

The Sandstone Spectator

A monthly Newsletter brought to you by your friends & family at Sandstone Senior Living

JUNE 2022

Father's Day
Sunday, June 19th



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Father's Day is always celebrated on the third Sunday in June. Many people assume Father's Day (and Mother's Day for that matter) is a holiday designed by greeting card makers to turn a profit. But that couldn't be farther from the truth.

The first U.S. President to celebrate it was Woodrow Wilson in June of 1916, who opened the church services by telephone to Spokane from the Oval Office. Wilson liked the idea so much of a day of observation for fathers that he pushed to make it a national holiday (he had just made Mother's Day official in 1915). However, members of Congress resisted and it took another 50 years before Father's Day was recognized as a holiday to be celebrated on the third Sunday of June by President Lyndon Johnson's Executive Order in 1966.

We asked a few of our Sandstone Residents what they would like most on Father's Day. When you're looking for a Father's Day gift, feel free to steal an idea from below, but maybe not the first one... **HAWAII!**

Dad #1 - "Don't need anything...I'm just satisfied with everything I get already".

Dad #2 - "If I could go anyplace that I wanted, I would probably go to Kathmandu, Nepal."

Dad #3 - "I would want thirty minutes every week with each son to visit."

Dad #4 - "I like getting stuff that the grandchildren make, or some gift cards for restaurants."

Dad #5 - "Hiking with my grandkids."

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Newsletter Highlights

Father's Day 



 **Honeymoon in the Hills**

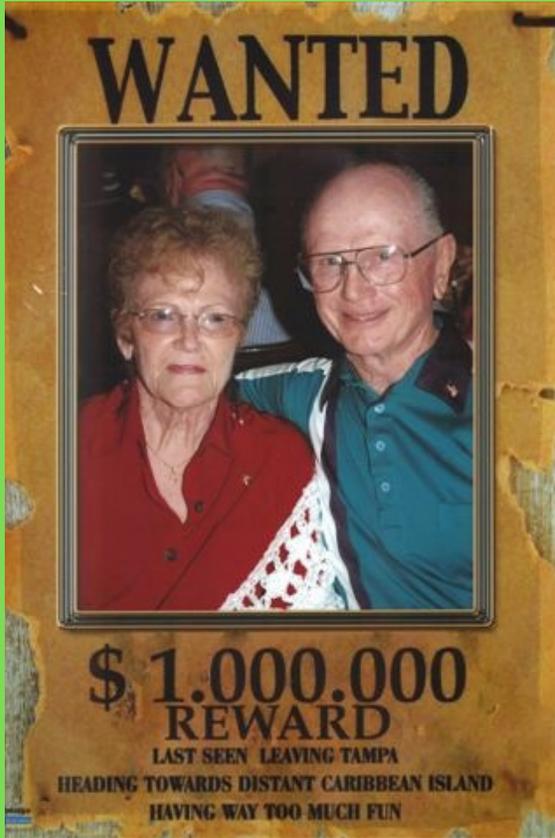
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HONEYMOON IN THE HILLS

AnnaBeryl & Dwayne moved to Sandstone Independent Living in February 2020 and reside at 307 Village Lane. They came to Spearfish from Florida to be close to their daughter, Marvis, and son-in-law Rod Custer who live in Spearfish.

They spent several years in the Denver and Colorado Springs area after being transferred to several other cities by Dwayne's employer, FirestoneTire Company. After raising two daughters, AnnaBeryl worked at several jobs including being an Avon Lady and training hospital claims processors.

Both are originally from northwest Kansas and interestingly, first came to Spearfish on their honeymoon in 1951 to see the Passion Play and tour the Black Hills. They celebrated their 70th wedding anniversary last August and have three grandsons and six great grandchildren.

If you'd like to share a story about your loved one in our newsletter, please email jdonat@sandstonesd.com



Sandstone Hills Street Repair Project

Street repairs and asphalt paving are scheduled on Sandstone Hills Drive, Iron Horse Loop, and Windmill Drive. Additionally, the sanitary sewer line is scheduled to be upsized on Sandstone Hills Drive from Windmill Drive to Colorado Boulevard. The work taking place includes asphalt patching; crack repair; asphalt mill and overlay; and replacing portions of curb, gutter, sidewalk, valley pans, and ADA ramps. **A portion of the sidewalk has been removed in front of SSL; please take extra precaution in & around these areas.**

Work on replacing concrete curb and gutter sections began on Windmill Drive in late March. Parking and/or pedestrian access may be blocked off in this area of work. Both directions of traffic will be maintained during this phase. Throughout different phases of the project, residents will be required to use Exit 14 to gain access to Colorado Boulevard. Please use caution and reduced speeds when passing the construction zone and follow all construction signage. If you have any questions, please contact Kyle Rude with GTI Companies Inc. at (605) 580-1076 or the City of Spearfish Public Works Department at (605) 642-1333.

JUNE Activities



"First Friday" Happy Hour
June 3
3:00 Village Green



VOTING DAY June 6
UL 10:30 & LL 11:30



RSVP for Bus Tour
By June 7



June 9 - Lawn Dice
10:00 Manor LL Patio



June 10 - Happy Hour
with Jeremy
UL 3:00/LL 3:30



June 13 - Color Guard*
11:00 Front Manor Lawn
*Weather Permitting



June 14 - Bus Tour
1:30 Spearfish Canyon



June 17 - 3:00
Father's Day Social
with Happy Hour

For a full list of events, visit
[Newsletter & Calendar](#) on our website
at www.sandstoneseniorliving.com

FLOOR KEY:
UL = Upper Level
LL = Lower Level

Daily/Weekly Activity Reminders!

- Church Service with Pastor Schutz the last two Wednesdays in June at 1:15pm LL.
- Social Happy Hour EVERY Friday. See the Activities Calendar for more details.
- Beauty Shop every Friday in the Manor; make an appointment by calling Donna at 605-269-2280

Take a peek at the bulletin board for NEW ACTIVITIES!
Plus times and locations! If you live at **Sandstone Village**,
we would love for you to come join us!

WHAT'S HAPPENING?

SPRING is finally here!



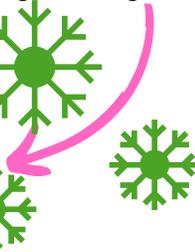
The title says it all! Last month we hosted our first outdoor event of 2022 on May 6th. It was a beautiful sunny day for our Mother's Day Social Hour on the patio. On May 20th, we hosted the "Resident Meal of the Month" where residents voted for their favorite meal and chose to have grilled hamburgers. We grilled them in the last snow of the season!



MOTHER'S DAY SOCIAL



RESIDENT MEAL OF THE MONTH



LADIES ENJOYING THE SUNNY DAY



PAINTING NEW BIRD HOUSES



Join the conversation and follow photos of the SSL activities at <https://www.facebook.com/2010Sandstone>

STAFF RETIREMENT

Carol the Cook

After 10 years at Sandstone Senior Living, Carol's last day will be July 1st. Once retiring, she and her husband plan to visit their son and sister in Colorado. Her son recently got engaged, so she will be actively planning a wedding very soon!

Her husband has been retired for the last three years, so they will *both* be able to spend more time together with their grandsons that live in Spearfish, Nate [12] and Ashton [10].

When asked what she will miss the most at SSL, without hesitation, she answered "I'll miss the people, but I'll be back to visit. I definitely had my favorite residents... I loved teasing them and we would dance and sing together. I always played music that they could hear from the kitchen that they would recognize."



— HAPPY — Retirement & WE WILL MISS YOU, CAROL!