

Tech Corner



Introducing SagelyTV!

There is a new TV set up in the front Dining Room of Assisted Living. This TV is designed and purchased for the purpose to be used for Life Enrichment programming.

Sagely TV will offer a scrolling resident channel (for now only on this TV) that is meant to remain on at all times, unless used for other approved programming needs.

This TV will have the capacity to stream TV through the use of a device called a "fire stick". The remotes to both the TV and the streaming device will be locked up in the Life Enrichment Office. Please see the Life Enrichment department for further questions.

Historical trivia on St. Patrick's Day

1. St. Patrick was born in Roman Britain (4th century AD). He was forced into slavery by Irish Raiders. At age 16, he believed GOD was calling him to Christianize Pagan Ireland. He escaped slavery and became a missionary for the Roman Catholic Church and chose the name "Patrick" which means "father figure". Using the Shamrock as a symbol to explain the Trinity he converted Pagans or Nomad groups to Christianity.
2. Blue, not green, was the color traditionally associated with Ireland and St. Patrick's Day. In 1541, King Henry VIII declared himself the first ENGLISH king of Ireland. He symbolized his flag with a gold harp on a blue background. In 1798, during the Irish Rebellion, the shamrock became the symbol for nationalism and the "wearing of the green".
3. The Chicago River has been dyed green for over fifty years. Using green vegetable dye to check for dumped sewage, the city determined the dye could be used to symbolize St. Patrick's day in downtown Chicago. It takes 40 pounds of dye, lasting hours to 2 days, to turn the river the shade of green it is known for.
4. It is believed St. Augustine, FL held the first St. Patrick's Day parade in 1601 as a way to honor and bless the maize crops growing in the fields. The second oldest parade has been held in Boston, MA since 1737 and the third is NYC (1762).

WELCOME TO OUR COMMUNITY!

Our Beautician is Sharon Davis and to set up appointments, please call her at (864) 354-3171.

Life Enrichment is able to shop for you if you need items. Either provide me with a list and cash or it can be billed to your account. There are certain items I cannot purchase. See Becky (AL) or Lissa (IL) for more information.

Please remember to sign up for all outings. Sign up sheets are listed on the bulletin board outside the Life Enrichment Office (AL). We may need to take turns as the bus has limited seating availability.

I need to make it fair for everyone to get a chance to go.

Reminder: There will not be bus rides during inclement weather for your safety as well as ours. We reserve the right to cancel an outing if conditions (snow, sleet, rain, wind, or even heat) may be hazardous.

Contact information: www.thewillowsofeasley.com (864) 855-9800.
Events are subject to changes based on daily individual preferences.

March 2020

The Willows of Easley Whispering Willows

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OF EASLEY**
A GRACE MGMT COMMUNITY

"The meeting of preparation with opportunity
generates the offspring we call luck."

— Anthony Robbins

Time to plan our garden!

Please join Becky in Life Enrichment to plan and determine the Secret Garden 2020.

The Secret Garden club will meet on the
first day of Spring.

Friday, March 20th, 2020 at 1:15pm

Parlor (or front porch weather pending).

We need to layout a Shade garden with plants
and perennial bulbs for a seasonal garden.

If anyone knows anyone seeking volunteer time
and can build, please contact Becky. We need to
rebuild our raised bed or create a new raised bed
space that is both wheelchair
and walker friendly.

Famous March Historical Events

- (1889) Eiffel Tower opens in Paris, France
- (1918) Spanish Flu desimates 100 million people
- (1932) Lindbergh Baby vanishes
- (1946) Prime Minister Winston Churchill warns
of "Iron Curtain" sweeping across Europe

Happy Birthday to:

Jackie Wuestenhagen (1st); Margaret Godbee & Rebecca Ramey (5th);
Heather Witt (9th); Ashley Davis (14th); Glenn Hayes (16th);
Margaret Davis (20th); Faye Hudson (27th).