November 2022 - We hope you will enjoy this monthly update bringing you the scoop on all that's happening among our Beechwood community.

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Remembering a Friend from Asbury Pointe



Over the summer we lost a special friend at Asbury - Mr. Carl (Jake) Jacobs. Jake was born in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. The family moved to Kenmore, NY when Jake was a boy. He attended Kenmore High School and the University of Buffalo, where he was a proud member of Theta Chi fraternity. He served in the Navy and returned to Buffalo and married Joanie Breeser, a young nursing student. They were married for 62 years and raised three children: C. Donald Jacobs, Jr., Julie (David) Henry, and Jack (Jennifer) Jacobs. Over the years, they welcomed six grandchildren: Alayla (Henry) Ende, Alyssa Henry, Kaitlyn (Henry) Engel, and Michael, Grace and Ava Jacobs.

Jake worked his entire career as a salesman and office manager at Seneca Paper Company. There is nothing Jake loved more than spending time with friends and family. He was a passionate reader and critical thinker and a courteous and amiable conversationalist. He gave people

the gift of his full attention and was always interested to learn more about what others were thinking. He enjoyed a game of bridge and taught the game to many over the years. Joanie and Jake treasured their years together with their new friends at Asbury Pointe and flourished in this welcoming community.

Jake was rarely seen without a book by his side, and the family is so pleased that the library at Asbury Pointe will be benefitting from the donations given in his name.

October was a Very Busy Month



October was National Physical Therapy month!

Beechwood Continuing Care appreciates our amazing staff who care for our Wesley

Rehabilitation and Beechwood Homes residents. They work with our residents to restore functional movement through exercise to improve their mobility and quality of life.

A HUGE thank you to all our Physical Therapy staff for all you do!





On October 2, we celebrated Healthcare Food Service Worker Appreciation Week. These dedicated staff make it their priority to prepare and serve healthy and tasty meals to our residents every day. They are an integral part of our organization and we APPRECIATE all they do to nourish our residents.



Thank you Diana Miller, the Director of Administrative Services who oversees our food service department. This year, she celebrated 35 at Beechwood!



October 3, we kicked off Active From nature walking through Aging Week in which we celebrate aging and the benefits of active living at any age.



the wildlife sanctuary at Presbyterian Village at North Church, to indoor cycling at Asbury to "pumpkin" bowling at Beechwood. Our residents stay active all year-long.





Case Management Week was October 9. Case management is a collaborative process of assessment, planning, facilitation, care coordination, evaluation and advocacy for options and services to meet an individual's and family's comprehensive health needs through communication and available resources to promote patient safety, quality of care, and cost effective outcomes.

Here is Rachel, our case manager from Ken-Ton Presbyterian Village. Rachel manages our Enriched Housing program, which is an option available to our Ken-Ton residents that provides meals, housekeeping and laundry services to those residents.

Thank you for making sure that our Enriched Housing residents receive the optimum level of care that we can provide.



Every year, in the last week of October, we celebrate the important role that facility team members have in ensuring a safe and efficient environment for all patients, residents, visitors and staff within our Homes.



Thank you to our maintenance teams at Beechwood (left), Ken-Ton Presbyterian Village (middle), Presbyterian Village at North Church (right) and Asbury Pointe.



Ken Keenan & Judy Reifstock provide spiritual care to our residents daily with regular church services, bible study and communion. They also visit with residents who are in need of spiritual care.

We are blessed to have them on our team.



The Bills Make Us Want to Shout!













A special thank you to Diana Voit who graciously allowed us to showcase her Bills Collection.

Happy Halloween from Our Friends at Asbury







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