



HELLO
December

Important Dates

12/3	TN Baptist Children's Home
12/5	P.F. Chang's
12/4	Jingle & Mingle
12/5	Walker Decorating
12/10	Chattanooga Boys' Choir
12/12	Donuts with Directors
12/12	Wellness Checks
12/12	Annual Christmas Party
12/13	Mellow Mushroom
12/13	Music with Wes
12/18	Carols & Cocoa
12/18	Open Floor with Katie
12/18	Christmas Lights Tour
12/19	J. Alexander's
12/19	Tour of Trees
12/19	Christmas Lights Tour
12/23	Health Chat with Legacy
12/24	Christmas BINGO
12/27	December Birthday Party
12/28	Music with Jordan
12/31	New Year's Eve Party



Christmas Light Tour

There are 2 opportunities for our Annual Christmas Lights Tour with Leslie! Residents are only allowed to sign up for ONE of the trips! The bus will leave at 6pm on December 18th & 19th and will return around 8:30pm.

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Christmas Events

Mark your calendars with these important dates during December!

- December 3rd: TN Baptist Children's Home
- December 10th: Christmas Concert with the Chattanooga Boys' Choir at 6 pm
- December 12th: Annual Christmas Party! RSVP for you & your 4 guests required by December 5th
- December 18th: 2nd Annual Carols & Cocoa! Join us for a small Christmas Concert by Tori & Katie.
- December 19th: Tour of Trees with Music Performance by Butch



Walmart Trips

The holidays are going to slightly change our Walmart shopping trips! The weeks of Christmas & New Year's, we will not be taking any Walmart trips. If you need to go to the store during those weeks, please submit a transport request at the front desk.

Free Christmas BINGO

Join Melissa Jerfie for FREE BINGO on Saturday, December 14th! This will be a fun time for you to catch up with Melissa and get an extra BINGO day!

December 2024

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	7
1:00 Game of Choice 3:00 Christ United Methodist Church 4:00 AL Classic TV Show 6:30 Movie Night	1 Candy Cane Day 10:00 Current Events\$ 10:30 AL Current Events 10:30 Zumba Exercise Class with Joan\$ 11:30 AL Lunchtime Melodies 1:00 Game of Choice\$ 2:00 AL BINGO\$ 2:00 Candy Cane Chaos & Taste Test\$ 2:30 Community Christmas Tree Craft\$ 3:00 Devotions with Mark Cabeen\$ 3:30 AL Make & Take Christmas Cards 6:30 Game Time\$	2 9:00 Walmart or Food City 10:00 Walmart or Food City 11:00 AL Word Teasers 1:00 Game of Choice\$ 2:00 Chair Exercise Video\$ 2:00 AL Christmas Music Trivia 3:00 Bingo Sponsored by Hospice of Chattanooga\$ 3:30 AL Christmas Movie Match Up 6:00 Christmas Presents with Tennessee Baptist Children's Home 5:45 Red Hot Chocolate & Cookies with Dr. Melvin 6:30 Game Time\$	3 10:00 Chit Chat with Tori \$ 10:30 AL Junk Drawer Detective 10:30 Zumba Exercise Class with Joan\$ 1:00 Game of Choice\$ 1:30 AL Hot Chocolate Social 2:00 Red Jingle & Mingle Resident Social\$ 2:30 Music Performance with Michael\$ 3:00 Bible Study with Nancy 3:30 AL Community Christmas Tree Craft 5:45 Red Hot Chocolate & Cookies with Dr. Melvin 6:30 Movie Night\$	4 10:00 Christmas Toy Timeline & Trivia\$ 11:00 AL Lunch at P.F. Chang's 11:00 AL You Be the Judge 1:00 Game of Choice\$ 2:00 AL Hot Chocolate Social 2:00 Christmas Walker & Wheelchair Decorating\$ 3:00 Bible Study with Joe 3:00 Hooks & Needles\$ 3:30 Red Visit with Atreyu, the Therapy Dog 3:30 AL Walker & Wheelchair Decorating 6:30 Game Time\$	5 10:00 Fun Fact Friday\$ 10:30 Chair Exercise with Legacy Healthcare\$ 11:00 AL Rolling Library Cart 11:30 AL Gaither Corner 1:00 Game of Choice\$ 2:00 AL BINGO 2:00 Fun Friday: Gingerbread Cookie Decorating \$ 3:00 Bingo Sponsored By Grace Primary Care\$ 3:30 AL Storytime 6:30 Game Time\$	6 10:00 Puzzle Partners 1:00 Game of Choice 2:00 AL BINGO 4:00 AL Classic TV Show 6:30 Movie Night	7
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1:00 Game of Choice 3:00 Graceworks Church 4:00 AL Classic TV Show 6:30 Movie Night	29 10:00 Current Events\$ 10:30 AL Current Events 10:30 Zumba Exercise Class with Joan\$ 11:30 AL Lunchtime Melodies 1:00 Game of Choice\$ 2:00 AL BINGO\$ 2:00 Engineering an Empire Docuseries\$ 2:00 What's New in 2025\$ 3:00 Devotions with Mark Cabeen\$ 3:00 Make It Monday: Jewelry Making\$ 3:30 AL 2025 Mugs 6:30 Game Time\$	30 Rock Around the Clock Day 10:00 Make & Take 2025 Mugs\$ 11:00 AL What's New in 2025? 1:00 Game of Choice\$ 2:00 Purple New Year's Eve Party with Barkey\$ 6:30 Game Time\$	31    				



Resident Birthdays

12/6	Winell Hammontree
12/13	Marion Burris
12/19	Ruth Snyder
12/22	Judy Mirs
12/23	Maggie Osowick
12/31	Joyce Parton



Staff Birthdays

12/17	Terry Cothran
12/30	Gena Entriken



Staff Anniversaries

12/14/15	Ty Mathis
12/26/23	Karen Vineyard
12/26/23	Jodi Smith
12/27/21	Terry Cothran



December Fun Friday

Events at 2pm

- 12/6: Gingerbread Cookie Decorating
- 12/13: Music Performance with Wesley in the Dining Room
- 12/20: Christmas Craft
- 12/27: December Birthday Party



Christmas Dress Up Days

To celebrate the Christmas season, join us for themed dress-up days on the 4 Mondays leading up to Christmas! We hope everyone will participate and enjoy the fun themed activities!

Themed Days:

- Candy Cane Day: wear red & white to match the classic Christmas Candy! Join us for a game & taste testing at 2 pm.
- Grinch Day: Dress up as your favorite Grinch movie character! Snacks & watching the movie at 2 pm!
- Christmas Pajama Day: wear your favorite Christmas Pajamas! Our 2nd Annual Christmas Breakfast Social at 2 pm
- Ugly Christmas Sweater Day: wear your favorite most over-the- top Christmas Sweater! Decorate your own Christmas sweater artwork for extra funny money!



Handy Mittens

Mittens will warm your hands better than gloves, since keeping most of your fingers together generates more heat. Consider a pair of convertible mittens—fingerless gloves that have an attached mitten flap, which you can unfold when you need to pick up an object or press a button.



Memorable Melody: 'Let It Snow'

Would you believe that this classic carol about a frightful blizzard was written during a summer heat wave? Well, believe it! That's exactly how "Let It Snow" came to be in July 1945, when musicians Sammy Cahn and Jule Styne were motivated by record high temperatures to write a song that would cool them down. The original version was recorded by big band singer Vaughn Monroe, who took the tune to No. 1. It's since been covered by dozens of artists, with Dean Martin's smooth rendition among the most loved.



We hope you have an amazing holiday season with your loved ones!

Love,
Your Hickory Valley Family