

# **Community Leadership**

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# Welcome to the Community

My name is Barbara Dice and I am honored to be the new Executive Director here at Northglenn Heights. I have met the most wonderful residents, families and team members. Thank you all for making me feel welcome.

I have been involved in the Assisted Living industry for the past 20 years as an Executive Director at several large Assisted Living and Memory Care organizations. As an experienced Administrator, I love what I do. I feel lucky that I found my passion at a young age and have many fond memories of the times I spent with my grandparents and great-grandparents.

I'm a Nationally Certified and Colorado licensed Assisted Living Administrator and enjoy remaining active in the Assisted Living industry, both locally and nationally, as an invited speaker at conferences and professional groups. I'm looking forward to getting to know you all. I'm sure you all can imagine trying to meet all the residents and family members at Northglenn Heights can be a big task, but as you all know, my early days brought a few surprises here at the community. As things are settling down, I'm getting excited to be popping into exercise class and getting to attend more Happy Hours, so I can check out all of your dance moves!

I enjoy hosting two of my own events each month and hope you all will join me. This month I'll be having "Enrich Your Life with Barb." My second get-together will be "Spilling the Tea with Barb," an afternoon teatime for us to sit and chat by the fire over a cup of tea and some goodies. You will also learn in time that I'm a storyteller.

#### **NOVEMBER 2023**



# **Veterans Day**

On Veterans Day, we pay tribute to the men and women who have served and who continue to serve our country in the armed forces. Take a moment on Nov. 11 to honor those heroes whose dedication has kept our liberties intact. If you are a veteran, we'd like to thank you for your courage and service. With respect and in honor of Veterans Day, I'll be sharing a story of my Great Uncle Jack. On Saturday, November 11, 2023, we will all honor and remember all those who have served in the Armed Forces.

## **Veterans Day Ceremony**

To pay tribute to our respective community veterans, our community activity staff is very excited and happy to invite the Captain of Honor guards and his team from the American Legion Post 22, to conduct the Veterans Day Ceremony on Thursday, 9th November, 2023, from 2 pm to 3 pm. We are very thankful to all the Legion staff for performing the ceremony for our respective senior veterans. Family members are encouraged to come and pay tribute to our veterans.





**ASSISTED LIVING** 

### **NOVEMBER** 2023

# **Happy** Birthday!

Happy birthday to all our residents celebrating birthdays this month! The world is a better place because you're here. We think you're great for our community, too! Have a wonderful day.

# Residents' **Birthdays**

Leslie K. Elizabeth J.

Welcome,

Residents

We are proud to have so

many wonderful residents

get a special feeling each

time you walk through the

property and see so many

of our new residents, stop

a neighbor, but it takes a

friendly faces. If you see one

and say hello. Anyone can be

here in our community! You

New

Elsie K. Lois K.

special person to be a friend. -From All Staff Members

3:15 Bingo

"Savor the day and be good to vourself, love vourself, and then you can be good to others and be of service to others." —Charlotte Rae

Wednesday Sunday Monday Tuesday Thursday Friday Saturday Residents' Birthdays 1 Dia De Los Muertos 3 Happy Birthday Leslie K. 1. Leslie K. 11/4 10:00 Morning Workout 10:00 Sit & Be Fit Exercises 10:00 Noodle Exercises 10:00 Go for a Walk 2. Elizabeth J. 11/5 10:30 Daily Chronicles 10:30 Daily Chronicles 10:30 Daily Chronicles 11:00 Daily Chronicles & Word 3. Elsie K. 11/10 11:00 Paint & Sip 11:00 Veterans Day Banners Search- Collect From the 11:00 Thank-You Posters 4. Lois K. 11/22 1:30 Thanksgiving Decorations 1:30 One-to-One Resident 1:30 Let's Play Blackjack Front Desk 2:30 Hydration Hour 2:30 Pumpkin Spiced Latte Connections w/ Shreva 2:00 Finish the Word Search 3:00 New Christian Life Church 3:15 Bingo Social 1:45 Birthday Cards 3:00 Veterans Day Decorations 3:00 Happy Hour w/ Stuart Services 3:15 Movie of the Day "Gilda" (On YouTube) Happy Birthday Elizabeth J. 5 National Nachos Day 6 U.S. General Election Day 8 Veterans Day Ceremony 9 Happy Birthday Elsie K. 10 Veterans Day 11 9:30 Collect your Daily Chronicles 10:00 Flex & Stretch Exercises 10:00 Sit & Be Fit Exercises 10:00 Noodle Exercises 10:30 Patriotic Music Party w/ 10:00 Exercises 9:45 Morning Workout - From Front Desk Staff Shreya 10:45 Thanksgiving Banner 10:30 Daily Chronicles 10:30 Residents' Council 10:30 Daily Chronicles 10:30 Daily Chronicles 1:30 Watch the Live News: 10:00 Take a Walk in the Hallway **Made with Doilies** 10:45 Veterans Day Flags Meeting 11:00 Patriotic Songs 11:00 Thanksgiving **Veterans Day Celebration** 10:30 Catholic Services 1:30 "Zack," our Therapy Dog 1:30 Poker Club 1:30 Afternoon Trivia 12:00 Veterans Day BBQ Preparations: Mini 2:00 Finish the Word Search 1:45 Bible Study w/ Chaplain Rev 1:30 Inspirational Stories 2:30 Coffee & Tea Social 2:00 Let's Make Pine Cone 2:00 Veterans Day Ceremony Pumpkin Vases 3:00 New Christian Life Church Rich Williams 2:00 Join us For Fun "Nachos 3:15 Sing-Alongs w/Shreya Turkeys 3:30 Veterans Day Cards 1:30 One-to-One Resident Services 2:45 Meet & Greet Your & Dip" Afternoon Social 2:30 Hydration Hour Connections w/ Shreva 3:15 Movie of the Day "Green Community Neighbors 3:15 Bingo 3:00 Bingo 3:00 Happy Hour w/ Tim Grass of Wyoming 1948" (On 3:30 Movie of Your Choice YouTube) 12 Caregivers' Appreciation Day 13 14 Happy Birthday Elizabeth J. 16 World Peace Day 9:30 Collect your Daily Chronicles -10:00 Exercises 10:00 Flex & Stretch Exercises 10:00 Morning Workout 10:00 Sit & Be Fit Exercises 10:00 Noodle Exercises 10:00 Go for a Walk From Front Desk Staff 10:30 Daily Chronicles 10:30 Daily Chronicles 10:45 Prepare Your 10:30 Daily Chronicles 10:30 Daily Chronicles 11:00 Daily Chronicles & Word 10:00 Take a Walk in the Hallway 11:00 Solve the Riddles 11:00 Make Thanksgiving **Thanksgiving Wreath** 11:00 Make Acorn Banners 11:00 Come & Learn Scrabble Search- Collect From the 10:30 Catholic Services 1:30 Let's Play Blackjack 1:30 One-to-One Resident Front Desk 1:30 "Zack," our Therapy Dog Invitations with us 1:45 Bible Study w/ Chaplain Rev 1:30 Fun Riddles Connections w/ Shreva 1:30 Inspirational Stories 1:30 Poker Club 2:30 Apple Cinnamon 2:00 Finish the Word Search Rich Williams 2:00 Popcorn Social 2:00 Word Search of the Day 2:30 Hydration Hour Cupcakes 3:00 Happy Hour w/Big Bingo 3:00 Movie of the Day 2:45 Enjoy Chicken Soup Stories 3:00 Spill the Tea w/ "Barb" 3:00 Bingo 3:00 Discussions: All About 3:15 Bingo "Utopia" (On YouTube) for the Soul-Front Desk 4:00 Watch the CBS News Live 3:00 New Christian Life Church **Thanksgiving** 3:30 Thanksgiving Jingo Services Thanksgiving Holiday Party 21 Happy Birthday Lois K. 22 Happy Thanksgiving 25 W/ Families 10:00 Exercises 10:00 Flex & Stretch Exercises 10:00 Morning Workout 10:00 Daily Chronicles 10:00 Noodle Exercises 10:00 Go for a Walk 10:30 Catholic Services 10:30 Morning Prayers & 10:45 Creative Kitchen: Fall 10:30 Daily Chronicles 10:45 Let's Make Thankful 10:30 Daily Chronicles 11:00 Daily Chronicles & Word 11:00 Get Ready for the Party Gatherings Sugar Cookie Decorations 11:00 Thanksqiving Trivia Banners 11:00 Come & Learn Scrabble Search- Collect From the 12:00 Thanksgiving Holiday Party 11:00 Thanksgiving Word Search 11:00 Solve the Riddles 1:30 Poker Club 1:30 Let's Make Thanksgiving 1:30 One-to-One Resident Front Desk 12:30 Dine & Live Holiday Music 12:00 Thanksgiving Holiday Feast 1:30 "Zack," our Therapy Dog 2:30 Word Search of the Day Cards Connections w/ Shreva 2:00 Finish the Word Search w/ Jeff 1:30 Meet & Greet Your Neighbors 1:30 Inspirational Stories 2:30 Hydration Hour 3:00 Happy Hour w/ Andre 3:15 Sing-Alongs w/Shreva 3:00 Movie of the Day "Flying 1:30 Meet & Greet Your 3:00 Movie Special: Elvis 2:00 Popcorn Social Deuces" (On YouTube) 3:15 Bingo Rieu Concert on White Community Neighbors **Presley Loving You 1957** 3:00 New Christian Life Church 3:15 Bingo Screen 3:30 Collect your Daily Chronicles - From Front Desk Staff Services 30 26 9:30 Collect your Daily Chronicles **All Events** 10:00 Sit & Be Fit Exercises 10:00 Morning Workout 10:00 Exercises 10:00 Flex & Stretch Exercises - From Front Desk Staff are Subject 10:45 Creative Kitchen: Let's 10:30 Daily Chronicles 10:30 Daily Chronicles 10:30 Daily Chronicles 10:00 Take a Walk in the Hallway to Change as per Make Pumpkin Spiced 11:00 Flower Arrangements 11:00 Darts 11:00 Paint & Sip 10:30 Catholic Services the Weather Cupcakes 1:30 Poker Club 1:30 Afternoon Trivia 1:30 Let's Play Blackjack YOU 1:05 Denver Broncos vs 11:00 Solve the Riddles 2:30 Crossword Puzzles & Tea 2:30 Hydration Hour 2:30 Enrich Your Life w/ VETERANS Cleveland Browns **Unexpected Situations** 1:30 "Zack," our Therapy Dog 3:00 Grand Celebration & "Barb" Social 2:45 Meet & Greet Your that 1:30 Inspirational Stories 3:15 Sing-Alongs w/Shreya Live Music w/Bobbie: All 3:30 Darts Community Neighbors rise all of a sudden 2:00 Popcorn Social November Birthdays? 4:00 Watch the CBS News Live

#### **Meet JW**

JW is our oldest resident, who has been with our community by herself for the last 25 years and has switched to 3 different apartments so far. JW is a Catholic Coordinator and has helped us to reorganize our library. We can't say thank you enough for being one of our most valued residents. Please stop by her room, 125, to congratulate her on finishing the most valuable time of her life with us. You are one of the stars that keeps on shining in our community.

# We Salute You, Appreciate You All the Caregivers

Think of the word "caregiver" and you're unlikely to question how the term got its name. To care is "to be concerned" and to give is to "offer to another." Someone who offers their concerns for another is compassionate, kindhearted and undoubtedly needed. For all the things caregivers do, from assisting with everyday tasks to providing companionship and a listening ear, they deserve much praise. We offer heartfelt thanks and a special salute to all the caregivers in our community! Happy Caregiver Appreciation Month!!

-From the Management Staff



# Happiness Helper: Practice Gratitude

The Thanksgiving holiday is centered on expressing gratitude, but making it a practice throughout the year can lead to more overall happiness. Taking time to think about the things you appreciate contributes to feelings of optimism and satisfaction and a greater sense of connection to others.



# Dear Friends, Families and Neighbors,

Have fun, meet your neighbors, and enjoy our activities!

Our property strives to create a sense of community among all of our residents. Please join us in our activities this month. We are hosting a Thanksgiving Holiday Special Lunch Party with live entertainment on the Sunday, 19th of November, 2023, between 12 pm and 2 pm, a few days before the actual day of Thanksgiving. Please call the front desk at 303-452-4501 to sign up and RSVP by 13th November 2023, for the Family Thanksgiving Holiday Lunch Party. If you have any questions or comments about the specifics, please feel free to contact us. We look forward to seeing you, and we will be always at your service.



#### Linda H.

Meet our Residents' President, Linda H. We are very happy to inform you that Linda is the voice of our residents' needs. Last month, a yard sale was organized with the help of all staff, residents and Linda herself played a lead role in it. She helps residents in raising funds for running the Bingo activity for the whole community. We are very grateful to what you do and we appreciate you.



#### **Group Exercises**

The community residents always wait for their daily exercise class.

They love doing their group exercises, where they get a chance to see each other and get their morning workout done.



Residents enjoyed participating in the Halloween crafts and were very helpful in making the pumpkin scary faces, which were used as part of the community Halloween decorations.



