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WELCOME TO OUR

MONTHLY NEWSLETTER

November is a beautiful month filled with crisp autumn air, colorful leaves, and the excitement of the upcoming holiday season. It is a time to gather with family and friends, enjoy warm meals, and reflect on the many things we are thankful for. As we celebrate Thanksgiving, let's remember that even the smallest acts of kindness can bring warmth, happiness, and gratitude to those around us.



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Mark your calendar

11/02	3rd Grade Class visiting to playing Bingo w/ residents at 1:30 p.m.
11/12	Puppy Time at 1:15 p.m.
11/13	Music with Adrienne at 3:00 p.m.
11/19	Thanksgiving Meal Reservation deadline at 4:30 p.m.
11/21	Widows Weekend Craft Fair 9:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.
11/23	Wellness hour w/ Nurse Kelly at 3:00 p.m.
11/24	PV Thanksgiving Meal 5:00 p.m.

Resident Birthdays

11/05	Lisa Puls
11/09	Beth Zelmer
11/14	Adeline Hedtke
11/27	Jim Berry
11/27	Bonnie Pronger

Resident Socials

Join us every Wednesday for happy hour.
Enjoy drinks, snacks, and live entertainment.

Wednesdays at 3:00 p.m. in the Great Room.

Week 1: Derek Lind
Week 2: Dale Dobbe
Week 3: Stevie keys
Week 4: Diane Pedersen





Sip & Savor

We enjoyed a family apple dip recipe from one of our community members Helen Walker. We paired the delicious dip with fresh apples and enjoyed hot apple cider a perfect taste of fall!



Goating Around

Today, we had a visit from the most adorable little goats, Bambi and Stormy! Our residents had the opportunity to feed and pet these sweet little visitors, making it such a fun and memorable experience. There were plenty of smiles, laughter, and special moments shared as everyone enjoyed spending time with these lovable goats.



Adorable Spooky Craft



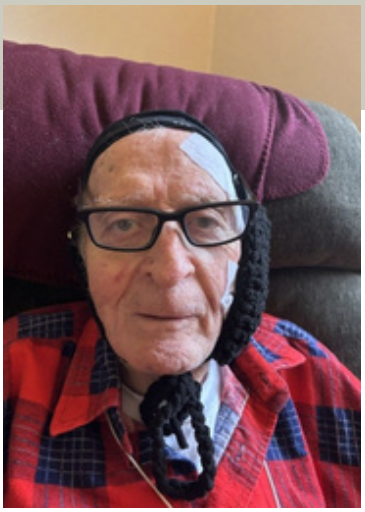
Janice Beekman and Andrea Wanty joined us for our monthly craft activity and enjoyed each other's company while creating the cutest Halloween ghost door hangings!"





Todd & Laurie Swanson





Carolynn & Roy Elmhorst



Brian Ramminger

Welcome New Residents

If you happen to see these new faces around the community stop and give them a warm welcome.



Staff Feature

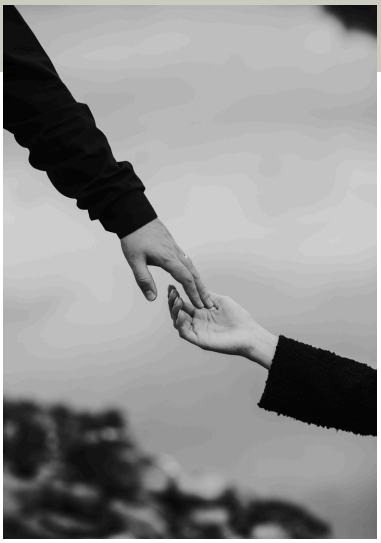
Please join us in giving Gabby, our newest Resident Assistant (R/A) here at Park Vista, a warm welcome! When Abby is helping you, take a moment to introduce yourself and get to know her. Our Resident Assistants play an important role in helping and caring for our residents each day. A friendly smile, a kind hello, and taking the time to get to know someone new can go a long way in making Gabby feel welcome and part of our Park Vista family!



Remind your friends and neighbors to get their monthly vitals checked.

Let your family know about the Thanksgiving meal, and remember there is a reservation deadline!





Tip of The Month

November Tip of the Month:

November is a great time to send a thank-you note. Consider reaching out to someone you haven't spoken with in a while to let them know what they mean to you. A handwritten note only takes a few minutes, but it is something people truly appreciate and keep.



Fun Facts

- The first Thanksgiving celebration lasted three days.
- Turkey was probably not the main food at the first Thanksgiving.
- More than 45 million turkeys are eaten on Thanksgiving each year in the U.S.
- The tradition of watching football on Thanksgiving began in 1876.
- Macy's Thanksgiving Day Parade started in 1924.
- Pumpkin pie became a Thanksgiving favorite in the 1800s.
- The wishbone tradition is over 2,000 years old.
- Thanksgiving became a national holiday in 1863 when President Abraham Lincoln declared it.





A Thanksgiving to Remember at Park Vista!

It was a beautiful Thanksgiving afternoon at Park Vista Retirement Living, and the smell of roasted turkey, buttery mashed potatoes, and freshly baked pumpkin pie filled the air.

Residents gathered around the tables, sharing smiles, stories, and a little friendly competition over who had the best Thanksgiving recipe. Mr. Johnson proudly claimed his stuffing was the best in the county, while Mrs. Miller insisted her pumpkin pie could win any baking contest! Everyone laughed as they passed the rolls, poured their drinks, and made sure nobody left the table hungry.

After the delicious meal, everyone took a moment to share what they were thankful for. Some were grateful for family, others for good friends, and a few were especially thankful that there were leftovers! The room was filled with laughter, warm memories, and the wonderful feeling of being part of a family.

As the afternoon came to an end, one thing was certain: Thanksgiving at Park Vista wasn't just about the food on the table. It was about the friendships, the love, and the joy of being together. And of course, everyone agreed on one very important thing —

there's always room for one more slice of pie!

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Happy Thanksgiving from everyone at Park Vista Retirement Living!





SEE YOU NEXT MONTH!

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