



## **Resident Spotlight**

Janette Shaff, a Michigan native since the age of 4, retired from crunching numbers as a bookkeeper at John Hancock Insurance for a whopping 35 years. Now, she's been a happy resident at StoryPoint for nearly 2 years. Janette and her husband of 58 years resided in Cooper Township. Janette is a proud mom of 2 and grandmother of 4. Don't miss out on Bingo Wednesdays hosted by Janette at the Inn - she's ready to bring on the fun and welcomes you to join the party!

## Our Staff March Birthdays

March 5 - Cheyanne Carver

March 17 - Tina Grinnell

March 17 - Steven Kominek

March 23 - Shelby Vaughn

March 29 - Eamani Boyd

March 30 - Parris O'Connor

## Associate Spotlight

Please congratulate Tina Grinnell, our March Associate of the Month. Tina has been with the community for 20 years. Tina started as a CNA at The Springs and transitioned to the Assisted Living last April. Tina takes special care creating meaningful experiences for residents who don't get out as often as others. She makes sure that residents in her program, as well as in independent living are able to join in activities that they enjoy.

## Our Resident March Birthdays

March 2 - Marti Kakuk

March 2 - Ed Kozerski

March 14 - Mark Thompson

March 16 - Caroline Gray

March 20 - Elaine Sievers

March 21 - Ed Muller

March 23 - Ed Siwik

March 30 - Ken Long

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## Don't miss this month's exciting events!

#### Music in the Den

Join your neighbors in the Den Monday through Friday for a delightful musical experience. We have some returning musicians and some new.

Monday, March 18 at 6:00 pm You will not want to miss Symphony Violinist and Concertmaster Joanna Steinhauser's performance. More information to come!

#### **New Staff Led Classes and Events**

The next New Resident Welcome Continental Breakfast is on Tuesday, March 19, at 10:30 in the Auditorium. We hope you'll be there!

Celebrate the first day of spring on March 20th with Heidi and a refreshing lemonade mocktail in the Activity Room at 2:30.

#### **Evening Travelogues**

Kyle Schippa will be presenting to our community on Tuesday, March 5th and 19th at 6:00 pm in the Den. Kyle specializes in crafting and delivering engaging travel presentations at retirement communities, libraries, and schools. By integrating his love for nature, photography, history, and storytelling, he brings fond memories to his audiences.

We hope to see you there!

#### More in March

Polly Kragt from Chocolatea Cafe' is coming with tea samples and to talk about types of tea and its history.

The Cheese Lady is coming to show us how to make charcuterie cups.

Let Jennifer know you'll be coming so we're prepared with cups and supplies.

Friday, March 29 at 1:30 is a Catholic and Protestant Good Friday service here.

## **Community Updates**

Welcome to our new residents who chose to make StoryPoint Kalamazoo their home in February!

New February Residents:

Robert Hill Apt 119
Mari Knight Apt 140
Terry Hatfield Apt 160
Nelda Sonday Apt 144
Patrick Reardon Apt 132
Ray & Sharon Vinstra Apt 122
Marge Horton Apt 226
Deborah Chatman 166
Karen Kott 325



### March 2024

Monday, March 4 at 1:00 pm Wright McCargar at the Piano

Tuesdays March 5 and 19 at 6:00 pm Kyle Schippa Travelogue: Where in Michigan Am I? Parts I and 2

Tuesday, March 12 at 10:00 am Tea Talk with Polly Kragt from Chocolatea Cafe'

Wednesday, March 13 at 1:00 and Thursday, March 28 at 1:00 pm
Pianist Helen Lukan

Monday, March 18 at 1:00 pm and Wednesday, March 27 at 1:00pm Pianist Aris Chalin

Monday, March 18 at 6:00 pm Symphony Violinist and Concertmaster Joanna Steinhauser Performance

Tuesday, March 19 at 2:30 pm The Cheese Lady: Charcuterie Cups with Jamie

I:30 Catholic/Protestant Good Friday Service with Rev. Michael VandenBerg and Father Don Klingler Auditorium



## **March Outings**

Monday, March 4 at 4:00 pm Dinner Outing

Wednesday, March 13 at1:30 pm Ice Cream

Wednesday, March 20 at 1:30 pm Airway Lanes Bowling

Monday, March 25 at 2:30 pm Scenic Drive in the Greater Kalamazoo Area

Sign up at the desk.