# Bayfield Monthly Newsletter

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## Wishing Happy Birthdays in October to:

October 5 Georgina S

October 22 Ilse W

October 22 Judy V

October 23 Jean Knapp 104!!

October 23 Richard M

October 26 Sid D

October 28 Helen T

October 30 Helen S

October 31 Mae G

#### **October Church Services:**

Thurs, Oct 3 9:30 Catholic Mass

Sun, Oct 6 3:00 Wesleyan Church

Sun, Oct 13 3:00 United Church

Sun, Oct 20 3:00 Pentecostal Church

Sun, Oct 27 3:00 Presbyterian Church

### **New September Residents:**

Be sure to give a big Bayfield welcome to Shirley P, Mae G & Chester G

Residents' Council elections Oct 7 11-2 & new council announced at 3. Meeting the last Thurs of each month at 10 in Activity Room.

#### **October Music & Entertainment:**

Tues, Oct 19:30 Valencia on Piano

Sat, Oct 12 3:30 Jumping Jimmy

Mon, Oct 14 9:45 Stories with Bill

Tues, Oct 15 9:30 Valencia on Piano

Tues, Oct 22 2:00 Tom Valiquette

Sat, Oct 26 2:00 Sherriffs' Brothers

Mon, Oct 28 9:45 Stories with Bill Neil

Tues, Oct 29 2:00 Ice No Slice

Thurs, Oct 31 3:30 Al Visser

#### **Meal Guest Reminders:**

- Guests are \$7 each
- Notice must be given when you will have guests attending so we can be sure we have space
- You & your guests will be on first seating as second seating is already too busy

## Tuck Shop is Open!

Open Mondays, Wednesdays & Fridays from 1:30-3:30. Volunteers to man it can sign up with Nancy in Activities. It has lots of snacks & necessities. Cash only.

Bible Study with Tami is moved to Wednesdays at 10:45.

**Dining Room Changes:** Oct 1st we will be returning to a dining service style we had a few years back.

Residents on first sitting will have their meals at 7:30am, 11:30am & 4:30pm. Those on second sitting will have their meals at 8:30am, 12:30pm & 5:30pm. Resident will have a sheet on the inside of their suites reminding them of their meal times. Plus staff are always on hand to cue & assist to the dining room.

Between meals, doors to the dining room will be closed. When first sitting is done & serving staff have the dining room ready, they will open the doors & invite the second sitting residents in to take their seats.

A few residents have been moved to first sitting from second sitting—who tend to arrive very early for their meals. Staff have taken into consideration morning assistive cares & socialization of residents.

We've done our best to balance the number of residents between the two seatings. It should improve service for residents & make things more organized for serving staff.

Growing pains are expected so everyone is asked to be patient while details get ironed out.

Heather Spencer RPN & new Director of Wellness has hit the ground running. She's looking forward to getting to know everyone over the next few weeks. Welcome to

Bayfield Heather!