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News & Events
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January is the first month of the year in the Julian and Gregorian calendars. The month did not exist until around 713 BC , when it was added to the original Roman calendar along with February. January is named after Janus, the god of gateways and beginnings, who is typically depicted as a two-headed man looking forward and backward simultaneously. This is a fitting image for the first month of the year-remembering the past while also looking to the future.

## Welcome to <br> AgeCare <br> Midnapore

## Your AgeCare

 FamilyWelcomes YOU

## Trivia Answers <br> Questions on Front

1. Sir Isaac Newton

Neil Armstrong
Search for Tomorrow
John D Rockefeller
Anne Taylor, 1901
Amelia Earhart
Norway
Laika
My Bonnie

## IN HOUSE LUNCHES

On Friday's we will be hosting a "Hot Dog" In House lunch in the neighbourhoods. Sign up with recreation staff today as seating is limited. Cost will be charged to the Resident Trust Account.
Friday January 8 - Bridlewood \&Heritage Pointe
Friday Jan 15-Chaparral \& Evergreen
Friday January 22 -Shawnessy
*sorry no modified textures allowed at this time*

## VIRTUAL MEMORIAL SERVICE

We will be hosting a Virtual Memorial Service to honor and remember residents who have passed. If you would like to be included please contact Alexa Grinevitch, SW to provide email address which we can send the Zoom Link to. In person seating for residents is limited.

Alexa Grinevitch
agrinevitch@agecare.ca or 403-873-2617


The days are short. The sun a spark, hung thin between the dark and dark Fat snony footsteps track the floor. And parkas pile up near the door The river is a frozen place. Held still beneath the trees' black lace The sky is ow. The wind is gray. The radiator purrs all day.

## Hello 2021,

The recreation team is looking forward to celebrating a new year with all of our residents and family.

Please note: if a neighbourhood is on COVID Outbreak, there are no group recreation program that occur. Only 1:1 visits in the resident rooms.

If you would like to connect with a family member who is not a Designated Visitor, please arrange for a Virtual Visit through recreation.

## PROTECT OUR RESIDENTS THIS SEASON

Do not visit if you are feeling unwell

## Cover your Cough

Clean your Hands

1. Get vaccinated- vaccinations are available soon. Nursing is contacting residents/families/agents to get consent for the flu vaccine.
2. Practice hand hygiene
3. Follow respiratory etiquette
4. Drink water and get plenty of rest if you are sick

If you need information and want to know more about influenza, please contact Anna Andres, Clinical Resource Nurse aandres@agecare.ca

Celebrate the first day of the first month of the year with some
"first" trivia

## 1. Who was the first

 person to discover the laws of motion?2. Who was the first man to walk on the moon?
3. What was the first successful American TV soap opera?
4. Who was the worlds first billionaire in 1916 ?
. Who was the first person to go over Niagara Falls in a barrel?
5. Who was the first women to fly solo over the transatlantic?
. Which countries flag was the first to reach South Pole?
. What was the name of the first dog in Space?
6. What was the name of the first single on which the Beatles performed?
7. What hockey player is the first to hold 61 NHL records?

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| $3$ | Christmas Take Down | 5 <br> 9:45 Word Games (S) <br> 1:30 Short Stories (I) | $6$ <br> 3:00 Exercise (S) | $\begin{aligned} & 7 \\ & 9: 45 \text { Morning Stretch (J) } \\ & \text { 1:30 You be the Judge (S) } \end{aligned}$ | $8$ <br> 9:45 Exercise (G) <br> In House Hot Dog Lunch (HP\&BW Only) | 9 Happy Birthday Madga R 9:45 Uno (G) |
| $10$ | $11$ <br> 1:30 Afternoon Stretch (S) <br> 3:00 Family Feud (S) | 12 <br> 9:45 Word Games (G) <br> 10:45 Sip \& Listen (G) <br> 1:30 Getting to Know You (G) <br> 3:00 Poker (G) | 13 <br> 9:45 Exercise (G) <br> 10:45 Reminiscing: 40s Fads (G) <br> 3:00 Jeopardy (G) | 14 <br> 9:45 Balloon Badminton (G) <br> 10:00 Library Cart <br> 10:45 Tile Rummy (G) <br> 2:00 Shawnessy Bingo <br> 2:00 Travelling Tuck Cart | 15 <br> 9:45 Exercise (G) <br> In House Hot Dog Lunch (CH\&EG Only) | 16 <br> On This Date 1939 - Joe Shuster from Toronto published his first Superman comic strip. Employed by DC-National, he produced the lead feature in the company's first issue of Action Comics |
| $17$ | 18 <br> 9:45 Bowling (S) <br> 2:00 Resident Council in Classroom | 19 <br> 9:45 Word Games (G) <br> 10:45 Music \& Memories (G) <br> 3:00 Card Games (G) | 20 <br> 9:45 Exercise (G) <br> 10:45 Family Feud (G) <br> 2:00 Science Experiment: Don't Melt the Ice | 21 <br> 9:45 Balloon Badminton (G) 10:00 Food Council in Bridlewood Retreat 10:45 Board Games (G) <br> 2:00 Travelling Tuck Cart 2:00 Snowflake Craft (G) | 22 <br> 9:45 Exercise (G) <br> In House Hot Dog Lunch (SH Only) | 23 <br> You Don't Say The suits in a deck of cards represent the four major pillars of society in the Middle Ages: hearts ( $\boldsymbol{\bullet}$ ) represent the church, spades ( $\boldsymbol{\perp}$ ) represent the military, clubs (b) represent agriculture, and diamonds ( $\uparrow$ ) represent the merchant class. |
| $24$ | 25 <br> 9:45 Morning Stretch (G) <br> 10:45 Music \& Memories (G) <br> 2:00 Shawnessy Bingo (G) | $\begin{aligned} & 26 \\ & \text { 9:45 Word Games (G) } \\ & \text { 10:45 Dolly Parton Music (G) } \\ & \text { 1:30 1:1 Visits (G) } \\ & \text { 3:00 Poker (G) } \end{aligned}$ | 27 Happy Birthday Anna W 9:45 Exercise (G) <br> 10:45 Would you Rather? (G) <br> 1:30 Memorial Service in Bridlewood Retreat | $\begin{array}{\|l} \text { 28 } \\ \text { 10:00 Library Cart } \\ \text { 10:45 Morning Stretch (J) } \\ \text { 2:00 Travelling Tuck Cart } \end{array}$ | 29 <br> 9:45 Exercise (G) <br> 10:45 Famous Faces (G) <br> 3:00 Board Games (G) | $\begin{aligned} & 30 \\ & 9: 45 \text { Card Games (G) } \end{aligned}$ |
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| $3$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 5 \\ & 9: 45 \text { Exercise (J) } \\ & \text { 10:45 1:1 Visits (A) } \\ & \text { 1:30 What's New in } 2021 \text { (J) } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 6 \\ & \text { 1:30 New Year Craft (J) } \\ & \text { 3:00 Junk Drawer Detective (J) } \end{aligned}$ | $7$ <br> 1:30 Current Events (J) <br> 2:00 Travelling Tuck Cart <br> 3:00 Life's Blessings (A) | $\begin{aligned} & 8 \\ & 9: 45 \text { Exercise(J) } \end{aligned}$ | 9 <br> Food Trivia <br> Vanilla is the extract of fermented and dried pods of several species of orchids. |
| $10$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11 \\ & 9: 45 \text { Name } 5(\mathrm{~J}) \\ & \text { 1:30 Short Stories (J) } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12 \\ & 9: 45 \text { Exercise (J) } \\ & \text { 1:30 1:1 Visits (J) } \end{aligned}$ | $13$ <br> 1:30 Bingo (J) <br> 3:00 Music Request Hour (J) | 14 <br> 9:45 Throwback ThursdaySuperstitions (J) 10:00 Library Cart <br> 1:30 Can you Picture This (J) <br> 2:00 Travelling Tuck Cart | $15$ <br> 9:45 Balloon Badminton (J) | 16 <br> On This Date 1939 - Joe Shuster from Toronto published his first Superman comic strip. Employed by DC-National, he produced the lead feature in the company's first issue of Action Comics |
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| $17$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18 \text { Happy Birthday Sharon L } \\ & \text { 10:45 Who am I/ What am I (I) } \\ & \text { 2:00 Resident Council in } \\ & \quad \text { Classroom } \\ & \text { 3:00 Short Stories (I) } \end{aligned}$ | 19 Happy Birthday Peggy C 9:45 Exercise (I) <br> 1:30 Armchair Travel to the Philippines (I) | 20 <br> 10:45 Don't Melt the Ice Science Experiment (I) <br> 3:00 Chicken Soup for the Soul (I) | 21 Happy Birthday Theresa L 9:45 Exercise (I) 10:00 Food Council in Bridlewood Retreat 10:45 Throwback ThursdaySuperstitions (I) <br> 2:00 Travelling Tuck Cart | 22 <br> 9:45 Balloon Badminton (A) <br> 10:45 Music BiographiesDolly Parton (I) <br> In House Hot Dog Lunch (SH Only) | 23 <br> You Don't Say The suits in a deck of cards represent the four major pillars of society in the Middle Ages: hearts ( $\vee$ ) represent the church, spades ( $\boldsymbol{\perp}$ ) represent the military, clubs ( $\boldsymbol{\infty}$ ) represent agriculture, and diamonds ( $\uparrow$ ) represent the merchant class. |
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| 3 Happy Birthday Vivian G | $4$ <br> Christmas Take Down | $\begin{aligned} & 5 \\ & \text { 1:30 New Years Jokes (S) } \\ & \text { 6:00 Who/What Am I? (T) } \end{aligned}$ | $6$ 10:45 Table Bowling (S) | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 9:45 Canadian Trivia (S) } \\ & \text { 2:00 Travelling Tuck Cart } \end{aligned}$ | 8 <br> 10:45 Movement \& Wellness (S) <br> In House Hot Dog Lunch (HP\&BW Only) | 9 $1: 30$ Family Feud (G) |
| $10$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11 \\ & \text { 10:45 Exercise (S) } \end{aligned}$ | 12 <br> 9:45 Urban Myths (S) <br> 1:30 Categories (S) <br> 6:00 Word Games (T) | $\begin{aligned} & 13 \\ & \text { 10:45 Bean Bag Toss (S) } \\ & \text { 3:00 Music in Color (S) } \end{aligned}$ | 14 <br> 9:45 Would You Rather? (S) 10:00 Library Cart <br> 1:30 Dear Abby (S) <br> 2:00 Travelling Tuck Cart | 15 <br> 10:45 Movement \& Wellness (S) <br> In House Hot Dog Lunch (CH\&EG Only) | 16 <br> On This Date 1939 - Joe Shuster from Toronto published his first Superman comic strip. Employed by DC-National, he produced the lead feature in the company's first issue of Action Comics |
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