



# Arlington Place Red Oak



**February 2017**

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### **Hello Friends,**

Well, I wonder if Punxsutawney, Pennsylvania's worldwide famous groundhog, Phil, will see his shadow February 2<sup>nd</sup>! According to folklore, if the weather is cloudy when a groundhog emerges from its burrow on February 2, then spring will come early that year. If it is sunny, the groundhog will see its shadow and head back inside – and winter will continue for another six weeks.



Hopefully he doesn't so spring comes soon!

The tradition of Groundhog Day began as a custom among the German community in the US state of Pennsylvania in 1887. It then became a worldwide holiday when the movie "Groundhog Day" starring Bill Murray hit theaters in 1993.

I am ready for warmer weather and flowers blooming!

**-Emily Weeks, LEC**

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**Sweetheart Social  
February 13<sup>th</sup> at 2:00 p.m.**

Valentine's Day is soon approaching! In order to celebrate this holiday of LOVE, I want to invite YOU and your loved ones to Arlington Place's semi-formal Sweetheart Social. This event will take place in the Arlington Dining Room. We will have romantic music, sweet refreshments, and be surrounded by the people we love.

*There will be a coronation of the Sweetheart King and Queen. Nominations will be taken at the "snack table" in the Arlington Dining Room.*



**A Note from Our Culinary Coordinator, Pam Ehlers**

Happy New Year to you all from the fabulous Culinary Staff. Even though the weather is very unpredictable lately, we will still enjoy our tasty soups!

We will begin part of the "Birthday Spotlight" in February, where the residents will be able to choose their noon meal for their birthday. In the event we have two birthdays on one day, we will split the meals between the noon and evening meal.

I am very excited to see who chooses what for their special day!

**Dare to Dream**

Ms. Dolly Barr, as we all know, LOVES to sing and most especially dance. Entertainer, Aaron Shoemaker, performed his amazing sing and dance show of covers from the ever-so-famous Frank Sinatra, Elvis Presley, and Dean Martin. As he had everyone blushing with his smooth-talking and beautiful singing voice, he asked Ms. Dolly for a dance and her dream had come true!



Starting in the month of February we will be taking bi-monthly trips to the Red Oak Public Library.

Our first trip of the month will be **Monday, February 6<sup>th</sup> at 2:00 p.m.**

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**Monday, February 20<sup>th</sup> at 2:00 p.m.**

*Sign-up sheet is on the “snack table” in the Arlington Dining Room.*

### **February Birthday Spotlights!**



Helen Orme – February 20<sup>th</sup>

Harriett Turner – February 21<sup>st</sup>

Edie Bergantzel – February 21<sup>st</sup>

These lucky birthday gals will be featured in an “All About Me” article. Also, because it is their special day they will be able to choose their favorite noon meal the day of their birthday.



### **What is going on this month?**

Thursday, Feb. 2<sup>nd</sup> – Groundhog Day... will he see his shadow?

Sunday, Feb. 5<sup>th</sup> – Super Bowl Sunday... Game is on at 6:30 p.m. in Arlington Living Room

Monday, Feb. 13<sup>th</sup> – Sweetheart Social... starting at 2:00 p.m. in Arlington Dining Room

Tuesday, Feb. 14<sup>th</sup> – Valentines Day... Also, Pianist Carmen Nicholson will be our entertainment at 3:00 p.m.  
**NO TRIVIA ON THIS DAY**

Wednesday, Feb. 15<sup>th</sup> – Resident Council Meeting... Welcoming Elvera Johnson to the committee!

Thursday, Feb 16<sup>th</sup> – Mennonite Choir at 7:00 p.m.

Friday, Feb 17<sup>th</sup> – RESIDENT COUNCIL MEETING at 11:00 a.m.

Thursday, Feb. 23<sup>rd</sup> – Sing Along with Marilyn Flemming at 3:00 p.m.

Tuesday, Feb 28<sup>th</sup> – Mardi Gras Celebration at 3:00 p.m.  
(we will celebrate during TRIVIA!)



# FEBRUARY



## Super Bowl Sunday February 5<sup>th</sup>



Sunday, February 5<sup>th</sup> the New England Patriots will battle the Atlanta Falcons in the 2017 Super Bowl! Arlington Place is going to treat you to a Super Bowl Party after dinner on the 5<sup>th</sup>. The big game will begin at 6:30 p.m. in the Arlington Living Room. Refreshments will be provided.

*Who will you be routing for?!*



“BINGO!” fun with Nishna Productions



Mildred Peterson and Entertainer  
Aaron Shoemaker

## January Memories



Aaron Shoemaker sings to Dolores Fort



Shirley Honeyman celebrates her  
birthday!





Lissi Curtis and her daughter Bianca at the Red Coach Inn Restraunt



Aileen Schafer celebrates her birthday!



Lissi, Bianca, Ken, Relda, Caroline, Barbara, Lois, and Aileen at the Red Coach Inn & Restaurant



Aaron Shoemaker had quite the audience! Good thing he will be back September of 2017! ☺

