



## **Staff Directory**

Executive Director	Benjamin King
Director of Sales & Marketing	Sofia Villagas
Memory Care Director	Aileene Cargill
Executive Chef	Melanie Young
Maintenance Director	Jerry Swearingen
Resident Care Coordinator	Megan Gresham
Activities Coordinator	Kristene Farley
Administrative Assistant	Ashley Richardson



#### **APRIL 2025**

# Spring Into April With Us!



As we welcome the beautiful month of April, we look forward to longer days, warmer weather, and plenty of activities to engage our residents. From Easter celebrations to outdoor gardening, we have a month full of joy and connection ahead.

Wishing you all a fantastic April,
The Stone Valley Memory Care Team



### **April Happenings**

- Wilbur D. May Museum- April 9th at 10am \$5/senior
- ECCS Music- Wednesday, April 9th, at 2pm free
- Easter Luncheon- Thursday, April 17th, at 12pm w/ Ms. Smiley first guest free, then \$10 each. RSVP by 4/14
- Curtis McDonald- Friday, April 18th, at 10:30 free
- Handel's Ice Cream Outing-Tuesday, April 22nd, at 1:15pm

More events could be added or cancelled, just call for updates. 775-746-2200. We will do our best to make each event happen. Family is responsible to RSVP for space on the bus and pay the entrance fees of all field trips. You may also join in your own car if the bus gets full.





**MEMORY CARE** 

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## **Location Key**

DR Dining Room
BA Activities Room
ML Main Living Room
CC Community Courtyard
C Community
PT Physical Therapy
BL Back Living Room
FT Field Trip

# Resident & Staff Birthdays

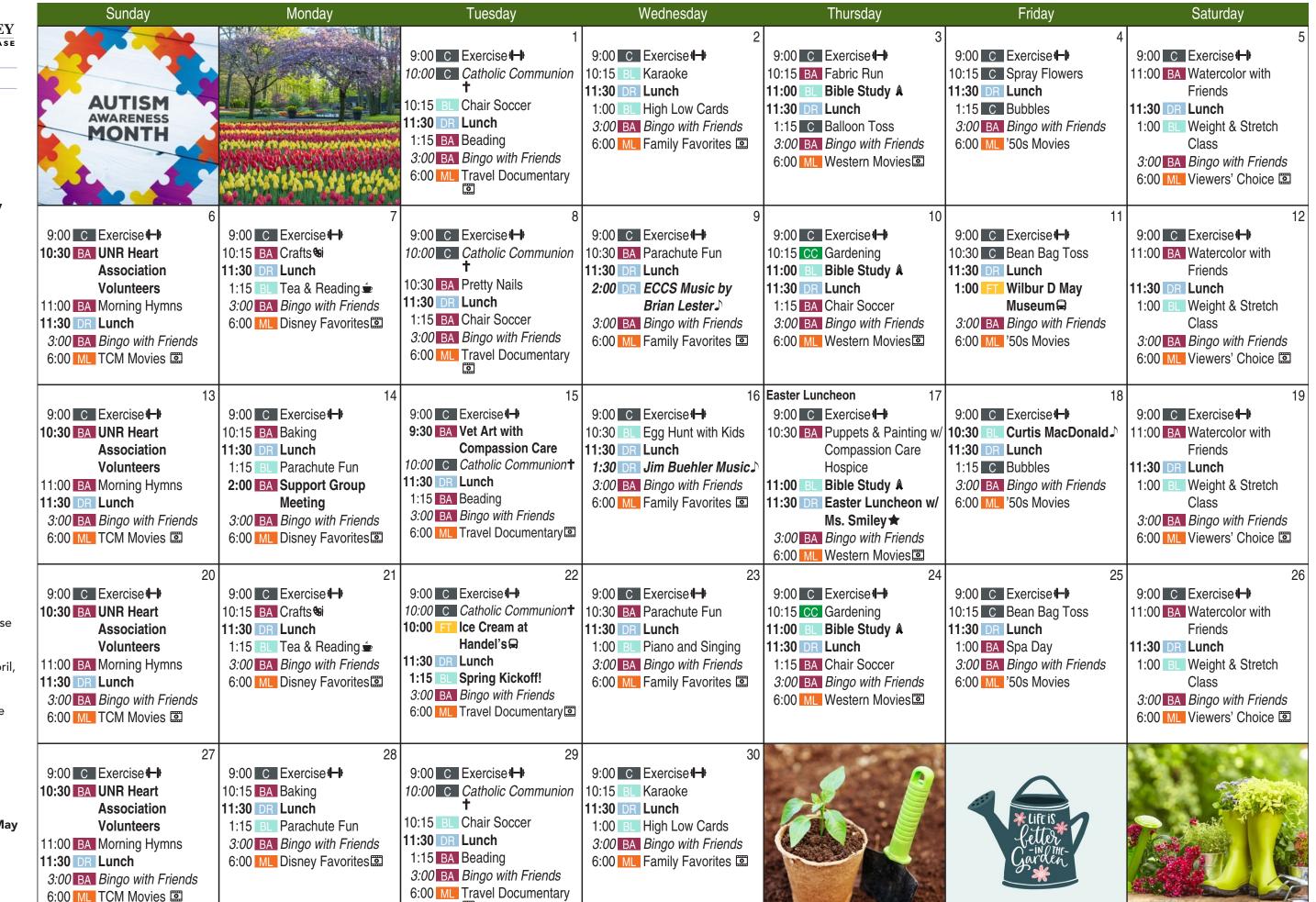
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# Parkinson's Awareness

A neurodegenerative disorder, Parkinson's disease affects 10 million people worldwide and about 1 million in the U.S. Every April, Parkinson's Disease Awareness Month offers opportunities to learn more about this condition and discover ways to provide support.

"April is a promise that May is bound to keep."
—Hal Borland



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# Easter Luncheon April 17th at 11:30am

We invite you to join us for our Easter Celebration! We will serve a beautiful lunch and have live entertainment by Silver Strings. There will be a \$10 charge for each person after 1 guest. Please RSVP by 4/14 either by email/ phone call/ or in person to the concierge. 775-746-2200 svconcierge@tarantinoseniorliving.com



## Flowers and Veggies Coming Soon!

We will be starting up our Gardening program this month. This month, we are focusing on getting our planters ready. Please consider donating either flowers or veggies for our residents to plant in May! I would like to have a pink, yellow, orange and white theme for flowers. We started some seeds of flowers so hopefully we will have success with those as well!



### Thank a Tree

Planting trees on Arbor Day, April 25th—or any day—is a popular way for people to help the planet. That's because trees get 90% of their nutrition from the air around them, in the form of carbon dioxide. Using energy from the sun, a tree converts CO2 into food and releases oxygen back into the air. Since excess CO2 is damaging to the environment and we need oxygen to breathe, trees are truly important for the ecosystem. Scientists say trees are the best method of offsetting carbon emissions, largely because they live so long and take a long time to decompose.

### Wit & Wisdom

"So before long we can open the windows wide and let spring in, and we can go out to the park or sit on a hillside and let spring into us."

—Hal Borland
"I feel that it is healthier to look
out at the world through a
window than through a mirror.
Otherwise, all you see is yourself
and whatever is behind you."

—Bill Withers

"A smile is the light in your window that tells others that there is a caring, sharing person inside."

—Denis Waitley
"Falling asleep while the rain is
clashing down on the window is
nature's best lullaby."

—Kim Pape
"Look out of the window and
you have a finer sight than any
painter has ever placed on a
piece of canvas."

—lain Pears
"If a window of opportunity
appears, don't pull down the

—Tom Peters
"It's hard to look back at the past and feel some regret, but it's really exciting to look to the future and see a window of hope."

—Nadine Sadaka Boulos "My favorite journey is looking out the window."

-Edward Gorey

"Tomorrow morning, when the sun shines through your window, choose to make it a happy day."

—Lynda Resnick







