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Sealed With a Kiss

Introduced in 1907, Hershey's Kisses are now one of the most popular candies purchased for Valentine's Day. It's estimated that more than 750 million of the little chocolate drops are produced in February.

Remember When: 'The Dating Game'

Going on TV to find love is not a new concept. The hit show "The Dating Game" introduced the idea when it first premiered in 1965. A bachelorette or bachelor would question three potential dates who were hidden from view, which meant they had to outshine and out-flirt each other with their answers. Tom Selleck, Farrah Fawcett and many other future stars appeared as contestants. Each show ended with host Jim Lange and the winning couples blowing a kiss to the audience.

Movie Matinee

We will be taking a trip to the movies on February 9th. Tori will announce the movie & the time at dinner the week before and will put a notice in your mailboxes. Must sign-up in advance!



Your Friendly Staff

- General Manager**
Katie Hollaway
- Office Manager**
Luann Palmer
- Sales Director**
Allison Darras
- Resident Care Director**
Tina Thomas, LPN
- Dining Services Director**
Melissa Correll
- Recreational Director**
Tori Rogers
- Housekeeping Supervisor**
Donna Long
- Maintenance Director**
Tim Posey



Guess Who: Use the Clues Below to Guess the Staff Member

- Her favorite dish from Hickory Valley: Chicken Pot Pie
 - She loves to throw parties and have fun with residents
 - She was a telemarketer in college and hated it
 - One of her favorite pastimes is watching live sports
 - She loves to spend time with her family
 - She loves to play piano
 - She loves to read
 - She loves to shop
- Who do you think it is??
If you guessed Katie Hollaway, you are correct!

Fire Safety Training

A fire safety training for all residents is scheduled for **February 8th at 1:30 pm in the dining room.** We strongly encourage all residents to attend. This training will be informative for everyone in our community. Funny Money will be available!

Valentine's Day Party

In celebration of Valentine's Day, join us for our Annual Valentine's Day Party and crowning of our King and Queen. Cast your votes at the front desk by February 13th at 5 pm!



Sunday

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

Saturday



1
 10:00 ■ Chair Exercise\$
 10:30 ■ You Be the Judge\$
 11:15 AL ■ Chair Exercise\$
 1:00 ■ Game of Choice
 2:00 ■ Blood Pressure Checks and Snacks with Home Care Solutions
 2:30 ■ Music Performance with Michael ♪
 3:00 ■ Crochet & Knitting Club\$
 3:00 AL ■ Game of Choice\$
 6:30 ■ Game Time

2
Groundhog Day
 9:15 ■ Morning Melodies with Tori\$
 10:00 ■ Crossword Craze\$
 11:45 AL ■ Lunchtime Melodies with Tori
 1:00 ■ Game of Choice
 2:00 AL ■ Activity Meeting with Tori\$
 2:00 ■ Open Floor with General Manager\$
 3:00 AL ■ Devotions with Randy Starnes†
 3:00 ■ Travel Adventures\$
 3:30 ■ Visit with Atreyu the Therapy Dog
 6:30 ■ Game Time

3
National Wear Red Day
 10:00 ■ Chair Exercise\$
 10:30 ■ Hangman\$
 11:00 ■ Lunch at City Cafe
 1:00 ■ Game of Choice
 2:00 ■ Devotions with Katie †
 2:00 AL ■ Vinyl Record Reminisce\$
 2:30 ■ Popcorn and Poetry\$
 3:00 ■ Bingo Sponsored By Grace Primary Care\$
 3:00 AL ■ Chicken Soup for the Soul\$
 6:30 ■ Sing Along with Ann and Friends †

4
 11:00 ■ Balance and Stability with Heather\$
 1:00 ■ Game of Choice
 6:30 ■ Movie Night

5
 1:00 ■ Game of Choice
 3:00 ■ Christ United Methodist Church †
 6:30 ■ Movie Night

6
 9:15 ■ Resident Led Rummikub\$
 10:00 ■ Chair Exercise\$
 10:30 ■ Po-Ke-No \$
 11:15 AL ■ Chair Exercise\$
 11:45 AL ■ Piano with Katie
 1:00 ■ Game of Choice
 1:30 ■ Scenic Bus Ride
 2:00 AL ■ BINGO\$
 3:00 ■ Activity Meeting with Tori\$
 3:00 AL ■ Devotions with Pastor Mark †
 6:30 ■ Game Time

7
 9:15 ■ Gabfest\$
 10:00 ■ Walmart
 10:30 ■ Rummikub\$
 11:45 AL ■ Gaither Corner
 1:00 ■ Game of Choice
 2:00 ■ Moving to Music with Patsy\$
 2:00 AL ■ Valentine's Day Trivia \$
 2:30 AL ■ Name That Love Song\$
 3:00 ■ BINGO with Amedisys Hospice\$
 6:30 ■ Game Time

8
 9:15 ■ Resident Led Rummikub\$
 10:00 ■ Chair Exercise\$
 10:30 ■ Famous Couples Trivia\$
 11:15 AL ■ Story Ball\$
 1:00 ■ Game of Choice
 1:30 ■ Fire Safety Training \$
 2:00 AL ■ Rummikub\$
 2:30 ■ Bean Auction with Enhabit Home Health\$
 3:00 ■ Bible Teaching with Mr. Hodge †
 3:00 AL ■ Travel Adventures\$
 6:30 ■ Game Time

9
 9:15 ■ Morning Melodies with Tori\$
 10:30 ■ Health Trivia with Amedisys\$
 11:45 AL ■ Lunchtime Melodies with Tori
 1:00 ■ Game of Choice
 1:00 ■ Movie Matinee (sign up required)
 2:00 AL ■ Movie Matinee \$
 2:00 ■ Travel Adventures\$
 6:30 ■ Game Time

10
 9:15 ■ Resident Led Rummikub\$
 10:00 ■ Chair Exercise\$
 10:30 ■ Valentine's Day Jokes and Stories\$
 1:00 ■ Game of Choice
 2:00 ■ Music Performance with Wes ♪
 3:00 AL ■ Chicken Soup for the Soul\$
 3:15 ■ BINGO\$
 6:30 ■ Sing Along with Ann and Friends †

11
 11:00 ■ Balance and Stability with Heather\$
 1:00 ■ Game of Choice
 6:30 ■ Movie Night

12
Super Bowl Sunday
 1:00 ■ Game of Choice
 3:00 ■ Brainerd Hills Baptist Church †
 6:15 ■ Super Bowl Party

13
 9:15 ■ Resident Led Rummikub\$
 10:00 ■ Chair Exercise\$
 10:30 ■ Skip Bo\$
 11:45 AL ■ Piano with Katie
 1:00 ■ Mary Kay Makeovers
 1:30 ■ Game of Choice
 2:00 AL ■ BINGO\$
 3:00 ■ Devotions with Pastor Mark †
 6:30 ■ Game Time

14
Valentine's Day
 9:15 ■ Gabfest\$
 10:00 ■ Aldi
 10:30 ■ Rummikub\$
 11:45 AL ■ Gaither Corner
 1:00 ■ Game of Choice
 2:00 ■ Valentine's Day Party
 6:30 ■ Game Time

15
 9:15 ■ Resident Led Rummikub\$
 10:00 ■ Chair Exercise\$
 10:30 ■ Hangman\$
 11:15 AL ■ Chair Exercise\$
 1:00 ■ Devotions with Tyner United Methodist †
 1:00 ■ Game of Choice
 2:00 ■ BINGO with CenterWell\$
 3:00 ■ Crochet & Knitting Club\$
 3:00 ■ Devotions with Nancy †
 3:00 AL ■ Travel Adventures\$
 6:30 ■ Game Time

16
 9:15 ■ Morning Melodies with Tori\$
 10:00 ■ Crossword Craze\$
 11:45 AL ■ Lunchtime Melodies with Tori
 1:00 ■ Game of Choice
 2:00 ■ Moving to Music with Patsy\$
 2:00 ■ Music Performance with Opus IV ♪
 2:00 AL ■ Rummikub\$
 3:00 ■ New Resident Social\$
 3:30 ■ Visit with Atreyu the Therapy Dog
 6:30 ■ Game Time

17
 9:15 ■ Resident Led Rummikub\$
 10:00 ■ Chair Exercise\$
 10:30 ■ You Be the Judge\$
 11:00 ■ Lunch at Champy's
 1:00 ■ Game of Choice
 2:00 ■ Devotions with Katie †
 2:00 AL ■ Wii Bowling in the First Floor Game Room\$
 3:00 ■ BINGO with Susan Freeman Enterprises\$
 3:00 AL ■ Chicken Soup for the Soul\$
 6:30 ■ Sing Along with Ann and Friends †

18
 11:00 ■ Balance and Stability with Heather\$
 1:00 ■ Game of Choice
 2:00 ■ Music Performance with Heaven Seekers ♪
 6:30 ■ Movie Night

19
 1:00 ■ Game of Choice
 3:00 ■ Ridgedale Baptist Church †
 6:30 ■ Movie Night

20
Presidents Day
 9:15 ■ Resident Led Rummikub\$
 10:00 ■ Chair Exercise\$
 10:30 ■ Po-Ke-No \$
 11:15 AL ■ Balloon Tennis\$
 11:45 AL ■ Piano with Katie
 1:00 ■ Game of Choice
 2:00 AL ■ BINGO\$
 2:00 ■ Presidents Day Trivia\$
 3:00 AL ■ Devotions with Pastor Mark †
 3:00 ■ Hangman with Care Patrol
 6:30 ■ Game Time

21
Mardi Gras
 9:15 ■ Gabfest\$
 10:00 ■ Publix
 10:30 ■ Rummikub\$
 11:45 AL ■ Gaither Corner
 1:00 ■ Game of Choice
 2:00 AL ■ Mardi Gras Social\$
 2:00 ■ Moving to Music with Patsy\$
 2:30 ■ Mardi Gras Social
 3:00 ■ Mardi Gras Bingo with Home Care Solutions\$
 3:15 AL ■ Who, What, Where? \$
 6:30 ■ Game Time

22
Ash Wednesday
 9:15 ■ Resident Led Rummikub\$
 10:00 ■ Chair Exercise\$
 10:30 ■ I Remember That!\$
 11:15 AL ■ Chair Exercise\$
 1:00 ■ Game of Choice
 2:00 ■ Ash Wednesday Service
 3:00 ■ Bible Teaching with Mr. Hodge †
 3:00 AL ■ Open Floor with General Manager\$
 6:30 ■ Game Time

23
National Chili Day
 9:15 ■ Morning Melodies with Tori\$
 10:00 ■ Trivia \$
 12:00 ■ Chili Cook-Off
 1:00 ■ Game of Choice
 2:00 ■ Funny Money Auction \$
 3:30 ■ Hymn Sing Along with Randy †
 6:30 ■ Game Time

24
 9:15 ■ Resident Led Rummikub\$
 10:00 ■ Chair Exercise\$
 10:30 ■ Name that Tune\$
 11:00 ■ Lunch at Miller's Ale House
 1:00 ■ Game of Choice
 2:00 ■ Devotions with Katie †
 2:00 AL ■ Guess Who: Bible Character Ed\$
 3:00 ■ BINGO \$
 3:00 AL ■ Chicken Soup for the Soul\$
 6:30 ■ Sing Along with Ann and Friends †

25
 11:00 ■ Balance and Stability with Heather\$
 1:00 ■ Game of Choice
 6:30 ■ Movie Night

26
 1:00 ■ Game of Choice
 3:00 ■ Lay Pastor Dr. McFarland †
 6:30 ■ Movie Night

27
 9:15 ■ Resident Led Rummikub\$
 10:00 ■ Chair Exercise\$
 10:30 ■ Who, What, Where? \$
 11:15 AL ■ Chair Exercise\$
 11:45 AL ■ Piano with Katie
 1:00 ■ Game of Choice
 2:00 AL ■ BINGO\$
 2:00 ■ Community Wide February Birthday Party\$
 3:00 ■ Devotions with Pastor Mark †
 3:00 AL ■ Jeopardy\$
 6:30 ■ Game Time

28
 9:15 ■ Gabfest\$
 10:00 ■ Jo-Ann's
 10:30 ■ Rummikub\$
 11:45 AL ■ Gaither Corner
 1:00 ■ Game of Choice
 2:00 AL ■ I Remember That!
 2:00 ■ Moving to Music with Patsy\$
 3:00 ■ BINGO with Hearth Hospice\$
 3:15 AL ■ This or That\$
 5:00 ■ Music Performance with Jordan ♪
 6:30 ■ Game Time





Employee of the Year Award 2022

Gracy Varghese was awarded our 2022 Employee of the Year. Gracy joined us 10 years ago, and we are grateful for her dedication to serve our residents.



Resident Birthdays

- 2/3 Lawrence Mathers
- 2/6 Sandra Watson
- 2/11 Pam Wood
- 2/16 Barry Marks
- 2/16 Gerry Cotter
- 2/22 Shelby Gass
- 2/22 James Hayes
- 2/24 Ruth Ann White
- 2/24 Marjorie Snyder
- 2/26 Mary Roberson



Staff Birthdays

- 2/6 Tyrone Mathis
- 2/13 Tate Holzmacher
- 2/25 Jennifer Nixon



Best Attitude Award 2022

Dawnzalea Byers was awarded Best Attitude. Dawnzalea always has a smile on her face and is a favorite among residents and co-workers. She tackles every task with a great attitude and willingness to serve.



Important Dates

- 2/2 Open Floor with GM
- 2/3 National Wear Red Day
- 2/6 Activity Meeting
- 2/8 Fire Safety Training
- 2/9 Movie Matinee Trip
- 2/12 Super Bowl Party
- 2/14 Valentine's Day & Party
- 2/21 Mardi Gras Social
- 2/22 Ash Wednesday Service
- 2/23 Chili Cook-Off
- 2/23 Funny Money Auction
- 2/27 Birthday Party

Reminder About Activities

All activities are subject to change. Please refer to the daily sheets in the elevators for the most up-to-date schedule.

Activities labeled with "\$" are eligible to earn funny money.



Most Compassionate Award 2022

Bob Booker was voted Most Compassionate. Bob joined us 6 years ago, and his caring demeanor is appreciated by all.



Brain Bender: Poetic Pairs

Each answer to the following clues is a two-word phrase that rhymes. For example: A sleepy winter ride = sled bed. How many can you solve?

1. A chameleon caught in a snowstorm
2. Game pieces in the freezer
3. William is shivering
4. Superior knitwear
5. The value of an icicle
6. Beautiful evergreen
7. How cats keep their paws warm
8. Frozen assets
9. A cozy caterpillar
10. Rethinking your January goals

(Answers: 1. blizzard lizard; 2. ice dice; 3. chilly Billy; 4. better sweater; 5. frost cost; 6. fine pine; 7. kittens' mittens; 8. cold gold; 9. snug bug; 10. resolution revolution)