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Jefferson Memory Care  
A happier life for everyone...



## Administration Corner

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Hello Friends,

The Jefferson Memory Care family hope you have had a great November. During November the staff received training on staff empowerment and proper transferring. Our residents each have specific care requirements and we are committed to keeping staff up to date with proper transferring implementation.

Dementia Live training will be given to all the staff as well. Dementia Live is a class in which students learn to better understand and empathize with those whom suffer from dementia. Empathy is learned by giving a real life experience of handling the common struggles related to dementia. For example, common tasks are given to students to perform with limitations to the typical senses like vision and hearing. The best caregiving is given by first understanding the frustrations of the individual suffering from this disease.

Christmas is December 25th. From our Jefferson Memory Care family to yours, we hope you have a warm and joyful holiday season. If you have any questions feel free to contact us. 920-541-3520.

-Jeremy Weise and Tim Loesing

## SHINING STAR DECEMBER

Decembers' star employee of the month is Lucy. Lucy has been a huge asset to our company and housekeeping department for nearly half a year now. She is always on time, accurate with her work, positive, and outgoing! She loves to tell stories of her 3 children and always has the most uplifting advice and words for anyone in need. She resides in Fort Atkinson and loves gardening and yard work for a hobby. Lucy has the kindest smile and always lends a listening ear for whoever may need it. We appreciate you so much Lucy! Congrats to you, and a huge thank you for all you do!

## Resident Health Services

Happy Holidays All!

December 1-7th is national handwashing awareness week. Please remember to Wet, Lather, Scrub, Rinse, and Dry to prevent the spread of germs. Seems silly enough to have to say but each year new flu's, colds, and virus' happen and not washing your hands could be the leading cause!

With the Holiday season now here, we want to take time to wish you all a Happy Thanksgiving, Merry Christmas, and Happy New Years from our friends and families to yours!

-With Love, Alex, Angie, Nicole, & Jayden (Resident Health Coordinators)

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*Welcome,  
New  
Residents!*

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- Marilyn
- Chester
- Lance

### Enviromental Services, Bruce Fuller, Enviornmental Services Coordinator

December is the twelfth and final month of the Gregorian calendar and the first month of winter. It derives it's name from the Latin word decem, meaning ten, as December was the tenth month of the oldest Roman calendar. The Latin name is derived from Decima, the middle Goddess of the Three Fates who personifies the present.

December was originally the 10th month in the Roman calendar. The period of January and February didn't really count as months, and the Roman calendar was based on a 304 day year, based on the approximate lunar month of 29 1/2 days. The inventor of the 304 day calendar was Romulus, twin brother of Remus - the same Romulus and Remus who founded Rome around 800 B.C.

December is also: Bingo Month  
Egg Nog Month  
Fruit Cake Month  
Write To A Friend Month

Merry Christmas From your Friends in the  
Environmental Services!!!

## RESIDENT OF THE MONTH

Our Resident of the Month for December is Mike F. Mike is always walking around goofing around with other residents and staff! He has a fun spirit that cannot be tied down, nor would anyone want it to be! He loves movies and will bring snacks down for everyone each week we have one. During Musical Therapy you can find him swooning one of our lovely ladies and showing off his dance moves. We couldn't imagine us without you, Mike! Thank you for choosing us!



## Heather Stachel, Nutritional Services Coordinator

### Holiday Egg Nog Reciepe

- 1 quart milk1 (14 ounce) can sweetened condensed milk
- 2 eggs, beaten well
- 1 teaspoon vanilla extract
- 1 pinch salt

**Whisk together the milk, sweetened condensed milk, eggs, vanilla extract, and salt in a large pitcher until well blended. Cover and refrigerate until chilled, at least 1 hour.**



**Staff Birthdays in December:**



- 12/14- Jeremy W.
- 12/29- Tammy B.

**RESIDENT BIRTHDAYS IN  
DECEMBER:**



- \*12/1- NANCY C.
- \*12/1- LILY B.
- \*12/16- ROBERT R.
- \*12/21- CAROL L.
- \*12/22- LINDA N.
- \*12/29- BARB K.

**New Staff, Welcome!**

- \*Amanda
- \*Jorge

**IN LOVING MEMORY.....**

- \*SHARON R.W.
- \*MARY ANN S.
- \*JEANNE H.



**Upcoming Events!**

**\*Tuesdays- Bible Study at  
11am**

**12/3- Bill & Bonnie  
Stevens Music**

**12/5- Steven Doyle Music**

**12/10- Cowboy Bob Music**

**12/12- Jesse Walker Music**

**12/12- Pet Therapy Group**

**12/19- Patricia Stone  
Music**

**12/20- Xmas Cookie  
Decorating**

**12/24- Bill Webb Music**

**12/31- NYE Party!**

**Christmas Cookie  
Decorating!**



**When: Friday, December  
20th**

**Time: 1:30-3:00pm**

**Where: Bistro**