

September 2025

SUMMIT HOUSE

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



Celebrating September

Intergeneration Month

World Alzheimer's Month

Labor Day
September 1

Eat an Extra Dessert Day
September 4

International Day of Charity
September 5

Bald Is Beautiful Day
September 13

Balance Awareness Week
September 14–20

Respect Day
September 18

Centenarian's Day
September 22

**Women's Health
and Fitness Day**
September 23

Good Neighbor Day
September 28

BRITT'S ANNUAL HOBO DAYS



Luther the Jet, Nurse Tuffy, Caleb and Connecticut Tootsie entertained our residents with the history of the Hobo's, some singing and storytelling.



Thank you to Miller and Sons for the use of their golf cart. We had a lot of fun exploring Britt during Hobo Days.

Newlywed Game Contestants



They didn't have a clue of what they were in for.



Barb and Scott Witt were the winners!



Afterwards we all enjoyed some ice cream and fresh peaches.

Anna Mae turns 101!!



Anna Mae turned 101 and she had a great time with her family and friends here at the Summit House. Four generations of Orvicks.

SWEET CORN TIME



A big thank you to the Verbrugge's for bringing in the sweet corn for all to enjoy. The men offered to husk the corn and had a great time reminiscing about farming.

TENANT OF THE MONTH



Introducing Mabel Jeanne (Ketchen) Kraus. Jeanne was born on August 27, 1925, on a farm in Fort Pier, South Dakota. Her parents were Mabel and William Ketchen. She grew up in Emmetsburg, Iowa with her brother and sister. Jeanne graduated from the Emmetsburg High School in 1937 and from the UNI teaching school in 1939. She was a teacher for 5 years, teaching in Wesley, Laurens and Spencer Iowa. She met her husband Don at a church function, and they were married in 1945 at the United Methodist Church in Emmetsburg. They moved to Wesley to run the Kraus department store. Jeanne and her husband Don had one son Richard who lives in Dallas, Texas. Jeanne has been a resident of the Summit House for 10 years. She enjoys exercise class, music, playing bridge, all sports and playing games on her I-Pad. Congratulations on being Tenant of the Month and celebrating your 106th birthday. You are amazing!

Photo Share Day



The good old days!

National Lemonade Day



What's a better way to celebrate National Lemonade Day than with an ice-cold lemonade with some raspberries and blueberries to make it extra tasty.

UPCOMING EVENTS

HOMESPUN FAMILY BAND

September 7 6pm

CARL & JOANNE NORD SINGING

September 8 2pm

BLANK PARK ZOO

September 11 2pm

RICHIE LEE & THE 60'S

September 12 2pm

JEFF BUEGE/GOSPEL SINGER

September 22 2pm

PASTOR JOHN & NANCY

September 24 3pm

WEEKLY EVENTS

THURSDAYS

Bible Study 1pm

500 Cards 6pm

FRIDAY MORNINGS

Community Coffee 9am

Join us as we celebrate National Assisted Living week from September 7th through the 13th. The residents will be on Ageless Adventures and enjoying all the activities.

September Birthdays

Residents

Donna Rudisill 9/6

Harley Schroeder 9/7

Steve Boman 9/19

Raymond Kumsher 9/28

Staff

Dana Janes 9/7

EMPLOYEE SPOTLIGHT



Introducing Carrie Hingson our Employee Spotlight of the month. Carrie lives in Burt, Iowa with her daughter Kahrina. She has worked here for three months in our Dietary Department. When Carrie is not working, she enjoys walking, reading, and swimming. Her favorite part of working at the Summit House is the residents and how much the staff care for others.

CONGRATULATIONS CARRIE!