

April 2024

SUMMIT HOUSE

SUMMIT HOUSE ASSISTED LIVING, 600 1ST ST NW, BRITT, IOWA 50423



Celebrating April

APRIL SHOWERS BRING MAY FLOWERS

Jeff Buege/Singer

April 10 2:00pm

Hymn Sing

April 14 1:30pm

National Volunteer Week

April 21-27

Carl & Joanne Nord

April 22 2:00pm

Music Therapy

April 23 10:30am

Pastor John/Nancy Beeken

April 24 3:00pm

Earth Day

April 22

Arbor Day

April 26



EASTER FUN



Going back in time is always a fun thing to do. Dying easter eggs and sharing stories of family easter's.



Shirley did a painting for us to display for the Easter Holiday. Great job Shirley.

OLD STUFF DAY



There was a lot of history and stories told.



John shared his knowledge of tractors.



Steve brought his grandfather's scale that was used to weigh clothing using a basket on the end.

WEAR PLAID DAY



It was national wear plaid day and the residents stepped up to the plate and dug out all their plaid attire. Who knew there were so many plaid designs.

EASTER BINGO



Pastor John and Nancy joined in on the Easter Bingo we played before we all gathered for an Easter service with the pastor.

Hunting for the Golden Egg



John Eekhoff found the Golden egg at our egg hunt. The grand prize was this adorable little bunny.



Doris was the winner of the Jellybean Contest.

National Quilt Day



What a great group of talent.

Celebrating Easter



What better way to celebrate Easter than with friends. We all enjoyed some tasty drinks and snacks, along with some good memories of Easter.



This was made by Darlene Bernhard in 2016.

TENANT OF THE MONTH



Trudy Budlong was born in New Albany, Indiana on January 22, 1929. She lived there until she was six, then her family moved to Miami, Florida for her father's health. She has two brothers and two sisters. Trudy graduated from Miami Edison High School and from there she attended Iowa Wesleyan College for 2 years graduating with a degree in music. Her career started in Nebraska where she taught music at a school for the blind. She also picked up on some Braille while she was teaching there. Trudy then moved back to Miami where she met her husband Don on a blind date set up by his sister while he was visiting from Iowa. In a years' time they were engaged and married and have been together 71 years. Trudy and Don had been living on the family farm in Titonka for 68 years. They have 4 children. Trudy was the choir director at the Methodist church for 15 years, a member of the Titonka Federated club for 25 years and the bowling team in Titonka for several years. They have lived at the Summit House for 3 years and are both diehard fans of the Iowa State Cyclones.

Congratulations on being Tenant of the Month!

April Birthdays

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

Residents

Mary Franzen 4/1
Joni Short 4/7
Beulah Perry 4/11
Viola Eekhoff 4/19
Anne Larson 4/28

Staff

Sandy Janes 4/11
Sandy Baade 4/14
Cathy Kruse 4/30

EMPLOYEE SPOTLIGHT



Introducing Cathy Kruse who lives in Hayfield. She is married and has two children, and one granddaughter. She enjoys getting to know the residents and their stories. She has worked as a Resident Assistant for eight months. Thank you for all you do!