

Notable Quotable

“Autumn leaves shower like gold, like rainbows, as the winds of change begin to blow.”

~ Dan Millman,
author

Honoring The Origins of Grandparents Day

Grandparents day was conceived in the 1970s by Marian McQuade. (She did not work for Hallmark, as some rumors suggest.) McQuade was a dedicated volunteer and advocate for seniors. She petitioned President Carter to create Grandparents Day to encourage people to visit their grandparents, particularly if they were living in nursing homes. She hoped the visits would lead to conversations that would provide insight and preserve stories from the past. Grandparents Day will be celebrated this year on Sunday, September 11th.



Labor Day: Remembering Our Jobs...

“I was a pharmacist. I loved helping all the people who would come in and out.” –Joyce

“I was a nurse at a hospital and I loved it! I enjoyed being busy and being with kids. I miss that.” –Janine

“A long time ago I was a waitress in Detroit. It was hard work, but I learned a lot.” –Karen

“I worked for the state of Minnesota. The people were nice and the benefits were excellent!” --Barb

“When I was young I worked as a cashier at my dad’s grocery store. He didn’t pay me, but I learned a lot!” –Pat S.

“Music! My job was all about music, music, music. I loved it all!” --Ros

“I worked as a secretary for a while, but then I started having kids and became a stay at home. They kept me busy!” --Lorraine S.

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September Events & Activities

Newman School Visits: The K-5th graders of Newman School will be visiting us every 4th Friday of the month from 10:30-11:30 am beginning in September! Students will be paired with a Sholom buddy and spend their time getting to know one another. We’re looking forward to welcoming our school friends back to Sholom!

National Assisted Living Week: Celebrate the people who make Bentson Assisted Living a great place to live and work during National Assisted Living Week! The special week kicks off with Grandparents’ Day on Sunday, September 11th. The theme for this year’s celebration is *Joyful Moments*. Several special events have been planned to create some joy for our spectacular staff and residents at Bentson Assisted Living!

Live 2 B Healthy Returns: Exercise experts from *Live 2 B Healthy* will be returning to memory care on Friday afternoons at 3:15 beginning 9/16. Join us for 30 minutes of gentle, seated movements in the sun room.

Rosh Hashanah: We’ll celebrate with live music by the Klezmer Band on Thursday, September 22nd in the auditorium. Services will begin on Sunday 9/25 at 4:00 pm in the Newman Chapel.

Memory Care Meal Times

Breakfast: 7:00 am Lunch: 11:30 am Dinner: 4:45 pm

Please note: Visitors are not allowed in our dining room due to continued Covid restrictions. Thank you.

Celebrating September

Labor Day (U.S.)
September 5

Grandparents’ Day
September 11

National Assisted Living Week
Week of September 11

World Alzheimer’s Day
September 21

Rosh Hashanah Begins
September 25