# ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Family Picnic!

We will be having our Family Picnic on September 19th! Social time will be starting at 5:30 pm with dinner following at 6:00 pm in the Senior Care parking lot! We ask all who received an invite to please RSVP to Marti Maxson at <a href="maxson@storymedical.org">mmaxson@storymedical.org</a> or call 5153827023

Halloween is just around the corner!! Last year was a success with our Halloween Parade, and we plan to do it again this year! Activities will be accepting candy donations and assistance with decorating! Please contact Marti or Libby with any questions!

September Shoutout!

The ever so lovely
Kristie Stensland has
taken on several duties
since she joined our team



here at senior care! She greets everyone with a warm smile, helps with residents, and volunteers with activities, on top of all of her office duties!

Thank you for being amazing Kristie!

A group of Senior Care residents will be participating in the Nursing Home Olympics on September 7th! We would love any help or support during the event! If you would like to come root for our residents, the Nursing Home Olympics will be held at Nevada Baptist Church at 1:00 pm! They will be "competing" against Rolling Green Village and State Center Nursing Home!















## September Activities:

### **Don't Forget!**

- Fitness fun on Monday, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Fridays!
- Cooking club on Tuesdays at 10:30 am!
- Devotions everyWednesday at9:30 am!
- Bible Study on Friday mornings!
- Manicures every
   Monday
   afternoon at
   3:00 pm!
- BINGO every

  Tuesday

  afternoon at

  3:00 pm!
- September 3rd is Labor Day!
- September 9th is Grandparents day!

September 3rd: Join us in the 2nd floor dining room at 10:00 am for some coffee and conversations! It's Labor Day so we'll talk about our past jobs! That afternoon at 3:00 pm we'll have Trivia & Treats! (2DR)

<u>September 5th:</u> At 1:30 pm we will be having a Gospel Sing-a-Long in the chapel! Followed by a the fun game, Word Power!!

<u>September 6th:</u> 2nd floor residents look for the sign up sheets to go to Niland's for Lunch Bunch!

<u>September 7th:</u> It's time for the OLYMPICS!!! This month some of our residents will be competing in the Nursing Home Olympics!

September 8th: Dave Gray will be performing at 10:30 am! (2DR)

**September 10th:** Come play Wheel of Fortune! (2DR)

<u>September 11th:</u> Come tell us what's going well, not so well, and any suggestions you have at Resident council! (4:00 pm in the 2DR)

<u>September 12th:</u> We will be gathering in the 1st floor Dining room at 1:30 for "I Hear Memories," a reminiscing game! Afterwards we will head outside to see the local "Ice Cream Truck" and enjoy some delicious treats!

<u>September 13th:</u> The elementary kids will be visiting and doing a craft with us in the morning in the 2nd floor dining room! In the afternoon at 3:30 pm we will be having a Hymn Sing with Loring Methodist Church!

<u>September 13th:</u> First floor residents look for the sign up sheets to go to Niland's for Lunch Bunch!

<u>September 14th:</u> We Will celebrate the September Birthday's in the second floor dining room, featuring the K&L Duo!

<u>September 15th:</u> The Bluestem Bellows will be performing at 10:30 am! (2DR)

<u>September 17th:</u> Come listen to Ling perform during music therapy! <u>September 19th:</u> We will be having a country sing-a-long at 3:00 pm! (1DR)

<u>September 19th:</u> There will be a Family Picnic for ALL residents in the South parking lot at 5:30 pm!

<u>September 20th:</u> We're going to take a trip to go see how the lowa crops are doing this year! Look for the sign up in the hallway!

<u>September 21st:</u> Join us to listen to Bill Lawyer perform for his first time during happy hour! Come give him a big WELCOME

**September 25th:** Royce Johns will be here to perform at 3:00 pm!

<u>September 26th:</u> Come down to the sunroom to get some cuddles with the dogs during Pet Therapy at 3:00 pm!

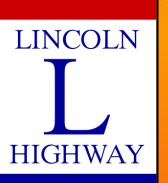
<u>September 26th</u>: Look for the sign up for dinner and a movie! This month we will be watching "Butch Cassidy and the Sundance Kid" and eating chicken and fixins!

<u>September 27th:</u> We will be bowling at 1:30 pm, followed by a performance by Mike Lazano!

<u>September 28th:</u> We will be remembering those we have lost in the chapel for the Memorial Service by St. Croix

















We had a wonderful time at the Lincoln Highway Days parade!
Thank you to Ace Hardware Store for reserving a spot for our residents to sit, and bringing us out some popcorn to munch on while we watched the parade! Also, thank you to the Story County Medical Center ambulance who stopped in the middle of the parade for a couple minutes to run candy over to our residents! It was a wonderful morning, and we can't wait to go again next year!

### Featured Musical Entertainment for the Month

September 5th	Gospel Sing-a-long	1:30 pm
September 8th	Dave Gray	10:30 am
September 13th	Loring Hymn Sing	3:30 pm
September 14th	K&L Duo	3:00 pm
September 15th	Bluestem Bellows	10:30 am
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"Bud" Wilson 9/7

Marjorie Peavey 9/12

Mary Pasley 9/14

Ralph Oltman 9/16

**Sharon Counsell 9/17** 

Janice Huber 9/18

Ruth Yocom 9/19

Jean Johnson 9/23

**Everyone** is invited to attend our monthly birthday party, typically held on the first Friday of the month! We serve birthday cake and refreshments and enjoy a sing-a-long. Special thanks to St. Croix Hospice for supplying birthday balloons and various volunteers for bringing birthday cake!

Thank you to all of our faithful church volunteers! Here is the church schedule for September:

> Bible Study with Tom every Friday September 2nd: Pat Dice @ 2:00 pm

<u>September 5th:</u> Devotions with John Molacek

September 6th: Methodist Communion

September 9th: Tom Lee @ 2:00 pm

September 12th: Devotions with Scott Jones

September 16th: Monty Woodward @ 2:00 pm

September 19th: Devotions with Dennis Reynolds

September 20th: Lutheran Communion September 23rd: Pat Dice @ 2:00 pm

September 26th: Devotions with Scott Milsom3

September 27th: Catholic Mass

September 30th: Monty Woodward @ 2:00 pm

All Church services are held in the Chapel on first





Our residents LOVE seeing furry friends! Contact with a pet can alleviate depression, loneliness, and isolation. We invite dogs every month! They will be coming on September 26th! Everyone is welcome to

come say hi!







We had a wonderful afternoon during our State Fair party! We listened to trivia and memories, then ate some DELICIOUS homemade ice cream and funnel cakes, and ended our party with some State Fair Games! Thank you to all those who shared their memories, and to dietary for getting the funnel cakes!







We ended State Fair week with our very own "Mini State Fair!" The residents enjoyed the animals and treats! It would not have been possible without all the help from fellow staff and community members! Thank you to: Zac Ose and his children for helping set up and serve! To Jordan Taylor, Tisha Zink, and The Clatts for bringing all the farm animals! To Cooper who brought the farm machinery! To Jill Bohnet for helping set up and serve snow cones! To dietary for supplying corndogs, which the lovely Shelby served! To Suncrest Hospice for bringing a cotton candy machine and helping serve! To Barb Hanson and her sons for bringing their own cotton candy machine, so we could offer sugar free cotton candy! To Paragon for supplying a snow cone machine, and donating the supplies to make them! And to all the volunteers and staff who assisted with bringing residents out to enjoy the festivities! It was a wonderful evening!

