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Making fortune cookies! Or trying to ... The cookies turned out flat, but still tasted sweet. And the memories made are worth more than any fortune cookie.

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Making a Fortune

For National Fortune Cookie Day, we jumped out of our comfort zone and dove into some baking. We tried our hand at making fortune cookies from scratch. It is not easy! Residents really enjoyed trying to fold the cookies, but sadly, most of our fortune cookies were flat. The cookies still tasted good and we had a lot of fun, but "professional fortune cookie makers" is not in our future!



Earl W. and Ken J. putting fortune cookie batter on the cooking sheet to make cookies.



Earl W. showing off his green scorpion Henna tattoo.

Tattoos

We held a tattoo parlor party with temporary tattoos and Henna tattoos. Residents got to choose which type of tattoo they would like, then chose the design. Many residents opted for one of each (or more). Even some staff enjoyed getting a Henna tattoo. They all really loved showing off their new ink!



Activity Director Kennedy Cherry giving Donna V. her temporary tattoo.

National Ice Cream Cone Day

We celebrated National Ice Cream Cone Day with ice cream cones, of course. Everyone really enjoyed the tasty treat.



Anastasia E. and Jane H. enjoying their ice cream cones on National Ice Cream Cone Day!



Staff enjoyed bowling as much as the residents. We even had a bowling tournament.



Sam C. swinging at the piñata while other residents wait anxiously for candy.

How Sweet It Is

National Sugar Day was celebrated with a piñata filled with sugary treats. Residents got to take turns taking a whack at it trying to bust it open. Everyone had a great time and no one left empty handed.



Picking up candy from the piñata.



Gloria D. throwing the ball at CNA Glenda instead of bowling.



Cathy S., Teresa Z., Ken J. and Susan V. at the monthly Bible study tea party.

Bible Study Tea Party

Every month, our Volunteers, Bonnie and Bill, come and host a tea party, along with their Bible study. Residents get to

enjoy cakes and tea while listening to the Bible and Hymns.



Jess S. enjoying his cake at the Bible study tea party.



Sam C. and Mikhail C. enjoying National Chip Day.

National Chip Day

For National Chip Day, Activities provided different types of chips, and of course different types of dip. Some residents tried new chips and new dips. Everyone really enjoyed the tasty treat.



Teresa Z. enjoying bowling outside.

Resident Birthdays!

- 10/01 Calvin P.
- 10/03 Ethel B.
- 10/08 Michael W.
- 10/11 Karen L.
- 10/24 Bonita H.

Staff Birthdays!

- 10/01 Vivian Pearson
- 10/06 Donna Slinkard
- 10/06 Justice Williams
- 10/18 Heather Lance
- 10/20 Christina Pyles
- 10/20 Steve Smith
- 10/28 Latasha Townsend
- 10/31 Angel Johnson

Staff Anniversaries

- 4 Years Pam Owens
- 2 Years Wendy Redmond
- 4 Years Ronna Sanders



Brad Tift, employee of the month.

Employee of the Month

Brad Tift, part of the maintenance department and head of transportation, is our employee of the month. Brad has been with GNR for a short time, but has really made an impact. Brad was chosen for employee of the month because he helps with anything and everything, and the residents like him.

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Our Residents!