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Egg-Tra Egg-Tra Read All About the Highlights of What's going on at Emerald Gardens!!!

March 2nd Employee Appreciation/Employee Spirit Day! We will be playing games, enjoy a snack and having door prizes!

March 9th & 30th Trip to Wal-Mart We will be going to Wal-Mart on both these days. Any residents that are interested in going please sign up in the blue book beside the white activity board.

March 13th Singing with Harold Collins and Group Mr. Collins will be singing in the front lobby with a group of other singers. You won't want to miss this group!

March 17th Trip to Hamricks and out to Lunch! We are taking a trip to the Hamricks in North Augusta. All residents that are interested in going please sign up in the blue book beside the white activity board outside the dining hall.

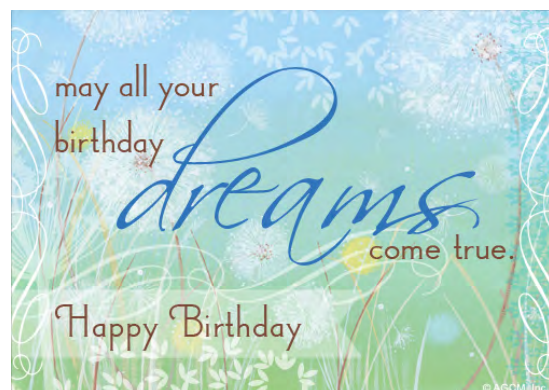
March 20th Story Time with Children from the Learning Vine The children from The Learning Vine will be coming to Emerald Gardens to listen to a story!

March 24th Family Easter Egg Hunt! Families are invited to come eat lunch with their loved one and children can hunt Easter Eggs, Decorate Cookies, Play Corn Hole, and Putt Putt. We will be enjoying Hamburgers, Cold Slaw, Chips and a Brownie. Please RSVP with Anna Taylor with the number of guests that will be attending by March 16th. We want to ensure enough seating is available and that all children are able to find Easter eggs.



March Birthdays

Buddy Martin 3/03
Loyola Scott 3/03
Net Coker 3/11
Laura Fortson 3/15



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Emerald Gardens Friends & Family Referral Program

Refer someone you know, and if they move-in, you will receive \$500 off one month's rent.

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Women's History Month

Peanut Cluster Day
March 8

Day Light Savings Time Begins
March 11

Plant a Flower Day & Take a Nap Day
March 12

March Madness Tournament Begins
March 13

Creative Cake Day
March 19

World Story Telling Day
March 20

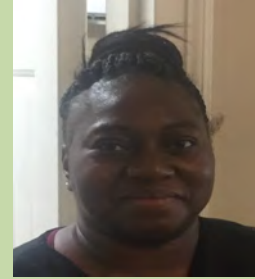
World Water Day
March 22

Cuddly Kitten Day & Cuddly Puppy Day
March 23

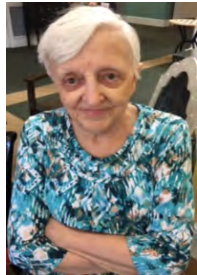
Second Full Moon Day
March 31

Employee of the Month

Beatrice Jackson



I have enjoyed the time that I have worked at Emerald Gardens. I never really had a job before I came here, and I enjoy what I do as a cook. It is a pleasure to be part of a wonderful team. I am a mother of four boys and married to a wonderful husband. I am a woman of strong Faith. Thank you for blessing me with Employee of the Month. Last but not least, thank you Jesus for placing me with WONDERFUL people at E.G.
-Bea



Special Meals and Snacks!

- March 6th Enjoy a Coke Float while listening to 50's Music!
- March 8th Making and Snacking on Peanut Clusters!
- March 14th Enjoy Potato Chips with Supper!
- March 17th Enjoy a piece of St. Patrick's Day Pistachio Cake for Dessert with Supper!
- March 19th Enjoy a Slice of Cake for a Snack!
- March 24th Enjoy a Waffle for Breakfast!
- March 31st Enjoy a Moon Pie for a Snack!

St. Paddy's Pastimes Debunked



They say that everyone is a little bit Irish on St. Patrick's Day, and the world will be draped in green on March 17, when St. Patrick's Day celebrations take place across the globe in honor of the patron saint of Ireland. But if you really want to celebrate the right way, be sure to take a look at these facts behind St. Patrick.

St. Patrick may be one of Ireland's patron saints (along with St. Brigid and St. Columcille), but he was not Irish. Evidence suggests that he was, in fact, British. By some accounts, he was born with the name Maewyn Succat in either Scotland or Wales. Yet it is important to realize that even though St. Patrick may have been born in Britain in the year 390, at the time of his birth, Britain was occupied by the Romans. Thus, it is very likely that Patrick's family was from Roman aristocracy. Indeed, Ireland's precious St. Patrick may well have been Italian.

But don't trade in Irish green for Italy's tricolor green, white, and red just yet. The true color of Ireland might be blue. King Henry VIII flew a blue flag over Ireland during the 16th century. Knights of the Most Illustrious Order of Saint Patrick, a society of Irish knights founded by King George III in 1783, wore a light blue color known as St. Patrick's blue. The Irish president flies a blue flag with a harp. So when did green become the color of Ireland? During the Great Irish Rebellion of 1641, Irishmen flew a green flag against King James. Green became the color of Irish nationalism and independence during the Irish Rebellion of 1798, a notion promulgated in the ballad "The Wearing of the Green."

So whether you're marching in Dublin, raising a pint of Guinness in New York, Irish dancing in Sydney, or eating corned beef and cabbage in Montreal, just remember that none of these pastimes come from the original St. Patrick's Day. The Roman Catholic feast day was traditionally spent in quiet prayer, a far cry from the raucous celebrations of today.

Employee Appreciation Day!

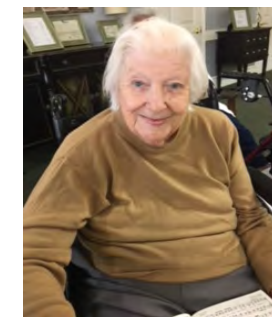
Emerald Gardens is having an Employee Appreciation Day, March 2nd at 2:00 p.m. for the staff! We would like to do door prizes for this event. If you are interested in donating a door prize, please see Anna or Kim.

We will also be having games and snacks for the staff, this is our way of saying thank you to all staff members of Emerald Gardens for serving the residents of Emerald Gardens with the upmost care that they all deserve.

Thank you in advance for helping us celebrate and say thank you to the staff!



What to wear in March!



- March 6th Wear Polka Dots!
- March 7th Wear Plaid!
- March 12th Wear Yellow!
- March 15th Wear Blue Jeans!
- March 16th Wear Any Color But Green!

March 17th Wear Green!

March 19th Wear Tacky Socks!

March 22nd Wear Blue!

March 27th Wear Stripes!

