



Employee Spotlight

Kenlyn has worked at The Elms for 19 years in the Business Office. Before coming to The Elms, she worked at Walmart and the Macomb Journal. Kenlyn and her husband John have been married for 18 years and have 2 daughters - Robin and Kerry and 2 sons - Caleb and Benji. Kenlyn has a beautiful granddaughter named Rylee and another granddaughter on the way due in March 2017. She has a dog named Joey and 3 cats - Abby, Buttercup and Cookie. Her interests include spending time with her husband and family and learning new things. Her hobbies include learning to paint with watercolors and playing her ukulele which she says she is bad at...HA HA! Her favorite thing about working at The Elms is getting to interact with the residents when they come into the office or when she is out and about in the building. She also enjoys her coworkers. The nicest people she's ever met have been at the Elms, both residents and staff. "I love working at the Elms, it's the best job I've ever had" she stated. I guess that is why she has been here for 19 years. Kenlyn was nominated by the Resident Council.

Kenlyn Deckard
Bookkeeper/
Payroll & Accounts
Receivable

The Elms Management Team

Administrator
Tina Cox

**Director of
Business/Personnel**
Gina Bickers

Director of Nursing
Monica Windsor

**Director of Social
Service**
Kassie Streveler

Director of Activities
Jane Hasley

**Director of Food
Service**
Sabrina Pilger

**Director of
Maintenance**
Troy Shirrell

**Director of
Housekeeping and
Laundry**
Melissa Waddill

**Encore!
Skilled Therapy
Director**
Jimmy Manning

Any Management Team
leader can be reached
at
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NOTE FROM THE ADMINISTRATOR

The Elms would like to remind visitors and families that smoking is only permitted outside and 15 feet from the door. Please respect our grounds and use the dispensing areas/receptacles for cigarettes. Please also note that we do not allow vaping, e-cigarettes or any related items by visitors or residents within the facility. We currently have only a minimal amount of residents who were grandfathered into the facility to use e-cigarettes. From the date of October 17, 2016 no longer is it permitted by any visitors or residents other than those select residents (grandfathered by previous e-cigarette policy). These Residents must abide by all the rules associated with these devices and use in the designated areas. This policy also states that such use will be assessed at care plan review quarterly or more often if needed. Thank you for your continued respect of our Residents' environment. Tina Cox

November Horoscopes and Birthdays

In astrology, those born between November 1st and 21st are Scorpios. Scorpios are passionate and assertive leaders who value honesty and fairness above all. Betray a Scorpio and suffer the sting, but befriend a Scorpio, and you will have a friend for life. Those born between November 22nd and 30th are Archers of Sagittarius. Archers are both confident and lucky and so often find success. Their infectious enthusiasm attracts

friends to help them achieve their ambitious and lofty goals.

Marie Antoinette – Nov. 2, 1755
Art Carney – Nov. 4, 1918
John Philip Sousa – Nov. 6, 1854
Carl Sagan – Nov. 9, 1934
Jonathan Winters – Nov. 11, 1925
Petula Clark – Nov. 15, 1932
Mickey Mouse – Nov. 18, 1928
Boris Karloff – Nov. 23, 1887
Tina Turner – Nov. 26, 1939
Mandy Patinkin – Nov. 30, 1952

The Elms Highlights

November
2016



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MISSION STATEMENT: "To create a partnership through life's journey between community, staff, residents, and families. Together we strive to maintain dignity, comfort, and trust."

Celebrating November

**Veterans
Celebration**
November 7

**Adopt A
Grandparent**
November 8

**Resident
Council**
November 17

**Resident
Birthday Party**
November 18

**Morning
Exercise w/
W.I.U.
Students**
November 19

**Movie and
Popcorn**
November 22

**Christmas
Music w/ the
Tolands**
November 29

Resident Birthdays

Carol "Jean" Huff 02
Marie Rigg 04
John Hamm 04
Twila Schrodt 06
Frances Husted 13
Obie Royer 18
Grace Sprinkle 29

Staff Birthdays

Kelly Tracey 13
Tina Jennings 14
Caryn Schenk 18
Chloe Hannen 19
Morgan Rigg 27
Mackenzie Rigg 27
Troy Shirrell 28

Welcome

New Residents: John Hamm, Ruth DeRosa and Elva Jefferson



Our Deepest
Sympathy

We would like to extend our deepest sympathy to the Families of: Joseph Kersting, Howard Emmert, Hazel Friedel, Harry McDaniel and Delores Hodges

Happy
Thanksgiving

TRANSPORTATION UPDATE

Our residents' medical appointments are very important. The Elms request that appointments work with families and loved ones schedule(s). This allows family members to assist in making critical medical decisions with the resident and to provide support as much as possible. If the resident is able to be medically transported by family car we can assist with transfers in and out of the vehicle. When unable to travel by car we can assist in setting up transportation through our Social Service Department. Due to the significant increase in out of town appointments we request that families/responsible parties attempt to seek a visiting physician who travels to Macomb when able. This serves the resident's tolerance much better as well. If you need assistance to find a specialist please contact The Elms and we will assist you in this matter. We would like to be able to assist as many residents as possible by having appointments in town. This allows us to better serve these residents while continuing to serve residents that remain in the facility. If you have any questions or concerns please contact Kassie Streveler Director of Social Service.



November Residents of the month are:

SOUTH
Patricia Waggoner

NORTH
Linda Lynch

Congratulations
Residents of the month will receive a haircut or style and a meal of their choice.

Thanksgiving Day Menu

- Turkey
- Dressing/Gravy
- Green bean casserole
- Cranberry Sauce
- Deviled Eggs
- Dinner Roll
- Pumpkin Pie

Substitute

- Ham/Scalloped Potatoes
- Cream Corn
- Apple Pie



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
 Sparkler Groups Sunrise 8-9:15 a.m. Sparklers 10:15-11 p.m. Horizons 4-4:30 p.m. These programs are Monday – Friday Beauty Shop Open Monday through Friday	9:00 Walking Club 9:00 House calls/1-1 10:30 Exercise/Pet Visit 2:15 Faces and Places-N 2:30 Mini Sparkler-S 4:00 Music W/ Claire-N 5:15 Social SDR	9:00 Walking Club 10:30 Busy Bees 2:30 Bingo-S 4:00 Coloring Club-AR 	9:00 House calls/1-1 9:30 Morning Buzz 10:00 Cheers-AR 10:30 Busy Bees-S 2:15 Card Playing-S 2:15 K&J Salon-S 4:00 Musical Horizons W/ Claire-S	9:00 House Calls/1-1 2:15 Bingo-N 4:30 House Calls-1-1 Visits 5:00 Activity Cart-N 4:00 Music W/ Claire-N 4:45 Music W/ Claire-S 5:15 Newspaper/Social SDR	9:00 House Calls/1-1 Visits 10:00 Morning Exercise-S 2:15 November Bulletin Board-N 	
10:30 Sunday School w/ Joyce Baumgardner-S Family Reminiscing	9:00 House Calls/1-1 10:15 God's Word-AR 2:15 Veteran's Celebration-N 5:00 Activity Cart-S 5:15 Newspaper/Social SDR	9:00 Walking Club 9:00 House calls/1-1 10:10 Adopt A Grandparent 	9:00 Walking Club 10:30 Busy Bees 2:30 Bingo-S 4:00 Coloring Club-AR 	9:00 House calls/1-1 9:30 Morning Buzz 10:00 Cheers-AR 10:30 Busy Bees-S 2:15 Card Playing-S 2:15 K&J Salon-S 4:00 Musical Horizons W/ Claire-S	2:15 Bingo-N 4:00 Horizons Veterans Day (US) Remembrance Day (Canada)	9:00 House Calls/1-1 Visits 10:00 Jeopardy-N 2:15 Afternoon Exercise-AR 3:00 – 5:00 1-1's w/ Claire
10:30 Sunday School w/ Joyce Baumgardner-S 2:30 Vespers Moira Nash & Joyce Baumgardner	9:00 House Calls/1-1 10:15 God's Word-AR 2:15 Bingo-N 5:00 Activity Cart-S 5:15 Newspaper/Social SDR 7:00 Lyrics with Claire-S 7:45 Lyrics with Claire-N	9:00 Walking Club 9:00 House calls/1-1 10:30 Exercise/Pet Visit 2:15 Bread making-N 2:30 Mini Sparkler-S 4:00 Music W/ Claire-N 5:15 Social SDR	9:00 Walking Club 10:30 Busy Bees 2:30 Bingo-S 4:00 Coloring Club-AR 	9:00 House Calls/1-1 10:00 Resident Council-AR 10:30 Busy Bees-S 2:15 Card Playing-S 2:15 K&J Salon-S 4:00 Musical Horizons W/ Claire-S	9:00 House Calls/1-1 10:30 Music-S 2:30 Resident Birthday-S 4:30 House Calls-1-1 Visits 5:00 Activity Cart-N 4:00 Music W/ Claire-N 4:45 Music W/ Claire-S 5:15 Newspaper/Social SDR	9:00 House Calls/1-1 Visits 10:00 Morning Exercise w/ WIU Students-S 2:15 Wheel of Fortune-N
10:30 Sunday School w/ Joyce Baumgardner 2:30 Vespers Maple Avenue Christian Church – N	9:00 House Calls/1-1 10:15 God's Word-AR 2:15 Bingo-N 5:00 Activity Cart-S 5:15 Newspaper/Social SDR	9:00 Walking Club 9:00 House calls/1-1 10:30 Exercise 2:15 Movie/Popcorn-N 2:30 Mini Sparkler-S 5:15 Social SDR	9:00 Walking Club 10:30 Busy Bees 2:30 Bingo-S 4:00 Coloring Club-AR 	 Thanksgiving Day (US)	2:15 Bingo-N 4:00 Horizons 	9:00 House Calls/1-1 Visits 10:00 Who, What & When-N 2:15 Afternoon Exercise-S 3:00 Victory Baptist
10:30 Sunday School w/ Joyce Baumgardner-S 2:30 Colchester Baptist Church-N	9:00 House Calls/1-1 10:15 God's Word-AR 2:15 Bingo-N 5:00 Activity Cart-S 5:15 Newspaper/Social SDR 7:00 Lyrics with Claire-S 7:45 Lyrics with Claire-N	9:00 Walking Club 9:00 House calls/1-1 10:30 Exercise/Pet Visit 2:15 Christmas Music w/ the Tolands -N 2:30 Mini Sparkler-S 4:00 Music W/ Claire-N 5:15 Social SDR	9:00 Walking Club 10:30 Busy Bees 2:30 Bingo-S 4:00 Coloring Club-AR 			

Just A Reminder That With The Holiday Season Upon Us, Make Sure You Call The Elms To Reserve An Area To Have Your Holiday Get Together. Rooms Will Fill Up Fast So Call Now. Rooms Are On A First Call Basis.

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The Elms Christmas Party will be
 Friday, December 16th
 Starting at 2:30

