



# The Graceful Connection

MAY 2025



***Happy Retirement Dave! Time to create a new chapter.***

## Artistry

Glad summertime is graced with artistry  
Of flowers in multi-rhythmed tracery  
Like fragile balls of white and purple phlox,  
And blushing faces of tall hollybocks;  
Long spears of foxglove reaching high  
And meadow daisies laughing at the sky;  
Bright flares of asters, charming and sedate,  
And shy petunias by the garden gate,  
Red roses throwing perfume to the breeze  
While honeysuckle caters to the bees.  
The morning glories awaken with the sun  
And four-o'clocks tell when the day is done.  
These are at the strokes of life and hope, the lines  
Glad summertime artistically designs.

Harold A. Schulz

## Grace Signature Events



## Community Updates

What a busy month we have had! April was about celebrating our Volunteers that help us so much! We greatly appreciate all of their hard work.

Some other events that have taken place are potting flowers for the patio's, enjoying a delicious Earth Day Smoothie with friends, our Spring Fling and Dave's Retirement Party.

We took a trip to The Phoenix Theatre to see Jersey Boys, we've had vendors, art classes and lots of entertainment; new and old alike.

Some of our residents enjoyed a delicious Seder here for Passover at The Ranch Estates

## BIRTHDAYS

Chet H. - 4th

Sandy G. - 17t

Ann K. - 27th



# E V E N T S

*Happy May! Get your favorite hat's out of the closet and wear them on May 1st. We have our Grandpals coming on May 1st to spend time with the Residents that write to them throughout the school year. We will be in the lobby from 9:15-11:15 a.m. The Mother's Day Tea will be on May 7th at 11:00. There is a presentation on Veteran's & Survivors Benefits on May 8th at 1:00. Some of the ladies are going out to The English Rose Tea Room in Carefree for lunch & Tea on the 9th. There will be a family children's choir here on the 17th at 1:00. I have invited a new vendor to our community to bring her Custom Creations on May 21st. Make sure you see what kind of gift ideas she has for you. We are celebrating Mystery Month on the 30th, don't miss out!*

# N E W S

May is a month full of movement, mystery, and meaningful moments! We'll start strong with National Fitness Day on May 3rd, so look out for fun ways to get active, stretch, and celebrate the joy of movement together. Throughout the month, we're also celebrating Mystery Month, so don't be surprised if you find secret clues, surprise guests, or a few puzzling twists in your favorite activities. We'll also take time to honor some very special people with our Mother's Day celebrations. Whether you're a mother, celebrating a mother, or cherishing the memory of one, it's a time to feel and share the love. And as May winds down, we'll pause for Memorial Day to reflect on and remember the brave individuals who served our country. From festive to reflective, this month is full of opportunities to connect, celebrate, and enjoy all the little surprises along the way.

## NEW RESIDENTS

Rosie Paluch 209



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## Game Day!

## MEET OUR TEAM

Gretchen B. - Executive Director  
Melissa B. - Sales & Marketing Director  
Nicole C. - Business Office Manager  
Chris H. - Dining Services Director  
Christie - Wellness Director

Ronda R. - Life Enrichment Director  
Chloe M. - Maintenance Assistant  
Rosie V. - Dining Supervisor  
David D. - Driver

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