

CountrySide Lakes

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Mayor Lois Paritsky is welcomed to CSL by Executive Director Trudy Simmons.



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MESSAGE FROM THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

We are a community of good souls. Throughout the year, we come together to support such projects as a walk to end Alzheimer's, food boxes for the needy, and a free shredding event. Later this month, we will be "spring cleaning" apartments for a community yard sale to benefit the American Cancer Society.

Spring cleaning is a great way to de-clutter your space of unwanted items that have accumulated. Donating those items to a charity yard sale is even better.

Our spiritual lives can usually use some tidying up as well. Spring cleaning of the soul can be accomplished by cleaning out the cobwebs of negative thoughts and feelings, clearing the clutter of unmet expectations, and dusting away old resentments and past hurts.

As you spring clean your soul, embrace life in all positivity and experience each moment as it should be.

To our friends and neighbors celebrating Passover this month, we wish you and your loved ones a blessed and meaningful holiday.

MANAGEMENT TEAM

TRUDY SIMMONS - Executive Director
PETER PAKURIS - Marketing Director
KRIS WILLIAMS - Nursing Director
GEORGE GAUNT - Culinary Director
BARBARA LOVELACE - Lifestyle Director
ANDREW SWEENEY - Maintenance Director
CELIA LAUREANO - Housekeeping Director
CHAD OWENS - Physical Therapy Director
SHERI MARCUM - Business Office Manager

TESTIMONIAL VIDEOS



Thank you to everyone who participated in our recent video productions and for sharing wonderful comments about CountrySide Lakes.



Lorraine Sheldon



Stephanie & Karen Rij



Stewart & Marsha Spar



These beautiful ladies are celebrating milestone birthdays. Jane Marine (106) and Jean Dolen (103).



Jenilca Giusti is a top Latin American entertainer who is the daughter of our Director of Housekeeping Celia Laureano.



The CSL Management Team showed its support by attending Jenilca's sold out performance in Orlando.



Ryan Gardner, the beloved member of our Housekeeping Staff with that ever present big smile, celebrated his 20 year anniversary with the company.



"Fresh Fruit Bingo" with Nancy Fleet, Ann Lombardo, Alice Pelphrey, and Joan Dano.



"March Madness" was in full effect. Just ask Pat Kreiger who practiced her free throws to perfection.



FAVORITE MOVIES

Kathy McMinn "An Affair To Remember" **Dennis Ross** "Dances With Wolves" Alberta Rocco "Gone With The Wind" Ron Fogel "Bridge Over The River Kwai" Allan Trueblood "Oueen Bees" Suze Hamilton "As Good As It Gets" George Phillips "Forrest Gump" Nancy Fleet "My Fair Lady" Alice Pelphrey "Sound of Freedom" Art Mountcastle "Quo Vadis"

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

4/1 . JANICE AMROIAN 4/1 . JEANETTE KLEIBER 4/2 . MIKE ENTLER 4/6 . DON MCCARTHY 4/6 . PRISCILLA BRODIE 4/8 . JEAN DOLEN (103) 4/8 . KATHLEEN BORGARO 4/10 ERLINDA ASUNCION 4/10 CHICK JOYCE 4/11 WARREN ANDERSON 4/13 LEFKI DEMOPOULOS 4/15 ROSALIE MCCLINTOCK 4/23 EDITH HOLBROOK 4/24 SUZANNE WALKER 4/24 JOAN LONERGAN 4/26 JANET VACCHIANO

RESIDENT SPOTLIGHT

NANCY FLEET is a New Yorker at heart but loves living in Florida.

Born in Rochester, NY she lived most of her life in Bath, NY having moved there when she was three years old on the day Pearl Harbor was attacked.

After 20 years of being a "snowbird" from New York to Florida, Nancy decided to move to Florida permanently.

She loves to sew and is accomplished at it but her specialty these days is making quilts.

Nancy has three children, six grands, seven great-grands and says ... there's more on the way!



STAFF BIRTHDAYS

4/4 . CARRIE LYKE 4/9 . DEBRA POPE 4/18 ABAGALE KLATTE 4/22 TAMI BENTON 4/25 D'ANDRA SMITH

EMPLOYEE OF THE MONTH



DESTINY FOSTER is a real sweetheart. She is a culinary staff server in the dining room but often spends some of her personal time visiting residents.

She is fond of our residents and very caring when they're together. According to Destiny; "They are wonderful. It's like having grandparents at work."

Born and raised in Ann Arbor, Michigan, Destiny moved to Port Orange in 2018.

She was a senior at Spruce Creek High School when she was hired by CountrySide Lakes.

Family is very important to Destiny especially her four siblings.

She absolutely loves the beach and hanging out with friends in the sun.

Her career goal is to become a geriatric nurse. How perfect!

Congratulations Destiny and good luck in all you do.



THE ART EXHIBIT BY OUR TALENTED RESIDENT BURNEICE MIRANDA IS DISPLAYED ON THE GALLERY WALL IN THE BISTRO.



IT WAS A GREAT DAY TO BE IRISH AT OUR ST. PATRICK'S DAY PARTY. EVERYONE'S FAVORITE BARTENDER / LIFESTYLE DIRECTOR BARBARA LOVELACE SERVED GREEN BEER TO BILL POTTER, PAT BARNES, PAT KREIGER, AND DAVID BRADDISH.

