90 \%$.
By the 'w20s, school nurses were working throughout the nation, treating minor conditions, providing first aid, and educating children and their families about preventive health care.


## Dear Residents, Families and Friends

At Lewisville Estates, we strive to keep you active and healthy. Please join one of the scheduled exercise classes we have for you: Exercise and Blood Pressure Checks with The Yellow Rose, Balance Class with Legacy, Chair Exercise with Sarah and our walking warriors. We have many fun and exciting events this month: Let's Taco Bout It Cinco De Mayo Happy Hour, Mother's Day Happy Hour, Mimosa Social Hour and National Pizza Party Day. Please check the calendar or see Sarah for more details.
Happy May,
Erin Montgomery,
Executive Director

## Stay Active as You Age

Moving your body and staying active is the focus of National Senior Health and Fitness Day, the last Wednesday in May. Find inspiration in this year's theme and learn why "Life Is Better in Motion."
Helps prevent illness - High blood pressure, poor circulation, and high cholesterol are linked to conditions such as heart disease, stroke and Type 2 diabetes. These health risk factors can be reduced with regular exercise. Boosts energy - The more you move, the more energy you'll have, helping you carry out everyday physical activities with less fatigue. Lifts mood - Would you like to feel happier and more relaxed? The endorphins released during exercise can provide emotional perks. Taking
 part in physical activity can also improve confidence and self-esteem
Improves sleep - A regular fitness routine can help you fall asleep more quickly, sleep more soundly and get better quality rest. Just avoid working out close to bedtime, since the energy boost may keep you awake.
Reduces fall risk - Exercise strengthens muscles and bones, increases flexibility, and improves balance - all benefits that are key to preventing falls and broken bones.


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## Locations

Activity Room, AR
AL Courtyard, ALC
AL Parking Lot, ALPL Bistro, B
Dining Room, DR Library, LL Lobby, L Outing, O Spa, Spa

## Birthdays

Patricia Kixmiller, 3rd
Hope Dugan, 4th Valree Wynn, 9th Sybil Lidster, 22nd Monte Melugin, 26th Jim Hawes, 30th

## Transportation

## Schedule

Monday, 10 a.m Grocery Stores fuesday, 10 a.m. Walmart
Wednesday, 10 a.m
Post Office/Bank
Thursday, 10 a.m.
Walmart
Friday, TBA Field Trips/Outing


