The Manorette Pioneer Manor

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"The Home Where Love Abides"

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June 2: Charles Matthews

June 6: Dixie Stouffer

We have been enjoying Birthday cake for snack time on Resident's Birthdays!

Many Thanks to:

- —Blue Bonnet Garden Club Ladies for making the residents beautiful cards for May Day! The Residents really enjoyed them!
- —Deb & Charlie Kuskie for the mini puzzles and beautiful larger puzzles for residents. We love them!
- —Carol Krotz for the large print books for our library!
- —Jeannie (Brad's Mom) for the potted plants (succulents) that she gave to our staff.
- —Sharon Persons for the puzzles and activity books!
- —The Family of LaVern Hankins for the beautiful flower arrangements.
- —Virginia Johnson for more of her expert sewing skills and helping to make masks for staff!! Thank you once again!!
- —Julie Rasmussen for keeping us well stocked with books for our devoted readers.
- —All who sent cards, notes, brought magazines that we didn't get to thank personally!

Thank you to all!



June Happenings Happy Father's Day!!

Hallway hymn sing-a-longs!! Hall Action Games!
Kick Ball! Daily Inspirational/Activity Sheets!
Color Pages! Individual Crafting! Puzzles!
Popcorn! Ice Cream! Fun Snacks!!

A Few Shared Thoughts

Happy Father's Day to our unforgettable Father's, Grandfather's and Great Grandfather's. We will enjoy our traditional brownie Sunday on June 21st, with or without you!! And you know we'd rather have our visitors, but....we are still following the CDC's orders of quarantine and keeping our residents safe and physically healthy. The residents have been troopers!

We've been trying a few different activities—we did try the hallway Bingo—it was a bit of a train wreck with one activity staff—but nothing is a failure if we all get candy and treats right? We will keep trying new things, to try and stay entertained, but I admit it, the troops are getting a little bored!

We have quite a few of new CNAs. They are young, enthusiastic and really kind women. The girls have been great taking people outside, helping with phone calls, fixing hair, and doing nails. One brave man willingly had his nails painted—it is interesting to see an old cowboy with colorful finger nails!! When the CNA's have an extra day off they can sign up to help in Activities. The girls are a wonderful addition and so thankful for Krystyn for the great idea to let them come help and have fun with the residents.

The kitchen is doing a fabulous job with delicious meals and delicious snacks! The Dietary Manager and Team has done an excellent job! Thank you kitchen staff!!

Rest assured our administration is keeping on top of all the daily changes with the coronavirus battle. I have a new respect for our Admin and Nursing Staff. They are showing their true excellence in skills and character during this difficult situation.

This has been quite an experience and we are all ready for this coronavirus to be over. How fast the world can change. But, this won't last forever and we look forward seeing you all again soon! *Teri*



LaVern Hankins was a Board Member at Pioneer Manor from 1993 thru 2013, 20 years! He passed away May 1, 2020. LaVern's dedication, devotion and kindness to Pioneer Manor will always be remembered. We are grateful that we live in a community where people are so generous to give of their time and talents! Thank you LaVern and thank you to his family for 20 years of service to Pioneer Manor! We are grateful!!

Happy Father's Day Dad!

























The Residents really enjoyed the handmade, and sent with love May Day Cards from the Blue Bonnet Garden Club! Thank you!

Isabelle, Jim and Dixie enjoying New Puzzles and New Color Books!





