



St. Monica's Senior Living

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THE Community MONITOR

**TOP
WORK
PLACES**
2023

NEW WOOD CARVING GROUP!

Please join us for our new Wood Carving group! This group meets every **Tuesday at 1:30 pm**. Come and learn from the best!



PROPER FOOTWEAR FOR FALL PREVENTION

Wearing the right shoes can improve your walking quality and reduce your chance of falling. A good shoe should be comfortable, lightweight, have non-skid soles, a closed heel, and ideally laces or Velcro to ensure proper fit. Things to avoid include backless shoes or slippers, anything worn out, and flip flops. Avoid walking barefoot or in socks as this increases your chances of slipping. Please call or come talk to me if you have any questions. I'd love to help you find shoes that can work for you!

Kelly Bardosy, PT (262-321-7164)



OKTOBERFEST AT ST. MONICA'S

Also taking place this month is Oktoberfest! Join us on **Friday, October 6th at 2:30 pm** for a special Happy Hour. We will be serving tasty appetizers and good ol' German beer.



Core Value Award



Laura Maldonado

Teamwork: Laura is very reliable and works well with others. She is someone our team always looks forward to working with.

How long have you worked for St. Monica's?

"I've worked here for 4.5 years."

What do you like to do in your spare time?

"I love to clean. I enjoy spending time with family. I have 3 children and a wonderful husband. I also enjoy taking care of my house plants."

What do you like most about working at St. Monica's?

"I love getting to know the community members and spending quality time with them."

What are some things on your bucket list?

"I would like to travel to Cancun, Mexico."

Community Member of the Month

Family: I have 3 sons, 1 daughter and 4 wonderful grandkids.

Early Years & Hobbies: I really enjoyed woodworking and watercolor painting. Stop by anytime and I can show you my work in my room. I really enjoyed playing football and basketball. I was a coach for many years at the YMCA and Park High School. I also served in the Army for 2 years.

Former Career: I worked for Unified School District for 26 years. I was a locksmith and a carpenter.

Fondest Memory: "I really enjoyed attending my kids' weddings and watching them grow. I loved traveling with my wife as well. We have some great memories."



Alex Mandli

What's Happening?

MONSTER MASH!

Join us on Tuesday, October 31st at 2:30 pm. Get ready to "mash with the monsters!" Come dressed to impress as we will be hosting a costume contest! Fun, snacks, music, and beverages provided.



Men's Fellowship

This group is for our men here at St. Monicas. Please join us every Thursday at 9:30 am in the Party Room.

Stop by Arlene's!

Arlene is taking Christmas orders for her dish cloths. Stop by her room and put your Christmas order in. All proceeds benefit non-profit organizations.



Special Outings this Month (sign up only)

- Douglas Diner: Friday, Oct. 6th at 11:00 am
- Quilt Show: Sunday, Oct. 8th at 9:45 am
- Target Shopping: Friday, Oct. 13th at 9:30 am
- Scenic Bus Ride: Friday, Oct. 20th at 9:30 am
- Jerry Smith Pumpkin Farm: Friday, Oct. 27th at 9:30 am



Get your Flu shots on Wednesday, October 18th from 9:00 am - Noon.



OAK LANE

NEWSLETTER

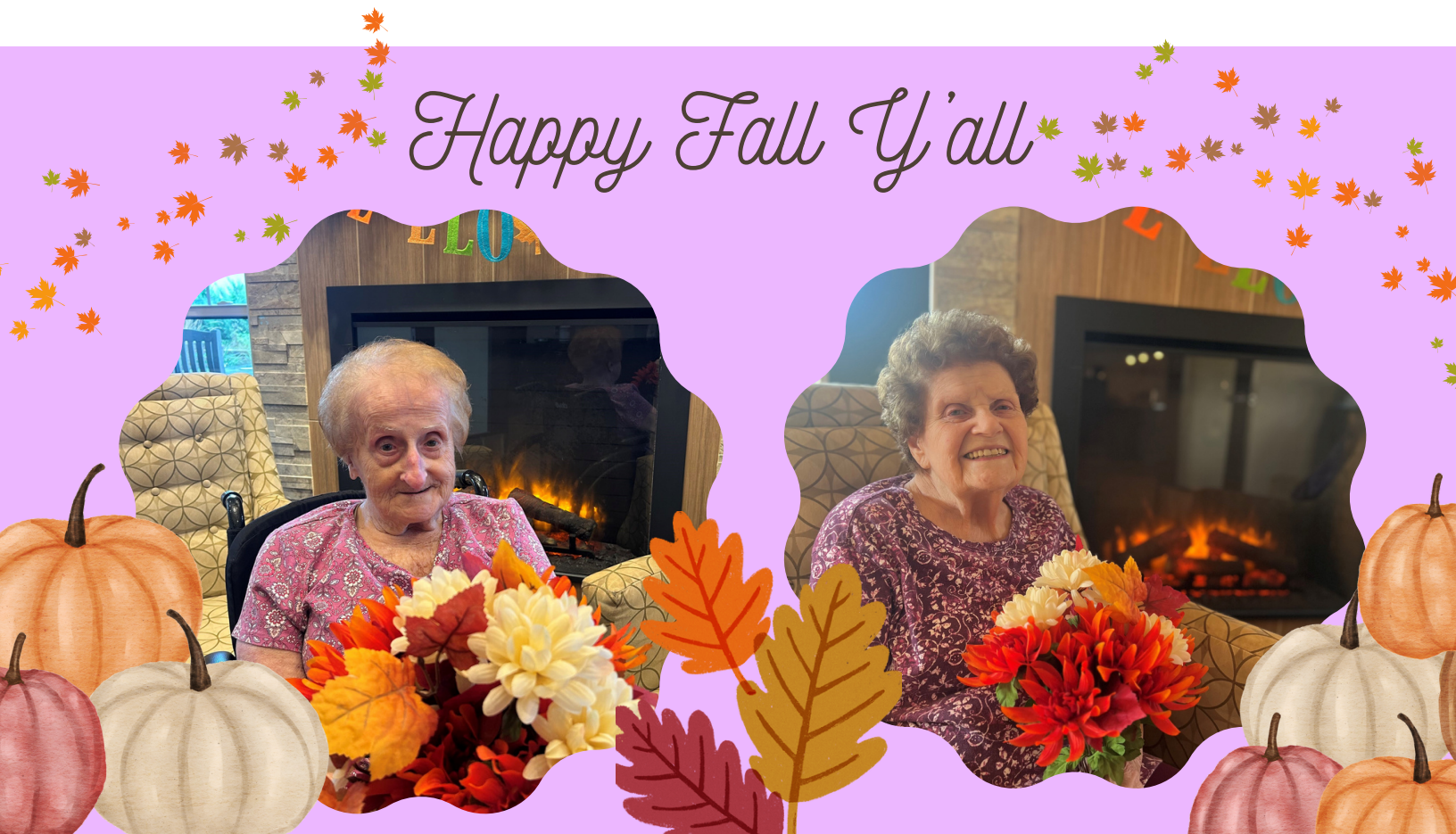


Get to know our newest Life Engagement Coordinator

My name is Miranda Timler, I was born and raised in Racine. I have two children, a 2 year old son and a 9 month old daughter. Before coming to St. Monica's, I was a stay at home mom. I enjoy spending my time with my family. We like to be outdoors a lot and go to local events. I also like to bring my dog to the dog park. I enjoy cooking and having friends and family come over for cookouts. I'm very excited to get to know everyone, and I look forward to working at St. Monica's!



Happy Fall Y'all



Know Your Rights

Right to be free from physical, sexual and mental abuse and neglect, and from financial exploitation and misappropriation of property.

October Birthdays

Laurie Howe 3rd (CM)
 Elaine Weber 4th (CM)
 Margaret Anderson 4th (S)
 Briniqua Brown 4th (S)
 Kaitlin Dean 4th (S)
 Yaneli Morales 5th (S)
 Sylvia Martin 6th (CM)
 Melvin Manty 8th (CM)
 Carol Meyer 8th (CM)
 Helen Keller 9th (CM)
 Jennifer Owens 9th (S)
 Jon Schoeffel 11th (CM)
 Shannon Perez 12th (S)
 Syniah Cobb 14th (S)
 Latasha McCollum 17th (S)
 Gertude Ochs 17th (CM)
 Sarah Pucci 19th (S)
 Eva Rhodes 22nd (CM)
 Marlene Schueppler 22nd (CM)
 Addrin Brown 25th (S)
 Jane Scheller 27th (CM)
 Bob Gall 27th (CM)
 Katia Pironkova 27th (S)
 Dominik Klingelhofer 28th (S)
 Virginia Dziedzic 30th (S)
 Josephine Harris 31st (CM)
 Keanu Dodson 31st (S)

Staff Anniversaries

Lidija Aliji 21 years
 Dana Petit 10 years
 Margaret Anderson 7 years
 Jennifer Zielinski 3 years
 Tanisha Nesby 2 years
 Julie Peshek 2 years
 Belinda Robinson 1 year



Halloween WORD SEARCH



AUTUMN	GHOST	MUMMY	SPIDER
BATS	HALLOWEEN	OCTOBER	SPOOKY
BOO	HAUNTED	ORANGE	TRICK
CANDY	JACKOLANTERN	PUMPKIN	TREAT
COSTUMES	MONSTER	SKELETON	VAMPIRE



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