

# The Sandstone Bulletin

August 2019

### What's New at Sandstone Senior Living?

### Bring on the Dog Day's of Summer!!



I can't believe we are over half way through the year already ~ guess it is true that time flies when you are having fun! We are enjoying getting out in the sun on Thursdays for our Walking Club, and for social hour when the temperature isn't so hot! The sunshine sure can stay for a while!!

With Fall on the horizon, I am planning an open house for the community to come in and see our facility and what the buzz is about Sandstone Senior Living! With that in mind, I would like to have some testimonials from current residents and families to share with our community. If you are interested in helping me out, please let me know! I won't make you stand up in front of a crowd and speak, I promise!!



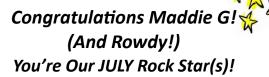
We would like to wish a very Happy Anniversary to these August couples!

August 11th: Howard & Vivian J (Sandstone Senior Living)

August 24th: Dick and Eileen J (Sandstone Senior Living)

August 31st: Del & Jan K (The Village)

## **Rock Star of the Month**





She just joined us full time (from PRN) and look at her go! Maddie has jumped right in and made herself a great addition to our family!

And, well, Rowdy is pretty cool too! Thank you for all you do!!

#### **Sandstone Senior Living**

August 11th: Otis C! August 21st: Crystal K! August 26th: Deb O & Vivian J!



It's Time to Celebrate our August birthdays!!

When: Thursday, August 1st @ 3:00 Where: UL Dining Room What: Treats, Coffee and fun with our friend Arne!

# July Memories at Sandstone Senior Living

July Birthday Celebration! Happy Birthday to Evelyn S, Misty L, Bob H, Lorraine F, Wanda A, Denise D!

### A Little Karaoke Fun!

















Kid Connection Surprised us with Summer Flowers, Songs & Pictures

Coffee & Donuts with Donna!

















### Meet our New Residents!

# Welcome to our Family, Elsie H!



Elsie moved to Sandstone from the town of Dupree! She was born and raised there ~ and spent 17 years working in the Jack & Jill store.

A favorite pastime was baking & selling cookies! She says her date filled cookies were her #1 seller! I thinks she needs to share her recipe!!!

Elsie has 2 sons (who both still live in Dupree!), 6 beautiful grandchildren, and 4 amazing great grandchildren!

Elsie LOVES playing cards. Her game of "choice" is Dealer's Choice! Stop in and say hi to her... and get in on a hand or two!

### Welcome to our Family, Evelyn S!



Stop by and visit with Evelyn when you are on the UL! She has some great stories to share ~ She was born and raised on the home place near Harried, SD. For 21 years she worked as a Nurse Aide at the Belle Fourche Hospital!!

She was married for over 50 years & had 3 children. She has 6 grandkids plus there are "a whole bunch of wonderful great grandkids" in her life! She said she "must've done something right, my kids all turned out good!"

Her hobbies were crocheting and traveling. She really, really LOVES country music ~ you will most likely see her watching CMT when you stop in to say hi!

# Welcome to our Family, Jessie T!

You may see a new face when you are downstairs on the LL! Jessie came to us from her own apartment here in Spearfish! She was born and grew up on a farm in Eastern SD. She has 5 kids, 4 step kids and "too many grand kids and great grandkids to count!"

One of her big loves in life was to crochet and make quilts! All of her children have beautiful afghans, doilies and quilts that she made for them!

Jessie LOVES to play cards and cribbage... she was in a pinochle league for many years! Want to play a game... stop by her room!





Join Us For The Upcoming Activities/Events!

1st: UL 3:00 August Birthday Social with Arne

5th: UL 3:00 Ice Cream Social ~National Rootbeer Float Day! Come enjoy one! 6th: LL 3:00 Craft time!!

8th: UL 3:15 Manicures

12th: UL 3:00 Elsie is here!

13th: UL 3:00 Scrapbook Club

15th: LL 10:45 Communion

16th: LL 1:15 Walgreens trip!

17th: UL 3:00 Riders 4 the

Cross perform!

20th: LL 3:00 Pool Party!

22nd: UL 3:00 Manicures

25th: LL 4:00 The Hawkins County Crooners are

here to sing for us!

27th: LL 3:00 August Resident

Council Meeting

29th: LL 1:15 Trip to Leone's



Do you have an idea for a great activity? Want to volunteer, but don't know where to go ~ Call me!! I love all ideas and we love helpers & visitors!!



#### Save the Date!

Don't forget to attend the Resident Council Meeting, Tuesday, August 27th 3:00pm UPPER Level



### Don't forget about the WALL OF STARS!

If you see a caregiver going above and beyond the "call of duty"... here is your chance to give them a shout out! The Wall of Stars is located in the UL at the top of the stairs



#### The rules are easy:

- Witness a caregiver being awesome
   Grab a star and fill it out
  - 3. Give the star to Connie or Angie

The last day of the month a Star will be randomly drawn for a prize and the honored title of the Sandstone ROCK STAR OF THE MONTH!

### Daily/Weekly Activity Reminders:

- \* Exercise is EVERY weekday morning at 10:00 am ~ the menu board will remind you of what level to join us on!!! We will be getting outside and enjoying the sun with our Walking Club on Thursday mornings, 10:00am! (Weather permitting)
- \* Join us on the Lower Level every Monday at 1:30 for a Bible Study (And Communion is the 3rd Thursday at 10:45am on the Lower Level)
- \* BINGO!! Every Wednesday at 2:00 pm (UL) and Saturday at 3:30pm (LL)! Fun and prizes!!
- You asked for it! Ice Cream Social on the 1st Monday and don't forget Manicures are now 2 times a month!
- Happy Social Hour EVERY Friday at 3:00pm— Join us for socializing and storytelling with your Sandstone Senior Living Family!



Have an idea or thought you would like to share? Did you know there are suggestion boxes by both the main door upstairs and downstairs? We will discuss all suggestions at the next Resident Council Meeting.



Be on the lookout for the September newsletter!