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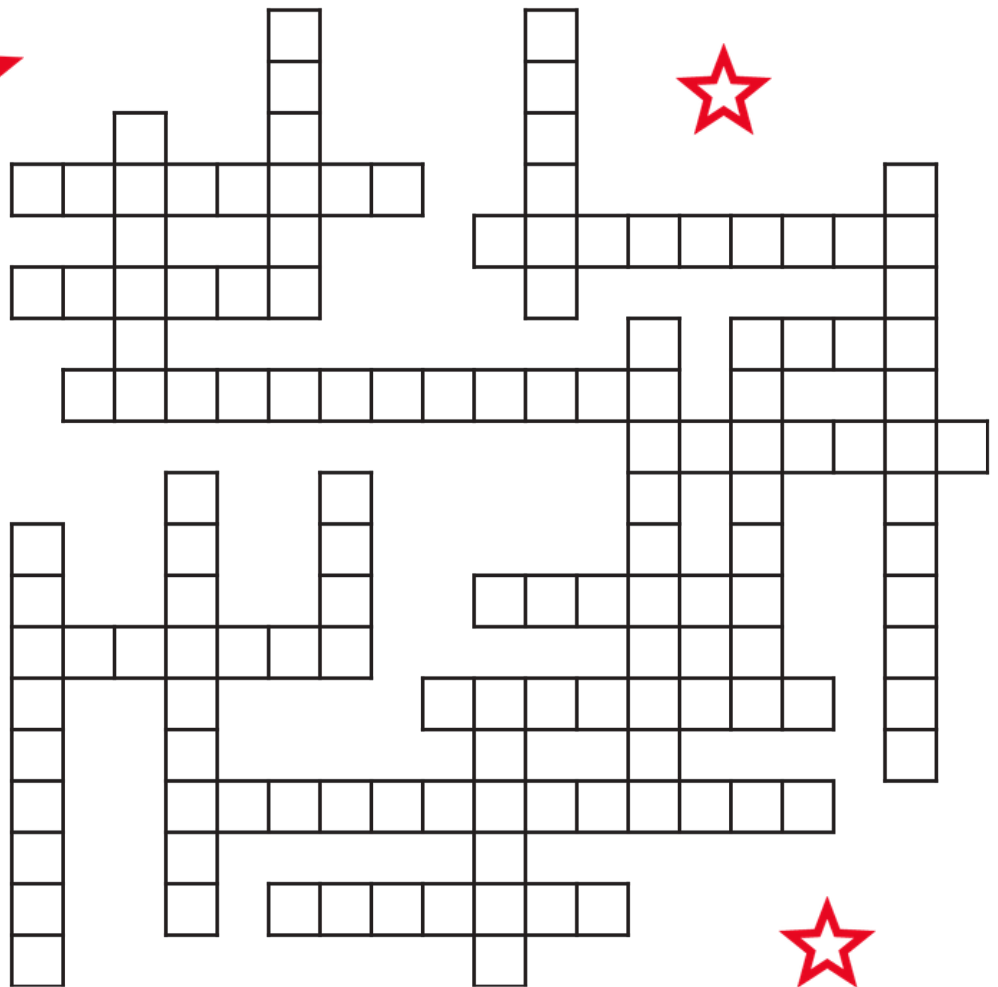
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July 2026 Newsletter

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Crossword Challenge



ACROSS

4. American President who was born on July 4th, Calvin ____.
6. Founding Father and third President of the United States.
7. Public procession that might occur on July Fourth.
9. Red, white and ____.
10. City in which the Declaration of Independence was signed.
11. Nickname for the American flag, stars and ____.
15. Open air meal popular on July Fourth.
16. Symbol of freedom located in the New York City Harbor: Statue of ____.
17. Number of original colonies that declared independence.
19. Fight for American independence: The ____ War.
20. Famous signer of the Declaration of Independence: John ____.

DOWN

1. Patriotic song often sung on Independence Day: Yankee ____.
2. National anthem of the United States: The Star-Spangled ____.
3. The day of the month on which America declared its independence.
5. Founding document of the United States: The Declaration of ____.
8. First President of the United States.
9. Cooking outdoors on a grill.
12. Light show often seen on the 4th of July.
13. Month in 1776 when the Declaration of Independence was signed.

14. National bird of the United States.
18. Commonly consumed food on July 4th.

Bald Eagle	Jefferson
Banner	July
Barbecue	Liberty
Blue	Parade
Coolidge	Philadelphia
Doodle	Picnic
Fireworks	Revolutionary
Fourth	Stripes
Hancock	Thirteen
Hot Dog	Washington
Independence	

JULY

July means enjoying ice lollies, picnics, and staying cool.

Fridays feature performances by Lesley Ann, Craig Thurlow, and Sammy Dean, plus a visit from Michelle with her petting animals. We also focus on self-care with

massages and Reiki. It's an exciting month with Wimbledon and World Cup finals, and we're eager for the water showdown between staff and residents. This month, we explore Italy from our armchairs, filled with laughter and camaraderie, enjoying summer from afar.

We imagine children running through piazzas, their laughter mixing with the aroma of pizza and flowers. The air buzzes with anticipation, and evenings are spent dreaming under stars. Our virtual visit blends relaxation and exhilaration, basking in the warmth of the Italian sun and cherished companionship from home. Days are filled with creative pursuits like sketching, sampling Italian wines, and exploring vibrant markets and ruins.





EMPLOYEE

—OF THE MONTH



BINCY

SAMMY DEAN PERFORMANCE

We enjoyed the wonderful performance by Sammy Dean on Friday. His repertoire included old favourites and classic crooner songs, perfect for singing along. Both residents and staff joined in the fun, dancing and singing together. The atmosphere was electric, with laughter and joy filling the air as Sammy's smooth voice resonated throughout the room. His charisma and charm were undeniable, drawing everyone into the moment and creating an unforgettable experience. The highlight of the afternoon was his captivating solo performance, leading to heartfelt applause from the audience. As the day went on, the sense of community and camaraderie only grew stronger, leaving everyone with cherished memories and a shared sense of happiness. Sammy Dean's performance truly brought warmth and joy to all who were present.





Happy Father's Day

Wishing you a day filled with love, joy, and appreciation.
Thank you for being a strong, supportive, and inspiring
figure in our lives

HAPPY FATHER'S DAY

Father's Day presents a perfect opportunity to celebrate the special bond between fathers and their families, especially when the sun is shining brightly. Gathering outdoors allows for a relaxed and joyful atmosphere, where laughter and love can fill the air. Imagine a setting adorned with heartfelt decorations and thoughtful gifts, each lovingly selected to honor Dad. As you share stories and cherish the company of loved ones, the sun casts a golden glow over the celebration, making it a truly memorable Father's Day.



Tarot Symbolism



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Exploring Crystals

We had a great time exploring all the different crystals, delving into their composition and where they are found. We examined the various uses of crystals in modern life, as well as their traditional applications in astrology and therapy. We tried out some crystal treatments and experienced the different ways that the crystals can affect the body's systems, finding the treatment to be very relaxing.



Religious Ministrations



We had our visit from Sheila, our minister from St. John the Baptist Church. Our residents were grateful for their communion and the thoughtful discussions that her reading inspired.



Craig Thurlow skillfully played the guitar, creating a lively atmosphere as he took requests from the enthusiastic crowd. His fingers danced effortlessly across the strings, filling the air with vibrant melodies and energizing rhythms. We sang along to each familiar tune, our voices blending harmoniously as we swayed and danced to the music. Friends and family gathered around, clapping their hands and tapping their feet in time with the beat. The joyful scene was a testament to the power of music to bring people together, creating unforgettable memories under the starlit sky.





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Flower Crowns: Crafting Floral Royalty

We turned into floral royalty, crafting our own flower crowns straight from the garden's treasure trove! With nimble fingers, we twisted willow branches into custom headbands and wove in a tapestry of vibrant blooms, filling them with the garden's kaleidoscope of colors and fragrances.

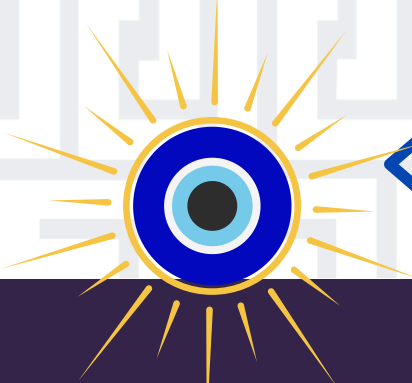




Exploring Spain

Imagine a beautifully decorated trolley making its way through the halls, laden with Spanish delights. This trolley, adorned with vibrant colors and patterns, carries the essence of Spain to our residents' rooms. It's filled with an array of tapas, offering a taste of the country's rich culinary heritage. Alongside, glasses of sangria accompany the feast, their deep red hues evoking the warmth of the Spanish sun. This journey of flavors brings a piece of Spain to each resident, creating an atmosphere of festivity and delight. As the trolley travels, it spreads joy and a sense of community, turning an ordinary day into a celebration of culture and connection.





GREEK



Exploring Greece.

Not only did we travel to Spain, but also Greece. More fantastic foods and drinks for our trolley. We visited the residents for a taste of Greek culture, tastes, and sounds. From our armchairs, we imagined the vibrant streets of Athens alive with the aroma of freshly baked pastries and the sound of traditional music wafting through the air. We pictured ourselves wandering through ancient ruins, marveling at the remnants of a bygone era, each stone telling its own story of a rich and storied past.

In our minds, we visited the quaint village of Santorini, where the whitewashed houses with their iconic blue domes created a stunning contrast against the azure sea. We savored the thought of authentic Greek dishes like moussaka and souvlaki, each bite bursting with flavors that seemed to dance on our tongues.



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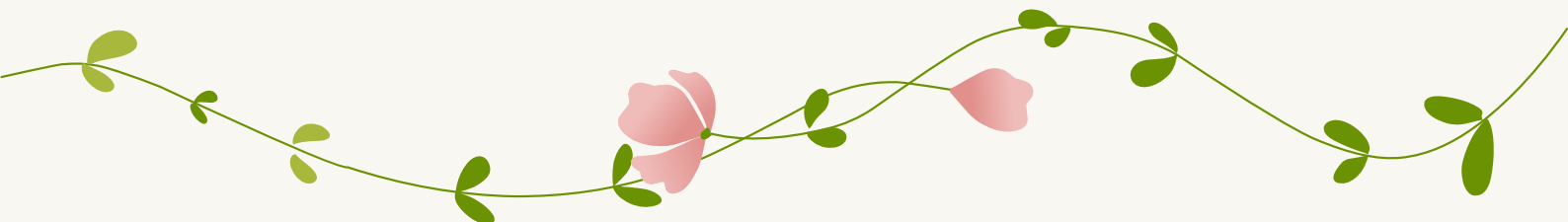
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