Talking Turkey (Continued)

- While domestic turkeys are typically white, the brown and tan colors of wild turkeys help them blend into the surroundings of their woodland homes, where they sleep atop tree branches.
- Turkeys are native to North America, but in the early 20th century, the bird was on the verge of extinction. Reintroduction programs started in the 1940s, and today, wild turkeys can be found throughout the U.S.

How Friends Keep Us Happy and Healthy

Friends laugh with us when things are good and give us support when we are down. They accept us as we are and want only our friendship in return. Besides the warmth and camaraderie that these special relationships provide, research shows they benefit our health, too.

The link between friendship and mental well-being is clear. Friends help reduce stress by offering a listening ear during challenging times. Spending time with a friend, especially when having fun such as





playing a game or watching a movie, can provide a welcome distraction from negative thoughts and worries.

Friends can provide the motivation and support we may need to improve ourselves and our health by breaking bad habits and embracing good ones. They also give us a sense of belonging and acceptance, which can boost happiness and increase our self-worth—a natural antidote for depression and loneliness.

Additionally, studies have found that people in strong friendships have lower blood pressure, heart rate and cholesterol, lowering the risk of disease.

Safety Tips for Shopping Online

'Tis the season for buying gifts and giving back to charities, which can both be conveniently done online. Keep your finances safe by following a few safety tips. In general, stick to companies, brands and organizations you are familiar with. If an online store has a physical address and a phone number, even better!

If you get an email or see an ad promising deep discounts, use caution. If a deal seems too good to be true, it probably is. Instead of clicking an email link or an ad on a website, open a new tab or window to research the brand in question.

Customer reviews are a valuable resource. Browse through the feedback of products you're shopping for, and take note of how many ratings and reviews an item has.

When you are ready to make a purchase, first make sure that the website is secure. Look at the URL at the top of the page and confirm that it has "https"

or a lock symbol before the web address. If possible, pay with a credit card, which typically offers more fraud protection than a debit card.

Folks who are tech-savvy are usually happy to share their expertise. Ask a trusted friend or relative for advice if you get stuck or have concerns about an online experience.











Dear Residents, Families and Friends

I am so excited to be welcoming in autumn and cooler temperatures! It's one of my favorite times of the year; colorful leaves, Thanksgiving, family and cool weather. It has been a great month! We are showing great strides and looking forward to what the future holds. We have been granted full visitation in both Independent and Assisted Living. I know everyone here is ready to recognize normalcy again. We appreciate you following our community's infection control measures to help keep everyone safe.

I hope everyone enjoyed the Halloween Main Event including costumes, cocktails, and live music. In November, we have many festivities, Thanksgiving dinners and more!

> Happy November! Jennifer True **Executive Director**



Talking Turkey

This time of year, the turkey takes center stage as both a seasonal symbol and the main course of holiday dinners. How much do you know about this popular bird?

- Male turkeys are called "toms" or "gobblers," females "hens" and their chicks "poults."
- Females make small clucking and chirping sounds; only males do the gobbling the birds are known for. The gobble can be heard up to a mile away.
- The weight of a domestic turkey is about twice that of its wild cousin. Most domestic turkeys are so heavy they can't fly, but wild turkeys can soar up to 55 mph.
- An adult turkey has between 5,000 and 6,000 feathers. Like peacocks, the males use their fancy tail feathers to attract mates. (Continued on back.)







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NOVEMBER 2021

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

John Simien, 7th Nelson Trent, 23rd

Transportation Schedule

Monday, 10 a.m. Grocery Stores

Tuesday, 10 a.m. Walmart

Wednesday, 10 a.m. Post Office/Bank

Thursday, 10 a.m. Walmart

Friday, TBAField Trips/Outing

WEDNESDAY THURSDAY SUNDAY MONDAY TUESDAY FRIDAY SATURDAY 1 ELECTION DAY 2 5 **National Jersey Day** 9:30 Grocery Orders 10:00 Catholic Communion 10:00 Exercise w/Legacy, L 10:00 Chair Exercise, L **Fall Door Decoration** 10:00 Chair Zumba, L 10:00 Exercise Class 10:30 "The Prize Is Right" 10:00 Exercise w/ 10:30 1:1 Session w/Patty **Contest Begins** w/Elise, L 10:00 Walmart and Snack Social, L Jacque, L 11:30 Out to Cracker 10:30 Word of the Day 10:00 Chair Yoga, L Shopping, O 1:30 Bible Study w/ 10:45 Fancy Nails, AR Barrel, O the Yellow Rose 10:30 Puzzle Mania, AR 10:45 Fancy Nails, AR 2:00 Saturday Fun 2:00 Fun Bingo 1:30 Wonder Word Hospice, L 2:00 Snack Cart Social 2:00 Crafting w/ Activity, L Afternoon, DR Search, AR 3:00 Fun Afternoon Game, L 3:15 Saturday Movie 3:00 Mexican Train, AR Patty, AR 3:30 Word of the Day, L 2:00 Jersey Friday 3:30 Bean Bag Toss, L and Popcorn 4:00 Outdoor Walking 4:00 Giant Crossword 3:30 Bean Bag Toss, L Social Hour, L 4:00 Adult Coloring Club, AR Puzzle, L 4:00 Puzzle Mania, AR 4:00 Name Your Game!, AR 10 VETERANS DAY 13 DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME ENDS 9 10:00 Chair Yoga, L 11 10:00 Exercise w/ 10:00 Chair Exercise, L ¹² 9:45 Blood Pressure 7:30 In Search of the 9:30 Grocery Orders Legacy, L 10:30 Veterans' 10:30 1:1 Session w/Patty Clinic w/the Yellow 10:00 Exercise Class Lord's Way (Kdfid 10:00 Chair Zumba, L Luncheon, O 10:30 "The Prize Is Right" 1:30 Wonder Word Rose Hospice, L w/Elise, L Channel 7), L 10:00 Walmart and Snack Social, L 10:45 Name That Tune, AR Search, AR 10:45 Roll the Dice, L 10:30 Word of the Day 8:30 New Covenant Shopping, O 1:30 Bible Study w/ 1:30 General Store, L 2:00 Family Memories 2:00 Fun Bingo 2:00 Saturday Fun Baptist Church, L 10:45 Balloon Volleyball, L the Yellow Rose 2:00 Town Hall Social Hour, L Afternoon, DR Activity, L 12:00 Cowbovs Vs Hospice, L 3:30 Giving Thanks Meeting, L 3:30 Men's Workshop, 3:30 Scrapbooking 3:15 Saturday Movie Denver (FOX), L (Main Event), L 3:00 Pumpkin Toss, L 3:00 Uno Game, AR AR Club, AR and Snack, L 2:00 Chicken Foot, AR 4:00 Wonder Word 4:00 Puzzle Mania 4:30 Wonder Word 4:00 Name Your 4:15 Trivia, L Cinema Sundays, L Search, AR Social, LL Search, L Game!, AR 20 15 16 7:30 In Search of the 14 10:00 Catholic 9:30 Grocery Orders 10:00 Chair Exercise, L Communion 10:00 Exercise w/Legacy, L Lord's Way (Kdfid 10:00 Chair Zumba, L 10:00 Exercise Class 10:30 1:1 Session w/Patty 10:00 Exercise w/Jacque, L 10:30 "The Prize Is Right" 10:00 Chair Yoga, L Channel 7), L 10:00 Walmart w/Elise, L 1:30 Wonder Word and Snack Social, L 10:45 Fancy Nails, AR 8:30 New Covenant 10:30 Puzzle Mania, AR Shopping, O 10:30 Word of the Day 12:00 Gift Galore Search, AR 1:30 Bible Study w/ Baptist Church, L the Yellow Rose (Vendor), AR 2:00 Snack Cart Social 10:45 Fancy Nails, AR 2:00 Saturday Fun 2:00 Let's Be Thankful Hospice, L 2:00 Fun Bingo 12:00 Cowboys Vs 3:00 Mexican Train, AR 2:00 Crafting w/ **During Social** Activity, L 3:00 Fun Afternoon Game, L Afternoon, DR Hour, L Atlanta (FOX), L 4:00 Outdoor Walking Patty, AR 3:15 Saturday Movie 3:30 Bean Bag Toss, L 3:30 Word of the Day, L 4:00 Name Your 2:00 Chicken Foot, AR 4:00 Giant Crossword and Popcorn 4:00 Adult Coloring Club, AR 3:30 Bean Bag Toss, L Game!, AR 3:00 Cinema Sundays, L Puzzle, L 4:00 Puzzle Mania, AR 24 THANKSGIVING DAY 22 23 25 26 27 Lima Bean Auction, L 7:30 In Search of the 10:00 Thanksgiving 10:00 Exercise w/Legacy, L 10:00 Exercise w/ Lord's Way (Kdfid Birthday Bash, L 10:00 Exercise Class Wonder Word 10:30 "The Prize Is Right" Jacque, L 10:00 Chair Yoga, L Channel 7), L 10:00 Chair Exercise, L w/Elise, L Search, L and Snack Social, L 10:45 Roll the Dice, L 1:30 General Store, L 8:30 New Covenant 10:30 1:1 Session w/Patty 10:30 Word of the Day 1:30 Bible Study w/ 2:00 Movie Time: Miracle 2:00 Fun Bingo 2:00 Snack Cart Social Baptist Church, L the Yellow Rose 1:30 Wonder Word 2:00 Saturday Fun on 34th Street, L Afternoon, DR 3:00 Uno Game, AR Hospice, L 2:00 Chicken Foot, AR Search, AR Activity, L 3:30 Cowboys Vs Las 3:30 Scrapbooking 4:30 Wonder Word 3:00 Fun Afternoon Game, I 3:00 Cinema Sundays, L 4:00 Name Your 3:15 Saturday Movie Vegas (CBS), L 3:00 Pumpkin Toss, L Club, AR Search, L 3:25 Cowboys Vs Game!, AR and Snack, L 4:00 Puzzle Mania 4:00 Wonder Word 4:15 Trivia, L **Kansas City** Social, LL Search, AR HANUKKAH BEGINS AT SUNSET 28 29 30 10:00 Exercise w/ 10:00 Exercise w/ Legacy, L 7:30 In Search of the Jacque, L 10:30 "The Prize Is Right" Lord's Way (Kdfid 10:45 Fancy Nails, AR and Snack Social, L Channel 7), L 2:00 Fun Bingo 1:30 Bible Study w/ 8:30 New Covenant Afternoon, DR the Yellow Rose Baptist Church, L 3:30 Activity Meeting Hospice, L 2:00 Chicken Foot, AR w/Pattv & 3:00 Fun Afternoon 3:00 Cinema Sundays, L Apple Cider, L Game, L