



July 6th-July 12th, 2026

Village Voice

Weekly Activities and Newsletter for
Phoebe Berks Village Commons

Friendly Reminder

Breakfast 7:30am – 9:30am

Lunch 11:30am – 1:00pm

Dinner 4:30pm – 6:00pm



Theme: America the Beautiful

Monday, July 6th

9:45 Coffee and Conversation (Activity Room)

10:15 “Fried Chicken” Mining (Activity Room)

10:45 Trivia (Activity Room)

1:00 Fitness Exercise (Activity Room)

1:45 Left-Right-Center (Activity Room)-Resident Run

2:30 Pong (Activity Room)

6:30 Movie Night “Fried Green Tomatoes” (Activity Room)-Independent

1991 (PG-13)- On one of trapped housewife Evelyn Couch's (Kathy Bates) Wednesday nursing home visits, she encounters Ninny Threadgoode (Jessica Tandy), a colorful old woman who brightens Evelyn's outlook by sharing tales from her past. As Ninny recounts the exploits of her free-spirited sister-in-law Idgie (Mary Stuart Masterson), owner of a small Alabama café in the 1920s, and the bond Idgie shared with her friend Ruth (Mary-Louise Parker), Evelyn gains the confidence to change her own life for the better.

Tuesday, July 7th

9:30 Coffee and Conversation (Activity Room)

10:00 Devotions with the Chaplain (Activity Room)

10:30 All About Coca-Cola (Activity Room)

2:00 Boombox Bingo (MPR)

2:00 Holy Rosary (TV channel 956)

3:30 Corn Hole (Activity Room)

Wednesday, July 8th

9:30 Coffee and Conversation (Activity Room)
10:00 IN2L Crosswords (Activity Room)
10:30 IN2L Word Games (Activity Room)
1:00 Fitness Exercise (Activity Room)
1:45 Basketball Toss (Activity Room)
2:30 Dining Council (Activity Room)

Thursday, July 9th

9:45 Coffee and Conversation (Activity Room)
10:15 Craft: Tin Punch Door Décor (Activity Room)
1:30 Bingo (Activity Room)
3:00 Golf Box (Activity Room)

Friday, July 10th

9:30 Coffee and Conversation (Activity Room)
10:00 Guess what Colony? (Activity Room)
10:30 Finish the Lyrics (Activity Room)
11:00 Fitness Exercise (Activity Room)
1:30 Hillside Bible Study (Activity Room)
3:00 Wii Bowling (Activity Room)

Saturday, July 11th

9:45 Coffee and Conversation (Activity Room)
10:15 What am I? (Activity Room)
10:30 Giant Crossword (Activity Room)
1:45 Let's Plant Seeds (Activity Room)
2:45 Bounce Baseball (Activity Room)
5:00 Holy Rosary (TV channel 956)

Sunday, July 12th

9:45 Coffee and Conversation (Activity Room)
10:00 Sunday School Songs (TV channel 956)
10:15 Table Shuffleboard (Activity Room)
10:45 Walking Group (Inside/Outside weather permitting) meet Activity Room
2:30 Phoebe Worship Service (Chapel or Ch. 956)

**Activities, times, and locations are subject to change without
advanced notice**

Dining Update

The Phoebe Bistro and Brew and Chew are open to all residents and their families!

Bistro 11am-1pm and 4pm- 6pm, Sat & Sun 11am-5pm

Brew and Chew M-F 8am- 3pm, Sat. & Sun. 8am- 2pm

Fitness Center Update, Joel Mocer

Exercise Class Times are as follows with either Joel or Kristen:

Monday 1:00pm

Wednesday 1:00pm

Friday 11:00am

Chaplain Update, Strother Gross

Tuesday-Devotions with the Chaplain at 10 am in the Activity Room

Sunday– Phoebe Worship Service at 2:30 pm in Chapel or ch.956

Administrator Update, Marcia Engle

No new Updates

Village Commons Nursing Station 610-927-8525

Village Commons Community Life 610-927-8521

Community Life Updates, Heather Donahue

Due to difficulties with the DVD player, we will again be showing the same movie as last week. This is a good movie. I invite you all to come out on Monday night at 6:30pm to watch it in the Activity Room. On Tuesday at 2pm we will be playing Boombox Bingo in the MPR. Come out and test your knowledge of old time Rock and Roll and play everybody's favorite game. Wednesday we will be having Dining Council in the Activity Room at 2:30pm. Please come out to share what you like and don't like about your dining experience and food selections.

Reminder: We are switching to signature cards as of July 1st. I will have these cards available next week. Staff will be printing a report at the end of each week and every time you attend 10 activities you will receive initials on your card. A card is full after 20 initials. Exceptions to activities that count toward the 10 continue to include religious, special social events, IL activities, Committees/clubs, movie nights and other activities that are independently run or deemed included by Community Life. Once you have a card full, you will be able to turn it in for any item that is available from the PC closet. There will be no cost. Once you turn in your card, you will receive a new one. You can trade 20 bucks for 2 sets of initials on your card. This will take place on the 9th after Bingo and after Dining Council on Wednesday. Any questions feel free to ask. You can see Community Life at times that will be determined to trade in your card.

My door is always open for new activity ideas. Stop on by-even if you just want to say "Hello". Or have your family members call me with any wonderful things they know you would love to do.

God Bless,
Heather Donahue
Community Life Coordinator



Abbreviations:
HCC=Health Care Center
IL=Independent Living
MPR=Mult-Purpose
Room
AR=Activity Room

Puzzle Page



Famous July Birthdays

The following people were born in July. Can you find their **last names**? Search horizontally, vertically, diagonally, forward, and backward.

- A. Delta **BURKE**
- B. Tom **CRUISE**
- C. Amelia **EARHART**
- D. Peggy **FLEMING**
- E. Henry **FORD**
- F. Don **HENLEY**
- G. Mick **JAGGER**
- H. Jimmy **JOHNSON**
- I. Rose **KENNEDY**
- J. Stanley **KUBRICK**
- K. Alex **RODRIGUEZ**
- L. Alex **TREBEK**

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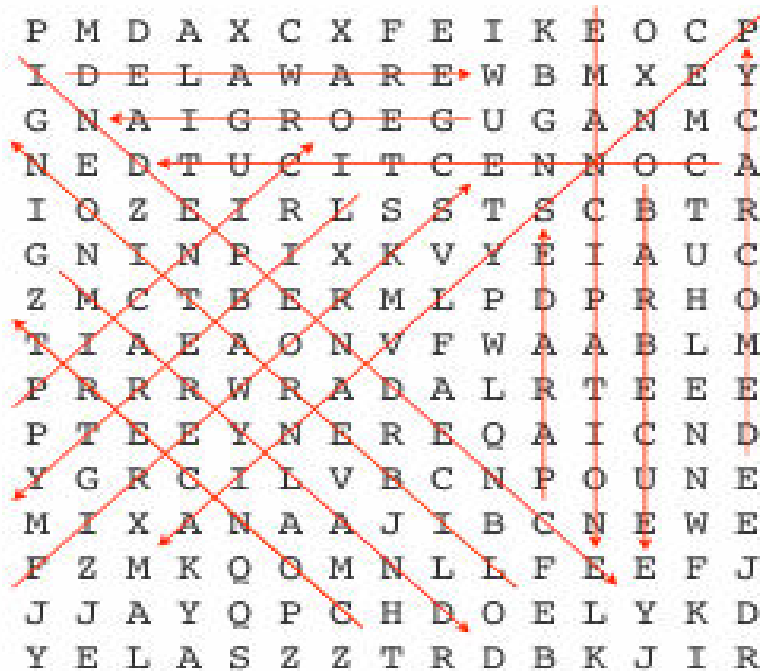
Bonus: Match the person to the correct clue.

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| 1. Rolling Stones singer ____ | 7. JFK's mother ____ |
| 2. <i>Designing Women</i> actress ____ | 8. Yankees player ____ |
| 3. Former <i>Jeopardy</i> host ____ | 9. Automaker ____ |
| 4. NFL football coach ____ | 10. Singer-songwriter ____ |
| 5. Champion figure skater ____ | 11. Pioneer aviator ____ |
| 6. Actor ____ | 12. Director/writer ____ |

Answer to Last Week's Puzzle

Fourth of July Search and Solve

(solution)



Find five words that are Independence Day activities.

barbecue, concert, fireworks, parade, picnic

Find five states that are part of the thirteen colonies.

Connecticut, Delaware, Georgia, Maryland, Pennsylvania

Find five words synonymous with *freedom*.

democracy, emancipation, independence, liberation, liberty