#### **March 2025**

# Craiglee Newsletter

### Celebrating March

March 2 British Methodist Church

March 4 Residents' Council

> March 5 Food Council

March 6, 13, 20& 27 R.C Mass/ Communion

March 8 and 22 Seventh Day Adventist

> March 17 Birthday Party

> > March 18 Bus outing

March 18 Anglican Service



#### **Dear Residents and Families**

Happy March!

This month, we're excited to celebrate St. Patrick's Day with all of you, bringing a touch of Irish luck and joy to our home. Whether you're wearing green, enjoying festive treats, or participating in fun activities, we hope the spirit of the holiday fills your hearts with cheer.

With the first day of spring fast approaching on March 20th, we're eagerly looking forward to warmer days, blooming flowers, and all the opportunities that comes with a new season.

Let's make this month memorable together!

Thank you Program Manager Ayesha Young



Ruth. G	March	2nd
Leena. D	March	3rd
Nicolette. G	March	9th
Clyde. G	March	10th
Agnes. H	March	11th
Elcy. C	March	15th
Nelson. W	March	15th
Harry. S	March	19th
Ada. M	March	22nd
Moses. M	March	23rd
Vilma. M	March	23rd
Gus. M	March	24th



### **Irish Wishes**



May this month bring you satisfaction, peace and joy. May all the desires of your heart be granted. May this be the beginning of new things in your life.



you back and open up to what can be

# An Irish Prayer



May God give you For every storm, a rainbow, For every tear, a smile, For every care, a promise, And a blessing in each trial. For every problem life sends, a faithful friend to share, For every sign, a sweet song, And an answer for each prayer."









Robin 1st Floor

Dale 2nd Floor

Dorothy 3rd Floor

## **Welcome to your Resident Council Leads**

Council meetings provide the opportunity for residents to participate actively in matters that affect their daily lives and where they can exercise decision-making autonomy. Councils attempt to cultivate a safe environment that encourages unity, partnership, mutual support and contribute to increased quality of living for all residents in the home.

**Guests:** occasionally a guest will be invited to attend Residents' Council meeting. Guests are not regular attendees of the meetings and can only attend if invited by the Council's leadership for a specific purpose and be approved by the Council's leadership in advance of the meeting. Guest include people like educators, community leaders, home management, Administrators, etc.. Guest should have a set time on the Council's agenda and attend only during that time.

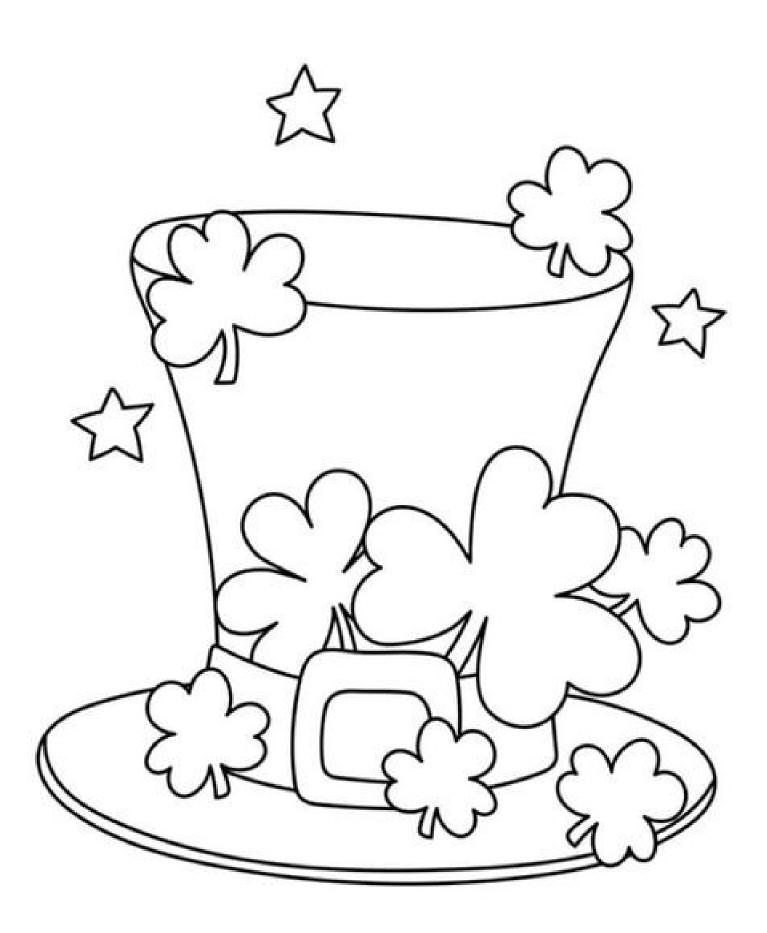
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Josephine Baker				
Clara Barton				
Amelia Earhart				
Joan of Arc				

Mother Jones Billie Jean King Annie Oakley Georgia O'Keeffe Sally Ride Sacagawea Sojourner Truth J. PRITCHARD/MCT



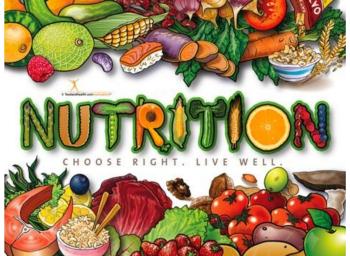
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## **Recognition in the Month of March**

#### Women's History Month







**Nutrition Month** 

#### **Spiritual Wellness Month**

LIFE IS.

Breathe.

When Life is challenging, overwhelming and stressful close your eyes, sit still and

BREATHE.

Don't let the worries of your mind make the situation worse. Recognize that those negative thoughts are not real and BREATHE.

Focus on this present moment, right here, right now. Enjoy the quietness, stillness and peace of the moment and BREATHE.

Remind yourself that you have survived so much and that not only will you survive this but you will be

STRONGER, WISER AND BETTER!

Breathe and Believe in Yourself

#### **Red Cross Month**



## **VOLUNTEER INFORMATION**

#### **Current Volunteer Positions**

Bingo Assistant

Friendly Companion

**Resident Outing Escort** 

Valuable is the work that you do, Outstanding is how you always come through

Loyal, sincere and full of good cheer, Untiring in your efforts through the year

Notable are contributions you make, Trustworthy in every project you take Eager to reach your every goal, Effective in the way you fulfill your

role

**R**eady with a smile like a shooting star

Special and wonderful– that's what you are!

Looking for a way to give back? Research has shown that the process of serving others reduces stress, and increases our life span.

Kindly contact The Recreation Department for any questions or suggestions you may have regarding programs.



## **Updates**

#### **New Beds**

We are happy to update you, that we continue to add the 20 New beds that we informed you about in February, along with some new night tables.

#### Painting

We continue with the painting on the 1st floor for the hallways and other common areas.

#### Food Labelling

Kindly ensure that all cooked foods coming into the home for the fridges are labeled with the date of entry. Foods will be kept for three days maximum to reduced spoiling.

#### **Encouraging Thoughts**

"You are never too old to set another goal or dream a new dream. Every step forward is a step closer to fulfilling your potential."

"Your smile makes the world brighter. Share it often, for its warmth can light up even the darkest days."

"Laughter is timeless, imagination has no age, and dreams are forever young. Embrace each moment with joy and wonder."

"Gratitude turns what we have into enough and more, making us appreciate the abundance in our lives."

## **Chapel Availability**



## **Craiglee Church Services**

British Methodist Church— 1st Sunday at 2:00 Seventh Day Adventist —2nd and 4th Saturday Anglican Service—3rd Tuesday 10:30 Catholic Services—first four Thursdays at 10:30

**Note:** All Residents are welcome to attend any of the above services based on their disclosed interest or needs.