

## **JUNE 2022 NEWSLETTER**

# **Upcoming Events**

June 9
Horse Race 1:30pm

June 10 Visiting Entertainer Bill Creed 10:30am

June 13 Flag Craft 10:30am

June 17
National Eat Your
Vegetables Day
Fun with Veggies 3:30pm

June 23
June Birthday Party 3pm

**June 28**National Alaska Day
Armchair Travel **3pm** 

July 1 Hot Dogs For Heroes First Responder Event 11:30am-1:30pm



## **KEEPING YOU IN-THE-KNOW**

Join us at the JER Chilton YMCA (1210 N. Goliad St., Rockwall 75087) for a **FREE** Lunch and Learn event from noon to 1 p.m. Thursday, June 16 as Highland Meadows presents a fun and informative program on aging – covering topics like:

Myths on Aging
Sensory, Motor Changes
Medication/Neuropathy/Low Vision
Fall Prevention
Exercise Relationships
Diet & Hydration
Proper Footwear

A to attend and a light lunch is provided!

You do not need to be a member of the YMCA to attend and a light lunch is provided! **RSVP by calling the YMCA at 972-772-9622.** 

#### For the Grad Pad

We recently invited graduating seniors to stop by to sign up to win big prizes in our 'Seniors Supporting Seniors' giveaway! Now in its third year, the program connects college-bound students with senior residents of Highland Meadows, giving graduating seniors the chance to win a big screen TV, mini fridge, and gas cards. Winners also received a handwritten, personal note containing words of wisdom from our residents!!



Congrats to our winners, who were announced on Facebook on May 31:

Kristian Pete – Big Screen TV Rachel Eaton – Mini Fridge

**Haley Petton, Ashlyn Davis, and Alex Hollingsworth** – Gas Cards

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### **Activities Director Lissa Roberts**







Lissa (aka Superwoman) has been busy keeping our residents active and engaged. On National NASCAR Day, residents enjoyed a little racing action of their own! They also discovered ways to have fun with flyswatters, pool noodles, and a balloon!



How does your garden grow? At Highland Meadows - with the help of our residents! Just look at the handiwork of our resident green thumbs!

#### HIGHLAND HIGHLIGHTS



#### **Nurses Week**

It's a bird, it's a plane...No, it's just our awesome team celebrating National Nurses Week. Team members dressed according to our daily themes – including superheroes and groovy 70s!





## EMPLOYEE OF THE MONTH



Please join us in celebrating Lexee Palomo recognized for her character and compassion, dedication to her work, and her passion for patients!

## More Rehab Success Stories!



We love celebrating patient achievements, especially as they are discharged home following intensive rehab – able to function independently and resume their activities of daily living.

Charles Armstrong is one such patient, and we were blessed to receive a beautiful letter of appreciation from him, thanking our doctors and staff for the care and support he received while at Highland Meadows. Here's an excerpt from his letter, which he asked us to share. Thank you, Charles!

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