

The Graceful Connection

March 2023



Latest News from the Vintage Park at Gardner Newsletter

Hello family and friends, and welcome to another addition of Vintage Park of Gardner's monthly newsletter. As we progress through the next few months we will be connecting our residents to the Lifeloop app and eventually connecting family as well. This app will help us communicate with each other in a similar fashion as Facebook, but private access to only our community residents and families. We will be able to share pictures and stories easier, as well as make it easier for families to see what everyone's up to.

These are really exciting times here and we hope everyone enjoys the fresh new look of the calendars and newsletters this app has already let us create.

Grace Signature Events



Community Updates

Last month we kept busy with a bunch of Valentine's Day themed activities. After our monthly trip to Walmart, we had our auction as well on the 2nd. Then we made Valentine's Day Chex mix on the 9th and 10th, so we could enjoy some for the 14th. Also on the 9th, we made a trip up to crown center to visit Chips Chocolate Factory to buy another round of sweets for ourselves. On Valentine's Day we crowned our King and Queen and celebrated with even more sweets. Unfortunately we couldn't visit Union Station on the 16th, as it was the day after the Super Bowl Parade and we had issues setting everything up. We've rescheduled the Union Station trip for the 9th of March. Finally on the 23rd we went to lunch at K@M BBQ in Spring Hill.

BIRTHDAYS

Donna Kinsler
3/26/1946

E V E N T S

This month we will find ourselves just as busy as the last. On the first Thursday of the month we will have our Walmart trip. Then on the 9th we will hold our first March Madness Free Throw Contest. Also on the 9th we have planned our Lunch Outing for the month at a local Chinese restaurant here in Gardner and our rescheduled trip to Union Station. After that on the 16th we've planned another trip to the Casino to spend all our hard earned bingo quarters. Finally on the 23rd we elected to go to a local pool hall to shoot some pool. In arts and crafts this month the residents liked the Valentine's Day Chex mix so much that they wanted to make more, so we're making St. Patrick's Day Chex mix this month.

N E W S

At the end of last month we started participating in a Monday matinee for seniors. The theater in Ottawa plays classic movies, with free admission, a free drink, and free popcorn to seniors. On the last Monday of each month we plan to head that way and enjoy each show.

Another activity we've started is a lunch outing, in the local area, each month. In February we decided on K@M BBQ and next month will be at a local Chinese restaurant, and there's talk of Jumping Catfish.

Also this month we have some exciting news that two of our residents are getting married here in our building on the 24th of March. Stanley Crawford and Jan Winston are the happy couple, and everyone here wishes them the best.

NEW RESIDENTS

None this month



VINTAGE PARK
AT GARDNER
A GRACE MGMT COMMUNITY



Our Kitchen Staff

MEET OUR TEAM

Jodi Bergkamp - Executive Director
Kim Matuszewski - Wellness Director
Anita Kemppainen - Assistant
Wellness Director
Derrick Nelsen - Dining Services

Director
Keith Bergkamp - Maintenance
Director
Kevin Nelsen - Life Enrichment
Coordinator

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<div><div></div><div>VINTAGE PARK AT GARDNER A GRACE MGMT COMMUNITY</div></div>		<div>March 2023</div> <div>Monthly Events and Activities</div>					<div>869 Juniper Terrace Gardner, KS 66030 913-856-7643 www.vintageparkassistedliving.com</div>	
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Activity Types	
			<div><div>● 9:30 Sittercise (FR)</div><div>● 10:00 Book Club (FR)</div><div>● 2:00 Bingo (FR)</div></div>	<div><div>● 9:00 Walmart Trip (FR)</div><div>● 2:00 Movie and Popcorn (FR)</div></div>	<div><div>● 9:30 Sittercise (FR)</div><div>● 10:00 Resident Council (FR)</div><div>● 2:00 Bingo (FR)</div></div>	<div><div>● MO Mending with Linda (FR)</div></div>	<div><div>● Creativity</div><div>● Curiosity</div><div>● Fun</div><div>● Purpose</div></div>	
							Locations	
							FR - Front Room BR - Back Room O.O.F. - Out of Facility	
							Happy Birthday!	
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Events are Subject to Change.

